

Tools and Resources from the National Water Quality Monitoring Council

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The National Water Quality Monitoring Council (NWQMC), a subcommittee of the Advisory Committee on Water Information (ACWI), provides a national forum for coordination of comparable and scientifically defensible methods and strategies to improve water-quality monitoring, assessment, and reporting while promoting partnerships to foster collaboration, advance science, and improve management within all elements of the water-quality monitoring community. To aid those in the water-quality monitoring community, the NWQMC provides several free tools and resources that are easily accessible online. This presentation introduces those tools and resources such as the Water Quality Portal (WQP), the National Environmental Methods Index (NEMI), training webinars, and the Aquatic Sensor Guides. In addition, opportunities for collaboration, training, and exchange of ideas through NWQMC workgroups and conferences will be discussed.