

NOTICES

FISH AND BOAT COMMISSION

Proposed Changes to List of Wild Trout Streams; July 2026

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Under 58 Pa. Code § 57.11 (relating to listing of wild trout streams), it is the policy of the Fish and Boat Commission (Commission) to accurately identify and classify stream sections supporting naturally reproducing populations of trout as wild trout streams. The Commission's Fisheries Management Division maintains the list of wild trout streams. The Executive Director, with the approval of the Commission, will from time-to-time publish the list of wild trout streams in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*. The listing of a stream section as a wild trout stream is a biological designation that does not determine how it is managed. The Commission relies upon many factors in determining the appropriate management of streams.

At the next Commission meeting on July 27, 2026, the Commission will consider changes to its list of wild trout streams. Specifically, the Commission will consider the addition of the following streams or portions of streams to the list:

County of Mouth	Stream Name	Section Limits	Tributary to	Mouth Lat/Lon
Bedford	Unnamed tributary (UNT) to Dunning Creek (River Mile (RM) 20.94)	Headwaters to Mouth	Dunning Creek	40.134295 78.630076
Bedford	UNT to Sugar Camp Run (RM 0.83)	Headwaters to Mouth	Sugar Camp Run	40.231278 78.257913
Bedford	UNT to Yellow Creek (RM 14.81)	Headwaters to Mouth	Yellow Creek	40.215026 78.375341
Cambria	Elk Creek	Headwaters to Mouth	North Branch Blacklick Creek	40.527778 78.889722
Cambria	UNT to Chest Creek (RM 35.97)	Headwaters to Mouth	Chest Creek	40.554782 78.669139
Centre	UNT (RM 0.70) to UNT to North Fork Beech Creek (RM 4.34)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT to North Fork Beech Creek (RM 4.34)	41.041370 77.942140
Centre	UNT to North Fork Beech Creek (RM 4.34)	Headwaters to Mouth	North Fork Beech Creek	41.050570 77.940240
Centre	UNT to Spring Creek (RM 20.32)	Headwaters to Mouth	Spring Creek	40.777044 77.789114
Clearfield	Little Laurel Run	Headwaters to UNT to Little Laurel Run (RM 3.11)	Laurel Run	40.915516 78.248825
Clearfield	UNT to Beaver Run (RM 4.57)	Headwaters to Mouth	Beaver Run	40.735368 78.762110

Clinton	Huling Branch	Headwaters to acid mine drainage discharge at RM 1.83	Twomile Run	41.318662 77.857592
Clinton	Middle Branch Twomile Run	Headwaters to Mouth	Twomile Run	41.336389 77.855556
Clinton	UNT (RM 0.34) to UNT to Rattlesnake Run (RM 0.89)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT to Rattlesnake Run (RM 0.89)	41.280000 77.578284
Clinton	UNT (RM 0.37) to UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	41.211588 77.456014
Clinton	UNT (RM 0.76) to UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	41.216935 77.453345
Clinton	UNT (RM 1.13) to UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	41.222047 77.454512
Clinton	UNT (RM 2.47) to UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT to East Branch Queens Run (RM 2.39)	41.236676 77.443892
Clinton	UNT to Hunter Hollow (RM 0.60)	Headwaters to Mouth	Hunter Hollow	41.303354 77.549938
Clinton	UNT to Rattlesnake Run (RM 0.89)	Headwaters to Mouth	Rattlesnake Run	41.275528 77.580068
Clinton	UNT to Rattlesnake Run (RM 3.77)	Headwaters to Mouth	Rattlesnake Run	41.302923 77.559590
Clinton	UNT to Rattlesnake Run (RM 4.71)	Headwaters to Mouth	Rattlesnake Run	41.315998 77.557966
Clinton	UNT to West Branch Big Run (RM 1.86)	Headwaters to Mouth	West Branch Big Run	41.147450 77.780290
Elk	UNT to Crooked Creek (RM 2.04)	Headwaters to Mouth	Crooked Creek	41.522465 78.587835
Elk	UNT to Crooked Creek (RM 3.09)	Headwaters to Mouth	Crooked Creek	41.513030 78.573370
Elk	UNT to Little Toby Creek (RM 25.21)	Headwaters to Mouth	Little Toby Creek	41.318031 78.640206
Elk	UNT to Long Branch (RM 0.96)	Headwaters to Mouth	Long Branch	41.523551 78.564311
Elk	UNT to Maxwell Run (RM 2.72)	Headwaters to Mouth	Maxwell Run	41.357362 78.914404
Elk	UNT to Maxwell Run (RM 2.93)	Headwaters to Mouth	Maxwell Run	41.355129 78.912095
Elk	UNT to Maxwell Run (RM 4.36)	Headwaters to Mouth	Maxwell Run	41.340070 78.903130
Indiana	UNT to Two Lick Creek (RM 11.99)	Headwaters to Mouth	Two Lick Creek	40.591369 79.138279
Jefferson	Swede Run	Headwaters to Mouth	Lucas Run	41.280928 78.916344

