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Re: Fingerling stocking on Little Sandy? (Venango County)

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Some streams are just not all that suitable for supporting a decent wild trout population. There are some stream sections that are currently flat and featureless and probably always have been flat and featureless. Trying to make any changes to streams like that is probably going to be a waste of time and money. If you try to change the habitat by adding bigger rocks and deflectors, the stream is going to try to return to its original state. Stream habitat projects tend to work best on streams that have been impaired by human activity such as logging and dredging. On these streams, you can plant trees and bushes along the banks to prevent erosion, and you can add rocks in order to rebuild the streams natural pool and riffle pattern.