



Posing in front of a mine drainage site along Route 286 are: John Somonick, founding member of AWARE; Shaun Buster, biologist with Stream Restoration Inc.; Malcolm Crittenden, Growing Greener program administrator; Fred Johnson, reclamation manager for AmeriKohl Mining; and State Rep. Dave Reed.

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Iron pollution turns water orange before it flows into Aultman run.

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**TRIBUNE-REVIEW**

## Watershed will scrub away Aultman Run iron

By Joyce Shannon  
 TRIBUNE-REVIEW  
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Some have heard stories about children of yesteryear who splashed and played in Aultman's Run in Indiana County, remaining stained rust-orange for days afterward.

Not many people swim or play in the Center Township iron-choked stream anymore; those stories evoke the past. And the Aultman's Run Watershed Association for Restoring the Environment is hoping the stream's orange color will also become a memory.

A section of the stream, along Route 286, will soon be restored after AWARE volunteers and others build a wetland there. The workhorses behind the project also include Stream Restoration Inc., of Cranberry Township, and Amerikohl Mining Inc.

A \$93,000 Growing Greener grant is funding most of the project, with an additional \$7,000 from the Western Pennsylvania Watershed Protection Program.

Most of the iron will settle into a retention area, which will be dug out around the area where water rises up from an abandoned mine. After that, native plants like cattails, soft rush, silky dogwood and three-way sedge will filter out the rest so the water becomes clear downstream.

Transplanting native animals and insects isn't planned, but project manager Shaun Busler, a biologist with Stream Restoration, doesn't doubt the new habitat will soon be honed in by those species that live in wetlands. "It's kind of like one of those things where if you build it, they will come," Busler said.

The plants that will be installed by the groups will remove the 11,000 pounds of iron that enter the stream each year. Healthy streams are usually free of iron.

The property belongs to Amerikohl owner John Stilley. They're helping to remedy a problem unknowingly caused by their counterparts long ago.

When mines are abandoned, often they become filled with water. Old mines were typically designed to drain upward to the surface.

The practice of building wetlands, or a passive treatment system, to filter streams began about 20 years ago, Busler said. It's a far more efficient and inexpensive way to clean streams than an active treatment system, which involves adding chemicals to the water to remedy the problem.

"The value of a wetland for mine treatment is its low cost and maintenance," said AWARE President Brian Okey. Wetlands can also help reduce flooding because they slow the flow of water.

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Brian Okey

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The stream is free of aluminum, which is toxic to wildlife.

"Iron is not really that toxic," Okey said. "It's kind of a physical nuisance rather than a toxic nuisance."

However, iron that gets into fishes' gills can choke them, which is the reason why Aultman's Run doesn't have that many fish. Some watershed members are hoping the stream can be restocked downstream after it gets cleaned up, Okey said.

Okey, a geography professor at Indiana University of Pennsylvania, is helping to coordinate volunteers for the project. He also helps with the annual cleanup in the watershed, to be held April 12. Those interested in volunteering can call 724-463-9636.

Okey sometimes brings students in his Freshwater Resources class to the site to see an example of how abandoned mines affect watersheds.

"It's a perfect laboratory," he said.

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Brian Okey, president of the Aultman Watershed Association, looks at the site of proposed watershed. Ken Brooks/Tribune-Review

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# Stream Restoration Inc.

*A Non-Profit Organization Restoring Watersheds*

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## "SR286 Passive Treatment System Constructed"

By Shaun Busler  
Stream Restoration Inc.



April 2, 2004

(Aultman, PA) - Through a public-private partnership effort, the first passive treatment system in the Aultmans Run Watershed has been constructed and is successfully treating an alkaline, iron-bearing mine discharge known as the SR 286 Discharge. For the first time in over 75 years, this abandoned mine discharge will no longer flow untreated into Aultmans Run.

To tackle this discharge, the Aultman Watershed Association for Restoring the Environment partnered with Stream Restoration Incorporated, a non-profit organization experienced in the implementation of mine reclamation projects. Together with a mining company and environmental firms, the team received a Growing Greener grant to design, permit, and install a passive treatment system.

The SR 286 Discharge emanates from a large underground mine outside the town of Aultman, PA. Early PENNDOT design plans from the 1930's indicate that the discharge was moved to its current location with the construction of State Route 286.

According to this plan, an 18" vitreous clay pipe conveys the water beneath State Route 286 from the mine into a trench that empties into Aultmans Run. Due to the impact of the discharge to Aultmans Run and the high visibility along heavily-traveled State Route 286, this discharge was chosen to be the first major restoration project.

Monitoring supplied by the Stream Team, AWARE, and BioMost, Inc., indicates that the discharge is net alkaline (67mg/L) with



a moderate iron concentration (17 mg/L) and a maximum flow of 200 gpm. During low-flow conditions, the discharge is the major source of water to the stream. Due to this pollution, aquatic organisms within Aultmans Run have been impacted.

Aultmans Run is classified as a trout-stocked fishery. One of the main goals of AWARE is to improve the health of Aultmans Run to become a viable fishery throughout its entire length.

Macroinvertebrates are important indicators of the health of streams. In a study conducted by the PA Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Mining and Reclamation in the summer of 2001, macroinvertebrates with low tolerance to pollution were found upstream of the discharge, while none were found downstream. Every year, over 11,000 pounds of iron enter Aultmans Run suffocating macroinvertebrates and destroying their habitat. As a result of the iron deposition, this primary food source for trout is no longer available.

Based on the available monitoring data and the accepted principles in passive treatment technology, a system consisting of a 730 SF forebay and a 25,000 SF aerobic wetland was designed to treat the discharge for an estimated 25 years. Construction began by Amerikohl Mining, Inc. on December 17, 2003 and was completed within one month.

The forebay collects the discharge and equally distributes the flow to the wetland. The wetland has a large surface area to maximize the oxidation, precipitation, and accumulation of iron. In order to provide a high wetland plant diversity to increase habitat value, the wetland has small elevation variations, known as microtopographical relief. The innovative design also incorporates a 4,000-SF existing, degraded wetland to provide additional treatment area.

Samples taken on April 2, 2004 indicate that the system is successfully removing about 10 mg/L of iron with a flow of over 175 gpm, nearly the maximum flow ever seen at the site! Below is a table of field analysis of the results:

Sampling Point	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	D. Fe	D. Mn	D. Al
Raw	6.7	79	-55	14	<1	<1
Constructed WL Effluent	7.3	71	-57	6	<1	<1
Existing WL Effluent	7.3	77	-65	4	<1	<1

Note: Lab pH measure in S.U.; alkalinity, acidity, D. Fe, D. Mn, and D. Al measured in mg/L; D- Dissolved

Not only is this wetland expected to remove 5.5 tons of iron from Aultmans Run every year, it also provides beneficial wildlife habitat. Later this spring, the wetland will be planted with a variety of native species with the help of Indiana University of Pennsylvania students and the local community. These plants will encourage oxidation and help filter the iron particulates from the water.

This SR286 Passive Treatment System has been a valuable project for the community and will be the model for future restoration efforts. If you would like to be involved in this project or become a member of AWARE, please contact Brian Okey at (724) 357-3766.

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# THE CATALYST

## SLIPPERY ROCK WATERSHED COALITION MONTHLY ACTIVITIES UPDATE

**THIS MONTH'S MEETING:** Due to the symposium there will be no meeting this month. We hope to see you at the symposium!!! 3/13/03 Meeting Attendance: D. Johnson, C. Cooper, V. Kefeli, C. Denholm, W. Taylor, S. Busler, T. Danehy, M. Dunn, K. Lanich, J. Belgredan, S. Smith, C. Treter, and D. Treter

## SRWC 8th Annual Symposium This Month April 10, 11, and 13!!

**Thursday April 10th at Grove City College 6 pm to 9 pm**

**Investigating Watershed Issues: Supporting Student Research Through Public/Private Partnerships**

The following are the students, titles, and topics that will be presented:

**Suman Basyal** (Slippery Rock University, SRU), "Poplar (*Populus nigra* L.) Cuttings in a Soil Model System." (Plant Propagation)

**Todd Fleckenstein, John Greene, Kevin Hasbrouck, and Gwen Kennedy** (Westminster College), "Phytoremediation: Can Duckweed and Parrot's Feather Effectively Reduce Concentrations of Aluminum and Manganese from Acid Mine Drainage to EPA Standards for Surface Water?" (Water Research)

**Ryoko Funada** (SRU), "Quantitative Determination of Hydroxy-coumarin (Umbelliferone) by a Combined Method of Chromatography and Color Change." (Soil Science)

**Sarah Grabowski** (Grove City College, GCC), "The Impact of Acid Mine Drainage on the Seaton Creek Watershed." (Water Research)

**Michele Gauger and Dr. Steven Doherty** (SRU), "Forest Stewardship Strategy and Assessment for Slippery Rock University Forest Properties." (Forest Stewardship)

**Merina Manandhar** (SRU), "Qualitative Reactions for the Determination of Phenolics in Willow and Poplar Composted Leaves." (Soil Science)

**Molly Martinchek and Joselyn Hohenwarter** (SRU), "Annual Report on the Vertical Flow Treatment System at the Jennings Environmental Education Center." (AMD)

**Nicholas Morgan** (GCC), "Macroinvertebrate Survey of Limestone Treated Streams in the Slippery Rock Watershed." (Ecosystem Recovery)

**Mahesh Pun** (SRU), "Willow (*Salix purpurea* L.) Propagation in the Fabricated Soil." (Plant Propagation)

**Shawn Rummel** (GCC), "The Relationship Between Vegetative Characteristics and Grassland Bird Communities Inhabiting an Old Field Community and Reclaimed Surface Mine in Clarion Co., Northwest PA." (Wildlife Biology)

## Also Join Us for the Following Programs!!

**Friday April 11th at Jennings Environmental Education Center 8:30 am to 3:30 pm**

**8th Annual Slippery Rock Watershed Coalition Symposium**

The keynote speaker for this year is **Eric Thumma** Deputy Secretary for the PA DEP. This year's program will include a presentation and a "hands on" simulation to help those in attendance understand what is involved in designing and building a passive treatment system. A field tour of some of the SRWC's passive systems will round out the day (appropriate field attire recommended). Lunch is provided. Pre-registration is preferred but not required. Those who pre-register will receive a **free t-shirt** to commemorate the event. (See below for registration information.)

**Sunday April 13th at Jennings Environmental Education Center at 2 pm**

**Community Day, "Richard Pawlings 'History Alive' Fire in the Hole!"**

Learn of life in the "patch," the company store, the progression from breaker boy to "miner with papers," the Mollie Maguires, and the United Mine Workers Strike of 1902 through the talents of Pennsylvania's national award-winning, living-history performer Rich Pawling. This unique event will be a wonderful conclusion to this year's symposium, please be sure to join us!!!

### **For More Information:**

If you have questions about any of the events listed above or would like to pre-register for April 11th, please call Deanna Treter at 724-776-0161 or e-mail sri@salsgiver.com. Hope to see you there!!!



SRWC Participants Posing with the Dominion Community Impact Award!  
Front Row: Tim Danehy, Kim Lanich, Deanna Treter, Margaret Dunn, and Janice Belgredan  
Back Row: Dave Johnson, Will Taylor, Cliff Denholm, Chris Treter, Shaun Busler,  
Valentine Kefeli, Steve Smith, and Charlie Cooper

### Dominion Community Impact Award Luncheon at the Renaissance Hotel in Pittsburgh

On Wednesday March 12th, Stream Restoration Inc. employees headed downtown for a wonderful luncheon to receive the **Dominion Community Impact Award for 2002**. Stream Restoration was honored for its work in the Slippery Rock Creek Watershed, highlighting specifically the Goff Station Restoration Area Project. The award money will be used for education and outreach purposes. Those who attended were: **Margaret Dunn, Tim Danehy, Shaun Busler, Cliff Denholm, and Deanna Treter**. Congratulations to the other award winners: **The Progress Fund, Hosanna House, Homeless Children's Education Fund, Connect, Inc., Nazareth Housing Services, Adams Memorial Library, and Conservation Consultants, Inc.** Everyone had a wonderful time getting to know the other award winners and the Dominion employees. There was delicious food and beautiful centerpieces comprised of cookie-flower bouquets with each award winners name on a cookie as well. In the photo above you can see SRWC participants posing with the award and great cookies, which we enjoyed during our monthly meeting. Thank you Dominion for the luncheon and award! All the hard work Dominion does to recognize and promote community programs is greatly appreciated!!!!



### We Picked Up Trash Along I-79 Friday March 28th

Once again we were out picking up trash along our stretch of I-79. We met at the "park 'n ride" off of exit 99 and had our picnic lunch. The "treasures" that accumulated during the long hard winter were collected by a dedicated bunch of real garbage go-getters! No snow that day but plenty of trash. It was very windy and those who helped deserve a round of applause: **Margaret Dunn, Tim Danehy, Shaun Busler, Cliff Denholm, Charlie Cooper and Deanna Treter**. Thank you to all those who helped! Reserve June 27th on your calendar for the next trash pick up day!

### Addition to Last Months Catalyst

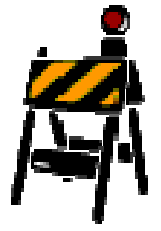
We are deeply sorry for failing to include the names of all the people in the photo to the right. **Jim Mondok** is the Mercer County Conservation District Manager and he is on the far left of the picture. **John Schombert** is the Executive Director of the 3 Rivers Wet Weather Demonstration Program ([www.3riverswetweather.org](http://www.3riverswetweather.org)) he is on the far right of the picture. Both are leaders in environmental protection and conservation and deserving of more recognition than we alone can give!!!





