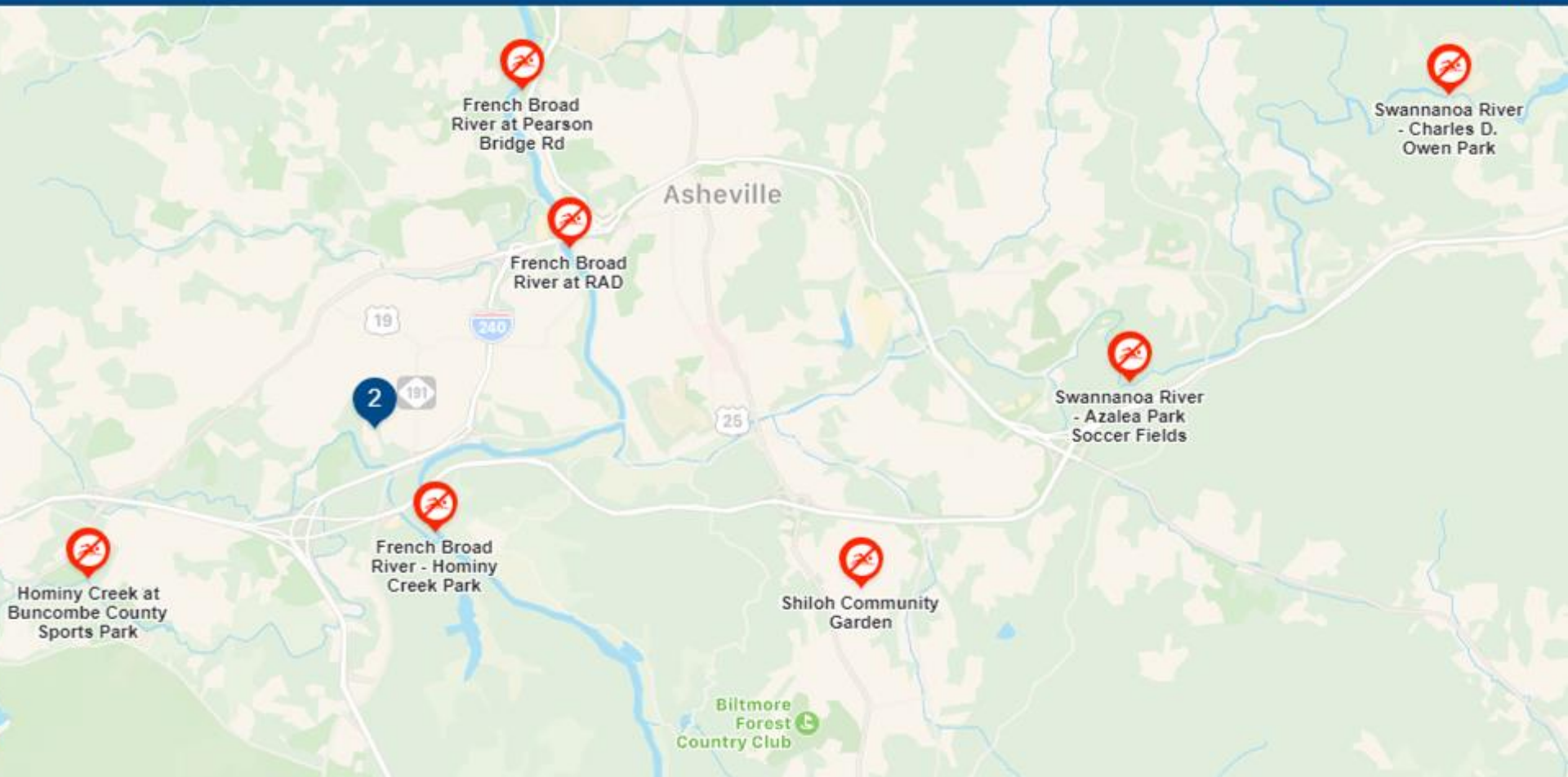
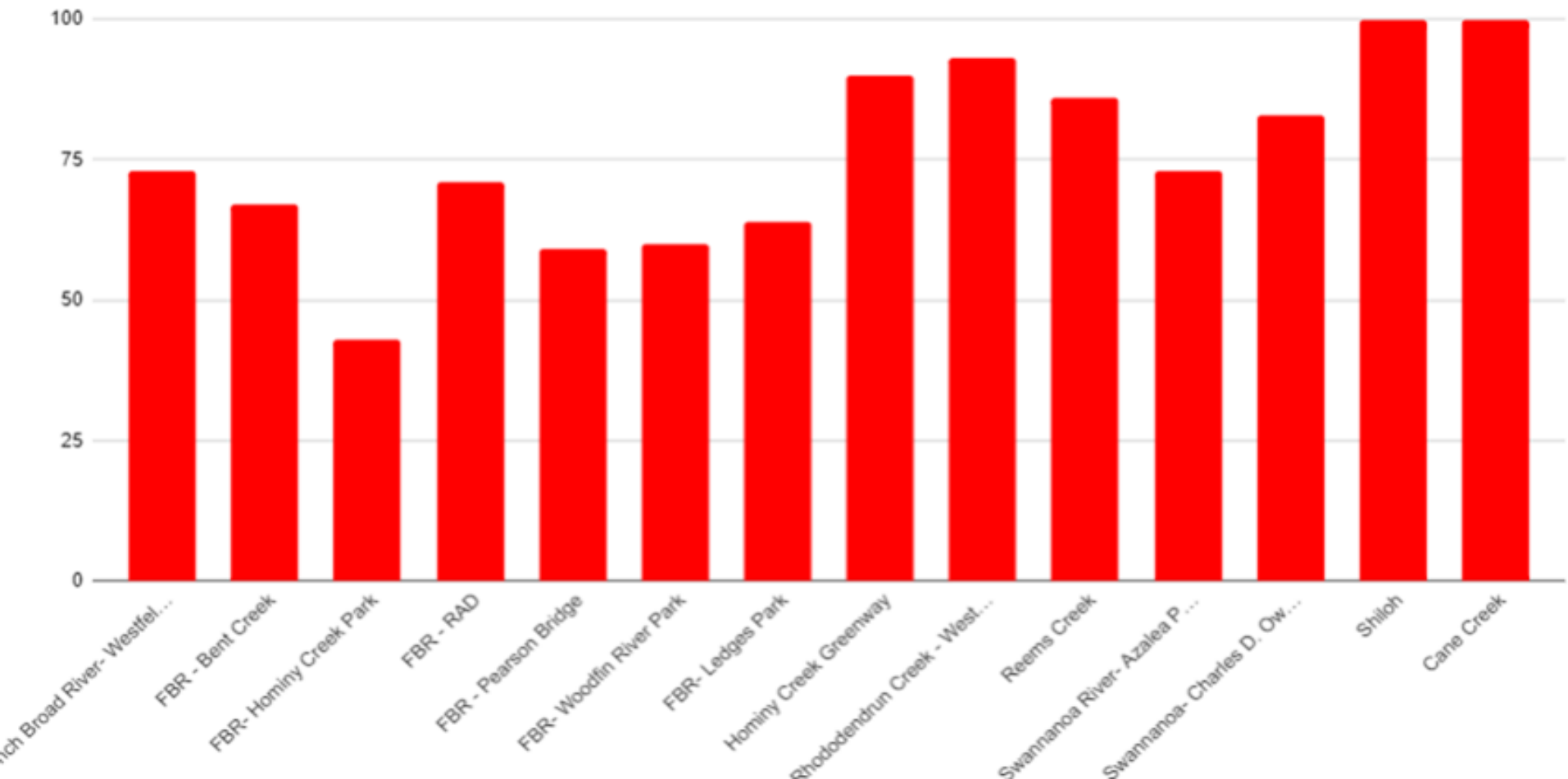


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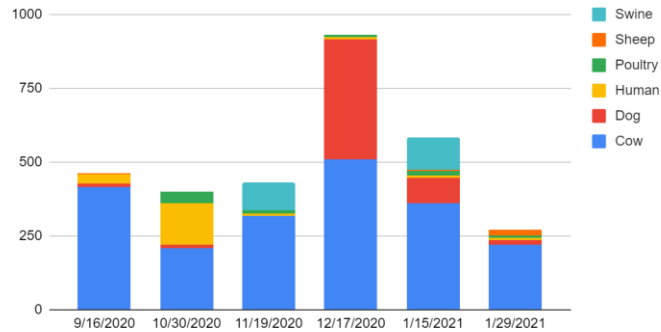
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French Broad Results

