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## Public Fishing Rights Maps

# Mill Creek

### Description of Fishery

Mill Creek is located in the northwest corner of Steuben County. This stream is supported entirely by naturally reproducing wild populations of both brook trout and brown trout and provides year round opportunities for anglers seeking wild trout. Brook trout are found mostly upstream of Patchinville while brown trout become dominant further downstream. This stream is one of the most productive wild trout streams in DEC Region 8. Mill Creek is managed under special regulations: see New York Freshwater Fishing Official Regulations Guide under Special Regulations by County for Region 8 West Central New York-Steuben County.

### Fish Species Present

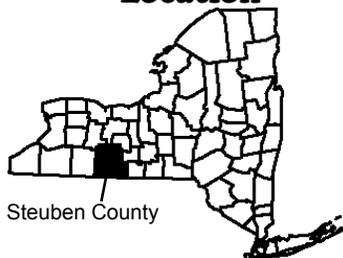
Brown Trout



Brook Trout



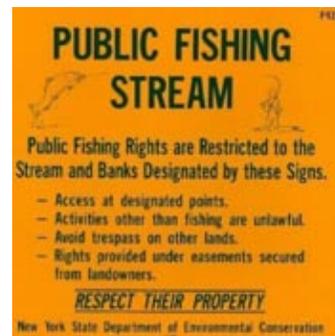
### Location



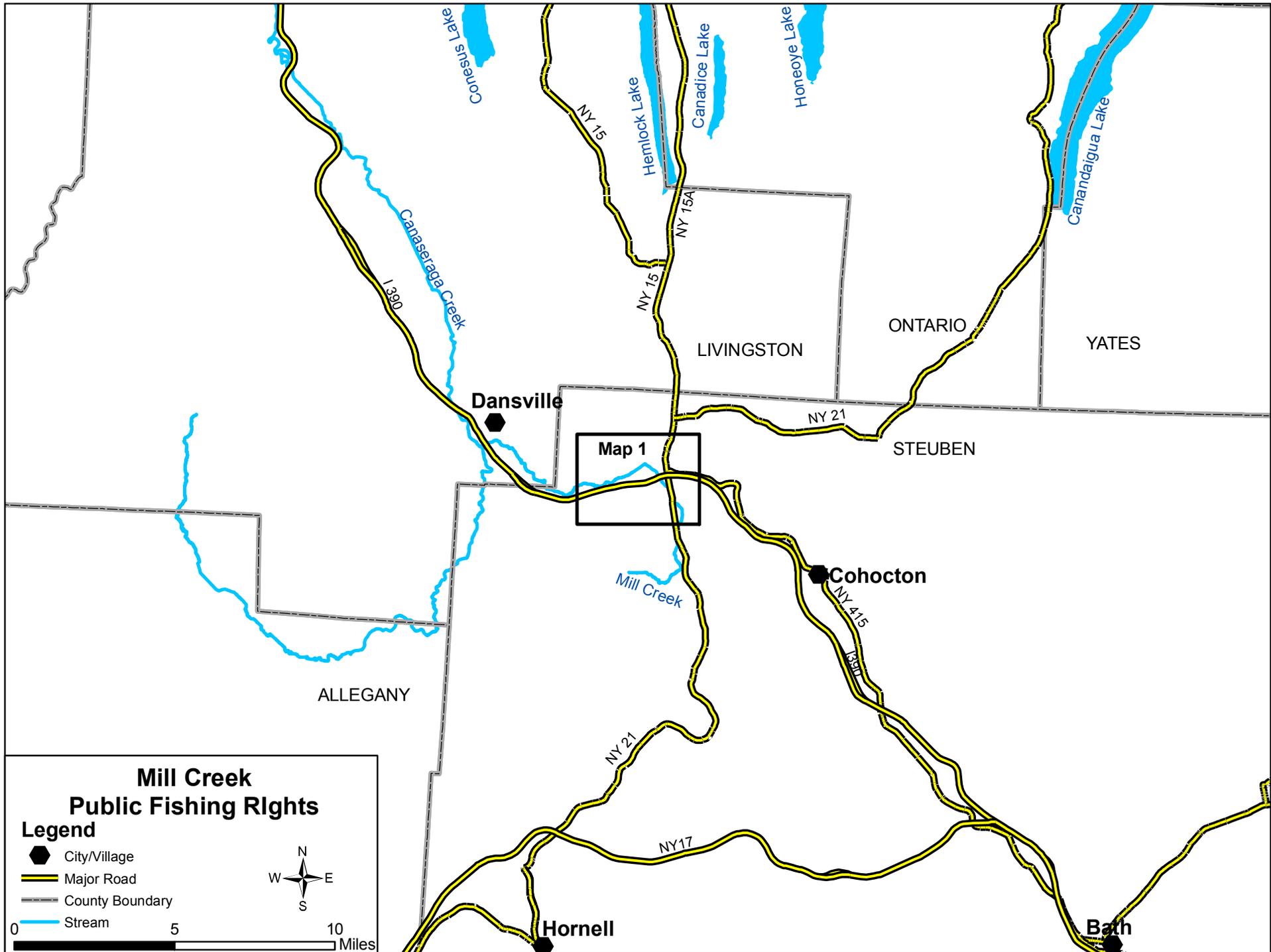
### About Public Fishing Rights

Public Fishing Rights (PFR's) are permanent easements purchased by the NYSDEC from willing landowners, giving anglers the right to fish and walk along the bank (usually a 33' strip on one or both banks of the stream). This right is for the purpose of fishing only and no other purpose. Treat the land with respect to insure the continuation of this right and privilege. Fishing privileges may be available on some other private lands with permission of the land owner. Courtesy toward the land-owner and respect for their property will insure their continued use.

These generalized location maps are intended to aid anglers in finding PFR segments and are not survey quality. Width of displayed PFR may be wider than reality to make it more visible on the maps. Please look for this PFR sign to ensure that you are in the right location and have legal access to the stream bank.



For more information on this creek or if you believe PFR marked areas on these maps are incorrect or missing PFR signs, please call the Region 8 Fisheries office: (585) 226-2466.



# Mill Creek Map 1

## Legend

- Village/Hamlet
  - 🚶 Start of Angler Footpath
  - Angler Footpath
  - ▨ Left Bank PFR
  - ▨ Right Bank PFR
  - ▬ Major Road
  - +— Railroad Lines
  - Local Streets/Roads
  - Streams and Ponds
  - ➔ Stream Flow
- 0 0.5 1 Miles
- \*Right and left bank as you are looking downstream