# The KIDS Catalyst

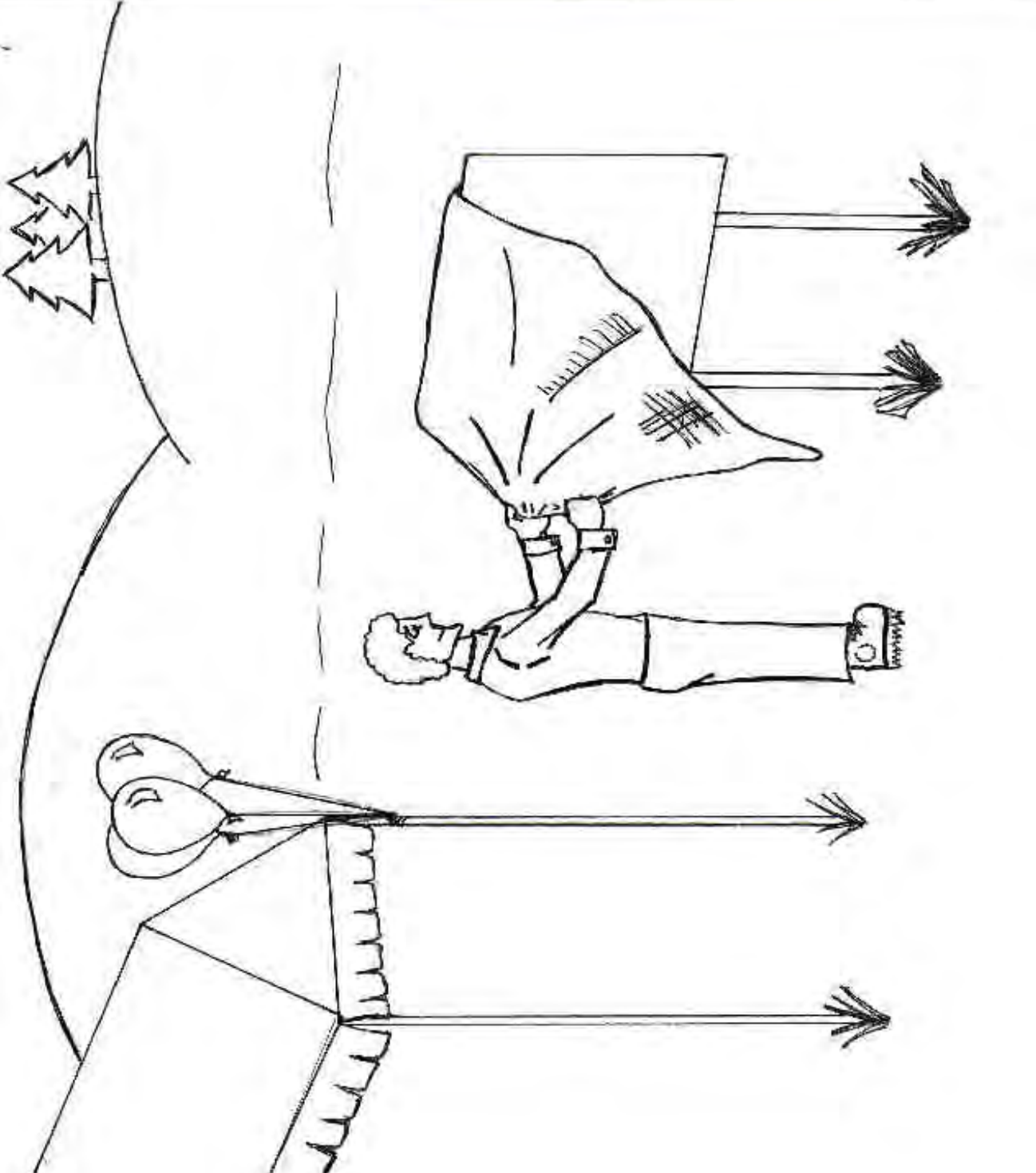
## SLIPPERY ROCK WATERSHED COALITION FUN ACTIVITY



### Color your own groundbreaking!!!

On the back of this months catalyst there is an article about a groundbreaking with a sign unveiling. A groundbreaking is when people get together to start the work on a project. Color the picture below for your own groundbreaking!! When you are done send it back to us for a free gift certificate!

The first person to send back the word search from last month was Katrina Bonetti! Thanks Katrina!



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## Highlighting Other Partnership Efforts (HOPE!)

### Partnering with Aultman Watershed Association for Restoring the Environment (AWARE)

On Friday March 21st, residents, local and state officials, project partners and AWARE members came together for the groundbreaking of the Aultmans Run Restoration Area. The project will consist of a 1/2-acre wetland that will treat an iron-laden discharge from a gravity drain from an old, abandoned, underground coal mine. The wetland will be planted with native vegetation to promote wild-life habitat. [With the completion of the proposed work we expect to prevent approximately 11,000 lbs/year of iron from entering Aultmans Run helping to restore this Trout Stocked Fishery!] This project will be the first discharge treated in this watershed and is very visible along State Route 286.

Many people attended the groundbreaking, which ended just as heavy rains were moving in! Here is a list of those who were in attendance for the event: **Brian Okey** AWARE and IUP; **Bill Shane** and **Bernie Smith**, Commissioners of Indiana County; PA State Rep. **Dave Reed**; **Joe Allison**, **Malcolm Crittenden**, **Scott Alexander**, and **Jeff Fliss** from the PA DEP; **Lee Roy Vatter** of the Crooked Creek Watershed Assoc.; **Fred Johnson**, Amerikohl Mining; **John Somonick**, **Judith Aker**,



**Carol Cummins**, **William Frain Sr.**, **Donald Burkett**, **Ann Burtick**, **Paul Calvetti**, **Carl Trout**, **Ken Marshall**, **Beth Marshall**, and **Bill Altimus** of the Aultman Watershed Association for Restoring the Environment (AWARE); **Kim Lanich** and **Dave Jessloski**, Aquascape; **Margaret Dunn**, **Tim Danehy**, **Shaun Busler**, **Cliff Denholm**, and **Deanna Treter**, Stream Restoration Inc.; **Payton Harvey** and **Angela Walker**, area residents; as well as **Rebecca Coleman**. The photo shows everyone gathered as we unveil the sign that will be placed at the site. Thank you to

***We are all in this together!*** The groups involved in this endeavor: Stilley (landowner); Aultman Watershed Association for Restoring the Environment (AWARE); PA DEP-Cambria DMO; PA DEP-BMR; Amerikohl Mining Inc.; Aquascape; BioMost, Inc.; Stream Restoration Inc.; Western Pennsylvania Watershed Protection Program; Volunteers.

# THE CATALYST

## SLIPPERY ROCK WATERSHED COALITION MONTHLY ACTIVITIES UPDATE

**THIS MONTH'S MEETING:** Thursday August 12 at 7pm Jennings Environmental Education Center, pizza and pop will be provided. 7/8/04 Meeting Attendance: S. Busler, C. Cooper, T. Danehy, C. Denholm, M. Dunn, D. Johnson, V. Kefeli

### BC19/19B: A New Beginning for Blacks Creek

For nearly a century Blacks Creek has flowed red-orange with iron from the many sites where coal was extracted. According to a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Report for the Blacks Creek Watershed by the PA Department of Environmental Protection (Knox), all impairments related to high levels of metals were caused by abandoned mine drainage. A total of 7 discharges were documented to contribute to these elevated levels of metals.

In June 2004, the Slippery Rock Watershed Coalition began construction of its newest passive treatment system and is the first to be built in the 7-square mile Blacks Creek Watershed. This system will consist of an aerobic wetland that will treat two discharges. The alkaline, iron discharges, known as BC19 and BC19B, flow from abandoned oil wells creating large iron plumes in Blacks Creek. The wetland will help oxidize and settle the iron solids before entering Blacks Creek.

Thanks to **John Stoops, Mike Colossimo, and Wayne Fuchs of Quality Aggregates, Inc.** for all their hard work in constructing the wetland in less than ideal site conditions! To date, the site has been lowered to the approximate bottom elevation of the wetland basin and the outside berm next to Blacks Creek is nearly complete. This project would not be possible without the support of **PA DEP's Growing Greener Program, Butler County Commissioners, Western Pennsylvania Watershed Program**, and in-kind contributions from project partners.



### Join Us on the 3rd Annual Riverboat Cruise!!!

Next month is the **3rd Annual Ohio Watershed Riverboat Cruise**, and we want **you** to be a part of the fun! Please join us for a **free** voyage on the Ohio River **September 16** aboard the Gateway Clipper Fleet's magnificent Majestic. Over 425 participated in this great event last fall and we know this year's cruise will be just as fun! Join watershed groups, professionals, local and state government officials, private business, industry, educators, and all those interested in learning more about the Ohio River Watershed. Pre-cruise festivities will begin at 11:00 AM, and boarding starts at 12:30 PM at Station Square in Pittsburgh. We will sail the Ohio from 1:00 PM until 4:00 PM. A guided narration including points of interest that we pass along the Ohio, a trip through a lock and dam, interesting presentations, networking opportunities, poster displays, free snacks, and great door prizes await you! Topics to be presented and discussed include the history of Neville Island, river ecology, the workings of a lock and dam, water wells, sediment control, the new water resources law, and more! Hopefully we can duplicate the perfect weather we enjoyed last year! **UPDATE!!! A producer of PBS documentaries has just asked if he could film some of the festivities for his latest project!!!**

If your group would like to bring a poster display, limited space is available at no cost on a first-come first-serve basis. For additional information or to register for the cruise, visit [www.streamrestorationinc.org/rsvp](http://www.streamrestorationinc.org/rsvp) or call Margaret Dunn at 724-776-0161 or Maggie Hall at 412-442-4000. We hope to see you there!!





Have you ever wondered how The Catalyst gets done? Here is the mastermind behind your monthly update newsletter on the happenings of the Slippery Rock Watershed Coalition! Look for next month's special feature: an article on Gerber rice cereal vs. sweet potatoes! (Pictured here is Isaac Busler, 7 months old, son of the SRWC's Melissa Busler, who helps Isaac just a little with The Catalyst).

## It Was a 'Diverse' Workshop at Jennings

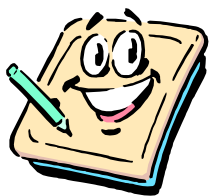
The diversity of life on this planet is astounding and vitally important to the health of the environment. Yet, biodiversity at all levels—genetic, species, and ecosystem—is a current issue that few understand. On June 23 at **Jennings Environmental Education Center**, twenty-three local educators had the opportunity to explore Pennsylvania's biodiversity by participating in hands-on activities that investigated the concepts of biodiversity and examined local and global issues related to biodiversity. **Theresa Alberici, Pennsylvania Game Commission**, and **Terri Kromel, Pennsylvania Bureau of State Parks**, unveiled a brand new teacher resource entitled Window on the Wild: Biodiversity Basics, A Pennsylvania Supplement. This informative activity guide is designed to be a local supplement to the World Wildlife Fund's national curriculum. Teachers received both publications. Excited teachers were amazed at the wealth of information found in this valuable new resource and everyone had fun participating in the creative, educational, and entertaining activities. "It's in the Genes", "Creature Connection", "Pennsylvania Biodiversity I.Q." and "The Case of the Endangered Species" are the titles of just a few activities the teachers got to experience. A tour of the unique Jennings prairie and an introduction to the resident endangered species, the Massasauga rattlesnake, were also provided. This workshop will be offered throughout the state this summer. For more information about how to attend, please contact Theresa Alberici at [talberici@state.pa.us](mailto:talberici@state.pa.us).

## Diverse Experiences for an Intern



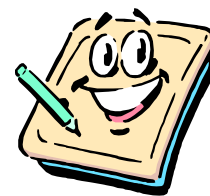
This week a new intern from **Quality Aggregates Inc.** has graced us with her presence. Her name is **Maggie Tilson** and she travels all the way from sunny and beautiful Neville Island to learn more about stream restoration. She will be helping out in the office and observing some field work. While not interning, Maggie attends the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, where she is currently in her Sophomore year studying biology. Although her passion is mainly medicine, Maggie attended a Duke summer camp at which she learned to love ecology and geology as well. For the remainder of the summer, Maggie will continue to intern for Quality Aggregates and Aquascape. So far this summer, she has helped plant a wetland and maintain the nursery for Aquascape. These past few months have been a tremendous learning experience for Maggie; participating in everything from the business aspect of a company to the manual labor involved in making a company a success, she now has skills and memories that will come in handy in the future.





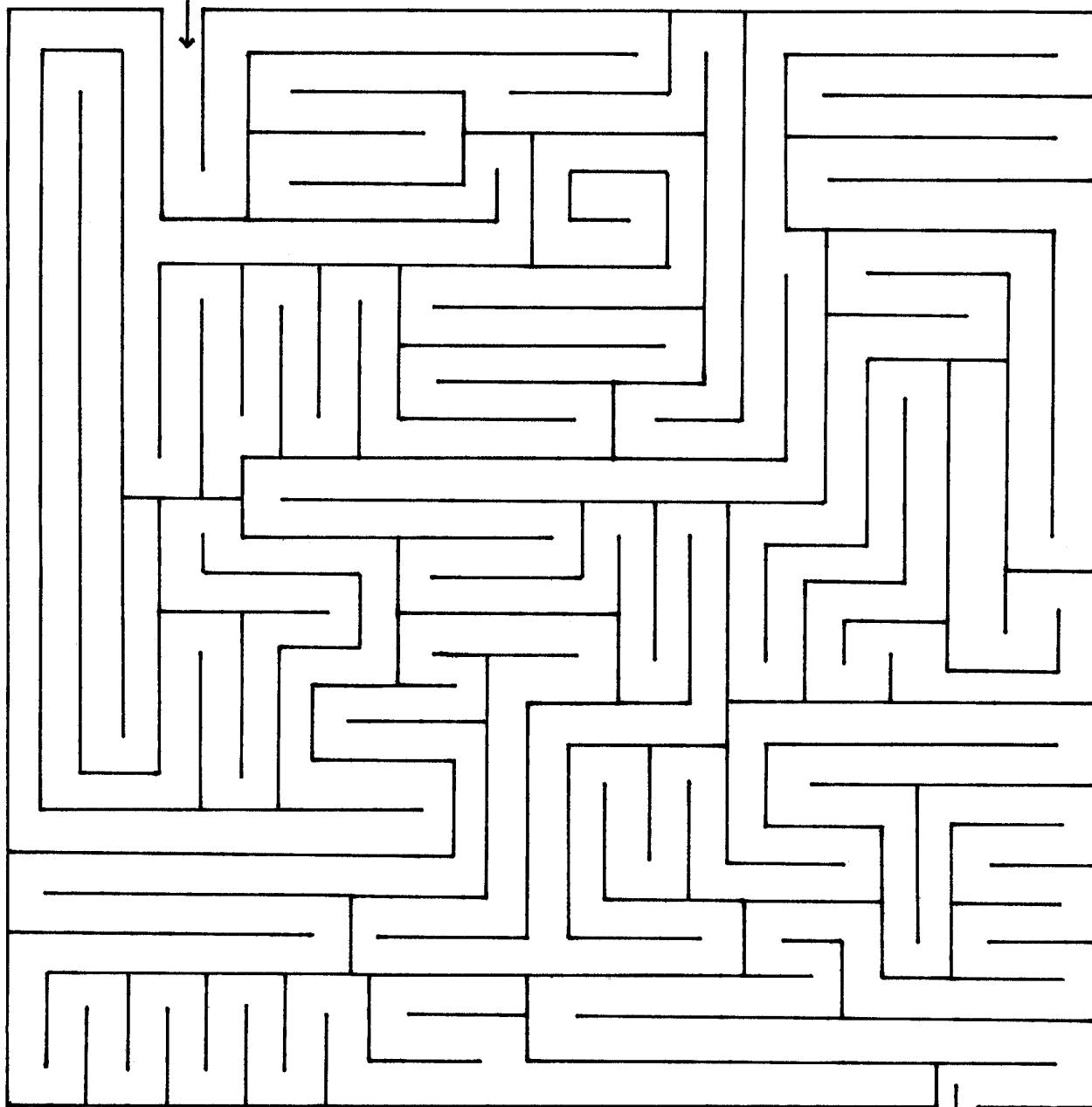
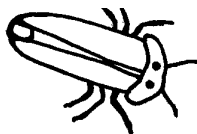
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## SLIPPERY ROCK WATERSHED COALITION FUN ACTIVITY



### Mighty Maze

Have you noticed lots of fireflies at night this summer? Did you know the firefly is the official state insect of PA? "Bioluminescence" is the scientific word that describes how these insects produce light to glow—a chemical reaction is taking place. Fireflies give off light to warn predators to stay away and also to attract other fireflies of the opposite sex by flashing certain patterns of light like a signal. It's fun to try to catch fireflies and watch them glow. In the maze below, see if you can get the firefly into the jar! Send us your paper and we'll mail you a free gift certificate! Good luck!



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## Highlighting Other Partnership Efforts (HOPE!)

### Wetland Planting in the Aultmans Run Watershed



On the cool, overcast Saturday of July 17, **Bob Beran** and **Maggie Allio** of **Beran Environmental Services** and **Shaun Busler** of **Stream Restoration Incorporated** met with about a half dozen volunteers at the SR286 Passive Treatment System in Center Township, Indiana County, to plant an aerobic wetland. The volunteers, from the **Aultman Watershed Association for Restoring the Environment (AWARE)**, diligently worked for four hours planting hundreds of plants and reconfiguring a portion of the wetland. **Thanks to Brian Okey, Michael Poage, Carol Cummins, Carl Trout, and Harry Charles of AWARE** for making a difference in their watershed! Only native species were planted including: smart weed, three-way sedge, spatterdock, and burreed. The work on the 17th helped to quickly es-

tablish plant growth, which helps to treat the water that has been severely degraded due to an abandoned mine. In addition, the volunteers added new species of plants to those that had naturally established themselves within the wetland to create diversity.

