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Re: Class A Wild Trout, Wilderness & WBT Enhancement Streams

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Quote:

pcray1231 wrote:

But my observations are this: The regs were harmful to the stream in the lower areas within about a mile of where the road crosses it. The stream was open to bait fishing before, general regs, but it rarely got fished. Now it gets fished pretty heavy down there and there aren't as many trout. But walk in 1+ miles and its had no effect whatsoever.

I'm not disputing the observation. I do think that it is possible that the trout may not have been so much harvested in that easily accessed area, but could have moved to and retreated from the pressure. Now the pressure probably resulted from the regs. I fish a lot of streams where you can always find trout under that tree limb with all the line and bobbers and flies hanging from it when all the places that are easily fished are devoid of fish. If this is the case the fishing could have improved in the less accessible places.