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Comments for the redesignation of Dunbar Creek, Fayette County:

I lend my support for this redesignation of the Dunbar Creek as an Exceptional Value stream. This stream has been part of my family's history, dating back to the early 1940's when my grandfather had a sporting goods store where may people from Chicago to the East Coast would stop and get lures and bait for the stream. They traveled miles to experience the clear waters, abundant fish and beautiful mountain views.

AMD destroyed this stream in the 50's. I'm so glad that much work, money and volunteer efforts have been done getting the AMD abated. The Chestnut Ridge Chapter of Trout Unlimited has worked tirelessly to make this improvement. This is why I am so supportive, to complement the work they have done and support the increasing economic development this outdoor recreation provides.

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The Dunbar Creek et al. Stream Redesignations final-form rulemaking was adopted by the Environmental Quality Board (EQB) on April 11, 2023 and includes the Department of Environmental Protection's final recommendations concerning redesignation of waters of the Commonwealth.

The final-form rulemaking was submitted to the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC) and the Senate and House Environmental Resources and Energy Committees for review. IRRC is scheduled to consider this rulemaking at its public meeting on May 18, 2023. Comments can be sent to IRRC by email to <a href="https://irrc.wirrc.state.pa.us">irrc@irrc.state.pa.us</a>. Questions may be directed to Kristen Schlauderaff at (717) 787-9637.

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