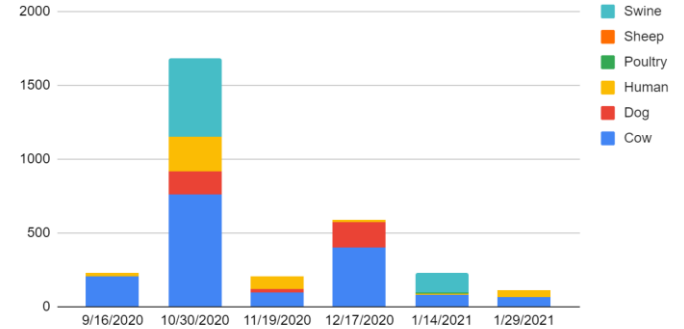
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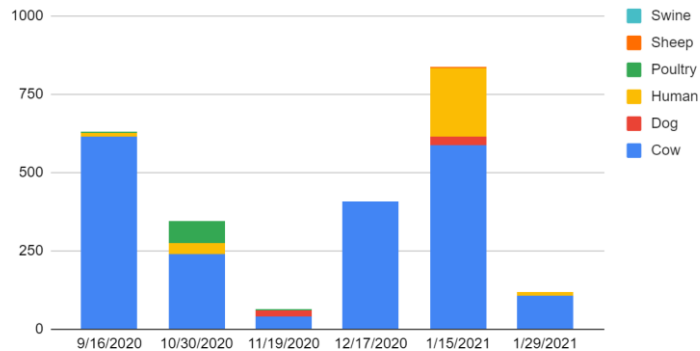
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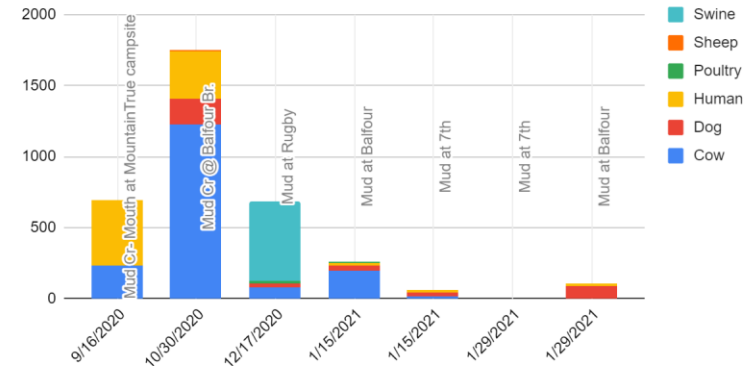
