

NOTES FOR MONITORING

Before starting:

- Fill in the data sheet; write your site number on a Whirlpak bag.

At the site:

- Hang thermometer on a branch (2 min) – or note the temp from your car display- celcius if possible
- Choose a spot with current/moving water (not an eddy)
- Wade in to about your knees if possible
- Collect Whirlpak sample about a foot down after waiting for site disturbance to clear. Place on ice.
- Get/write air temp on the data sheet
- Put thermometer into river (2 min)
- Collect DO sample after waiting for site disturbance to clear
- Get/write water temp
- Put Whirlpak sample on white sheet of paper and note color/turbidity
- Note anything about the site on data sheet. This can help with the newspaper writeup

At WWTF:

- Drop off Whirlpak and DO sample and data sheet
- Pick up one DO bottle for next test date