

WATERSHED FIELD SURVEY: QUESTIONS

Name _____ Date _____

1. Based on your observations of the terrain, in what direction do you think water drains in this watershed? Why?
2. Describe the streams or rivers draining the watershed.
3. Before you went on the field trip, you may have looked at a map of your watershed. Compared to your map observations, did anything in the watershed surprise you? Could you have gotten all the information from the map, or was a field trip useful? Why?
4. What are the three major land uses in your watershed? Estimate, based on your trip, what percentage of the watershed is devoted to each land use.
5. Discuss any other thoughts you had or observations you made while exploring your watershed.