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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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Gentlemen,

I fully support your recommendations to upgrade the listed waterways to High Quality Status. I applaud your decision and encourage those involved to move forward without delay or reservation. I also encourage the DEP to continue to examine the waterways of the commonwealth for future additions.

The DEP deserves credit for having the foresight for recommending these and prior waterways for the protection they need to assure long lasting clean water for future generations of wildlife, and more important, future generations of citizens.

These small streams are the foundation of our larger great rivers and protecting them supports and provides a small degree of safety for the larger waterways. Moving forward, the PA DEP should continue its great service by affording waterways like the Upper Delaware River, and others, the same safeties of HQS so as to protect their their unique ecosystems for future generations.

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Please contact me if you have any questions.