# **ACWA Impact** BY THE NUMBERS

# ACWA FOOTPRINT

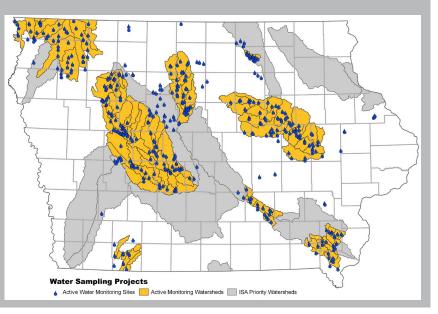
10 regular members
9 associate members
362 service locations
35,000 farmer customers
17 million rowcrop acres
81 lowa counties

#### MAKING**CONSERVATION** RETAIL**REAL**

# WATER MONITORING

## 14,372 water samples

**between 2020-2023** processed through ACWA





### **ACWA CODE OF PRACTICE**

ACWA members agree annually to the Environmental Code of Practice for Nitrogen Fertilization. They will delay fall anhydrous applications without a nitrification inhibitor until soil temperatures are 50 degrees Fahrenheit and trending lower.

100% of members reported

implementing Code of Practice requirements **90%** Members reported using a nitrogen stabilizer in 2023



Agriculture's Clean Water Alliance (ACWA) is a non-profit association whose mission is identifying and advancing solutions that reduce nutrient loss, build healthier soils and improve lowa's waters. ACWA is recognized for its ability to build upon its members' extensive relationship with farmers across lowa.



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### CONSERVATION AGRONOMIST NETWORK

13 conservation agronomists in 2024

### CONSERVATION AGRONOMIST IMPACT

129,000 acres of cover crops
14,300 acres of no-till, strip-till
130 edge-of-field practices
15,000 acres with improved nutrient management strategies
1.8 million lbs nitrogen
49,500 lbs phosphorus

not in waterbodies



#### Guided Watershed Planning

- Enabled targeting practice placement and implementation
- Validated practice
   performance
- Generated insights to better understand impacts of land use, management and weather over time





North Raccoon Farm to River Partnership Project

Water Quality Initiative overseen by ACWA >100,000 acres in 4 counties



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