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Re: List of streams being considered for wild trout designation

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Mike wrote:

Afish: If that's kudo is aimed at the Fisheries Management Division, I'm sure all would appreciate it. If it is aimed at me, given the sudden increase in SE Pa streams listed (especially the Schuylkill R drainage in Schuylkill Co), thanks. The increase is directly related to my having been able to hire a full-time biologist in May, 2011. You'll note that most of the Area 6 streams listed were surveyed in 2011. We still have 2012 wild trout surveys to do, although we have presently shifted gears to: smallmouth bass population surveys at night on the Susquehanna and Delaware, trap netting at least one lake, and assisting with a Pohopoco survey.

Kudos to all involved. Most of us on here, myself included, criticize the FBC for spending too much time and money raising and stocking trout. When efforts are made on behalf of wild fisheries, we should applaud that effort.

Since you can't know where you are going until you really know where you are, at least the identifying the streams will allow us to conserve what we have, and maybe in some cases give us insight as how to enhance the wild fisheries in PA.

Can't wait until we see the 2012 results published.