

State of the Elizabeth River 2008

Health of the river

- Good
- Marginal
- Degraded
- Severely degraded

Restoration initiatives

- Model level River Stars
- Oyster restoration
- Wetland restoration
- Sediment cleanup site

Throughout this report, scorecards summarize data on a variety of indicators for five branches of the Elizabeth. Here, the scores are averaged to give an overall grade for each branch. It should be noted that data currently is collected only for indicators known to be problems in the Elizabeth. Future monitoring could be expanded to include a more balanced view.

River Stars are businesses documenting voluntary environmental achievements. Model level indicates exemplary results.

Naval Station Norfolk

Norfolk International Terminals

U.S. Coast Guard ISC

HRSD VIP plant

Norfolk Environmental Commission

Portsmouth Marine Terminals

Earl Industries

NOAA Marine Operations Center Atlantic

Naval Medical Center

The Elizabeth River Project

Norfolk Naval Shipyard

BAE Systems Norfolk Ship Repair

Paradise Creek

SPSA

Giant Cement of Virginia

Dominion Virginia Power Chesapeake Energy Center

Southern States Cooperative Chesapeake plant

Mitsubishi Chemical

Tidewater Community College

