

Southern Perry County Watershed Conservation Plan

The Southern Perry County Watershed Conservation Plan is ready for your review! Together with community leaders, citizens, and volunteers, the Rivers Conservation Plan is now almost complete. We are asking all residents of Shermans Creek, Little Juniata Creek, Cove Creek, and Fishing Creek Watersheds to provide your input to help shape the future of your community.

The Central Pennsylvania Conservancy together with SCCA has developed a comprehensive, publicly driven plan that has identified significant natural, recreational, and cultural resources. Comments from the public survey that was distributed to all residents of the project area, public meetings, and community leaders have guided the recommendations for how to preserve, restore, and protect these significant resources.

Southern Perry County watershed area is home to a wide variety of natural and cultural resources. From the woodlands, to the streams, to the farmland – the citizens have identified their desire to preserve these elements of their community. As development pressure is increasing, the need for a balance between economic growth and natural resource protection has become critical. This plan will serve as a tool for residents, municipalities, and conservation groups to work together to find the best uses for the land and in doing so protect our valuable waterways and natural resources.

Two public meetings will be held to present the final Conservation plan and to answer questions from the public. Your comments are very important. Your input ensures that this will be **your** plan, for **your** community, and the future of generations to come.

Meetings will be from 7-9 pm on May 27th at the Perry County Extension Office or May 29th, at the Duncannon Borough Office.

Copies of the plan will be available online at www.centralpaconservancy.org/steering and at the following locations for your review:

Bloomfield Public Library
19 E McClure Street
New Bloomfield Pa 17068

Marysville Rye Library Association
198 Overcrest Road
Marysville Pa 17053

County Commissioners Office
Veterans Memorial Building
P.O. Box 37, W. Main
New Bloomfield, Pa 17068

Rye Township
1775 New Valley Road
Marysville Pa 17053

Penn Township
100 Municipal Building Road
Duncannon PA 17020

Carroll Township
50 Rambo Hill Road
Shermans Dale, Pa 17090

DCNR
Bureau of Forestry
P.O. Box 42A, New Germantown Rd
Blain Pa 17006