

New York State Department of

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Public Fishing Rights Maps

Wiscoy Creek, North Branch & Trout Brook

Wiscoy Creek off Camp Road



Description of Fishery

Wiscoy Creek begins in south-central Wyoming County and flows south-easterly over 15 miles into Allegany County, passing through the Villages of Bliss and Pike. Trout Brook and North Branch Wiscoy Creek are two high quality tributaries of Wiscoy Creek. Combined, there are 14.3 miles of public fishing rights easements on these three streams.

Together, Wiscoy Creek, its North Branch and Trout Brook form one of the most productive watersheds for wild brown trout in New York State. Recent DEC surveys estimate an impressive 1,100 adult wild brown trout per stream mile in the Wyoming County section of Wiscoy Creek. Some wild brook trout are found in Trout Brook. An occasional wild brook trout is caught in Wiscoy Creek as well.

Trout Fishing Regulations

Wiscoy Creek (except catch and release section below): **Trout; open April 1 - Oct 15, minimum size 10 inches, daily limit 3 per person.**

October 16 - March 31; catch and release only, artificial lures only.

Wiscoy Creek from 0.5 miles upstream to 0.5 miles downstream of East Hillside Road Bridge: **Trout; open all year, catch and release only, artificial lures only.**

N. Branch Wiscoy Creek, Trout Brook: **Trout; open April 1 - Oct 15, any size, daily limit 5 per person with no more than 2 longer than 12 inches.**

