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Galina Grigorieva, Russia is very rich in natural resources, and it’s our responsibility to be good
Alcoa stewards of our environment.

The city of Samara stands on the Volga river – Russia’s biggest river, which has a lot of value for the Samara community, and the whole of Russia. It’s also very populated, and highly industrial city, which results in a big impact on the environment.

With Alcoa Foundation funding, we are partnering with three organizations to contribute to better water management in Russia.

As part of the water management project, students are doing research to use aquatic plants to better filter and treat oily wastewater. In addition, this project helps Samara Technical University to modernize its curriculum.

Another important component of this project is training business leaders and municipal inspectors to help them to be better aware of government regulations, of their liability, and up-to-date water management methods.

And finally, we are proud that Alcoa employees also value this precious resource, and volunteer their time to help protect the Volga ecosystem. We hope that with this project we contribute to sustainable water management in Russia and are helping to preserve the country’s natural resources for future generations.

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