

OUTSTANDING RESOURCE WATER EVALUATION

Stream Name: Love - Strutt Cr.
Reach Designation: A II

CRITERIA

RELATED INFORMATION

IMPORTANT FISHERY

- Excellent Population Levels/Standing Stocks
- Outstanding Size Structure of Stocks
- Trophy Fishery
- Outstanding Ecological Diversity
- Endangered, Threatened, or Watch List Species or Unique Strains

Class I, Brown Trout
200 lbs./acre
Trophy Browns Present

SIGNIFICANT RECREATION OR PRESERVATION USE

- Provides Outstanding Fishing Experience
- Provides Other Outstanding Recreational Experiences or Special Uses
- Public Fishing Grounds
- State or Federal Wildlife Refuge
- State Scientific or Natural Area

good catch rates; extremely high angler use, fly fishing, aesthetics

Love Cr. Public Fishing Area
Extremely high use from outside Iowa Co.

UNIQUE ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

- Largely Wild and Undeveloped Watershed
- Largely Undeveloped Shoreline and "Viewshed"

Viewshed 85% undeveloped

WATER QUALITY

- Excellent Water Quality
- No Known Standards Violations
- No Existing or Potential WQ Problems

Benthic Community
No fish kills reported
State ownership and wooded

OUTSTANDING RESOURCE WATER EVALUATION (continued)

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Reach Designation: All

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RELATED INFORMATION

SOURCES OF POLLUTION

No significant impacts from point sources or culturally induced nonpoint sources

State ownership + wooded

If this stream reach did not receive a check in each of the 5 categories but, based on your professional judgement and overriding environmental concerns, you still believe that this should be an Outstanding Resource Water, explain why.

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