The area was mined extensively for coal by R & P in the early 1900s. The discharge, a gravity drain from an abandoned underground mine, is conveyed by a clay pipe from the mine under S.R. 286. The discharge was then conveyed by a ditch to Aultman Run. With numerous partners, the ditch was expanded into a large aerobic wetland from mid-December 2003 through January 2004. Data gathered from the last sampling event, June 10, indicated the wetland is indeed performing as hoped. The raw mine water contained 13.8 mg/L dissolved iron, while the treated water contained only 1.6 mg/L dissolved iron.

It is encouraging to see the beautiful wetland emerging at this very fertile site! Thank you AWARE volunteers for your help in creating a habitat sure to be utilized by many types of wildlife! **Matt Beran**, age 9, also attended the event and verified that wildlife was indeed using the wetland already. He caught one of the numerous toads hopping around the vegetation. If you are interested in joining AWARE or volunteering with future projects such as this one, please contact Brian Okey of AWARE at (724) 357-3766 or Shaun Busler of Stream Restoration Inc. at (724) 776-0161.

**The Village of Aultman**

By:

Donald E. Burkett



## **The Village of Aultman**

By: Donald E. Burkett (A resident of Aultman since 1940)  
Taken from recollections of older residents of the village.

Aultman is a small ex-coal mining town located approximately 7 miles south and east of Indiana, Pa. and approximately one half mile north of Traffic Route 286. Construction of this town was began in the year 1912 on a 187 acre tract of land formerly owned by Elizabeth Rhea and was completed in the early 1920's. Aultman was named by the local farmers who lived in the area for a small stream called Aultman's Run. The village, when completed, consisted of one hundred seven wooden frame houses, three brick homes, a mine shop, a mine office, a community hall, a doctor's office and a company store. The brick homes were for the superintendent and foreman and the wooden homes were to house the miners and their families. These homes were of two sizes, either a four room small house or a larger seven-room home. The Hyde Murphy Construction Company did construction of these homes. There were no double houses in Aultman. It is the only mining town in the area without a double home. Aultman has one other feature not seen in many coal mining towns. That feature being a suburb. This suburb is widely known as the Ten Commandments as there are 10 houses along route 286. We local people refer to this as No. 5 having reference to the No. 5 mine Shaft in that area.

The company store was the source of our being while I was growing up in Aultman. They sold anything and everything from foodstuffs and meats to furniture and even boats motors and trailers. As most of you already know everything was bought on books and when payday came around they just took the money owed them and gave you whatever was left from your wages. Most people know that not much was left. Most of the men on payday received a statement with what they called "snakes" on them meaning that they received no money. At some point it became a law that they had to give you at least five dollars for wages. People have poked fun at company stores, but if you were brought up during that period, it was not all-bad. The quality of the products they sold was good and they did have the best meat that money could buy at that time. The town's post office was housed in the company store. This made the company store a community meeting place where everyone met and had a good time. The store shut its doors in 1957 and the post office was moved into a private home. Jennie Bloomquist from where the Post office operated owned the first home. In remained there until 1960. In 1960, Janet Fairbanks became the postmistress and the post office remained in her home until 1988. When she retired the postal department erected the post mounted boxes along the main road where everyone now walks to receive the mail.

The mines were at their peak production in the year of 1928 with 2000 tons mined daily when the mines were working at full capacity. It was shortly after this that the mines hit a fault and was closed although the shafts are still visible today if you know where to look for them. At its peak there were five shafts. The BR&P Railroad transported the coal from the mines to its final destination. This railroad also brought goods to the company store. After the closing of the Aultman mines, most of the miners were transferred to the McIntire mines and this same railway then was used to transport the miners to their workplace. I have still to find out what year they quit running the railroad to Aultman. Mr. Lanich of Coal Run Pennsylvania purchased his first buses and took over the transporting of miners to McIntire and from this the Lanich Buslines came into being. To this day they are still in operation in Jacksonville, Pa.

The year of 1921 is an important year in the history of our community. It was in this year that the original water system was put into operation. Prior to this time, a gas-operated pump was located in the front of house no. 363; the concrete slab is still there. This is where all the people drew their water. The new well was drilled just east of the mine office and a 22,500-gallon wooden tank was constructed on the hill near where the ball diamond would be constructed at a later date. The R&P Coal Company provided a person to maintain this water system. His name was G.W Kinter whom also took care of the repairs to the houses. This water was the best in the area until after the town was sold and some mine water infiltrated through the deteriorating pipes. A new Water System was installed in Aultman by I.C.M.S.A. This was the first water system that they were responsible for construction and operating.

Around the year 1946, the ball diamond was constructed near the old water tank. Aultman, as did most other coal mining towns, had a company sponsored ball team. They were called the Aultman Terriers. They were not the best of the teams but they all had fun playing the game. The ball field is now just a memory of the past.

In the year 1947, the R&P Coal Company gave the miners living in the homes the opportunity to purchase these homes. The houses were sold for the price of 700 dollars for a small house and eleven hundred dollars for the larger houses. The remaining homes that were not bought by the renters were sold to Kovalchick Salvage Company in 1949.

Aultman had it's own elementary school like all other coal mining towns. It housed all eight grades for primary education and then it was off to Homer City High School then Laura Lamar high school and now Homer Center High School. The original school burned down and the new school was constructed on its present site in 1932. Unfortunately that school was closed for cost cutting reasons in 1960. To this day I cannot understand why at that time they would close a perfectly good brick school building and send our children to some wooden frame schools, such as Rissinger School and Lucerne School. The Aultman School building now houses TiJohn Industries

Electricity as we know it today was brought into Aultman in 1950. Prior to that time, the electricity was provided to the town at no cost by the Coal Company. It was 25 cycle and all the lights glowed yellow and all motors had to be changed to accommodate the 25 cycle and then changed back when 60-cycle electricity was introduced. The Christmas of 1950 was when I received my Lionel Electric Train, which I still have in my possession today.

The Fire Company was started in the 1960's after some serious fires had destroyed some homes in the town. It is still in existence today. The irony is that the Fire Company had to bounce back from of all things a fire that completely destroyed all of the building and equipment.

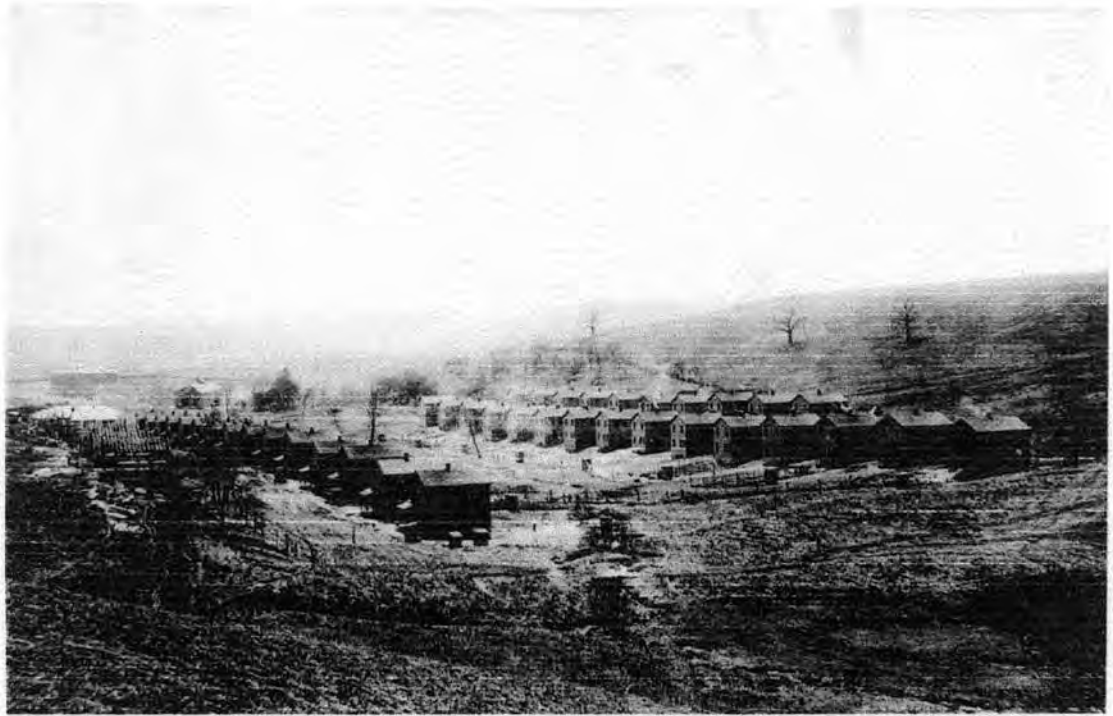
T. W. Phillips Gas and Oil Company of Butler Pennsylvania brought natural gas to our community in 1967. Prior to this, the houses were heated by coal. At this juncture, coal was becoming increasingly scarce, so an alternative-heating source had to be found. Few homes at this time were being heated with oil and even fewer were using L.P. gas.

In the early 1970's a group of ladies from the town of Aultman formed a group calling themselves "Parents for Playground". Through the efforts of these Ladies the town of Aultman opened it's own Playground. The Aultman Volunteer Fire Association donated the land on which it was built. This was the first playground in the Homer Center area and through the effort of these ladies a new group was spurred. This new organization is called the Homer Center Parks and Recreation Department.

Aultman was the first coal mining community to have it's own sewage system . This pilot project was started the summer of 1979 and was in service in December of that year. This plant was initiated with a HUD grant of 114,000 dollars obtained by the county commissioners. The tap in fee for Aultman was set at 150 dollars . Compare this to the fee that you in the Homer City area paid this year.



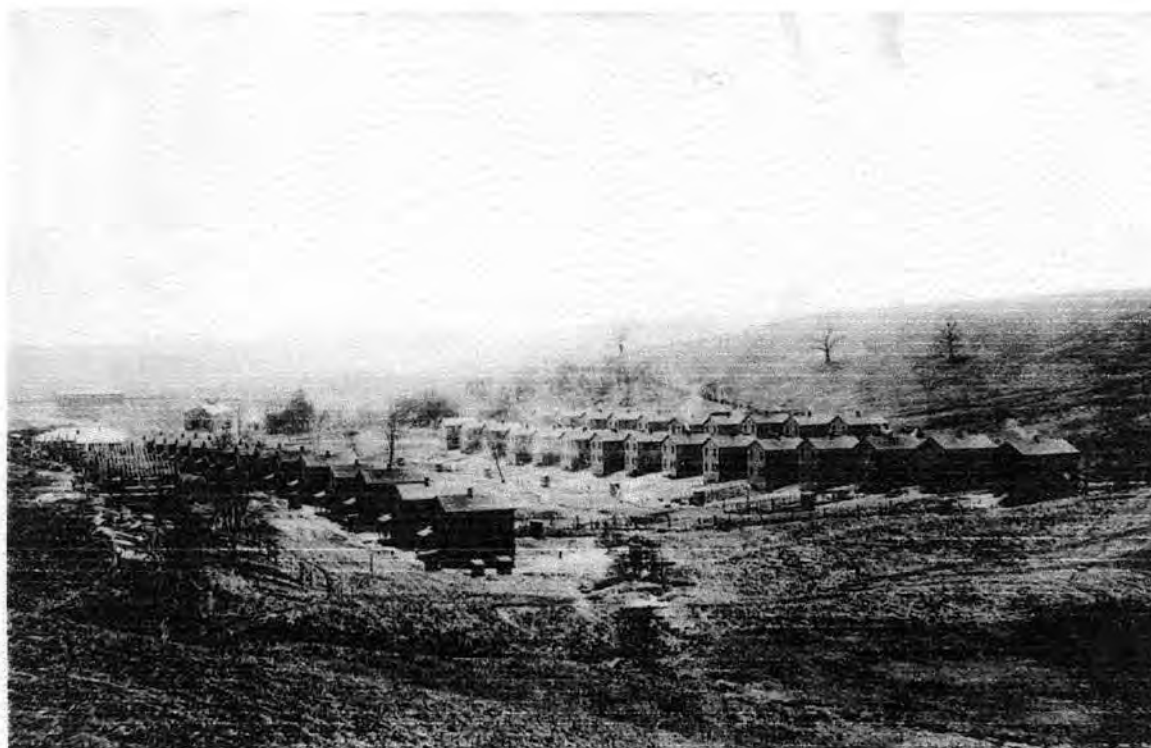
TOWN - AULEMAN, PA - - INDIANA COUNTY AROUND 1912 - 1914 OR SO



- 1<sup>st</sup> - 50 homes built in 1912 -
- 1) ON LEFT, NEAR MIDDLE BETWEEN TOP AND BOTTOM, ARE SOME OF HOUSES GOING UP;
  - 2) TOP LEFT IS THE COAL TIPPLE AND TO ITS RIGHT IS THE MACHINE SHOP FOR THE MINE (WHICH SOMETIMES INCLUDED THE SUBSTATION).
  - 3) "OUT-HOUSES" WERE SMALL BUILDINGS BACK OF THE HOUSES.



TOWN - AULTMAN, PA - - INDIANA COUNTY AROUND 1912-1914 OR SO



- 1<sup>st</sup> - 50 homes built in 1912 -
- 1) ON left, NEAR middle BETWEEN top and bottom, ARE SOME of houses going up;
  - 2) top left is the coal tippie and to its right is the machine shop for the mine (which sometimes included the substation).
  - 3) "Out-houses" WERE small buildings back of the houses.





