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## **Re: eComment System**

## The Department of Environmental Protection has received the following comments on Proposed Rulemaking: Water Quality Standards; Class A Stream Redesignations.

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Comments entered:

As an avid Pennsylvania sportsman, I support the class A stream designations in this role making. Long overdue, these streams deserve the protection afforded to them by their proper designation. These streams represent the best of the best among Pennsylvania's trout streams and are a renewable cost effective resource for anglers to pursue wild trout in contrast to more costlier stocking programs. They also hold value for other outdoor enthusiasts to pursue their passions as well They are an asset to their communities and an important part of a healthy economy and a sustainable future.

No attachments were included as part of this comment.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely, Patrick McDonnell

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