

Thames River Anglers Association

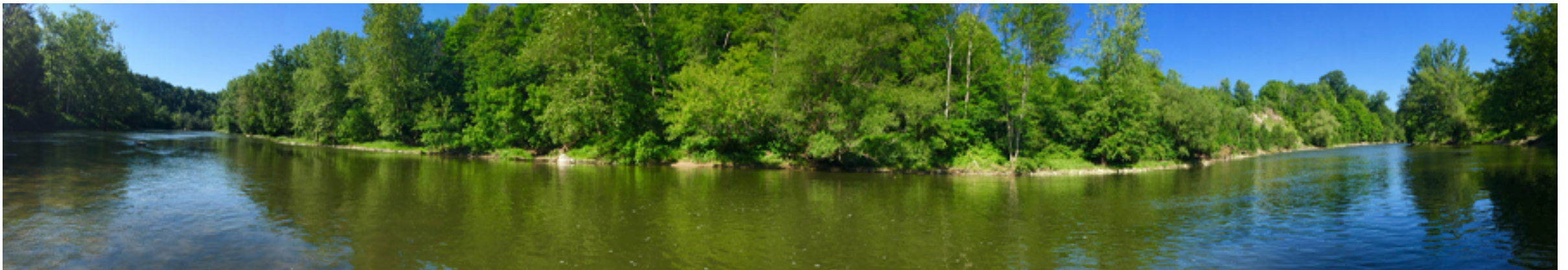


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In the spring of 1986 the TRAA was formed by anglers concerned with the state of the fishery in the Thames River watershed, particularly the dwindling smallmouth bass population in the North Thames River.

The TRAA is not a fishing club, although most members are anglers and share fishing as a common interest. We are a "hands on" environmental group who likes to work at a grass roots level.



The TRAA Works at a Grassroots Level Within the Thames River Watershed to:

- protect, enhance and regenerate a viable, multi-species, year-round fishery.
- promote and participate in environmental clean-up, pollution control and rehabilitation.
- breed, relocate and stock to re-establish or augment appropriate species of fish.
- promote environmentally sound sport fishing practices.
- form partnerships with community businesses, government agencies, special interest groups, landowners, and other stakeholders in the Thames River watershed.
- increase public awareness of the unique diversity of the Thames River Watershed, its challenges, its recreational opportunities and its vital importance to our community

