

We All Play A ROLE



AUG. 2011
LARGEST
RECORDED ALGAL
BLOOM IN WLEB

MARCH 2012
OHIO GOV. TASK
FORCE REPORT

APRIL 2012
FIRST ADVISORY
COMMITTEE MEETING

MARCH 2013
4R STANDARD
OPEN COMMENT
PERIOD

JULY 2013
PILOT AUDITS

MARCH 2014
LAUNCH
4R CERTIFICATION
PROGRAM

AUG. 2014
SHUTDOWN
TOLEDO WATER
SHUTDOWN

OCT. 2014
FIRST CERTIFIED
NUTRIENT SERVICE
PROVIDER (NSPs)

28 **APRIL 2016**
CERTIFIED NSPs
INFLUENCE 1.5M ACRES
(30%) OF WLEB FARMLAND

23 **DEC. 2015**
CERTIFIED NSPs
INFLUENCE 1M ACRES
(20%) OF WLEB FARMLAND

MAY 2017
CERTIFIED NSPs
INFLUENCE 1.9M ACRES
(38%) OF WLEB FARMLAND **42**

THE 4R NUTRIENT STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM
ENCOURAGES AGRICULTURAL RETAILERS, NUTRIENT
SERVICE PROVIDERS AND OTHER CERTIFIED
PROFESSIONALS TO ADOPT BEST PRACTICES THROUGH
THE 4RS, THE RIGHT SOURCE OF NUTRIENTS AT THE
RIGHT RATE AND RIGHT TIME IN THE RIGHT PLACE