Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: VA_880 LOUISA DAM

Bav-wide Diadromous Tier 4

Bay-wide Resident Tier 1

Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier N/A

NID ID VA10903

State ID 880

River Name Hickory Creek

Dam Height (ft) 25

Dam Type Gravity
Latitude 38.114

Longitude -78.0106

Passage Facilities None Documented

Passage Year N/A

Size Class 1b: Creek (3.861 - 38.61 sq mi)

HUC 12 Hickory Creek

HUC 10 Gold Mine Creek-North Anna Riv

HUC 8 Pamunkey

HUC 6 Lower Chesapeake

HUC 4 Lower Chesapeake







Landcover			
NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)	
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	0.34	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	78.46
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	91.95	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	59.32
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	73.7	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	4.54
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	4.24	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	16.22
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	94.69	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	80.49	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.04
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	63.17	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.71
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	40.25	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.41
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0.3	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.71
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	15.54	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.94
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0.67		
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	0.58		



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CFPPP Unique ID: VA 880 **LOUISA DAM** Network, System Type and Condition Functional Upstream Network (mi) Upstream Size Class Gain (#) 0 35.98 Total Functional Network (mi) 836.16 # Downsteam Natural Barriers 0 Absolute Gain (mi) 35.98 \cap # Downstream Hydropower Dams # Size Classes in Total Network 4 # Downstream Dams with Passage O # Upstream Network Size Classes 2 # of Downstream Barriers NEHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index Very High Dam is on Conserved Land Nο % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network 16.72 % Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network 5.42 Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) 0.47 Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2) 0.56 Density of off-channel dams in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) Density of off-channel dams in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2) Λ Diadromous Fish Downstream Alewife Historical None Documented **Downstream Striped Bass** Downstream Blueback **Potential Current** Downstream Atlantic Sturgeon None Documented Downstream American Shad None Documented None Documented Downstream Shortnose Sturgeon None Documented Downstream Hickory Shad None Documented Downstream American Eel One or More DS Anadromous Species Potential Curre # Diadromous Sp Dnstrm (incl eel) Resident Fish and Rare Species Stream Health Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment No Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health GOOD Barrier is in Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber) No MD MBSS Benthic IBI Stream Health N/A Barrier Blocks an EBTJV Catchment No MD MBSS Fish IBI Stream Health N/A Barrier Blocks a Modeled BKT Catchment (DeWeber) No MD MBSS Combined IBI Stream Health N/A Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8) 56 VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health High # Rare Fish (HUC8) 1 PA IBI Stream Health N/A # Rare Mussel (HUC8) 3 # Rare Crayfish (HUC8) 0 Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp HUC12 Rare fish or mussel sp in HUC12 Nο No Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp in Rare fish or mussel in upstream or No No downstream functional network upstream or downstream functional network