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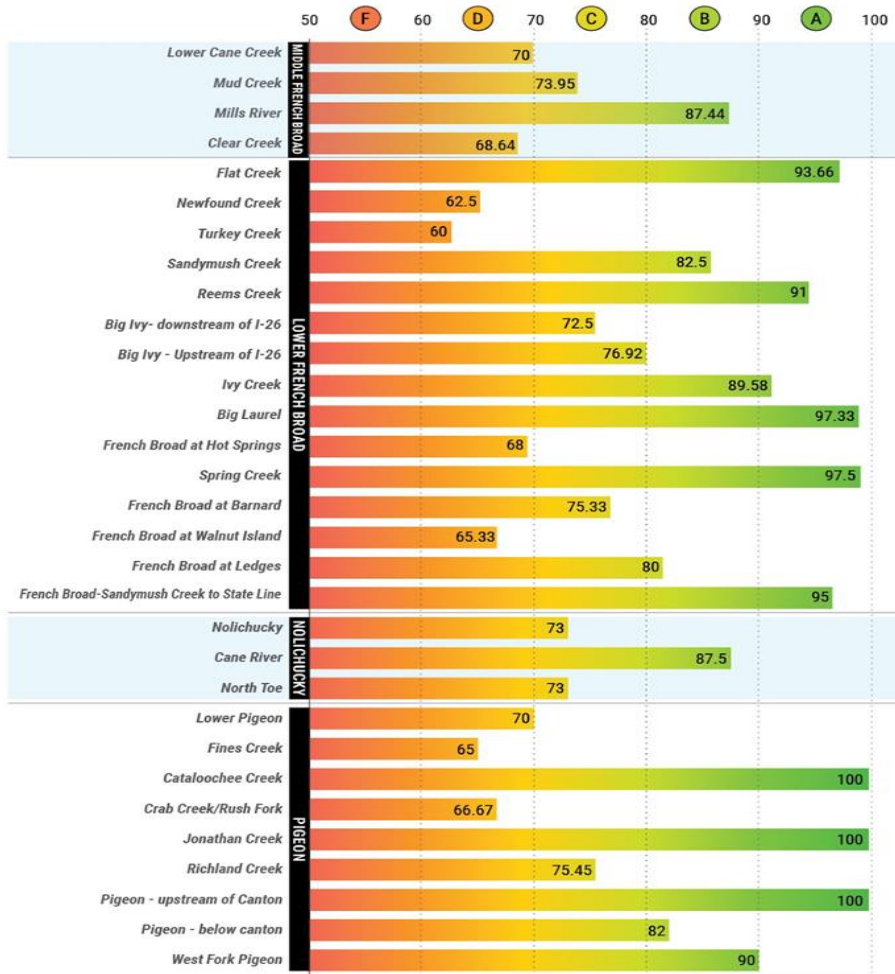
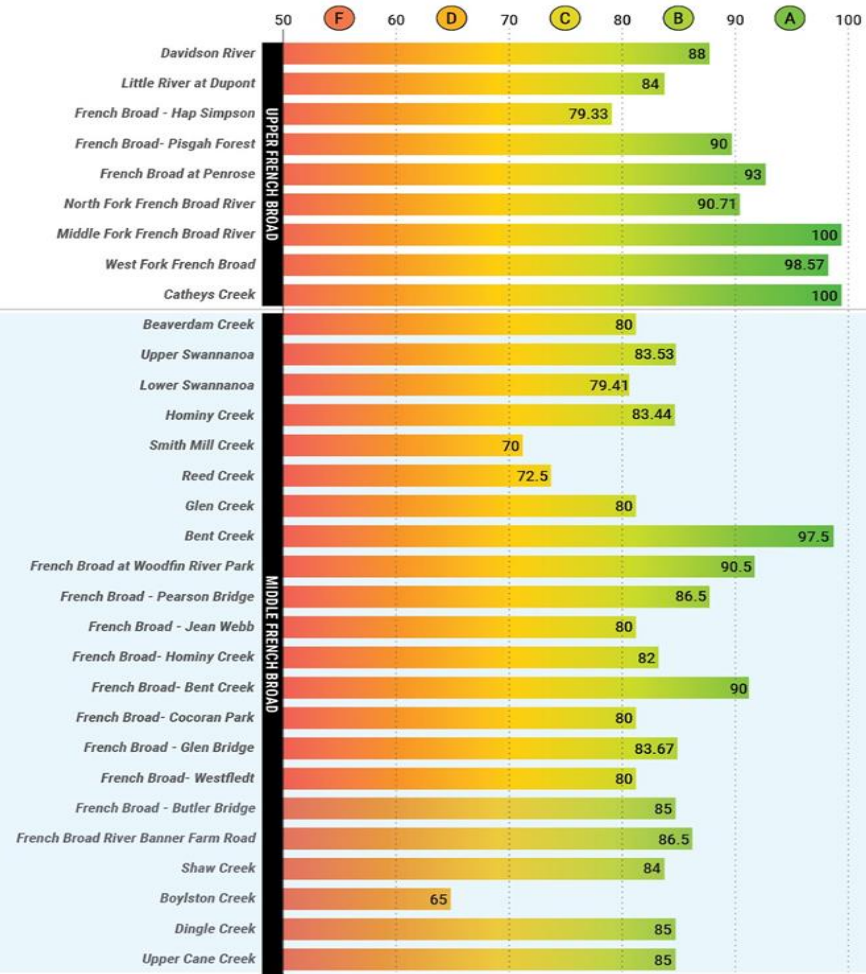


Source Tracking around Mud Creek

Average # copies/100mL







Next Steps

- Great job investing in failing septic!
- Great job supporting increased funding for Soil and Water and increased land conservation!
- Add requirements for septic systems to be inspected upon sale of home.
- Improve stormwater ordinance and step up erosion control enforcement.
- Invest in green infrastructure.