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GeeBee,

All the water that is released should be filtered, what i was referring to was newer technologies of filtration that are being used in the aquaculture industry by fish farmers . Currently its is almost 100% clean when the water leaves as when it comes in.

A hatchery is nothing more than a glorified fish farm whether it raises Trout or any other breed of fish.

If you can go back to Big Spring ... yes thats what effluent does to a world class Brook Trout stream. When it was created it was such a great idea, in the end it was very detrimental to the creek. At the time it was built there was no where near the knowledge or technology available that we have today and is in current use at other facilities.

The filtered waste is utilized an recycled with no after effects to humans or other creatures to my knowledge. Maybe this place can do the same thing and raise their fish at the same time. I prefer wild fish..but face it unless you had bottomless pockets and could rewrite the existing water use/rights laws here in Pa, and get them changed with an emphasis on Riparian buffers and public access from the high water mark down to the streambed . Hatchery fish will remain a staple of Pa Fish Commission. Alot of money is made from licenses and trout stamps.

What is really sad is the DEP is really a sorry excuse of an agency where water is concerned... last time i checked Fracking does way worse things to the water ,water tables, and the enviroment..and they are worried about a trout hatchery?