Primary Fish Species

Brown Trout



Brook Trout



Location



Wyoming & Allegany Counties

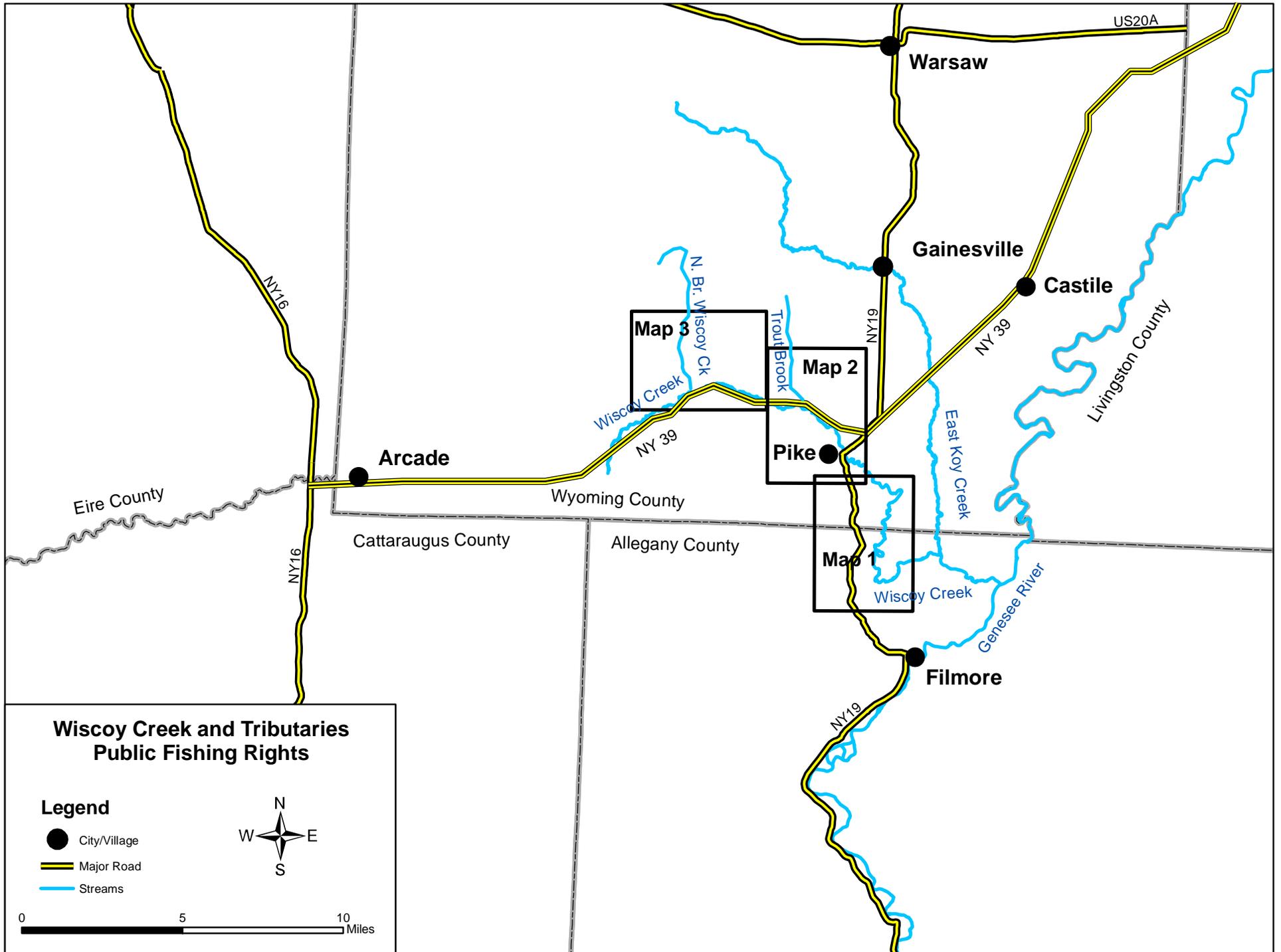
About Public Fishing Rights

Public Fishing Rights (PFR's) are permanent easements purchased by the NYSDEC from willing landowners, giving anglers the right to fish and walk along the bank (usually a 33' strip on one or both banks of the stream). This right is for the purpose of fishing only and no other purpose. Treat the land with respect to insure the continuation of this right and privilege. Fishing privileges may be available on some other private lands with permission of the land owner. Courtesy toward the land-owner and respect for their property will insure their continued use.

These generalized location maps are intended to aid anglers in finding PFR segments and are not survey quality. Width of displayed PFR may be wider than reality to make it more visible on the maps. Please look for this PFR sign to ensure that you are in the right location and have legal access to the stream bank.



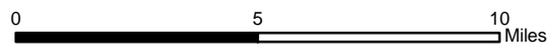
For more information on this creek or if you believe PFR marked areas on these maps are incorrect or missing PFR signs, please call the Region 9 Fisheries office: (716) 372-0645.

