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Re: Finding Brookie Streams ..

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JackM wrote:

I use[d] the Class A list, the Wilderness Trout list and the reproduction list and then just go and explore. A lot of nice streams are at Class B level. You find these by looking for similar topographical features on the maps that matchup well with known Class A waters. Unless there is a substantial habitat issue, usually other tributaries of the receiving stream that have Class A tributaries will be also decent wild trout streams. Other than being told where to go, these methods will likely put you onto a few "hidden gems."

the reproduction list is 31 pages, and the class "A" list is 79 pages, the wilderness trout waters is 12. I printed all of them out some time ago and put them in a binder, lots and lots of info in there. Another thing I like to do is pick some unnamed blue lines from the gazetteer and go check them out sometimes a bust sometimes great. My wife thought I was nuts for doing this but I know someone on here will appreciate this, I took a gazetteer cut all the pages out highlighted the above lists in yellow and blue and laminated it, made a whole map of the state and hung it on the wall of my fishing room. My father in law calls it the "fishing war room".It was a winter project some time ago, it was a lot of work but hey it's done now...