Aultman Bridge - "Old Route 80 - much later Rte 286"



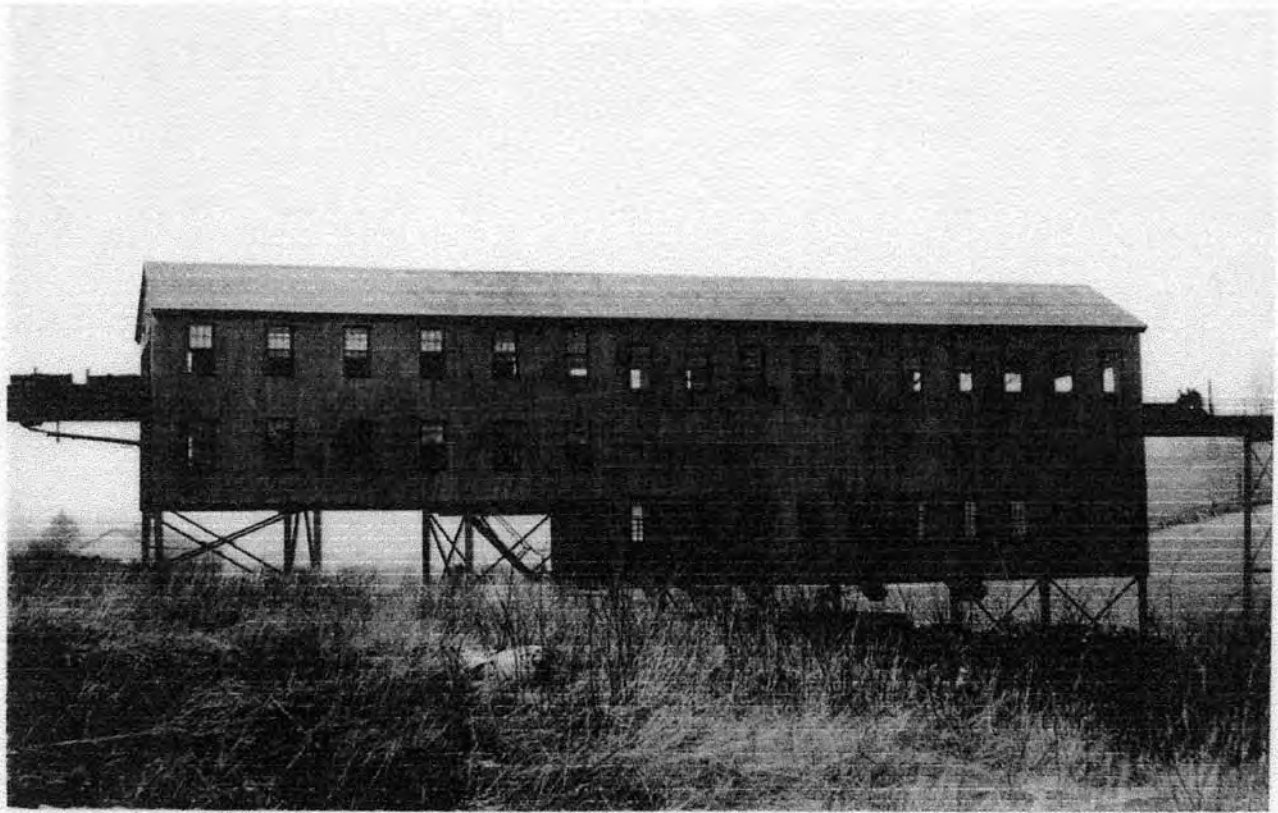
Old Route 80 bridge WENT OVER THE RAILROAD TRACKS WHICH WENT TO THE TIPPLE.  
 THE TRACK WENT ACROSS THE ROAD (BY NOW, 1998 IS PETE FANCELLA'S HOME)  
 ACROSS A SMALL CREEK AND BEHIND HOMES "CALLED 10 COMMANDMENTS" AND  
 UP TO, NEW ROUTE 217, AND BEHIND (NOW) ED SLEDZIK'S GARAGE - THEN  
 ON TO JACKSONVILLE (KENT) RAILROAD STATION. BEHIND RAILROAD  
 STATION, PAST SOME HOUSES AND ACROSS ROAD BELOW GOLDEN PHEASANT  
 INN/BAR - BETWEEN "HARVEY'S HOUSE" AND THE ROAD TO COAL RUN.  
 SWITCH LOCATED HERE AND TRACK WENT LEFT PAST "VALYO/CAMPITELLA  
 HOUSE AND RIGHT TO COAL RUN AND MCINTYRE MINES.

1912-1914





## AULTMAN TIPPLE



Coal CLEANED, dumped into RAILROAD CARS and ON for delivery.  
LOCATED ON outskirts of town (AULTMAN) AND NEAR RAILROAD AND ROUTE 80.



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## **INTRODUCTION**

During August 16, 17, 30, and 31, 2001, a qualitative watershed assessment was conducted on Aultman Run, Indiana County. The Bureau of Mining and Reclamation, in conjunction with interested parties (Aultman Watershed Association for Restoring the Environment, Stream Restoration Inc., and the Cambria DMO), initiated a preliminary, baseline study of the watershed for future planning and remediation work. One tributary of Aultman Run, Reeds Run, is on the 303 (d) list for determination of Total Daily Maximum Load (TMDL). In response, Bureau of Mining and Reclamation and SRI staff planned and implemented collection of data at approximately twenty sites. The sampling stations include main-stem, unnamed tributaries, and mine drainage discharges. A map labeling the sites are on page 1 through 4.

## **GENERAL WATERSHED DESCRIPTION**

Aultman Run is a tributary of the Conemaugh River in the Ohio River basin. The watershed lies in Blacklick and Center Townships, Indiana County, PA. The drainage encompasses 28.3 square miles and flows in a southerly direction. The headwaters of Aultman Run are a series of spring/wetland fed tributaries that flows approximately 13.0 stream miles into Blacklick Creek. Elevations range from 1002 to 1201 feet and contain relatively flat rural and forested lands with some gently rolling hills of low relief.

## **METHODS**

At each sampling station, water samples were collected by the grab method using a 500 ml bottle and two 125 ml bottles (Nitric and Hydrochloric acid fixed). Field meters were used to measure air and water temperature, specific conductance, dissolved oxygen, pH, and flow.

Benthic macroinvertebrates were collected at sites with a potential for life using a qualitative “kick screen” method. Relative abundances of each taxon were examined and representative specimens were preserved in alcohol and returned to the lab for identification.

## **WATER QUALITY**

Water quality data is summarized on Table 1 and 2. This section will discuss chemical trends in Big Run from the headwaters to the mouth. Stations AUL10, UNT16, AUL09, and UNT15 represent the headwaters. AUL10 was not sampled due to the lack of substantial flow. UNT16, AUL09, and UNT15 lab analysis indicate nothing that would impact Big Run. UNT16 and downstream station AUL09 shows an increased value in total iron. The segment of Big Run between AUL09 and AUL08, does not differ much in parameter values. UNT14 enters between AUL08 and AUL07. It was not sampled due to the lack of substantial flow. Likewise, water quality does not change much upstream from AUL07. One exception is the almost doubling of total iron values. Just downstream from AUL07, is a mine discharge aside Route 286 (UNT08A). UNT08 is an alkaline discharge with high concentrations of metals, especially Iron. UNT13 represents a station on an unnamed tributary flowing south through the town of Aultman. It's values show clean water quality. UNT12 is an accumulation of UNT12A, UNT12B, and UNT12C. A moderately low pH and elevated levels of metals indicate a possible influence from

mining along the tributary labeled UNT12C. UNT11 and UNT09 have water quality values associated with clean streams. UNT10 and UNT08 were not sampled due to the lack of substantial flow and therefore made sampling in-stream station, AUL06, unnecessary. Despite the impact of UNT08A (Rt. 286 discharge, under powerlines), water quality actually improves down to station AUL05. Alkalinity, pH, and acidity remain roughly the same. Metal concentrations decrease greatly, especially total iron.

A comparison of lab analysis data between AUL05 and AUL04 describes the impact of Reeds Run on Aultman Run. Although pH and alkalinity decrease minutely, total iron nearly doubles, total manganese, aluminum, and sulfates nearly triple. UNT07 is a station on a tributary that enters below AUL04 and exhibits good water quality values for pH, alkalinity, and metal concentrations. UNT06 shows the impact of this tributary flowing through an old strip mine. Alkalinity and pH are moderately low. While values for acidity and sulfates are up. There is also a noticeable increase in total manganese and aluminum. An unnamed tributary, station UNT15, enters downstream in a southeasterly direction. Values for alkalinity are relatively high in the tributary when compared to the rest of the stream. Water quality changes very little from AUL04 to AUL03. Coal Run, station COA1, has a low pH, but total iron, ferrous iron, manganese, and sulfates have high concentrations. The only major changes, between AUL03 to AUL02, are lower concentration values of total iron, ferrous iron, aluminum, and an increase in sulfates. UNT04, UNT03, UNT02, and UNT01 lacked substantial flow to sample and can be illustrated by examining the segment between AUL02 and AUL01. AUL01 has virtually identical values to AUL02.

## **AQUATIC BIOTA**

The indigenous aquatic community is an excellent indicator of long-term conditions and is used as a measurement of both water quality and ecological significance. Habitat and benthic macroinvertebrate data was collected during August 16, 17, 30 and 31, 2001.

### **Habitat**

The habitat assessment data is summarized on Table 3 and 4. In-stream habitat conditions were evaluated at each station. The habitat evaluation consists of rating twelve habitat parameters to derive a station habitat score (EPA Rapid Bioassessment Protocol for Use in Wadeable Streams and Rivers). The range of habitat score totals for Aultman Run stations were 138 to 184, generally considered to be a majority of sub-optimal to optimal habitat conditions.

### **Benthos**

Benthic macroinvertebrate collection efforts included the PA-DEP Rapid Bioassessment Protocol III benthic sampling methodology. The PA-DEP RBPIII method is a modification of EPA's Rapid Bioassessment Protocols (RBPs; Plafkin, et al 1989). The collected and processed benthic samples serve as a basis for analysis and comparison of tolerance values to generally accepted water quality predictive scoring ranges. Low scores are indicative of poor quality and higher scores better quality (1-10). Due to stream degradation and lack of consistent numbers, the results were limited to a qualitative analysis (family and tolerance index).

Potential aquatic insect life was sampled at all stations. The numbers of individuals and kind of taxa were somewhat lower than could be found in physically similar stream systems. This could be attributed to past and current mining. A qualitative inventory was done and summarized here. The following stations: AUL02, COA1, AUL03, AUL08, and UNT13 were the only sites having populations. Families found at AUL02 are Hydropsychidae (TI 4), Polycentropodidae (TI 6), and Tipulida (TI 3). Hydropsychidae (TI 4) was the only group found at COA1 and AUL03. AUL08 had Corydalidae (TI 0), Decapoda (TI 6), Hydropsychidae (TI 4). Only one family, Tipulida (TI 3), was observed at station UNT13.

**Fish**

Fish were not sampled because of limited resources. Aultman Run does have adequate water quality and habitat to support fish populations.

**TABLE 1 - WATER QUALITY SUMMARY**

\* Metal concentrations are measured in micrograms per liter; all others are in milligrams per liter, unless stated otherwise.

Station / Sample ID	UNT16	AUL09	UNT15	AUL09	AUL08	UNT13	UNT12	UNT11	UNT09	UNT08A	AUL04
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**Field Parameters**

Air T (°C)	26.9	21.1	27.8	21.1	32.3	19.2	28.3	23.2	23.2	22.1	30.3
Water T (°C)	19	22.6	20.7	22.6	23.7	15.4	19.1	19.5	19.5	16.5	23.3
pH	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.7	5.9	7.6	7.6	4	7.5
Cond (µmhos)	16	302	92	302	462	277	428	877	743	1120	1230
Dissolved O <sub>2</sub>	5.9	6.4	7.4	6.4	7.5	6.7	6.7	7.3	Too Low	8.4	9.6
Flow (g/min.)	12.3	73.6	N/A	73.6	276.5	N/A	132.5	Too Low	Too Low	N/A	234.2

**Laboratory Parameters**

pH	7.4	7	6.8	7	6.8	7	5	7.5	7.2	3.7	6.8
Alkalinity	108	90	48	90	58	78	7.8	128	88	0	60
Acidity	0	0	0	0	0	0	46.2	0	0	149.8	0
TSS	32	12	40	12	38	6	22	28	118	16	16
SO <sub>4</sub>	26.1	28.3	29.5	28.3	35.8	155	214	49.3	332	459	393
Fe - tot.*	2420	1150	479	1150	1120	697	779.9	273	832	4710	1370
Ferrous Fe*	190	80	70	80	50	130	280	90	80	1570	150
Mn - tot.*	720	157	33	157	261	333	1430	48	131	6210	1160
Al - tot.*	342	219	410	219	869	< 200	1230	< 200	742	20400	755



**TABLE 2 - WATER QUALITY SUMMARY**

\* Metal concentrations are measured in micrograms per liter; all others are in milligrams per liter, unless stated otherwise.

Station / Sample ID	UNT07	UNT06	UNT05	AUL03	COA01	AUL02	AUL01			
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**Field Parameters**

Air T (°C)	22.7	23.1	23.5	25.4	25.5	31	25.4			
Water T (°C)	18.6	13.6	16.4	25.4	25.2	21.3	18.9			
pH	7.9	5	7	7.5	6.5	7.5	7.5			
Cond (µmhos)	832	805	843	1130	0	1026	1150			
Dissolved O <sub>2</sub>	N/A	Too Low	Too Low	9.1	7.1	8.6	8.1			
Flow (g/min.)	57.8	0.2	Too Low	N/A	9.7	268.8	298.6			

**Laboratory Parameters**

pH	8	4.7	7.2	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8			
Alkalinity	192	8	374	60	60	64	60			
Acidity	0	24	0	0	0	0	0			
TSS	29	14	18	14	14	2	10			
SO <sub>4</sub>	414	472	310	397.8	397.8	491	479.6			
Fe - tot.*	105	156	1340	1690	1690	566	524			
Ferrous Fe*	30	40	310	240	240	160	100			
Mn - tot.*	102	1090	2550	1280	1280	1280	852			
Al - tot.*	< 200	1250	< 200	876	876	< 200	< 200			

TABLE 3 - HABITAT ASSESSMENT SUMMARY

HABITAT PARAMETER	scoring range	STATIONS									
		AUL01	AUL02	COA01	AUL03	UNT05	UNT07	AUL04	UNT09	UNT11	UNT12
1 . epifaunal substrate 2 and upstream cover	0 - 40	36	32	20	34	36	36	32	36	36	36
3 . embeddedness (HG)/ pool substrate characterization (LG)	0 - 20	12	12	13	12	19	17	12	17	17	17
4 . velocity/depth (HG)/ pool variability (LG)	0 - 20	15	15	2	15	10	4	15	4	4	4
5 . sediment deposition	0 - 20	9	9	8	9	12	20	9	20	20	20
6 . channel flow status	0 - 20	17	17	7	17	15	15	17	15	15	15
7 . channel alteration	0 - 20	18	17	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
8 . frequency of riffles (HG)/ channel sinousity (LG)	0 - 20	13	13	14	13	10	17	13	17	17	17
9 . bank stability	0 - 20	14	14	14	14	18	18	14	18	18	18
10 . vegetative protection 11 & grazing/disruptive pressures	0 - 40	18	21	24	21	24	21	21	21	21	21
12 . riparian vegetative zone width	0 - 20	18	14	16	12	14	14	12	14	14	14
<b>Total Score <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>0 - 240</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>182</b>

TABLE 4 - HABITAT ASSESSMENT SUMMARY

HABITAT PARAMETER	scoring range	STATIONS				
		AUL07	AUL08	UNT15	AUL09	UNT16
1 . epifaunal substrate 2 and upstream cover	0 - 40	34	34	36	34	36
3 . embeddedness (HG)/ pool substrate characterization (LG)	0 - 20	17	17	17	17	17
4 . velocity/depth (HG)/ pool variability (LG)	0 - 20	4	4	4	4	4
5 . sediment deposition	0 - 20	20	20	20	20	20
6 . channel flow status	0 - 20	15	15	15	15	15
7 . channel alteration	0 - 20	20	20	20	20	20
8 . frequency of riffles (HG)/	0 - 20	17	17	17	17	17
channel sinuosity (LG)						
9 . bank stability	0 - 20	16	16	18	16	18
10 . vegetative protection 11 & grazing/disruptive pressures	0 - 40	21	21	21	21	21
12 . riparian vegetative zone width	0 - 20	16	16	16	16	16
<b>Total Score <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>0 - 240</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>184</b>

240-181 OPTIMAL  
180-121: SUB-OPTIMAL  
120-61: MARGINAL  
<=60: POOR

\*Not all monitoring sites  
are listed; only sites with  
habitat assessments  
done