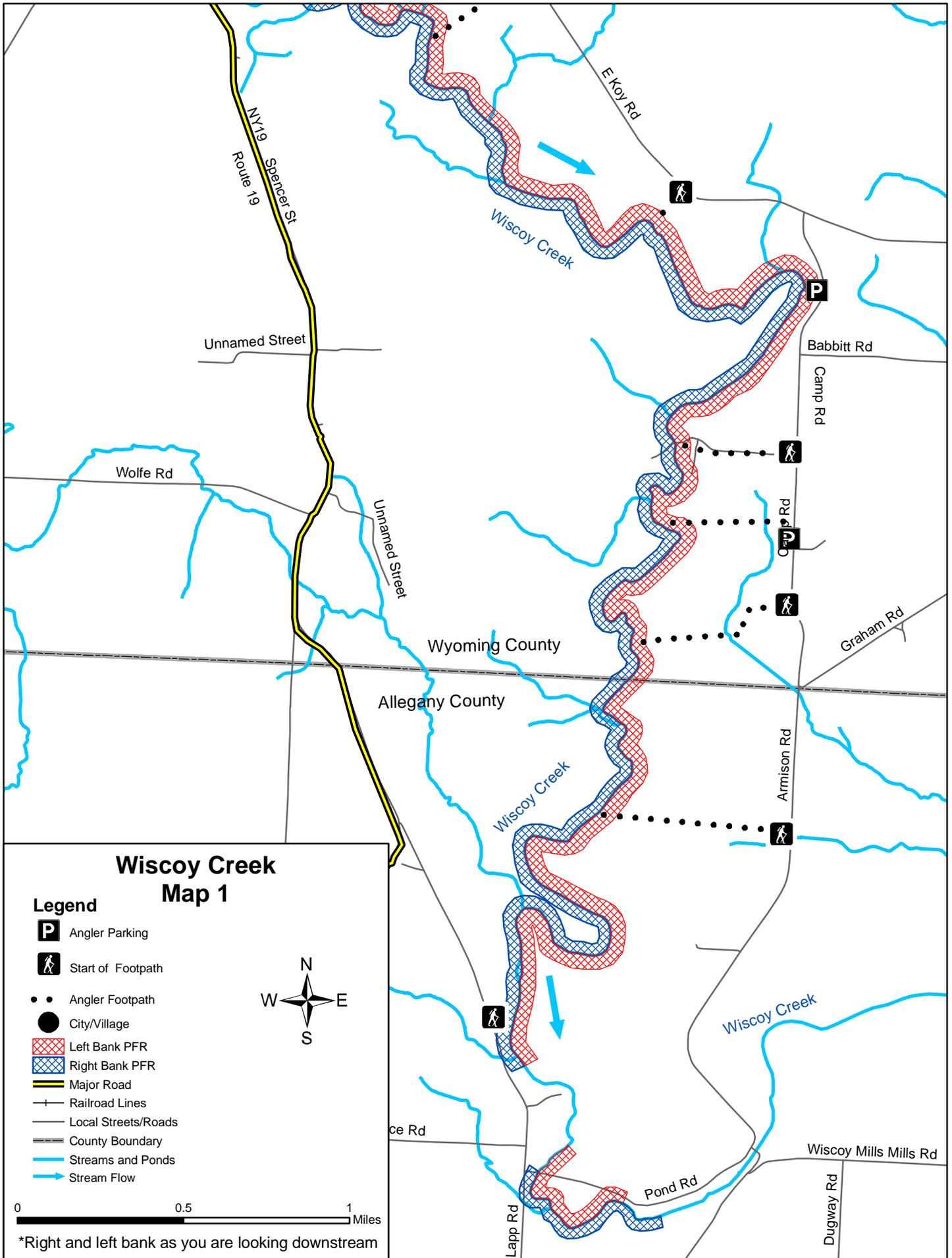


**Wiscoy Creek and Tributaries
Public Fishing Rights**

Legend

- City/Village
- ▬ Major Road
- ▬ Streams





Wiscoy Creek Map 1

Legend

-  Angler Parking
-  Start of Footpath
-  Angler Footpath
-  City/Village
-  Left Bank PFR
-  Right Bank PFR
-  Major Road
-  Railroad Lines
-  Local Streets/Roads
-  County Boundary
-  Streams and Ponds
-  Stream Flow



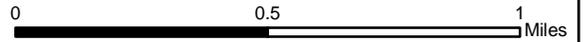
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*Right and left bank as you are looking downstream

