

TABLE VIII-6

Recommended Actions - Biological Resources

Issue	Recommended Action	Partnering Organizations/Agencies	Funding	Priority & Steps of Action	Priority Area
Biological Resources					
Fisheries Management				M	Watershed-Wide
	Educate people on the differences in designated uses of streams and the differences involved in restoring each.	DEP, WS, NPO, JCWP	DEP, PFBC	1	
	Promote stream corridor restoration and habitat protection.	USFWS, PFBC, DEP, DCNR, USACOE, YCC	USFWS, PFBC, DEP, DCNR, USACOE	1	
	Provide for fish passage of resident and anadromous species by removal of unnecessary obstructions or construction of fish passage devices.	USACOE, PFBC, USFWS	USFWS, PFBC, USACOE	1	
	Increase public river access options and produce fishing guides.	USFWS, PFBC, JCWP, YCC	USFWS, PFBC	2	
	Provide public access to municipal water impoundments (with restrictions).	RC&D, PFBC, USFWS, DEP	PFBC, DEP	2	
	Reintroduce native species in areas where they have been extirpated.	PFBC, USFWS, USACOE, YCC	USFWS, PFBC, USACOE	2	
	Manage fisheries for the resource, not for the people.	PFBC, USFWS		3	
	Promote the fishery management agencies managing fisheries without legislative interference (especially threatened/endangered species).	PFBC, USFWS, YCC		3	
Habitat Management and Invasive Species					
	Educate the public on how to control invasive species, including alternative methods.	PSCE, CD, JCWP	DEP, PSCE	1	
	Encourage county and municipal planning processes to identify greenways and habitat corridors.	AHDC, ACorp, JCWP, CP	DCNR	1	
	Encourage county comprehensive planning processes to include Natural Heritage Inventories, and assist with their implementation.	AHDC, DCNR, CP, WPC, USACOE	DCNR, WPC, USACOE	1	
	Implement a study to identify the intensity, density, and location of invasive species in an area and how best to deal with them.	PSCE, CD, PSU, JC, USACOE	DEP, DCNR, USACOE	1	
	Use the Pennsylvania Natural Diversity Inventory (PNDI) or county Natural Heritage Inventories to prioritize the most important areas to control invasive species.	CP, USFS, DEP, JCWP		1	
	Work with foresters, biodiversity coordinator - DCNR, PGC, PFBC; help to monitor and keep track of invasive species.	JCWP, CD, CP		1	
	Delineate areas of open space and limited development in land planning ordinances.	CP, CD		2	
	Develop plan to prevent invasive species from spreading and harming native species.	USFS, DEP, JCWP, CD, CP	USFS, DEP	2	
	Promote the acquisition of land or easements for natural areas of importance and/or critical habitats.	CP, CD, WRCF, NPO, JCWP, SAC	DCNR	2	
	Promote wildlife enhancement programs of public agencies.	PGC, PFBC, WRCF, USFWS, CP, CD, JCWP	PGC, PFBC, WRCF, USFWS	2	
	Raise awareness of non-game wildlife management guidelines.	DCNR, PGC, PFBC, PSCE		2	
	When controlling pests, use more benign sprays such as Bt, a pest-specific bacterial agent.	CD, Munic, CG		2	