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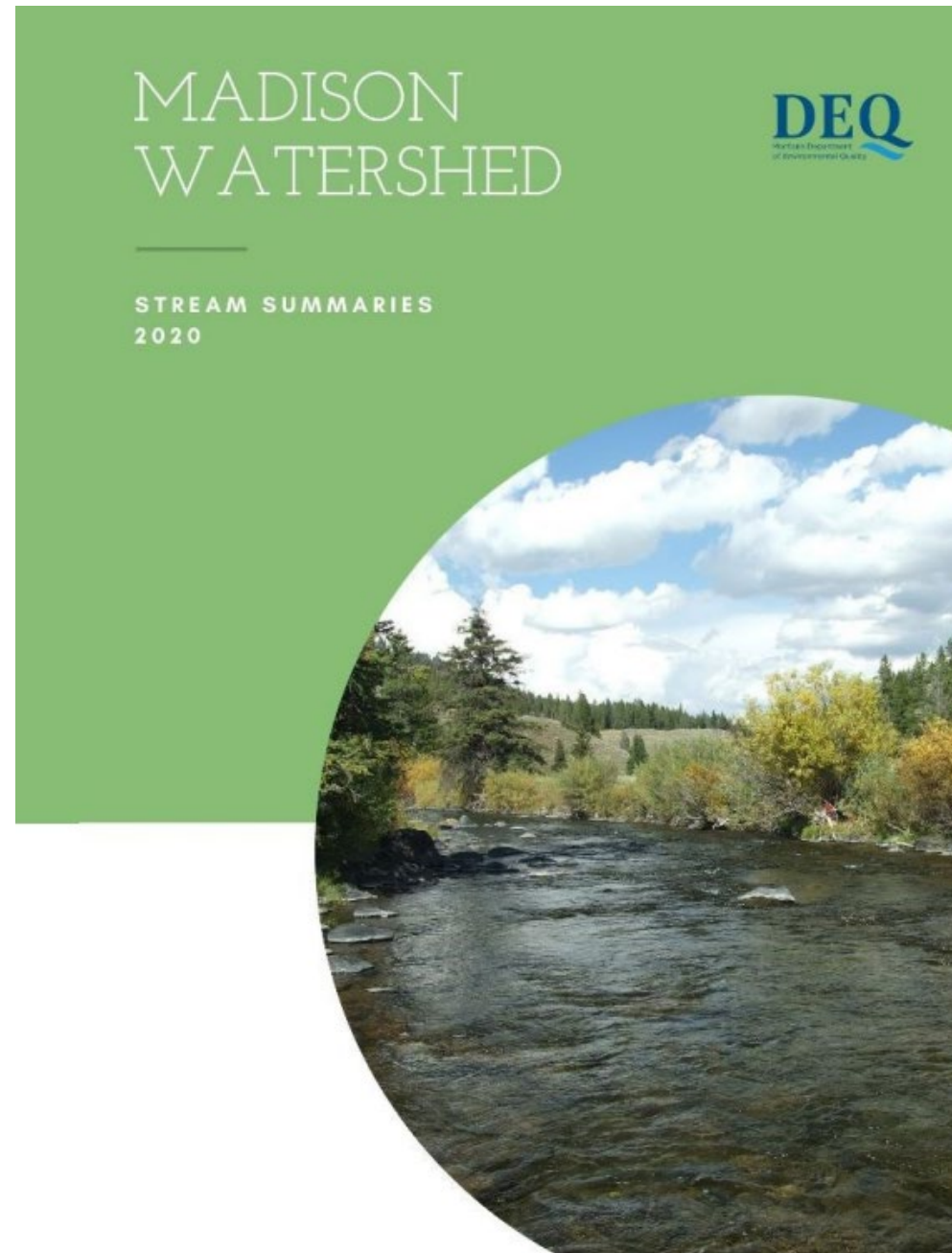
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Canva Examples from Kristy Fortman, Watershed Protection Program Manager, Montana DEQ

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Antelope Creek

Location Description: Headwaters to junction with Cliff Lake

Impairments: Sediment, Flow Modification, Alterations to Streamside Vegetation
Negatively Affects: Aquatic Life

Problem
The excess fine sediment loading at the upper DEQ-monitored site (ATLP 04-02) is linked to riparian grazing in the form of trampled streambanks and over-widened areas of the stream from cattle crossings.