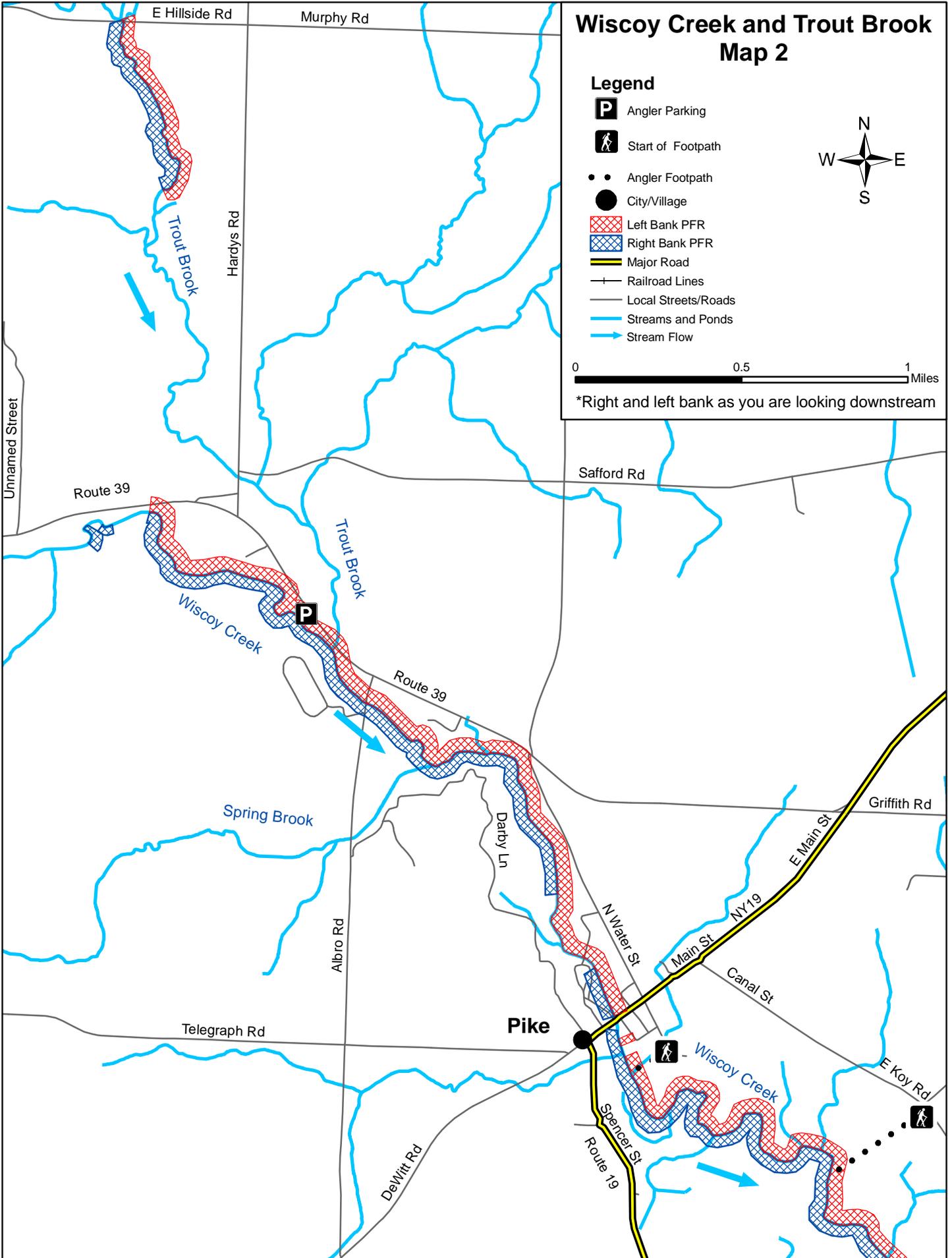
Wischoy Creek and Trout Brook Map 2

Legend

-  Angler Parking
-  Start of Footpath
-  Angler Footpath
-  City/Village
-  Left Bank PFR
-  Right Bank PFR
-  Major Road
-  Railroad Lines
-  Local Streets/Roads
-  Streams and Ponds
-  Stream Flow



