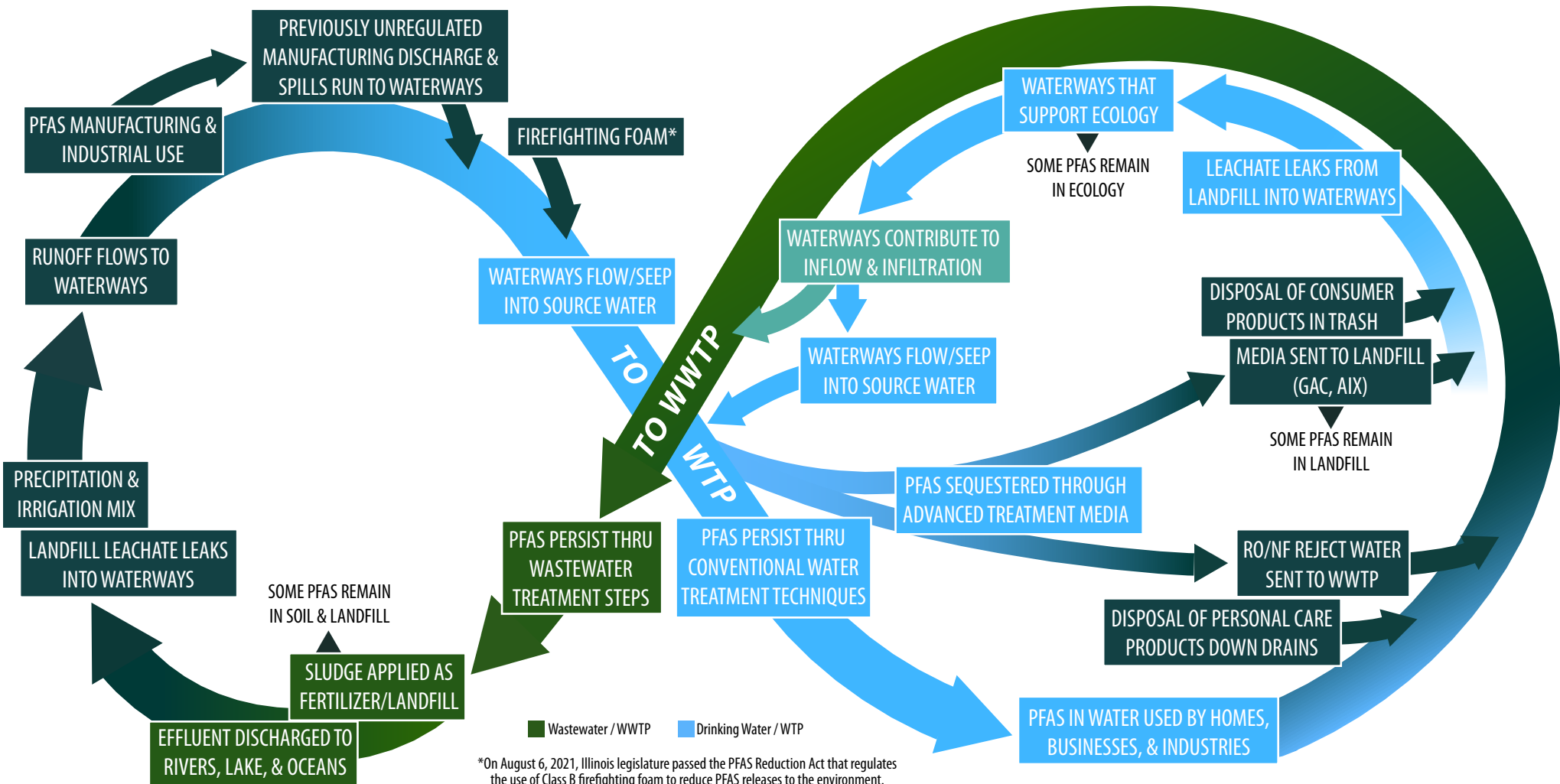


PROPOSED PFAS REGULATIONS

LIFECYCLE OF PFAS

The USEPA is developing the first-ever National Primary Drinking Water Regulation (NPDWR) to limit six per and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS). This class of emerging contaminants has properties which make them resistant to nearly all common methods of degradation, deconstruction, and remediation. As a result, this group of **“forever chemicals”** is highly persistent throughout the environment, as shown in the diagram of their lifecycle below.



*On August 6, 2021, Illinois legislature passed the PFAS Reduction Act that regulates the use of Class B firefighting foam to reduce PFAS releases to the environment.



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