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	AUL02	1095'	N/A	40 30 49	79 17 17	43913	Conemaugh River	8/16/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Air Temperature				
	Cloudy	None	None	31.0° C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mix of Origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	Moderate					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees	American Hornbeam, beech, and hemlock						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	14.0'	N/A	0.73'	268.6 Gal/Min	Partly Open	Majority of deep pools and shallow pools;	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density					minority of shallow riffles and runs	
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	21.3°C	1026	8.6 MG/L	7.5	None	None	Oil	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	6.8	64.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	2.0 MG/L	566.0 UG/L	160.0 UG/L	1280.0 UG/L	Total AL
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oils	Deposits					<200.0 UG/L
	None	None	Silt					491.0 MG/L
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
	Majority of cobble and boulders; minority of gravel and silt							
Epifaunal Substrate	50% or more of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of snags, submerged logs, undercut banks, cobble or other stable habitat and at stage to allow full							
and Instream Cover	colonization potential - 32							
Embeddedness (HG) or	Pool substrate characterization - Mixture of soft sand, mud, or clay; mud may be dominant; some root mats and submerged vegetation present - 12							
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)								
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools large-deep; very few shallow - 15							
or Pool Variability (LG)								
Sediment Deposition	Moderate deposition of new gravel, sand or fine sediment on old or new bars; 50-80% of the bottom affected; sediment deposits at bends; moderate deposition of pool prevalent-9							
Channel Flow Status	Water reaches base of both lower banks, and minimal amount of channel substrate is exposed - 17							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 17							
Frequency of Riffles (HG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase the stream length 1 to 2 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 13							
or Channel Sinuosity (LG)								
Bank Stability	Left - Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7							
	Right - Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/	Left and Right - 70-90% of streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth potential							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip Zone	to any great extent; more than one half of the potential plant suble height remaining - 21							
	Left and Right - Width of of riparian zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 14							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Rifles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macrobenthos	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	Common	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and	None							
Tolerance Index	Hydrophychidae	Polycentropodidae	Tipulida					
	4	6	3					
Fish Composition-	None							



Monitoring Site Demographics Weather Conditions	Site ID COA01	Surface Elevation 1095.0'	River Mile N/A	Latitude 40.51	Longitude 79 17 16	Stream # 43913	River Basin Conemaugh River 8/16/2001
Stream Characterization	Now Cloudy	Past 24 Hours None	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days None	Temperature 25.5°C	Catchment Area N/A	Gradient Low	
Watershed Features	Stream Subsystem Perennial	Stream Origin Mix of Origins	Stream Type Warmwater				
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Landuse Forest/Mining	Local NPS Pollution Mine Drainage/Silt	Erosion Moderate				
Instream Features	Dom. Type Trees	Dom. Species Red Maple, Beech					
Large Woody Debris	Reach Length N/A	Stream Width 2.0'	Sampling Reach N/A	Avg. Depth 0.12'	Velocity 9.69 Gall/Min Meter	Canopy Cover Partly Shaded	Stream Morph. Majority of shallow riffles and runs; minority of shallow pools
Aquatic Vegetation	Area N/A	Density N/A	% Reach w/ AV N/A				Channelized/Dam No
Water Quality	Dom. Type N/A	Dom. Species N/A					
	Temperature 25.2°C	Spec. Conductance 0.004	Dissolved Oxygen 7.1 MG/L	Field pH 6.5	Turbidity None	Odors None	Oil None
	Lab pH 6.8	Alkalinity 60.0 MG/L	Acidity 0.0 MG/L	TSS 14.0 MG/L	Total FE 1690.0 UG/L	Ferrous FE 240.0 UG/L	Total AL 876.0 UG/L
Sediment/Substrate Deposition	Odors None	Oil None	Deposits Majority of silt and iron precipitation				Total Sulfates 397.8 MG/L
Inorganic/Organic Substrate	Inorganic Majority of cobble, gravel, silt, and iron			Organic Moderate number of Sticks, Woods, Coarse Plant Materials			
Epifaunal Substrate and Instream Cover	Majority of cobble, gravel, silt, and iron						
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	10-30% mix of stable habitat; habitat availability less than desirable; substrate frequently disturbed or removed - 20						
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	Pool substrate characterization - Mixture of soft sand, mud, or clay; mud may be dominant; no root mat or submerged vegetation - 13						
Sediment Deposition	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 2						
Channel Flow Status	Moderate deposition of new gravel, sand or fine sediment on old or new bars; 50-80% of the bottom affected; sediment deposits at bends; moderate deposition of pool prevalent - 8						
Channel Alteration	Water fills 25-75% of the available channel; and for riffle substrates are exposed - 7						
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20						
Bank Stability	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase the stream length 1 to 2 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 14						
Veg. Protection, Grazing/ Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	Left - Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7 Right - Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7						
Bioassessment Collection	Left and Right - 70-90% of streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth potential to any great extent; more than one half of the potential plant stubble height remaining - 24						
General Biota Abundance	Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone impacted zone only minimally - 16						
Macroinvertebrate Abundance- Family and Tolerance Index (1-10, EPA RBP)	1 M Squared Kick Net Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs 2.0 Kicks						
	Gear Used Periphyton	Where Sampled Filamentous Algae	# of Kicks or Jabs Macrophytes				
	None	Minimal	None				
	Hydropsychidae						
	4						
Fish Composition-	None						

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	AUL03	1095'	N/A	40 30 01	79 17 17	43913	Conemaugh River	8/16/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Air Temperature				
	Cloudy	None	None	25.4°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mix of Origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	Moderate					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees	American Hornbeam, beech, and hemlock						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A because of lack of flow in COA01	Partly Open	Majority of deep pools and shallow pools; minority of shallow riffles and shallow, runs, and pools	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors	Oil	
	25.4°C	1130	9.1 MG/L	7.5	None	None	None	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	6.8	60.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	14.0 MG/L	1690.0 UG/L	240.0 UG/L	1280.0 UG/L	876.0 UG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oils	Deposits					397.8 MG/L
	None	None	Silt and some metals precipitate					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	Majority of cobble and boulders; minority of gravel and silt							
Epifaunal Substrate	50% or more of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of snags, submerged logs, undercut banks, cobble or other stable habitat and at stage to allow full colonization potential - 34							
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	Pool substrate characterization - Mixture of soft sand, mud, or clay; mud may be dominant; some root mats and submerged vegetation present - 12							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools large-deep; very few shallow - 15							
Sediment Deposition	Moderate deposition of new gravel, sand or fine sediment on old or new bars; 50-80% of the bottom affected; sediment deposits at bends; moderate deposition of pool prevalent - 9							
Channel Flow Status	Water reaches base of both lower banks, and minimal amount of channel substrate is exposed - 17							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase the stream length 1 to 2 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 13							
Bank Stability	Left - Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7 Right - Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	Left and Right - 70-90% of streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth potential to any great extent; more than one half of the potential plant stubble height remaining - 21 Left and Right - Width of riparian zone 6-12 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 12							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macroinvertebrates	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index	None							
	Hydropsychidae							
	4							
Fish Composition-	None							

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Altitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	UNT05	1095.0'	N/A	70.52'	79 17 14	43913	Conemaugh River	8/16/2001
Weather Conditions	Now Cloudy	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Temperature				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mix of Origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	Moderate					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees	Beech, shagbark hickory, sumac						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Too low	Partly shaded	Even amount of shallow-deep/shallow riffles, runs and pools	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	16.4 °C	843	Flow too low	7	None	None		
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Not oil, but shimmery - AMD?	
	7.2	374.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	18.0 MG/L	1340.0 UG/L	310.0 UG/L	Total MN	Total Sulfates
								310.0 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate Deposition	Odors	Oil	Deposits					
	None	None	Silt and some metals precipitate					
Inorganic/Organic Substrate	Inorganic							
	Majority of cobble, gravel, sand, and silt; some metals precipitation							
Epifaunal Substrate and Instream Cover	50% or more of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of snags, submerged logs, undercut banks, cobble or other stable habitat and at stage to allow full colonization potential - 36							
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	Pool substrate characterization - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel and firm sand prevalent - 19							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	Pool variability - Shallow pools much more prevalent than deep pools - 10							
Sediment Deposition	Some new increase in bar formation, mostly from gravel, sand, or fine sediment; 20-50% of the bottom affected; slight deposition in pools - 12							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase the stream length 1 to 2 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 10							
Bank Stability	Left- Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 9							
	Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 9							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	Left and Right - 70-90% of streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth potential to any great extent; more than one half of the potential plant stubble height remaining - 24; Left and Right - Width of rip. zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 14							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macroinvertebrates	Fish		
	None	None	None	None	None	None		
Macroinvertebrates Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-								

Monitoring Site Demographics	Site ID UNT06	Surface Elevation 1090.0'	River Mile N/A	Latitude 40 31 45	Longitude 79 17 08	Stream # 43913	River Basin Conemaugh River	Date 8/16/2001
Weather Conditions	Now Cloudy	Past 24 Hours None	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days None	Air Temperature 23.1°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem Perennial	Stream Origin Spring	Stream Type Coldwater	Catchment Area N/A	Gradient N/A			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse Forest/Mining	Local NPS Pollution Mine Drainage/Silt	Erosion N/A					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type Trees/Herb. Plants	Dom. Species Black Cherry, Multifloral Rose Bush						
Instream Features	Reach Length N/A	Stream Width N/A	Sampling Reach N/A	Avg. Depth N/A	Velocity 1.0 Gal/6.0 Min Bucket	Canopy Cover Shaded	Stream Morph. N/A	Channelized/Dam Yes
Large Woody Debris	Area N/A	Density N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type N/A	Dom. Species N/A	% Reach w/ AV N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature 13.6°C	Spec. Conductance 805	Dissolved Oxygen Flow too low	Field pH 5	Turbidity None	Odors None		
	Lab pH 4.7	Alkalinity 8.0 Mg/L	Acidity 24.0 MG/L	TSS 14.0 MG/L	Total FE 156.0 UG/L	Ferrous FE 40.0 UG/L	Total AL 1250.0 UG/L	Total Sulfates 472.0 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate Deposition	Odors None	Oils None	Deposits N/A					
Inorganic/Organic Substrate	Inorganic N/A			Organic N/A				
Epifaunal Substrate and Instream Cover	N/A							
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	N/A							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	N/A							
Sediment Deposition	N/A							
Channel Flow Status	N/A							
Channel Alteration	N/A							
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	N/A							
Bank Stability	N/A							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/ Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	N/A							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used 1 M Squared Kick Net	Where Sampled Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	# of Kicks or Jabs 2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton None	Filamentous Algae None	Macrophytes None	Slimes None	Macroinvertebrates None	Fish None		
Macroinvertebrates Abundance- Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-								



Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	' altitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	UNT07	1090.0'	N/A	32.02	79 16 58	43913	Conemaugh River	8/16/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Temperature				
	Cloudy	None	None	22.7°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	Black Cherry, Multifloral Rose Bush						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	3.0'	N/A	0.23'	57.8 Gal/Min	Partly Shaded	Majority of shallow-riffle and runs	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density			Meter			
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	18.6°C	832	Flow too low	7.9	None	None		
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	8	192.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	29.0 MG/L	105.0 UG/L	30.0 UG/L	102.0 UG/L	414.0 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oils	Deposits					
Deposition	None	None	N/A					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt							
Epifaunal Substrate	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization ; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at a stage to allow full colonization potential - 36							
and Instream Cover								
Embeddedness (HG) or	Pool substrate Characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel or other material and firm sand prevalent - 17							
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)								
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
or Pool Variability (LG)								
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
or Channel Sinuosity (LG)								
Bank Stability	Left and Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 18							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	to any great extent- 21; Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally- 14							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macrobenthos	Fish		
	None	None	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-								
Family and	None							
Tolerance Index								
Fish Composition -								

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	AUL04	1099.0'	N/A	40 30 01	79 17 17	43913	Conemaugh River	8/16/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Air Temperature				
	Cloudy	None	None	30.3°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mix of Origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	Moderate					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees	American Hornbeam, beech, and hemlock						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	19.0'	N/A	0.65'	234.2 Gal/Min	Partly Open	Majority of deep pools and shallow pools;	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density					minority of shallow riffles and runs	
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors	Oil	
	23.3°C	1230	9.6 MG/L	7.5	None	None	None	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	6.8	60.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	16.0 MG/L	1370.0 UG/L	150.0 UG/L	1160.0 UG/L	755.0 UG/L 393.0 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oils	Deposits					
	None	None	Silt and some metals precipitate					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	Majority of cobble and boulders; minority of gravel and silt							
Epifaunal Substrate	50% or more of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of snags, submerged logs, undercut banks, cobble or other stable habitat and at stage to allow full							
and Instream Cover	full colonization potential - 32							
Embeddedness (HG) or	Pool substrate characterization - Mixture of soft sand, mud, or clay; mud may be dominant; some root mats and submerged vegetation present - 12							
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)								
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools large-deep; very few shallow - 15							
or Pool Variability (LG)								
Sediment Deposition	Moderate deposition of new gravel, sand or fine sediment on old or new bars; 50-80% of the bottom affected; sediment deposits at bends; moderate deposition of pool prevalent - 9							
Channel Flow Status	Water reaches base of both lower banks, and minimal amount of channel substrate is exposed - 17							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase the stream length 1 to 2 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 13							
or Channel Sinuosity (LG)								
Bank Stability	Left- Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7							
	Right - Moderately stable; infrequent, small areas of erosion mostly healed over; 5-30% of bank in reach has areas of erosion - 7							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/	Left and Right - 70-90% of streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth potential							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	to any great extent; more than one half of the potential plant stubble height remaining - 21							
	Left and Right - Width of riparian zone 6-12 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 12							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macrobenthos	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-	None							

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demo/Weather	UNT08A	1111.0'	N/A	40 32 19	79 16 53	43913	Conemaugh River	9/5/2001
	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Air Temperature				
	Cool, clear	None	None	22.1°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient		*Discharge amongst a field under power lines	
	Perennial	Mine Drainage	N/A	N/A	N/A			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Fores/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	Multifloral Rose Bush, Jewel Weed, Black Locust, Red Maple; logs, snags, dead plants, roots						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	13.0'	N/A	0.33'	N/A	Open	N/A	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	16.5°C	1120	8.3 MG/L	4	None	Sulfur	Oil	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	3.7	0.0 MG/L	149.8 MG/L	16.0 MG/L	4710.0 UG/L	1570.0 UG/L	6210.0 UG/L	20400.0 UG/L 459.0 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oils	Deposits					
Deposition	None	None	Metals precipitation					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	N/A			Organic				
	N/A			N/A				
Epifaunal Substrate								
and Instream Cover								
Embeddedness (HG) or	N/A							
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	N/A							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	N/A							
or Pool Variability (LG)	N/A							
Sediment Deposition	N/A							
Channel Flow Status	N/A							
Channel Alteration	N/A							
Frequency of Rifles (HG)	N/A							
or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	N/A							
Bank Stability	N/A							
	N/A							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/	N/A							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	N/A							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Rifles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macrobenthos	Fish		
	None	None	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-								

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	UNT09	1122.0'	N/A	40 32 52	79 16 32	43913	Conemaugh River	8/31/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Air Temperature				
	Cloudy and cool	None	None	23.2°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	Black Cherry, Multifloral Rose Bush						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Too low	Partly Shaded	Majority of shallow-riffle and runs	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	19.5°C	743	Flow too low	7.6	None	None		
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	7.2	88.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	118.0 MG/L	832.0 UG/L	80.0 UG/L	131.0 UG/L	742.0 UG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oil	Deposits					332.0 MG/L
Deposition	None	None	N/A					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt							
Epifaunal Substrate	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization ; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at a stage to allow full colonization potential - 36							
and Instream Cover								
Embeddedness (HG) or	Pool substrate Characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel or other material and firm sand prevalent - 17							
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)								
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
or Pool Variability (LG)								
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
or Channel Sinuosity (LG)								
Bank Stability	Left and Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 18							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	to any extent - 21; Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 14							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macrobenthos	Fish		
	None	None	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-	None							
Family and								
Tolerance Index								
Fish Composition-	None							



Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demo	UNT11	1101.0'	N/A	32 53	79 16 02	43913	Conemaugh River	8/31/2001
Weather	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Temperature				
Stream Characterization	Cloudy and cool	None	None	23.2°C				
Stream Subsystem	Perennial	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	low			
Riparian Vegetation	Forest/Mining	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
Instream Features	Dom. Type	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Large Woody Debris	Trees/Herb. Plants	Black Cherry, Multifloral Rose Bush						
Aquatic Vegetation	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam No
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Too low	Partly Shaded	Majroity of shallow-riffle and runs	
	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	19.5°C	877	7.3 MG/L	7.6	None	None	Oil	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	7.5	128.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	28.0 MG/L	273.0 UG/L	90.0 UG/L	48.0 UG/L	<200.0 UG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oils	Deposits					49.3 MG/L
Deposition	None	None	N/A					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt							
Epifaunal Substrate	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization ; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at a stage to allow full colonization potential - 36							
and Instream Cover								
Embeddedness (HG) or								
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	Pool substrate Characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel or other material and firm sand prevalent - 17							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
or Pool Variability (LG)								
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
or Channel Sinuosity (LG)								
Bank Stability	Left - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 9							
	Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 9							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	growth to any great extent - 21; Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 14							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macrobenthos	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-	None							

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	UNT 12	1099.0'	N/A	40 33 14	79 16 55	43913	Conemaugh River	8/31/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Air Temperature				
	Cloudy and cool	None	None	28.3°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	N/A						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	4.0'	N/A	0.55'	132.5 Gal/Min	Partly Shaded	Majority of shallow-riffle and runs	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	19.1°C	428	6.7 MG/L	5.9	None	None		
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	5	7.8 MG/L	46.2 MG/L	22.0 MG/L	779.9 UG/L	280.0 UG/L	1430.0 UG/L	214.0 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oil	Deposits					
Deposition	None	None	N/A					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt							
Epifaunal Substrate	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization ; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at a stage to allow full colonization potential - 36							
and Instream Cover								
Embeddedness (HG) or	Pool substrate Characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel or other material and firm sand prevalent - 17							
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)								
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
or Pool Variability (LG)								
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
or Channel Sinuosity (LG)								
Bank Stability	Left - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 9							
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Veg. Protection, Grazing/	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	to any great extent - 21; Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 14							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macroinvertebrates	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-	None							
Family and								
Tolerance Index								
Fish Composition	None							

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	'itude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographic	UNT13	1129.0'	N/A	'33	79 16 49	43913	Conemaugh River	9/5/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	temperature				
	Cool, clear, warm	None	None	19.2°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	Ferns, and berry bushes						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	10.0'	N/A	0.34'	N/A	Partly open	Majority of shallow-riffle, runs, and pools; Minority of deep run and pools	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	15.4°C	277	6.7 MG/L	7.7	None	None		
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	7	78.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	6.0 MG/L	697.0 UG/L	130.0 UG/L	333.0 UG/L	<200.0 UG/L 155.0 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate Deposition	Odors	Oil	Deposits					
	None	None	N/A					
Inorganic/Organic	Inorganic							
Substrate	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt; minority of boulders							
Epifaunal Substrate	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at any stage to allow full colonization potential - 17							
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	Pool substrate characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel and firm sand prevalent; - 17							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
Bank Stability	Left - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8 Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8							
Veg. Protection/Riparian Width	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth to any extent - 7							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Licks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macroinvertebrates	Fish		
	None	None	None	None	Rare	None		
Macroinvertebrates - Family and Tolerance Index	Tipulida							
	3							
Fish Composition -								

Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	AUL07	109.0'	N/A	40 38 29	79 15 18	43913	Conemaugh River	8/30/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Air Temperature				
	Cool, clear	None	None	23.9°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Fores/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	Ferns, and berry bushes						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	10.0'	N/A	0.62'	N/A	Partly open	Majority of shallow-riffle, run, pool; ; minority of deep run and pools	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	23.9°C	261	7.13 MG/L	7.3	None	None	Oil	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	6.8	74.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	24.0 MG/L	2030.0 UG/L	150.0 UG/L	382.0 UG/L	364.0 UG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oil	Deposits					Total Sulfates
	None	None	N/A					54.6 MG/L
Inorganic/Organic Substrate	Inorganic							
	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt; minority of boulders							
Epifaunal Substrate	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at any stage							to allow full colonization potential - 34
and Instream Cover								
Embeddedness (HG) or	Pool substrate characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel and firm sand prevalent; - 17							
Pool Substrate Char. (LG)								
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
or Pool Variability (LG)								
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
Channel Sinuosity (LG)								
Bank Stability	Left - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8							
	Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant							
Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	growth to any extent - 21							
	Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 16							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macroinvertebrates	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-	None							



Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Latitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	AUL08	1099.0'	N/A	1 38 49	79 16 39	43913	Conemaugh River	8/30/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	32.3°C				
	Cool, clear	None	None					
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	N/A						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	6.0'	N/A	0.15'	276.5 Gal/Min	Partly open	Majority of shallow-riffle, run, pool; minority of deep-run and pools	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density						
	N/A	N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	23.7°C	462	7.5 MG/L	7.3	None	None	Oil	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	6.8	58.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	38.0 MG/L	1120.0 UG/L	50.0 UG/L	261.0 UG/L	869.0 UG/L
Sediment/Substrate Deposition	Odors	Oil	Deposits					35.8 MG/L
	None	None	Silt					
Inorganic/Organic Substrate	Inorganic							
	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt; minority of boulders							
Epifaunal Substrate and Instream Cover	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at any stage to allow full colonization potential - 34							
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	Pool substrate characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel and firm sand prevalent; - 17							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
Bank Stability	Left - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8 Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone Bioassessment Collection	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth to any extent - 21 Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 16							
	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macrobenthos	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index (1-10, EPA RPB)	Corydalidae	Decapoda (Order)	Hydropsychidae					
	0	6	4					
Fish Composition-	None							

Monitoring Site Demographics	Site ID UNT15	Surface Elevation 1169.0'	River Mile N/A	Latitude 40 34 14	Longitude 79 14 39	Stream # 43913	River Basin Conemaugh River	Date 8/30/2001
Weather Conditions	Now Cool, clear	Past 24 Hours None	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days None	Air Temperature 27.6°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem Perennial	Stream Origin Mixture of origins	Stream Type Warmwater	Catchment Area N/A	Gradient low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse Forest/Mining	Local NPS Pollution Mine Drainage/Silt	Erosion None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type Trees/Herb. Plants	Dom. Species Black Locust, Red Maple, Black Cherry, and Red Oak						
Instream Features	Reach Length N/A	Stream Width 7.5'	Sampling Reach N/A	Avg. Depth 0.39'	Velocity N/A	Canopy Cover Partly Shaded	Stream Morph. Majority of shallow-riffle and runs	Channelized/Dam No
Large Woody Debris	Area N/A	Density N/A						
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type N/A	Dom. Species N/A	% Reach w/ AV N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature 20.7°C	Spec. Conductance 92	Dissolved Oxygen 7.4 MG/L	Field pH 7.5	Turbidity None	Odors None	Oil None	
	Lab pH 6.8	Alkalinity 48.0 MG/L	Acidity 0.0 MG/L	TSS 40.0 MG/L	Total FE 479.0 UG/L	Ferrous FE 70.0 UG/L	Total MN 33.0 UG/L	Total Sulfates 29.5 MG/L
Sediment/Substrate Deposition	Odors None	Oils None	Deposits N/A					
Inorganic/Organic Substrate	Inorganic Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt			Organic Sticks, wood, coarse plant material				
Epifaunal Substrate and Instream Cover	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization ; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at a stage to allow full colonization potential - 36							
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	Pool substrate Characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel or other material and firm sand prevalent - 17							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
Bank Stability	Left - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 9 Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 9							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/ Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth to any extent - 21; Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 16							
Bioassessment Collection	Gear Used 1 M Squared Kick Net	Where Sampled Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	# of Kicks or Jabs 2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton None	Filamentous Algae Minimal	Macrophytes None	Slimes None	Macroinvertebrates None	Fish None		
Macroinvertebrates Abundance- Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-	None							

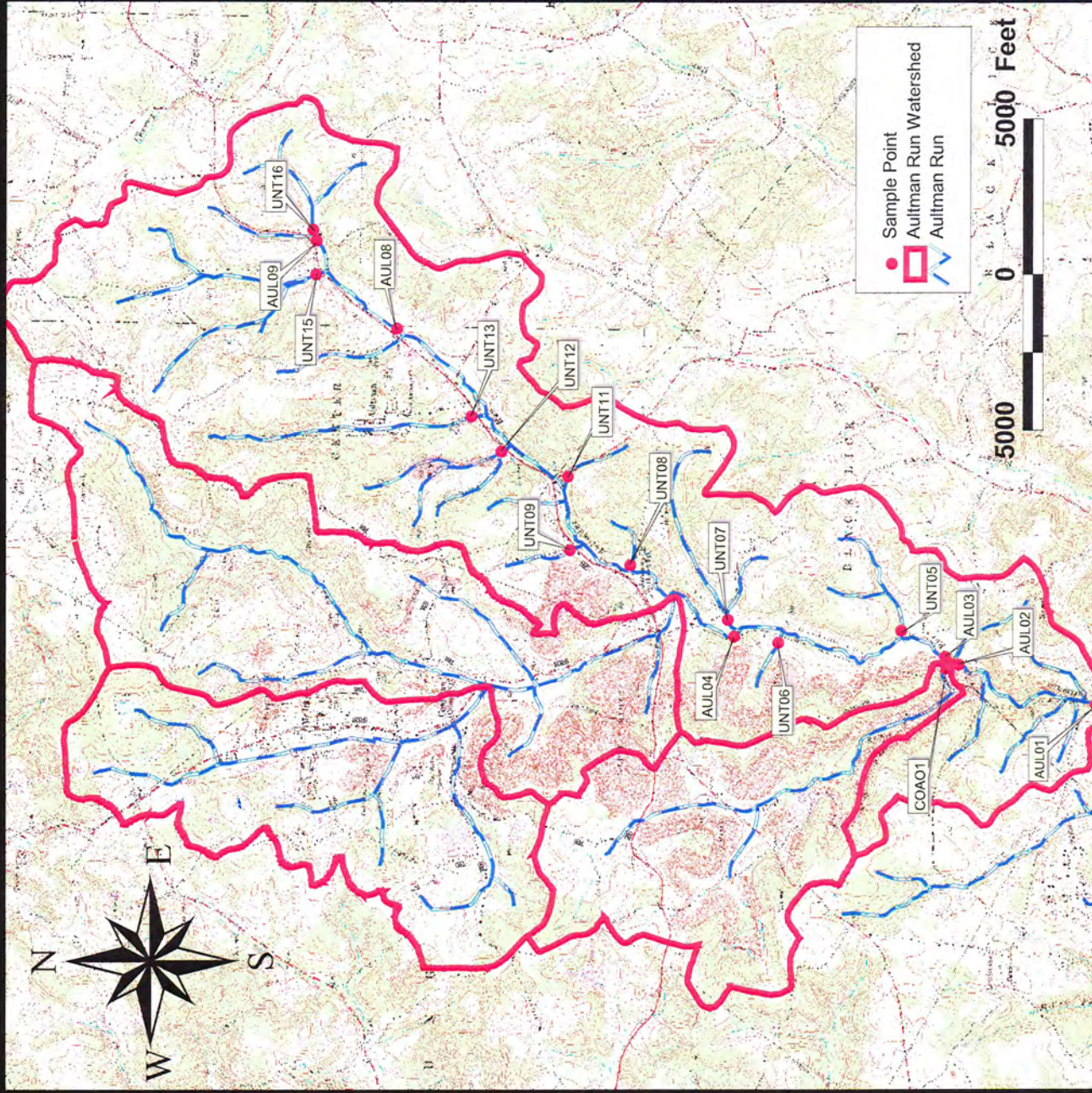
Monitoring Site	Site ID	Surface Elevation	River Mile	Altitude	Longitude	Stream #	River Basin	Date
Demographics	AUL09	1182.0'	N/A	411'	79 14 35	43913	Conemaugh River	8/30/2001
Weather Conditions	Now	Past 24 Hours	Heavy Rain Last 7 Days	Temperature				
	Cool, clear, warm	None	None	21.1°C				
Stream Characterization	Stream Subsystem	Stream Origin	Stream Type	Catchment Area	Gradient			
	Perennial	Mixture of origins	Warmwater	N/A	Low			
Watershed Features	Dom. Landuse	Local NPS Pollution	Erosion					
	Forest/Mining	Mine Drainage/Silt	None					
Riparian Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species						
	Trees/Herb. Plants	Shagbark Hickory, Yellow Poplar, Black Cherry, Witch Hazel						
Instream Features	Reach Length	Stream Width	Sampling Reach	Avg. Depth	Velocity	Canopy Cover	Stream Morph.	Channelized/Dam
	N/A	4.0'	N/A	0.13'	73.6 Gal/Min	Partly open	Majority of shallow-riffle, run, pool	No
Large Woody Debris	Area	Density					run, pool; minority of deep runs	
	N/A	N/A					and pools	
Aquatic Vegetation	Dom. Type	Dom. Species	% Reach w/ AV					
	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Water Quality	Temperature	Spec. Conductance	Dissolved Oxygen	Field pH	Turbidity	Odors		
	22.6°C	302	6.4 MG/L	7.4	None	None	Oil	
	Lab pH	Alkalinity	Acidity	TSS	Total FE	Ferrous FE	Total MN	Total Sulfates
	7	90.0 MG/L	0.0 MG/L	12.0 MG/L	1150.0 UG/L	80.0 UG/L	157.0 UG/L	219.0 UG/L
Sediment/Substrate	Odors	Oils	Deposits					28.3 MG/L
	None	None	Silt					
Inorganic Substrate	Inorganic							
	Majority of cobble, gravel, and silt; minority of boulders							
Epifaunal Substrate and Instream Cover	Greater than 50% of substrate favorable for epifaunal colonization and fish cover; mix of cobble or other stable habitat and at any stage to allow full colonization potential - 34							
Embeddedness (HG) or Pool Substrate Char. (LG)	Pool substrate characteristics - Mixture of substrate materials, with gravel and firm sand prevalent; - 17							
Velocity/Depth Regime (HG) or Pool Variability (LG)	Pool variability - Majority of pools small-shallow or pools absent - 4							
Sediment Deposition	Little or no enlargement of islands or point bars and less than <20% of the bottom affected by sediment deposition - 20							
Channel Flow Status	Water fills >75% of the available channel; or <25% of channel substrate is exposed - 15							
Channel Alteration	Channelization or dredging absent or minimal; stream with normal pattern - 20							
Frequency of Riffles (HG) or Channel Sinuosity (LG)	Channel sinuosity - The bends in the stream increase of the stream length 3 to 4 times longer than if it was in a straight line - 17							
Bank Stability	Left - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8 Right - Banks stable; evidence of erosion or bank failure absent or minimal; little potential for future problems; <5% of bank affected - 8							
Veg. Protection, Grazing/Dis. Pressure, & Rip. Zone Bioassessment Collection	Left and Right - 70-90% of the streambank surfaces covered by native vegetation, but one class of plants is not well represented; disruption evident but not affecting full plant growth to any extent - 21; Left and Right - Width of rip. Zone 12-18 meters; human activities have impacted zone only minimally - 16							
	Gear Used	Where Sampled	# of Kicks or Jabs					
	1 M Squared Kick Net	Fast/Slow Riffles/Runs	2.0 Kicks					
General Biota Abundance	Periphyton	Filamentous Algae	Macrophytes	Slimes	Macroenthos	Fish		
	None	Minimal	None	None	None	None		
Macrobenthos Abundance-Family and Tolerance Index	None							
Fish Composition-	None							







