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## Public Fishing Rights Maps

# Wynants Kill

### Fish Species Present

Brown Trout



Brook Trout



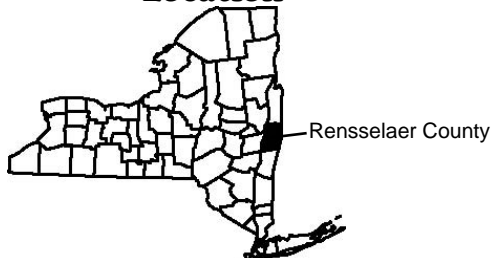
### Description of Fishery

The Wynants Kill flows for 11 miles before entering the Hudson River in the city of Troy. Wild trout are found throughout the 10 mile section above Burden Pond (located within the Troy city limits). Brook trout are seen in the headwaters, but may be migrants from nearby tributaries. Brown trout predominate in most of the stream. The headwaters are warmed in the summer by water flows from Burden Lake. As a result, the best wild trout populations occur between the villages of West Sand Lake and Wynantskill. The section from mile 8 to 10, from a mile upstream to just downstream of West Sand Lake, is stocked with 700 brown trout yearlings.

### Note:

Statewide fishing regulations apply throughout the Wynants Kill watershed.

### 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.

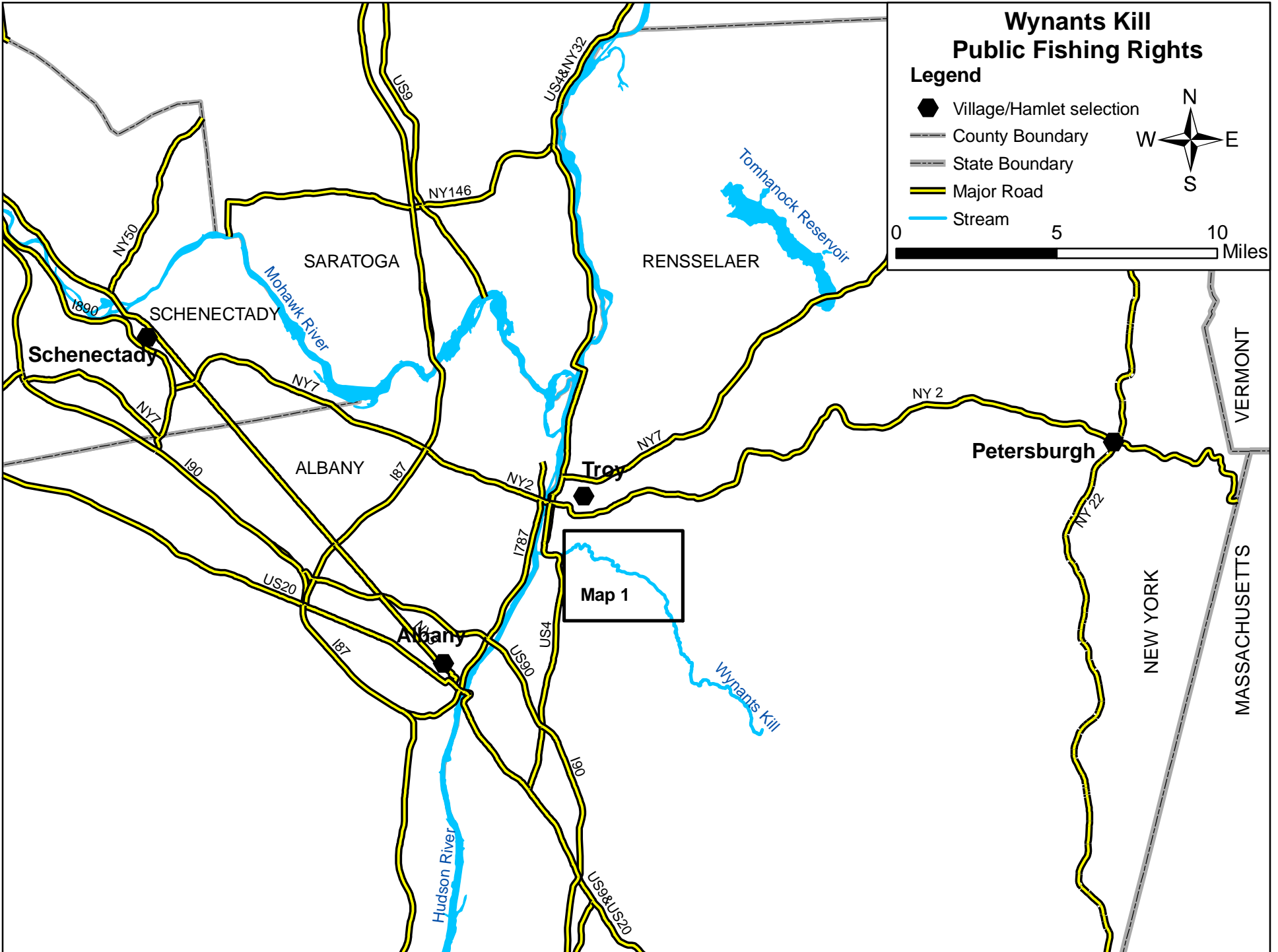


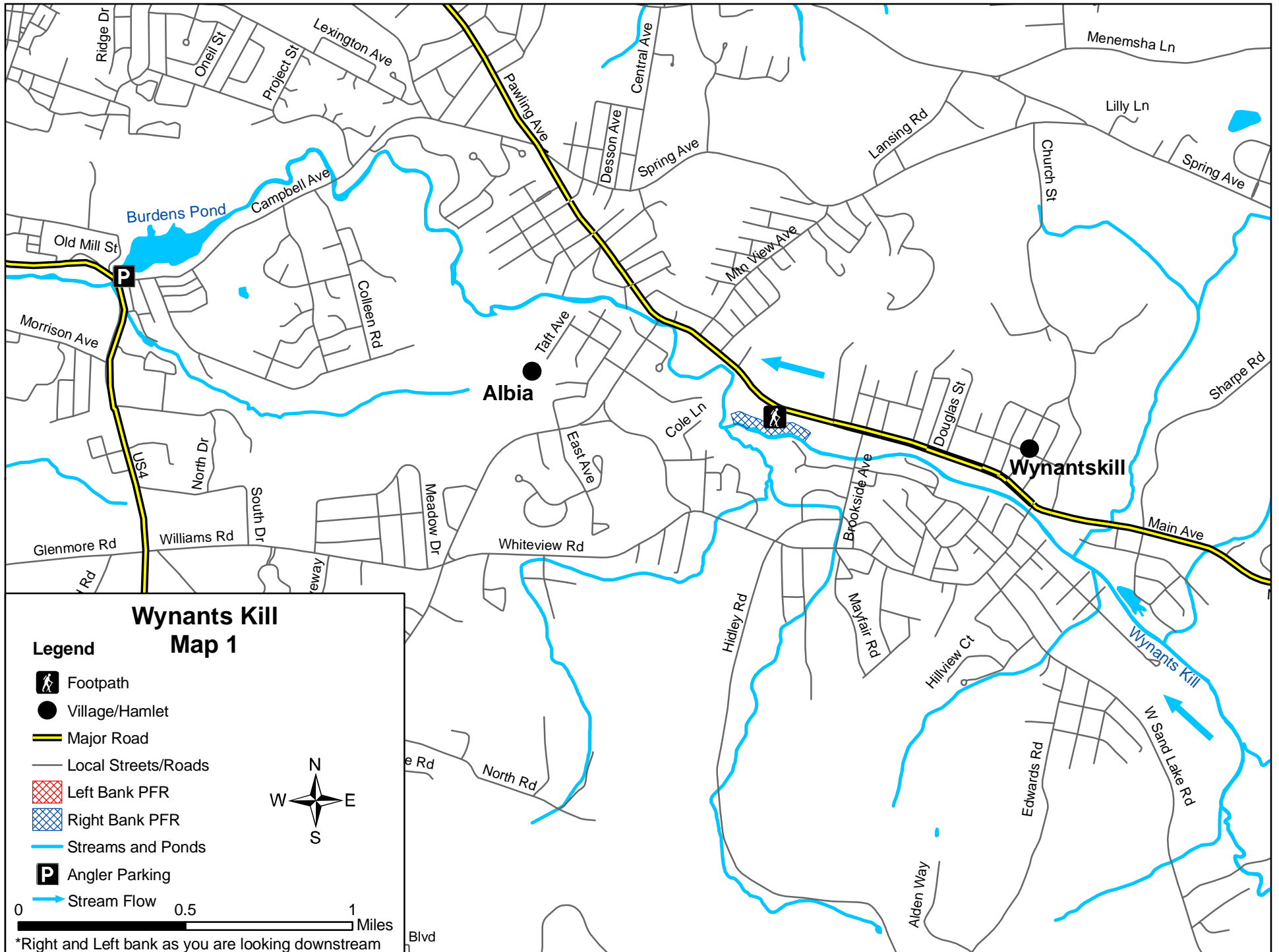
For more information on this creek or if you believe PFR marked areas on these maps are incorrect or missing PFR signs, please call the Region 4 Fisheries office: (607) 652-7366.

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## Legend

- Village/Hamlet selection
  - County Boundary
  - State Boundary
  - == Major Road
  - Stream
- 0 5 10 Miles





### Wynants Kill Map 1

**Legend**

-  Footpath
-  Village/Hamlet
-  Major Road
-  Local Streets/Roads
-  Left Bank PFR
-  Right Bank PFR
-  Streams and Ponds
-  Angler Parking
-  Stream Flow



0 0.5 1 Miles

\*Right and Left bank as you are looking downstream