Jefferson	UNT to Keys Run (RM 0.69)	Headwaters to Mouth	Keys Run	41.176324 78.917394
Jefferson	UNT to Little Toby Creek (RM 14.45)	Headwaters to Mouth	Little Toby Creek	41.243010 78.757206
Jefferson	UNT to Little Toby Creek (RM 15.98)	Headwaters to Mouth	Little Toby Creek	41.251659 78.739773
Jefferson	UNT to McEwen Run (RM 0.35)	Headwaters to Mouth	McEwen Run	41.213403 78.773964
Jefferson	UNT to McEwen Run (RM 1.71)	Headwaters to Mouth	McEwen Run	41.210406 78.751859
Jefferson	UNT to Rattlesnake Creek (RM 0.45)	Headwaters to Mouth	Rattlesnake Creek	41.232167 78.780933
Jefferson	UNT to Rattlesnake Run (RM 3.19)	Headwaters to Mouth	Rattlesnake Run	41.208069 78.815594
Jefferson	Williams Run	Headwaters to Mouth	North Fork Redbank Creek	41.318562 78.900057
Lycoming	UNT (RM 1.22) to UNT to White Deer Hole Creek (RM 16.50)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT to White Deer Hole Creek (RM 16.50)	41.087040 77.125000
Lycoming	UNT to Callahan Run (RM 0.92)	Headwaters to Mouth	Callahan Run	41.448976 77.534800
Lycoming	UNT to Gamble Run (RM 2.74)	Headwaters to Mouth	Gamble Run	41.261702 77.370517
McKean	Donley Fork	Headwaters to Mouth	Robbins Brook	41.732605 78.442613
McKean	Rocky Fork	Headwaters to Mouth	Robbins Brook	41.729952 78.451596
McKean	UNT (RM 0.50) to UNT to East Branch Potato Creek (RM 2.37)	Headwaters to Mouth	UNT To East Branch Potato Creek (RM 2.37)	41.649198 78.323894
McKean	UNT to Hamlin Run (RM 1.70)	Headwaters to Mouth	Hamlin Run	41.676322 78.323444
McKean	UNT to Robbins Brook (RM 1.54)	Headwaters to Mouth	Robbins Brook	41.733782 78.416663
McKean	UNT to Robbins Brook (RM 1.96)	Headwaters to Mouth	Robbins Brook	41.733115 78.423803
Perry	Baken Creek	Headwaters to first PA-74 Bridge crossing upstream of Mouth	Sherman Creek	40.329079 77.284459
Somerset	Card Machine Run	Headwaters to Mouth	Beaverdam Creek	40.170891 79.081963
Somerset	UNT to Quemahoning Creek (RM 0.48)	Headwaters to Mouth	Quemahoning Creek	40.192280 78.939079
Somerset	UNT to South Fork Bens Creek (RM 9.27)	Headwaters to Mouth	South Fork Bens Creek	40.234430 79.066413
Tioga	UNT to Mine Hole Run (RM 0.55)	Headwaters to Mouth	Mine Hole Run	41.561897 77.454674
Tioga	UNT to Slide Island Draft (RM 2.39)	Headwaters to Mouth	Slide Island Draft	41.632950 77.493814

Tioga	UNT to West Mill Creek (RM 1.60)	Headwaters to Mouth	West Mill Creek	41.587136 76.969811
Westmoreland	UNT to Tubmill Reservoir (RM 8.91)	Headwaters to Mouth	Tubmill Reservoir	40.327198 79.085010

The Commission also will consider the following revisions to the section limits of streams on the list:

County of Mouth	Stream Name	Current Limits	Revised Limits	Tributary to	Mouth Lat/Lon
Clearfield	Laurel Run	Headwaters to Simeling Run	Headwaters to acid mine drainage discharge at RM 2.62	Moshannon Creek	40.906667 78.226667
Clinton	Twomile Run	Headwaters to 100 meters upstream of confluence Middle Branch Twomile Run	Headwaters to acid mine drainage discharge at RM 0.62	Kettle Creek	41.314722 77.858889
Huntingdon	Mill Creek	Headwaters to Big Hollow Run	Headwaters to Mouth	Juniata River	40.437222 77.935280
Juniata	Lost Creek	Headwaters downstream to SR0035 Bridge	Headwaters to Cuba Mills Road bridge	Juniata River	40.586111 77.408056

The Commission also will consider the following amendment to the list:

Current Sectioning Strategy					Proposed Sectioning Strategy				
County	Stream	Limits	Length (miles)	Mouth Lat/Lon	County	Stream	Limits	Length (miles)	Mouth Lat/Lon
Dauphin	UNT to Spring Creek (RM 2.56)	Headwaters to Mouth	5.51	40.289763 76.647165	Dauphin	Spring Creek	Headwaters to Hockersville Road	6.73	40.286773 76.679308

*The source of Spring Creek, from the Headwaters to the confluence with the UNT to Spring Creek at RM 2.56, was incorrectly identified as the UNT to Spring Creek (RM 2.56) when the UNT to Spring Creek (RM 2.56) was added to the wild trout streams list. The wild trout limits of Spring Creek will encompass what was formerly named the UNT to Spring Creek (RM 2.56). This change does not result in additions to the wild trout streams list and is only amending a stream name as new information becomes available.

Persons with comments, objections or suggestions concerning the classification of the streams listed may submit them in writing to the Executive Director, Fish and Boat Commission, P.O. Box 67000, Harrisburg, PA 17106-7000, within 30 days after publication of this notice in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*. To submit a comment electronically, visit <https://www.pa.gov/agencies/fishandboat/about-us/meetings/regulatory-changes> and click on the notice of proposed wild trout stream designations for § 57.11 (relating to listing of wild trout streams).

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