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Re: Acid Rain and Un-surveyed streams

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bearfisherman wrote:

FD,

I have seen many of the same things in the Upper Millstone watershed. While you would think that area would be decent for natives, many of those streams are just dead.

The whole watershed has gone downhill in the last couple decades. The main stem and east branch used to have lots of natives - I haven't seen one in years.

I looked at some maps and East Branch is the one I was thinking about. But there are also one or two on the upper part of West Branch closer to Marienville that are pretty ugly.

I can't prove it, but it looked to me like more than just acid rain (on east and west).

As far as declining numbers of natives over the past 20 years in East Branch Millstone goes, it is likely a result of effluent from white trucks if you know what I mean. IMO of course,

Note: I am not talking about the headwaters of East Branch. Bear is most likely way more familiar with that. I never fished it.