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Maurice wrote: Quote:

afishinado wrote:

Sad indeed. The colder tailwater fisheries seem to be the most vulnerable to didymo.

I agree with Mike's prediction about a proposal to ban of felt soles in PA sometime in the future. It may or may not help, but it at least gives the angling public some awareness about the problem.

I talk to anglers every day, and many have no knowledge of the didymo problem. Some don't even seem to care about what's happening, or just blame it on mother nature, and they aren't willing to do anything at all to help prevent the spread of evasives.

Well if its anything like the Susky they will wait until total destruction before acting.

I recall a post a couple years ago I believe by Mike that the then current position was that the PF&BC had no intentions of banning felts.

Wonder when it will hit the Codorus?

True indeed. At that time didymo was only found in a few miles on the Upper Delaware along the NY border. In the last few months it has been discovered all the way down to Dingmans Ferry (approx. half of the D River as it borders PA) and now in western PA in the Yok. I would bet a proposal for a felt ban is discussed in the PA House or Senate in the very near future.