Chesapeake Fish Passage Prioritization - Dam Fact Sheet

CFPPP Unique ID: VA_55 BEAUTIFUL RUN DAM #4

Bay-wide Diadromous Tier 11
Bay-wide Resident Tier 10

Bay-wide Brook Trout Tier N/A

NID ID

State ID 55

River Name

Dam Height (ft) 29

Dam Type Gravity
Latitude 38.3072

Longitude -78.2454

Passage Facilities None Documented

Passage Year N/A

Size Class 1a: Headwater (0 - 3.861 sq mi)

HUC 12 Beautiful Run

HUC 10 Blue Run-Rapidan River

HUC 8 Rapidan-Upper Rappahannock

HUC 6 Lower Chesapeake
HUC 4 Lower Chesapeake







Landcover				
NLCD (2011)		Chesapeake Conservancy (2016)		
% Impervious Surface in Upstream Drainage Area	0.55	% Tree Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	91.88	
% Natural Cover in Upstream Drainage Area	72.56	% Tree Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	59.12	
% Forested in Upstream Drainage Area	66.11	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0	
% Agriculture in Upstream Drainage Area	19.4	% Herbaceaous Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	37.94	
% Natural Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	100	% Barren Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0	
% Natural Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	45.08	% Barren Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	0.35	
% Forest Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	81.01	% Road Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0	
% Forest Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	42.26	% Road Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.72	
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Upstream Network	0	% Other Impervious in ARA of Upstream Network	0.06	
% Agricultral Cover in ARA of Downstream Network	49.71	% Other Impervious in ARA of Downstream Network	0.61	
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Upstream Network	0			
% Impervious Surf in ARA of Downstream Network	0.5			



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Network, System Type and Condition

Functional Upstream Network (mi) 1.05 Upstream Size Class Gain (#) 0

Total Functional Network (mi) 521.54 # Downsteam Natural Barriers 0

Absolute Gain (mi) 1.05 # Downstream Hydropower Dams 0

Downstream Dams with Passage

of Downstream Barriers

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downstream functional network

1

NFHAP Cumulative Disturbance Index Very High

1

Dam is on Conserved Land

% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Upstream Network 0

Size Classes in Total Network

Upstream Network Size Classes

% Conserved Land in 100m Buffer of Downstream Network 33.18

Density of Crossings in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2) 0.78

Density of Crossings in Downstream Network Watershed (#/m2) 0.88

Density of off-channel dams in Upstream Network Watershed (#/m2)

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Diadromous Fish

Downstream Alewife Historical Downstream Striped Bass None Documented Downstream Blueback Historical Downstream Atlantic Sturgeon None Documented Downstream American Shad None Documented Downstream Shortnose Sturgeon None Documented Downstream Hickory Shad Downstream American Eel Current None Documented One or More DS Anadromous Species Historical # Diadromous Sp Dnstrm (incl eel)

Resident Fish and Rare Species		Stream Health		
	Barrier is in EBTJV BKT Catchment	No	Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Health	POOR
	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 Health	N/A
	Native Fish Species Richness (HUC8)	38	VA INSTAR mIBI Stream Health	Moderate
	# Rare Fish (HUC8)	0	PA IBI Stream Health	N/A
	# Rare Mussel (HUC8)	4		
	# Rare Crayfish (HUC8)	0		
	Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp HUC12	No	Rare fish or mussel sp in HUC12	No
	Globally rare or fed listed fish/mussel sp in	No	Rare fish or mussel in upstream or	No

No



No

upstream or downstream functional network