Solutions
Riparian area improvements in the form of grazing best management practices could eventually result in reducing sediment loading enough to meet the water quality standard. The DEQ-monitored site on lower Antelope Creek (ATLP 10-01) demonstrated stable streambanks and a recovering riparian area due to a more recent fencing project and hardened stream crossing that has reduced livestock access to the stream.

Potential Restoration Project Locations
The project locations discussed in this section are directly linked to riparian grazing management or other riparian zone improvement BMPs that would subsequently result in reduced bank erosion and improvements in the stream's ability to transport sediment and provide aquatic habitat (channel form and function). Based on reviews of aerial photography, riparian areas generally appear healthy along the very upper reaches of Antelope Creek. Heavy grazing throughout the middle and lower portions of Antelope Creek is likely creating the same conditions seen at the DEQ-monitored site ATLP 04-02 (unstable streambanks and unhealthy riparian areas). Additionally, Antelope Creek runs dry during the summer months below ATLP 04-02 and projects to increase streamflow during hot summer months would prove beneficial to aquatic life as well as the riparian area for maintaining stable streambanks.



A lack of healthy streamside vegetation and a trampled streambank due to cattle access at monitoring site ATLP 04-02



Healthy riparian vegetation along Antelope Creek



Monitoring site ATLP 10-01 above Cliff Lake



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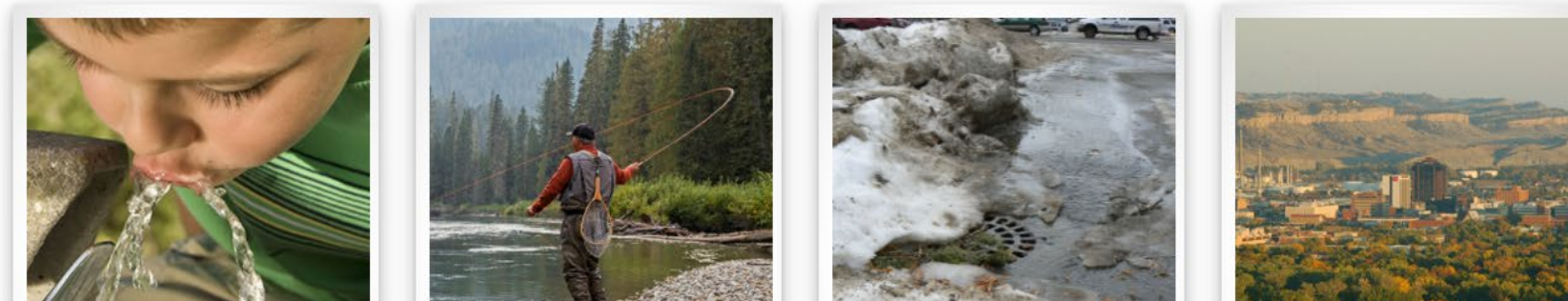
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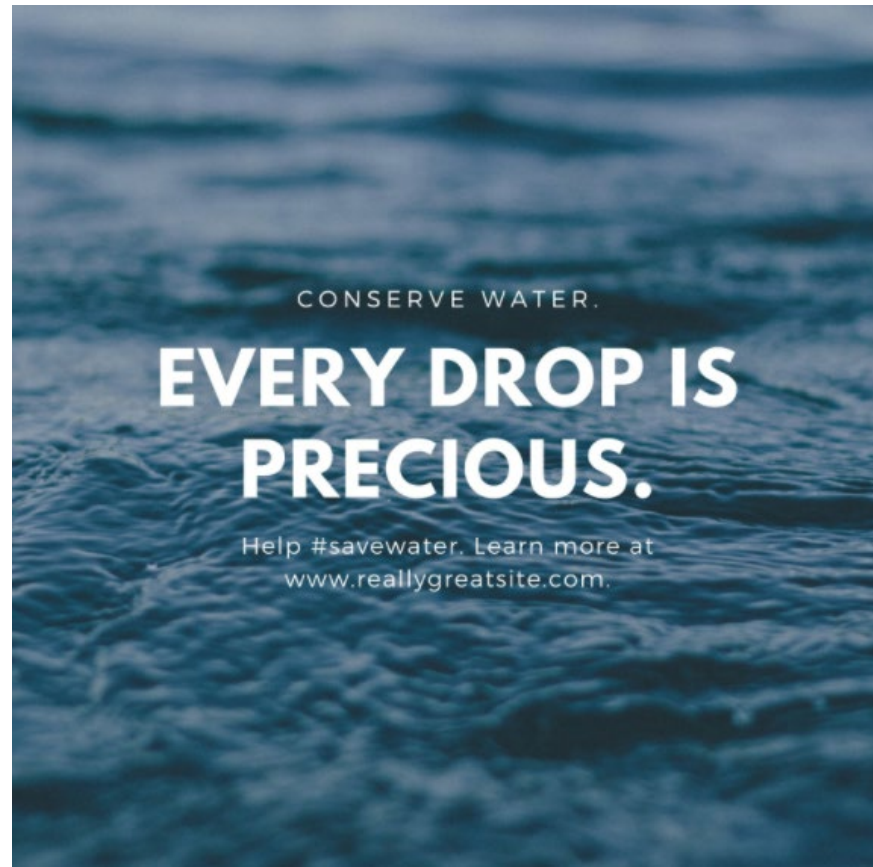
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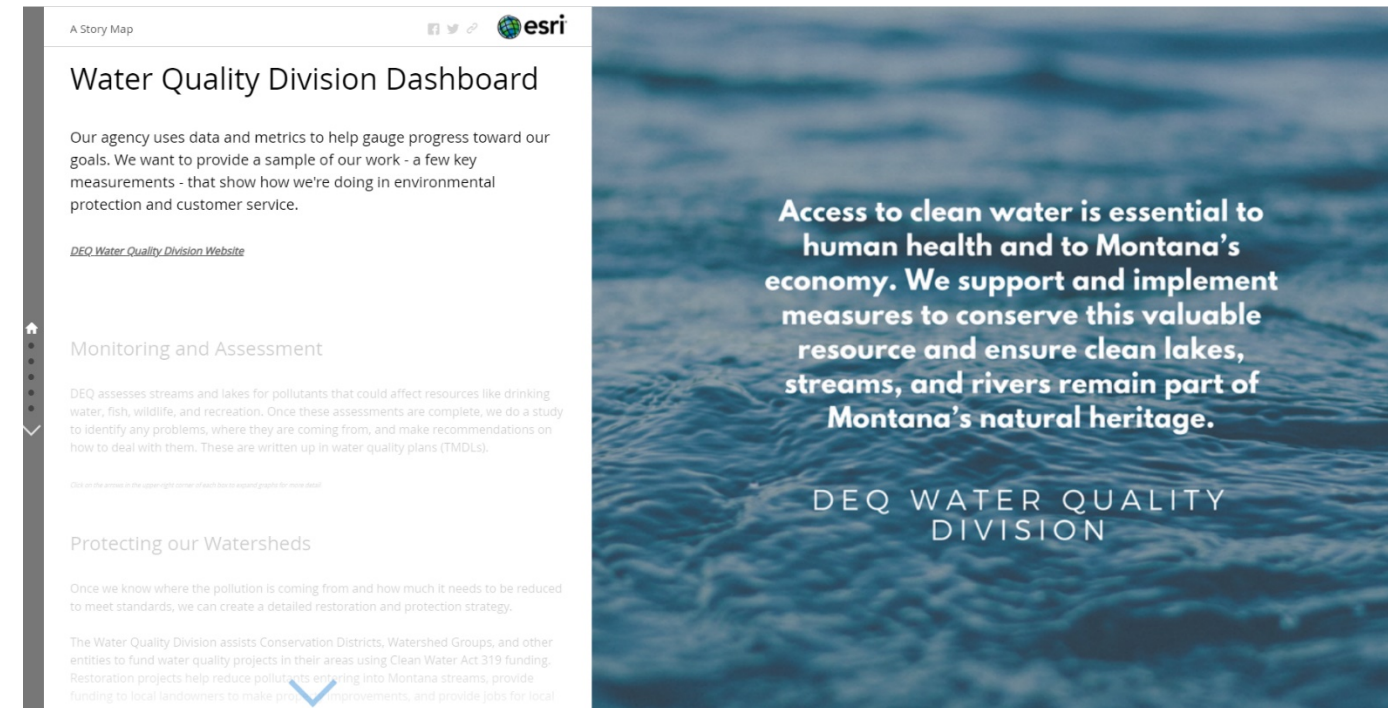
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