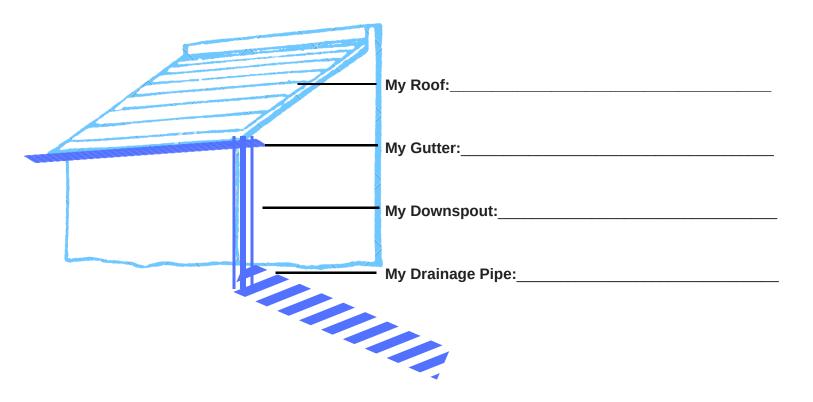
# **MY WATERSHED**

**Instructions:** Using the descriptions at the bottom of this handout, research the name for your shed's design features (roof, gutter, downspout and drainage pipe). Fill in the blanks with the appropriate names.



#### **Roof of Shed Represents:**

The neighborhood or city you live in. This is the area that water flows over to reach the closest body of water.

# **Gutter Represents:**

Closest body of water to your house. This will likely be a stream that collects flow from your city/neighborhood.

## **Downspout Represents:**

The bigger body of water that the stream close to your house flows into. For example, this could be a river that a stream flows into.

## **Drainage Pipe Represents:**

The largest body of water that collects all flow from surrounding watersheds. For example, this could be a large river, bay or ocean.

#### **Example:**

Roof = Alexandria, VA; Gutter = Hunting Creek; Downspout = Potomac River; Drainage Pipe = Chesapeake Bay