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Lynnhaven River Watershed Markers on the Way

One of the many projects being undertaken by the city to enhance water quality in the Lynnhaven River – and perhaps the one most immediately visible – will soon be apparent to citizens. Several roadside markers will be placed at strategic points within the Lynnhaven watershed, an area that encompasses much of the city's landmass.

The markers are part of the effort to raise public awareness of the size of this drainage basin and to help citizens be more aware that their actions have an impact on the river. For example, picking up pet waste and not allowing lawn fertilizer or any toxic materials to enter storm drains are helpful actions.

The Department of Public Works and the community-based Lynnhaven 2007 organization developed the markers. For more information, log on to www.lynnhaven-river2007.org.

