

TIMELINE OF THE MOXAHALA CREEK WATERSHED PROJECT MILESTONES & AMD PROJECTS

1994

- Moxahala Watershed Restoration Commission created by the Village of Crooksville to work on flooding and water quality issues.

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- Tropic Coal Reclamation Project completed.

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- The Moxahala Watershed Restoration Commission (MWRC) signed the Ohio EPA 319 Grant, for a watershed coordinator.

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- Grants from the Ohio EPA 319 Program and the Ohio Division of Mineral Resource Management were approved. The grants allowed for the hiring of a research team from Voinovich School to help create an Acid Mine Drainage Abatement and Treatment (AMDAT) Plan for the watershed.

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- Acid Mine Drainage Abatement and Treatment (AMDAT) Plan completed for the Moxahala Watershed.
- Misco West Gob Pile Project completed. This project was a \$1.3 million project that included the reclamation of 47 acres of burning coal refuse from abandoned coal mining operations.

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- Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Award (co-recipient) for the Misco West Gob Pile Project .

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- The Ohio EPA conducted the Biological and Water Quality Study of the Moxahala Creek Watershed.

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- Began design work for the Tropic Wetland Maintenance project. Construction will include the passive treatment of 2 underground coal mine discharges that contribute approximately 80% of the iron load to the Black Fork Watershed.

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