



Dear Water Steward:

We all depend on water to grow our food, to hydrate, to produce energy, to make products, to wash, to recreate. Nature depends on water too. Because growing populations will increase our global and local water use, we all have to get much smarter about using, conserving and protecting this limited but renewable source of life.

At Nestle Waters North America, we have been managing the spring sources for our bottled spring waters to help ensure long term sustainability of this precious resource. We also manage the watersheds around these sources and monitor the water quality, which not only benefits the drinkers of our waters but also the surrounding environment.



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It is through our commitment to water that we've become so aware of the need for Project WET, and the serious but fun education about water that Project WET creates and disseminates. Nestle Waters began funding Project WET in 2008 and has helped it grow from a presence in three countries to a presence in over 50. In one year alone, 2009, Project WET trained over 30,000 teachers, reaching millions of children in over 50 countries.

*"Discover water.org: The Role of Water in Our Lives"* is a new interactive, online learning tool that enables Project WET to bring its lessons to an even broader audience of schools and students in a format today's high-tech students will find engaging. We believe that getting children excited about water is one of the best ways to impact present and future water resources and water management. "Discoverwater.Org" has been endorsed by hundreds of educators and is correlated with both national and state teaching standards.

We hope you will take a few minutes to review *"Discoverwater.org"* and consider ways to introduce it to your students. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Dr. Laurina Lyle PHD, [laurina.lyle@projectwet.org](mailto:laurina.lyle@projectwet.org) or Delphine Fairley, [delphine.fairley@waters.nestle.com](mailto:delphine.fairley@waters.nestle.com).

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