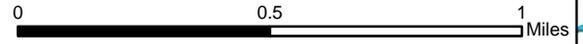
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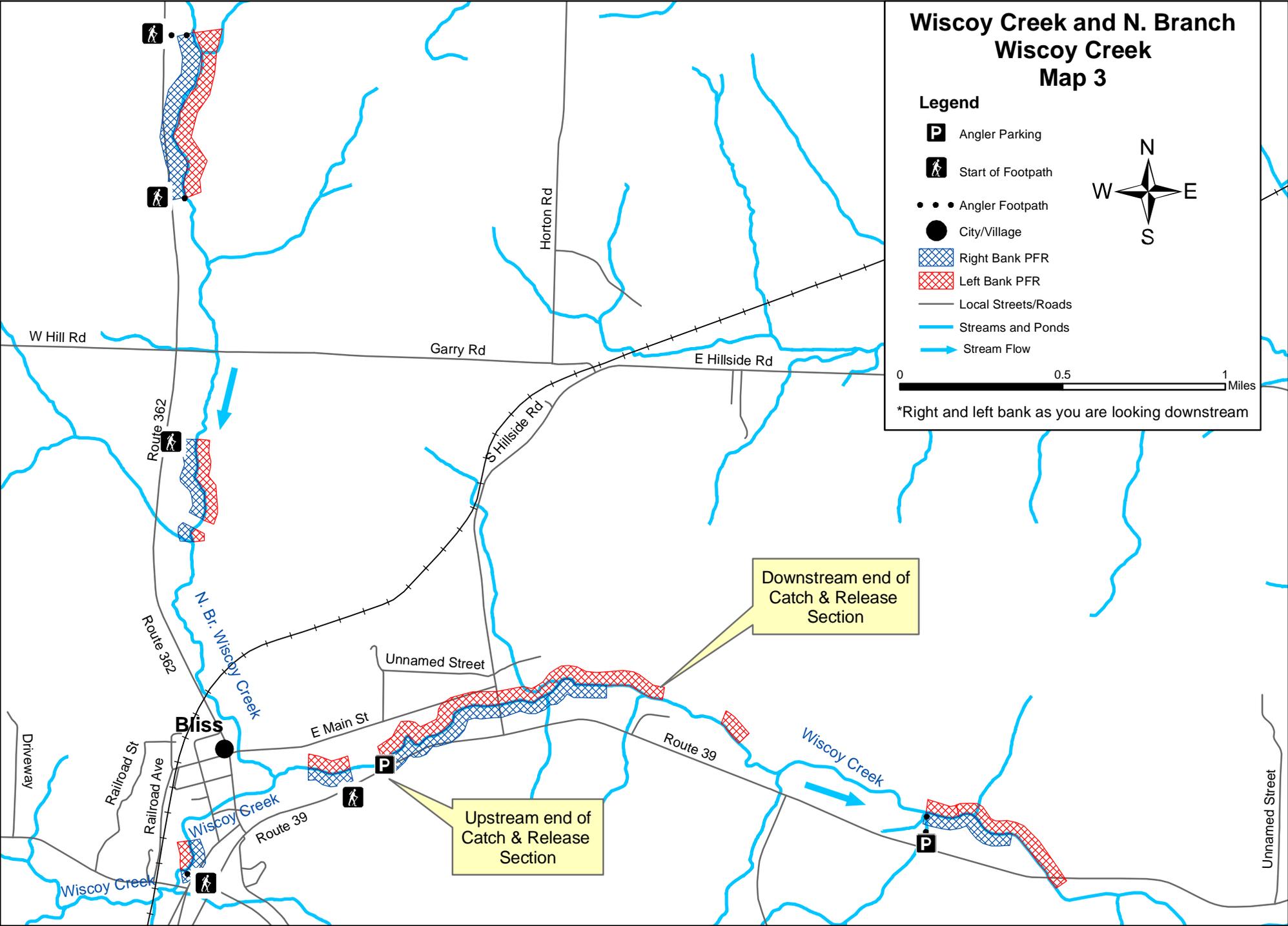
Wiscoy Creek and N. Branch Wiscoy Creek Map 3

Legend

-  Angler Parking
-  Start of Footpath
-  Angler Footpath
-  City/Village
-  Right Bank PFR
-  Left Bank PFR
-  Local Streets/Roads
-  Streams and Ponds
-  Stream Flow



*Right and left bank as you are looking downstream



Downstream end of
Catch & Release
Section

Upstream end of
Catch & Release
Section