

**[DRAFT] Data Sheet E – Results of Internal Review Committee**

Date of Review/Recommendation: January 30, 2009

Water Body Under Evaluation:

Water Body ID #: 1747  
Name: Indian Creek (Class C)  
Length of Segment: 3.6 miles  
County(ies): Ste. Genevieve

Use Attainability Analysis (UAA) Study:

UAA ID #: 0804  
Submitter: MEC Water Resources  
Date(s) Conducted: October 30, 2007  
Date Received: December 1, 2007  
Use Evaluated: Whole Body Contact Recreation (WBCR)

UAA Criteria Evaluated:

- 1-Natural Pollutant Sources.
- 2-Natural, Ephemeral, Intermittent or Low-Flow Condition.
- 3-Non-Remedial, Human Caused Condition.
- 4-Hydrologic Modifications.
- 5-Natural Physical Features.
- 6-Substantial, Widespread Social and Economic Impact.

Use Determination & Recommendation:

Has the use existed since November 28, 1975?  Yes  No  Unknown

Comments: The UAA survey was conducted in October 2007 and no WBCR was observed. No interviews were conducted during the survey. However, a landowner comment received during the 2008 public comment period cites WBCR and SCR (swimming, fishing, and wading) on Big Bottom Creek (WBID 1746), downstream of the confluence with Indian Creek. This stream length is currently in the rulemaking process to be redesignated from Big Bottom to Indian Creek, so these recreational use comments now apply to Indian Creek.

Is the evaluated use attainable?  Yes  No

Comments: The stream did not meet the depth criteria at any of the 3 sites evaluated. However, the committee recommends the WBCR use designation be retained and that Secondary Contact Recreation be assigned based on 2008 landowner comments.

**Committee Recommendation:**

- Add Use
- Retain Use
- Remove Use
- Modify Use
- Inconclusive

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