American Whitewater River Stewardship Work in 2020

**Policy**

- Messages sent to lawmakers: 5,577
- Comments sent to land management agencies: 7,035
- Meetings with lawmakers: 100+
- Litigation filed: Challenge to new EPA §401 regulations, Clean Water Act
- Court victories: Scheduled whitewater releases protected use under state water quality standards (VT)

**Flow Protection and Restoration**

- Legislation introduced: 21 rivers, 782 miles
- Administratively protected: 75 rivers, 614 miles
- Working to identify eligible segments on: 16 national forests, BLM field offices, forestry, fire and state lands, and national monuments

**Access and Enjoyment**

- New access areas: 2 rivers
- Collaboratively managed access: 8 rivers
- Closures and flow cancelations reversed: 10 rivers
- New stream gage: Wilson Creek (NC)
- Legislation passed: Oregon Waterway Access Bill (HB 2835), Great American Outdoors Act
- New flow restoration agreements: 14 rivers
- New flow restoration, Sultans River (WA)
- Collaboratively managed: 32 rivers, 624 miles
- Flows protected: South Fork American River (CA), 50 miles
- Dam defeated: San Joaquin River Gorge (CA)
- Campaigns against new dams: 6
- Mines defeated: Arkansas River (CO)
- Flow studies: 2 rivers

**Your Support is Our Fuel**

- Members: 6,326 (50,000+ supporters)
- Affiliate clubs: 91

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- Membership driven river stewardship since 1954
- $1.9 Billion per year for restoration and maintenance of public lands and rivers
- $900 Million every year for the Land and Water Conservation Fund

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