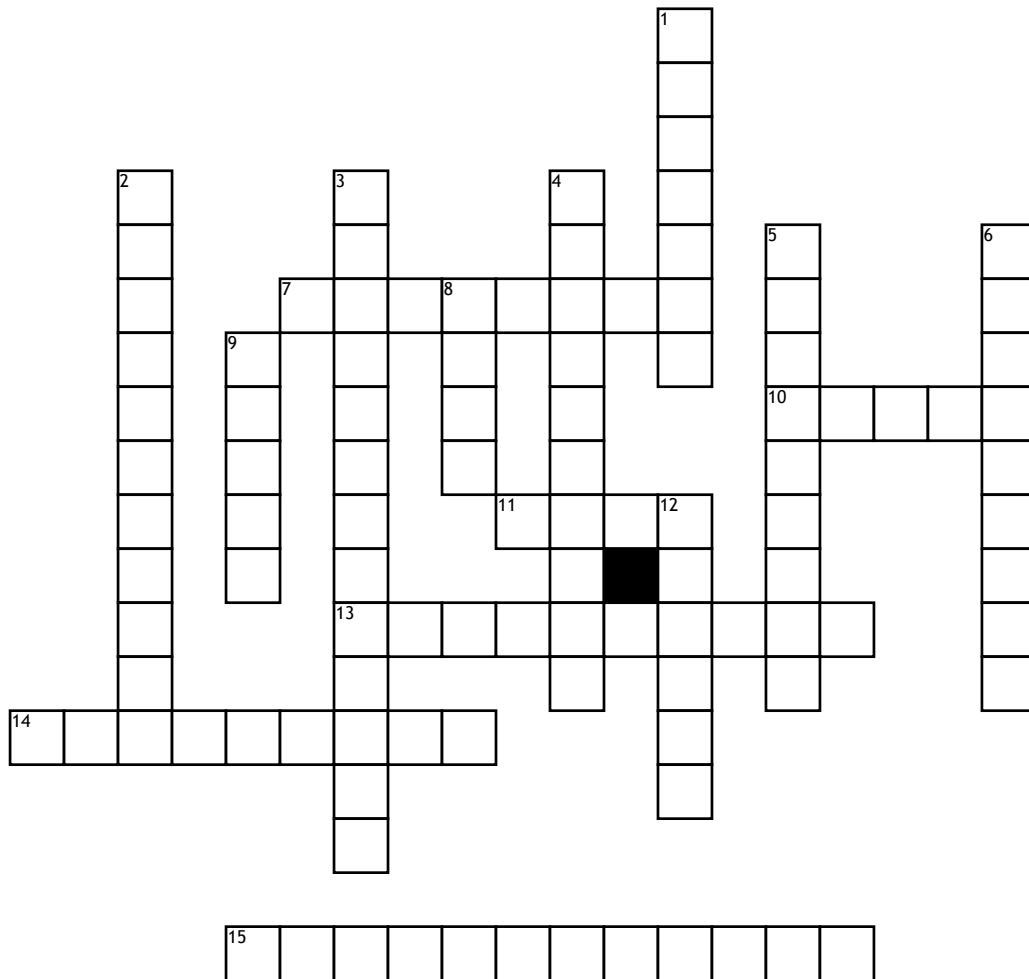


Water Quality



Across

- 7. A place where all marine life dies due to low Oxygen levels
- 10. Fish kills are disastrous for the _____ communities
- 11. Estimated that _____ the wetland areas have already been lost
- 13. An influx of nutrients like nitrogen and phosphorus in warm, slow-moving water, it can cause
- 14. Cloudy Water
- 15. The part of water we can see

Down

- 1. Underground storage areas
- 2. Water that occupies pore space in the rock and soil layer beneath our feet
- 3. How groundwater is replenished
- 4. In this process, _____ can pick up any trash, soil, debris, or chemical contaminants that it encounters
- 5. _____ on the ground can be washed into local waterways, threatening water quality

- 6. Can be carried by storm water to drains that feed into the Watershed
- 8. too much of this eroded from the nearby land and stirred up in the water column can be unhealthy for fish
- 9. Part of the watershed that can help with water quality
- 12. Trees and plants help _____ Soil

Word Bank

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| Dead Zone | Pollution | Groundwater | Algae Bloom | Trees |
| Surface Water | Storm water | local | Turbidity | Dirt |
| Filter | Precipitation | Aquifer | half | Pollution |