Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: VA_426	ROCKFISH RIVER DAM	Walker Mill Dam
-------------------------	--------------------	-----------------

Bay-wide Diadromous Tier 1Bay-wide Resident Tier 1

Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier N/A

NID ID VA12510

State ID 426

River Name Rockfish River

Dam Height (ft) 32

Dam Type Gravity
Latitude 37.7874

Longitude -78.6999

Passage Facilities None Documented

Passage Year N/A

Size Class 2: Small River (38.61 - 200 sq mi

HUC 12 Dutch Creek-Rockfish River

HUC 10 Lower Rockfish River

HUC 8 Middle James-Buffalo

HUC 6 James

HUC 4 Lower Chesapeake







Landcover							
NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)					
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area		% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	91.45				
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area		% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	79.1				
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	80.6	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	2.61				
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	11.14	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	15.73				
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	95.35	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0				
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	79.33	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.1				
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	87.07	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.5				
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	65.28	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.6				
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	2.36	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.33				
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	16.03	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.78				
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0.24						
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	0.71						



Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: VA_426	ROCKFISH RIVE	R DAM			Walker Mill Dam			
	Network, S	ystem [*]	Туре	and Cond	ition			
Functional Upstream Network (mi)	9.22			Upstre	am Size Class Gain (#)		0	
Total Functional Network (mi)	5440.24			# Dowr	nsteam Natural Barriers		0	
Absolute Gain (mi)	9.22			# Dowr	nstream Hydropower Dam	ıs	2	
# Size Classes in Total Network	6			# Dowr	nstream Dams with Passag	ge	4	
# Upstream Network Size Classes	2			# of Do	ownstream Barriers		4	
NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Ind	ex				Moderate			
Dam is on Conserved Land					No			
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of	f Upstream Netwo	ork			18.26			
% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of	of Downstream Ne	twork			11.23			
Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) 0.87								
Density of Crossings in Downstream	n Network Waters	hed (#,	/m2)		0.84			
Density of off-channel dams in Upsi	tream Network W	atersh	ed (#,	′m2)	0			
Density of off-channel dams in Dow	nstream Network	Water	rshed	(#/m2)	0			
		Diadro	mous	Fish				
Downstream Alewife	Potential Current	Potential Current Downstream Striped Bass		None	Documented			
Downstream Blueback	Potential Current		Dow	wnstream Atlantic Sturgeon		None	None Documented	
Downstream American Shad	Current		Dow	ownstream Shortnose Sturgeon		None	None Documented	
Downstream Hickory Shad	None Documente	one Documented Downstream American Eel		American Eel	Curre	nt		
One or More DS Anadromous Spec	ies Current	# Diadromous Sp Dnstrm (incl eel)		2				
Resident Fish and	Rare Species				Stream Health)		
Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment		No		Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Heal			FAIR	
Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)		No		MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health			N/A	
Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment		Yes		MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health			N/A	
Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber)		No		MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Heal			N/A	
Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)		50		VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health			High	
# Rare Fish (HUC8)		0		PA IBI Stream Health			N/A	
# Rare Mussel (HUC8)		4						
# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)		0						
Globally rare or fed listed fish/mus	sel sp HUC12	No		Rare fish	n or mussel sp in HUC12		No	
lobally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp in pstream or downstream functional network		Yes		Rare fish or mussel in upstream or downstream functional network		Yes		

