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# Press Release For Immediate Release

### **Living Lands & Waters Calls for Volunteers During Their Ohio River Tour**

Since 1998 Living Lands & Waters (LL&W), has worked with over 97,000 volunteers to remove 8.7 MILLION pounds of marine debris from America's Rivers and they need YOUR help on this fall! The third stop on their 2016 Ohio River Tour is in Rising Sun, IN and they will be hosting several river cleanups in the area.

LL&W operates on a one-of-a-kind fleet of barges, known as the only "industrial strength" river cleanup operation in the world. There will typically be 2 cleanups a day: 9am-12pm and 1pm-4pm. Individuals, families, and groups are welcome; however we recommend volunteers be 12 years or older. Each time slot can accommodate up to 45 volunteers per day! We provide all necessary materials including: lunch, trash bags, gloves, life jackets, water, sunscreen, and bug spray.

## **River Cleanup Dates:**

Tuesday, August 16 - 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm Wednesday, August 17 - 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm Thursday, August 18 - 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm Friday, August 19 - 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm Saturday, August 20 - 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm

## Other stops include:

Patriot, IN – 09/13-09/17
Warsaw, KY – 09/20-09/24
Carrollton, KY – 09/27-10/01
Madison, IN – 10/04-10/15
Westport, KY – 10/18-10/22
Charleston State Park, IN – 10/25-11/05
Louisville, KY – 11/08-12/06

## For more information on:

**Volunteering**: <a href="http://livinglandsandwaters.org/2016-ohio-river-cleanups/">http://livinglandsandwaters.org/2016-ohio-river-cleanups/</a>

About Living Lands & Waters — Chad Pregracke started Living Lands & Waters in 1998 as a not-for-profit organization dedicated to the beautification and restoration of America's major rivers and the education of environmental issues. From his single boat beginning, LL&W has grown to an industrial strength, internationally known organization with a fleet of barges and workboats. LL&W engages thousands of volunteers each year in river cleanups, hands-on environmental education workshops, the Great Mississippi River Cleanup, Adopt-a- River-Mile program, Invasive Species Removal, and the Million Trees Project.

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