# Aultsmans Run Watershed Assessment



AUL01  
Surface Elevation: 1002'  
Latitude: 40 30 01  
Longitude: 79 17 37

AUL02  
Surface Elevation: 1095'  
Latitude: 40 30 49  
Longitude: 79 17 17

COA01  
Surface Elevation: 1095'  
Latitude: 40 30 51  
Longitude: 79 17 16

UNT05  
Surface Elevation: 1095'  
Latitude: 40 30 52  
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Surface Elevation: 1099'  
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Surface Elevation: 1099'  
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UNT07  
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UNT08  
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UNT09  
Surface Elevation: 1122'  
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Longitude: 79 16 32

UNT11  
Surface Elevation: 1101'  
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Longitude: 79 16 02

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UNT13  
Surface Elevation: 1099'  
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AUL08  
Surface Elevation: 1099'  
Latitude: 40 33 48  
Longitude: 79 15 02

UNT15  
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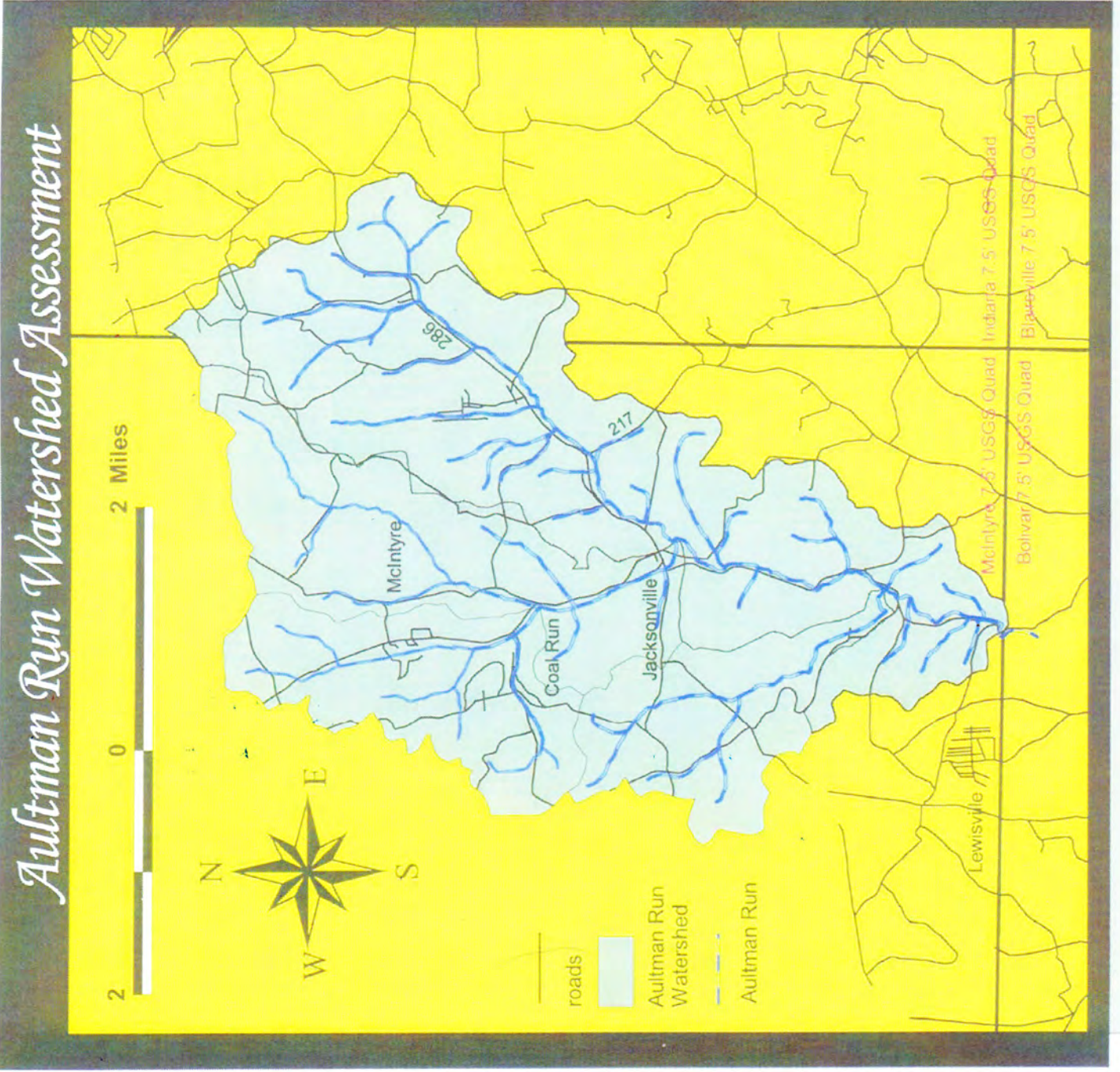
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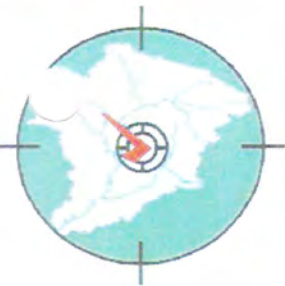






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Latitude: 40 30 09  
Longitude: 79 17 31

UNT01  
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Surface Elevation: 1093'  
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UNT03  
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UNT04  
Surface Elevation: 1095'  
Latitude: 40 30 49  
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COA01  
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Longitude: 79 17 16

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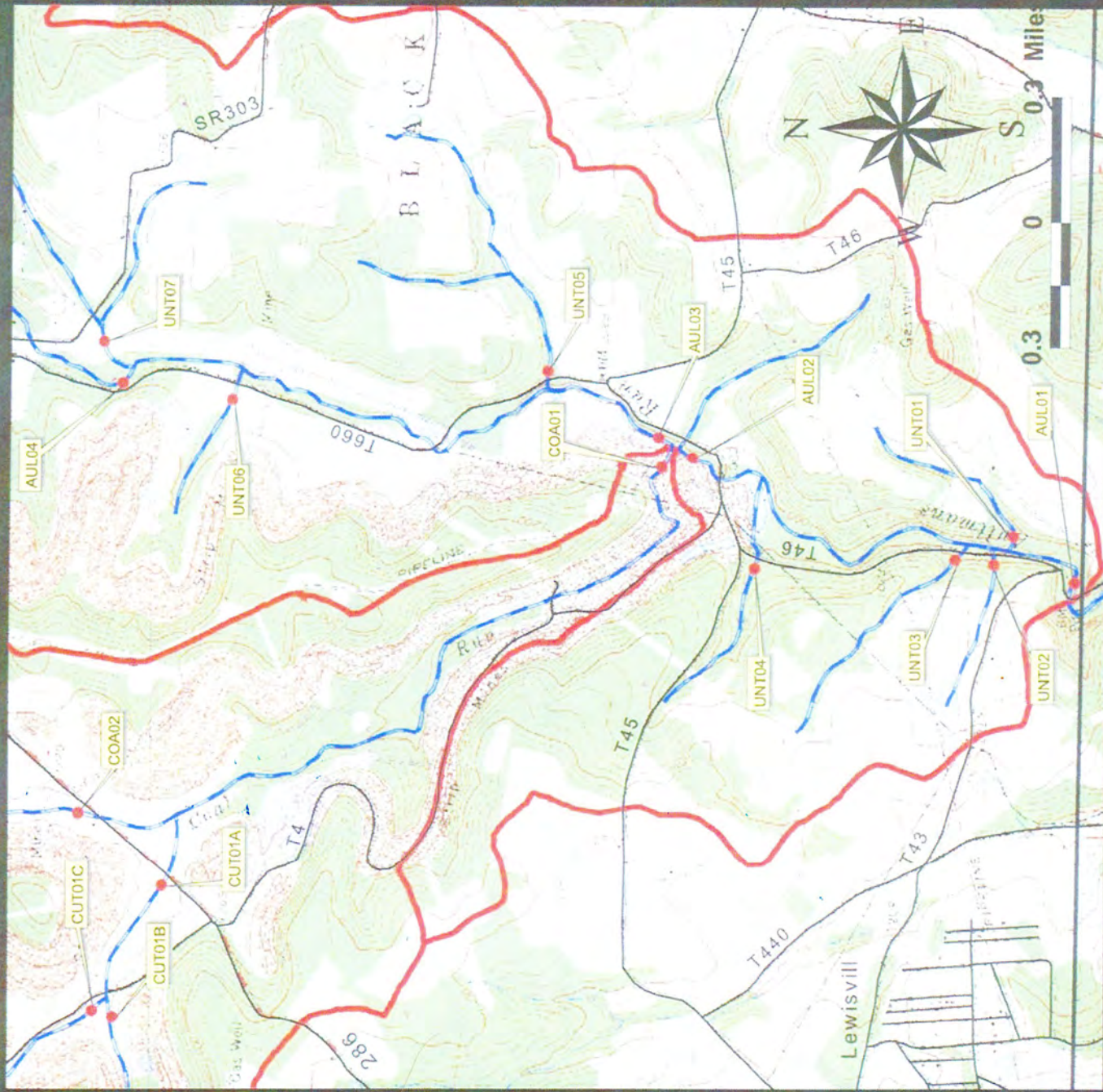
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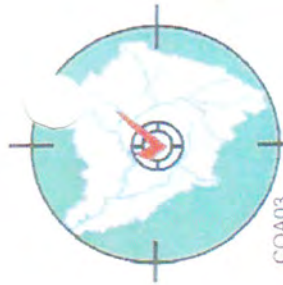
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COA03  
Surface Elevation: 1299'  
Latitude: 40 32 37  
Longitude: 79 18 34

REE01  
Surface Elevation: 1111'  
Latitude: 40 32 19  
Longitude: 79 16 53

RUNT01  
Surface Elevation: 1109'  
Latitude: 40 32 24  
Longitude: 79 17 09

REE02  
Surface Elevation: 1112'  
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Longitude: 79 17 06

RUNT02  
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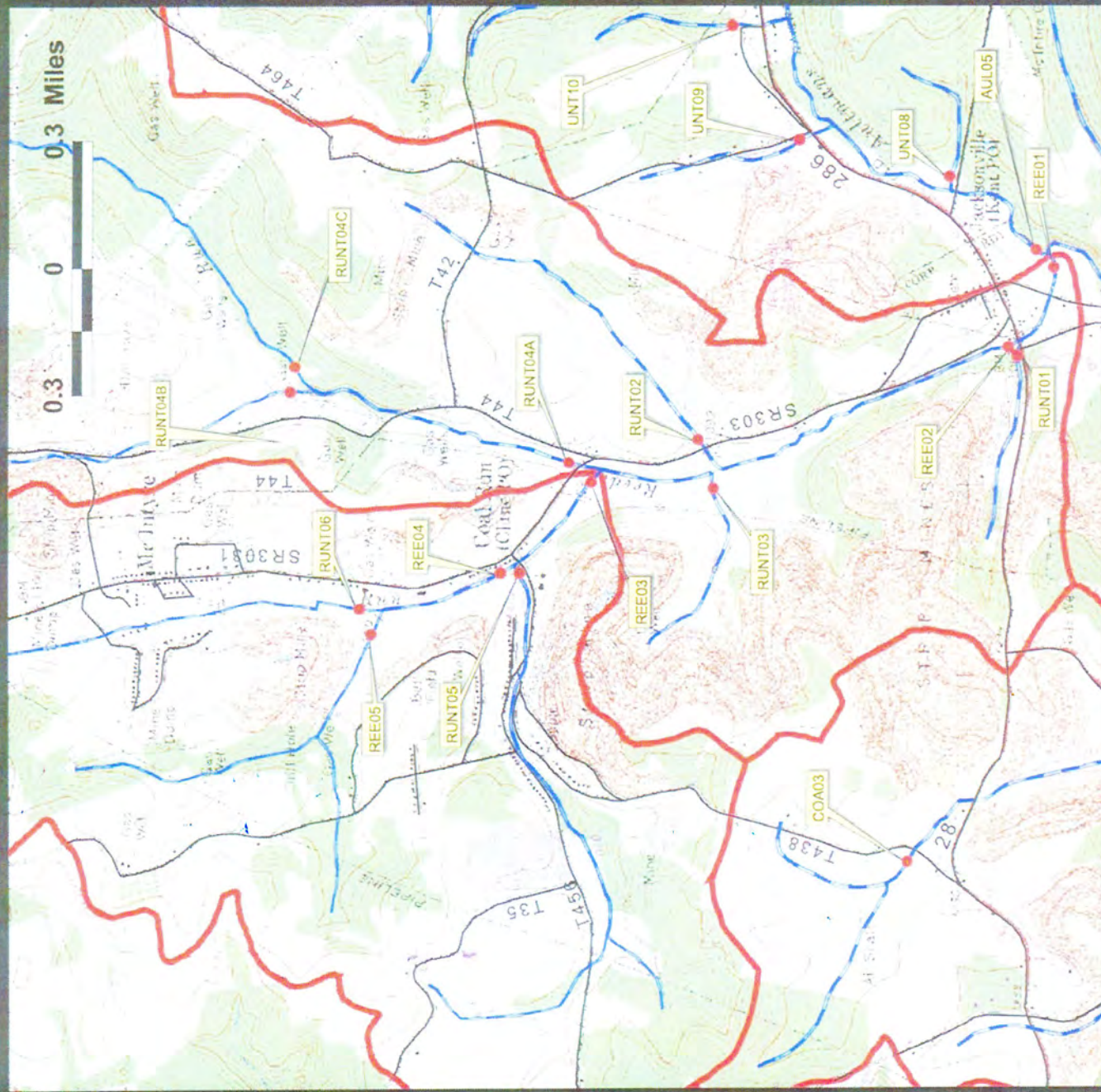
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RUNT04C  
Surface Elevation: 1148'  
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Longitude: 79 17 16

REE04  
Surface Elevation: 1102'  
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Longitude: 79 17 31



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RUNT06
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REE07  
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AUL05  
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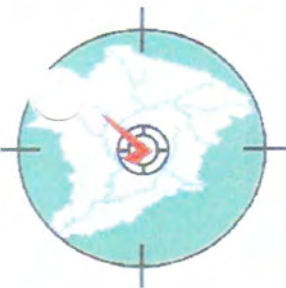
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UNT11  
Surface Elevation: 1101'  
Latitude: 40 32 53  
Longitude: 79 16 02

AUL06  
Surface Elevation: 1099'  
Latitude: 40 32 59  
Longitude: 79 10 01

UNT12A  
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UNT12B  
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UNT12C  
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UNT13  
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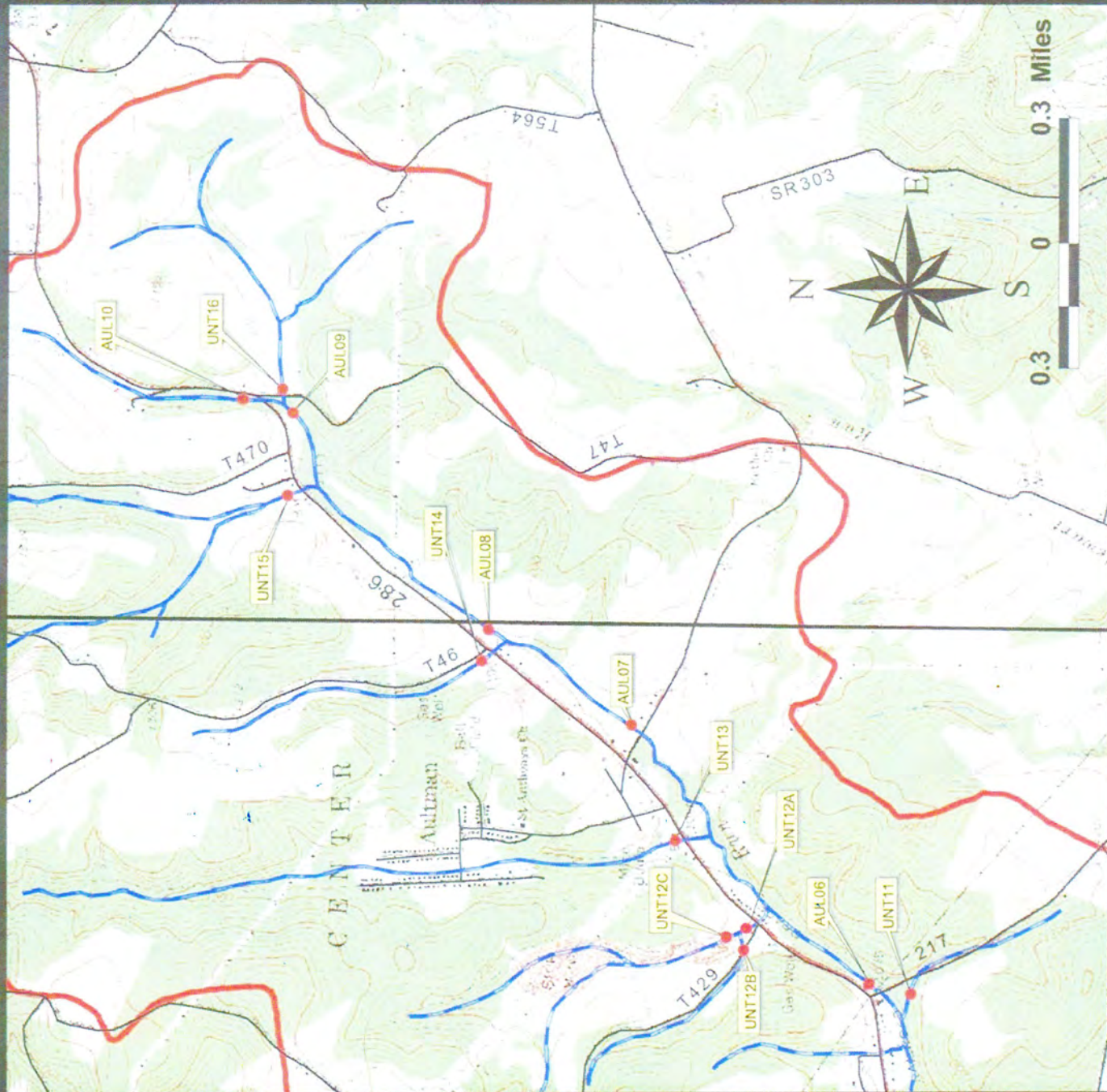
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Longitude: 79 14 35

UNT16  
Surface Elevation: 1201'  
Latitude: 40 34 15  
Longitude: 79 14 21

AUL10  
Surface Elevation: 1195'  
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Longitude: 79 14 23



# Aultmans Run Water Quality Database

Sample Point	Date	Method of Flow Meas.	Flow (gpm)	Field pH	Lab pH	Spec. cond. (umhos/cm)	Field Temp (C)	Alk. (F) (mg/L)	Alk. (L) (mg/L)	Acid. (mg/L)	Fe (mg/L)	D. Fe (mg/L)	Mn (mg/L)	D. Mn (mg/L)	Al (mg/L)	D. Al (mg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Susp. Solids (mg/L)
286 Discharge	11/17/1999	Cross-section	120	6.0	6.3	473	11		48	30	17.1		0.9		0.0		160	41
286 Discharge	12/17/1999	Cross-section	196	5.5	6.5	500	5		0	9	19.8		1.1		0.0		146	24
286 Discharge	4/5/2000				6.3				88	0	16.7		0.8		0.0		250	8
286 Discharge	7/13/2000				6.3				94	0	15.9		0.9		0.0		132	18
286 Discharge	10/11/2000				6.3				74	0	24.7		0.9		0.2		167	14
286 Discharge	1/29/2001		103	6.5	6.7	444	12		76	0	15.8	13.6	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.1	122	5
286 Discharge	2/19/2001			5.9	6.5	471	11		84	0	12.7	11.8	0.7	0.7	1.4	0.9	121	13
286 Discharge	8/30/2001	Bucket	36	6.2	6.4	424	13		73	0	14.3	13.3	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.0	186	17
286 Discharge	10/3/2002			5.9	6.6	482	12		72	-54	19.4	18.7	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.1	207	6
286 Discharge	10/17/2002			6.1	6.6	527	12		66	-44	21.0	20.3	0.8	0.8	0.2	0.1	213	11
286 Discharge	12/19/2002	Bucket	108	6.0	6.0	493	10		60	-33	19.1	18.8	0.8	0.8	0.2	0.1	177	2
286 Discharge	4/2/2004	Assumed	167	6.2	6.7	476	11	85	79	-55	14.4	14.2	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.2	120	12
286 Discharge	6/10/2004	Assumed	131	6.2	6.3	455	12	91	80	-51	14.9	13.8	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.0	133	8
286 Discharge	7/29/2004	Assumed	97	6.2	6.5	477	12	98	73	-36	14.7	13.8	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.1	131	1
286 Discharge	10/18/2004	Assumed	119	6.1	6.5	472	11	95	85	-42	14.4	13.5	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.0	142	10
286 Discharge	2/21/2005	Assumed	187	6.2	6.5	523	11	86	64	-22	18.0	17.6	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.0	194	8
286 Discharge	4/18/2005	Assumed	156	6.4	6.5	480	12	89	84	-42	15.8	15.2	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.0	183	4
<b>Min</b>			36	5.5	6.0	424	5	85	0	-55	12.7	11.8	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	120	1
<b>Max</b>			196	6.5	6.7	527	13	98	94	30	24.7	20.3	1.1	0.8	1.4	0.9	250	41
<b>Avg</b>			129	6.1	6.4	478	11	91	71	-20	17.0	15.4	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.1	164	12
<b>Range</b>			160	1.0	0.7	103	8	13	94	84	12.0	8.6	0.5	0.2	1.4	0.9	130	40

**Description:** Deep mine gravity drain; North East side of electric lines and South of SR-286



# Aultmans Run Water Quality Database

Sample Point	Date	Method of Flow Meas.	Flow (gpm)	Field pH	Lab pH	Spec. cond. (umhos/cm)	Field Temp (C)	Alk. (F) (mg/L)	Alk. (L) (mg/L)	Acid. (mg/L)	Fe (mg/L)	D. Fe (mg/L)	Mn (mg/L)	D. Mn (mg/L)	Al (mg/L)	D. Al (mg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Susp. Solids (mg/L)
85-13	8/30/2001			7.3	6.9	353	20		68	0	1.4		0.3		0.2		85	10
85-13	10/3/2002			7.1	7.3	537	15		81	-68	6.5	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.1	165	6
85-13	10/17/2002			7.0	7.2	232	11		42	-38	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.0	48	4
85-13	4/2/2004			7.0	7.1	168	8		21	-14	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	43	4
85-13	6/10/2004			7.1	6.8	344	20	55	64	-49	2.4	0.0	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.0	93	17
85-13	7/29/2004			7.0	7.0	181	19		27	-16	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	31	2
85-13	10/18/2004			7.0	7.0	335	9		51	-39	2.7	1.5	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.0	84	7
85-13	2/21/2005			6.7	6.9	177	5		20	-11	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	37	10
85-13	4/18/2005			7.3	7.2	57	18	28	39	-30	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	18	7
<b>Min</b>				6.7	6.8	57	5	28	20	-68	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	18	2
<b>Max</b>				7.3	7.3	537	20	55	81	0	6.5	1.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	165	17
<b>Avg</b>				7.1	7.0	265	14	42	46	-29	1.7	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	67	7
<b>Range</b>				0.6	0.5	480	15	27	61	68	6.1	1.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	146	15

**Description:** Aultman Run directly downstream of 286 discharge and unnamed tributary (Old 13a).

# Aultmans Run Water Quality Database

Sample Point	Date	Method of Flow Meas.	Flow (gpm)	Field pH	Lab pH	Spec. cond. (umhos/cm)	Field Temp (C)	Alk. (F) (mg/L)	Alk. (L) (mg/L)	Acid. (mg/L)	Fe (mg/L)	D. Fe (mg/L)	Mn (mg/L)	D. Mn (mg/L)	Al (mg/L)	D. Al (mg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Susp. Solids (mg/L)
85-14	11/17/1999	Cross-section	96	5.9	7.1	198	10		35	2	0.2		0.1		0.0		29	8
85-14	12/16/1999	Cross-section	7405	5.7	7.2	133	4		13	2	0.3		0.1		0.0		23	2
85-14	1/26/2000	Estimated	110	6.2	7.4	207	3		22	4	0.3		0.1		0.0		23	3
85-14	2/25/2000	Cross-section	4299	6.5	7.3	172	12		15	2	0.1		0.0		0.0		21	7
85-14	3/29/2000	Cross-section	3541	5.9	7.4	130	10		18	4	0.6		0.0		0.3		22	3
85-14	4/24/2000	Cross-section	5386	6.1	7.4	122	16		15	3	0.1		0.0		0.0		21	2
85-14	8/30/2001			7.3	6.9	215	24		52	0	0.5		0.2		0.2		41	5
85-14	10/3/2002			7.1	7.4	281	16		60	-54	0.6	0.4	1.2	0.7	0.4	0.1	70	3
85-14	10/17/2002			7.0	7.2	236	11		39	-35	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.0	50	7
85-14	4/2/2004			7.1	7.1	133	8		17	-9	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	31	3
85-14	6/10/2004			7.1	6.9	227	20	53	56	-39	1.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.0	34	13
85-14	7/29/2004			7.0	7.0	162	19		24	-10	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	23	1
85-14	10/18/2004			7.0	7.0	192	9		42	-29	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	38	23
85-14	2/21/2005			6.8	7.0	166	4		21	-11	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	30	7
85-14	4/18/2005			7.6	18.0	149	18	28	25	-19	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	34	2
<b>Min</b>			96	5.7	6.9	122	3	28	13	-54	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	21	1
<b>Max</b>			7405	7.6	18.0	281	24	53	60	4	1.0	0.4	1.2	0.7	0.4	0.1	70	23
<b>Avg</b>			3473	6.7	7.9	182	12	41	30	-13	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	33	6
<b>Range</b>			7309	1.9	11.1	159	21	25	47	59	1.0	0.4	1.2	0.7	0.4	0.1	49	22

**Description:** Aultman Run upstream of 286 discharge

# Aultmans Run Water Quality Database

Sample Point	Date	Method of Flow Meas.	Flow (gpm)	Field pH	Lab pH	Spec. cond. (umhos/cm)	Field Temp (C)	Alk. (F) (mg/L)	Alk. (L) (mg/L)	Acid. (mg/L)	Fe (mg/L)	D. Fe (mg/L)	Mn (mg/L)	D. Mn (mg/L)	Al (mg/L)	D. Al (mg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Susp. Solids (mg/L)
85-15	10/3/2002			7.4	7.9	603	12		109	-96	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	112	1
85-15	10/17/2002			7.4	7.6	390	12		66	-61	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	97	6
<b>Min</b>				7.4	7.6	390	12		66	-96	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	97	1
<b>Max</b>				7.4	7.9	603	12		109	-61	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	112	6
<b>Avg</b>				7.4	7.8	497	12		87	-79	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	105	4
<b>Range</b>				0.0	0.3	213	0		43	36	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	15	5

**Description:** Unnamed tributary entering Aultmans Run near mouth of 286 Discharge

# Aultmans Run Water Quality Database

Sample Point	Date	Method of Flow Meas.	Flow (gpm)	Field pH	Lab pH	Spec. cond. (umhos/cm)	Field Temp (C)	Alk. (F) (mg/L)	Alk. (L) (mg/L)	Acid. (mg/L)	Fe (mg/L)	D. Fe (mg/L)	Mn (mg/L)	D. Mn (mg/L)	Al (mg/L)	D. Al (mg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Susp. Solids (mg/L)
85-16	10/3/2002	Bucket	50	6.9	6.9	470	14		57	-51	12.9	10.4	0.7	0.7	0.1	0.0	198	4
85-16	10/17/2002	Bucket	60	6.9	6.8	488	12		55	-46	14.8	13.9	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.0	193	10
85-16	4/2/2004	Bucket	167	7.0	7.3	448	12	78	77	-65	6.9	4.4	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.2	158	2
85-16	6/10/2004	Bucket	131	7.0	6.9	406	19	73	72	-59	4.3	1.6	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.0	105	10
85-16	7/29/2004	Bucket	97	7.0	7.1	475	23	77	70	-56	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.0	127	5
85-16	10/18/2004	Bucket	119	7.1	6.8	443	11	77	66	-42	8.2	5.3	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.1	121	11
85-16	2/21/2005	Bucket	187	6.9	6.8	494	9	65	52	-37	10.3	9.9	0.7	0.7	0.0	0.0	177	13
85-16	4/18/2005	Bucket	156	7.0	6.8	438	19	77	70	-58	6.3	4.6	0.6	0.5	0.0	0.0	144	8
<b>Min</b>			50	6.9	6.8	406	9	65	52	-65	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.0	0.0	105	2
<b>Max</b>			187	7.1	7.3	494	23	78	77	-37	14.8	13.9	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.2	198	13
<b>Avg</b>			121	7.0	6.9	458	15	75	65	-52	8.1	6.3	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.0	153	8
<b>Range</b>			137	0.2	0.5	88	14	13	25	28	13.9	13.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	93	11

**Description:** 286 Discharge at the end of the constructed channel before entering Aultman Run



# Aultmans Run Water Quality Database

Sample Point	Date	Method of Flow Meas.	Flow (gpm)	Field pH	Lab pH	Spec. cond. (umhos/cm)	Field Temp (C)	Alk. (F) (mg/L)	Alk. (L) (mg/L)	Acid. (mg/L)	Fe (mg/L)	D. Fe (mg/L)	Mn (mg/L)	D. Mn (mg/L)	Al (mg/L)	D. Al (mg/L)	Sulfate (mg/L)	Susp. Solids (mg/L)
WL	4/2/2004	Assumed	167	6.9	7.3	445	12	78	71	-57	9.0	5.9	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.1	123	5
WL	6/10/2004	Assumed	131	6.7	6.7	403	19	73	67	-52	4.9	2.2	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.0	89	9
WL	7/29/2004	Assumed	97	6.5	6.9	478	23	72	68	-51	3.1	1.7	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	143	1
WL	10/18/2004	Assumed	119	6.7	6.7	437	11	77	67	-46	8.8	6.4	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	129	5
WL	2/21/2005	Assumed	187	6.7	6.7	500	9	78	53	-35	12.5	11.6	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.2	181	16
WL	4/18/2005	Assumed	156	6.6	6.7	443	17	80	70	-56	7.9	7.1	0.7	0.6	0.0	0.0	153	6
<b>Min</b>			97	6.5	6.7	403	9	72	53	-57	3.1	1.7	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	89	1
<b>Max</b>			187	6.9	7.3	500	23	80	71	-35	12.5	11.6	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.2	181	16
<b>Avg</b>			143	6.7	6.8	451	15	76	66	-50	7.7	5.8	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.0	136	7
<b>Range</b>			90	0.4	0.6	97	14	8	17	23	9.3	9.9	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	92	15

**Description:** Effluent of constructed aerobic wetland at rip-rap spillway.