

3745-1-14 **Ashtabula river drainage basin.**

- (A) The water bodies listed in table 14-1 of this rule are ordered from downstream to upstream. Tributaries of a water body are indented. The aquatic life habitat, water supply and recreation use designations are defined in rule 3745-1-07 of the Administrative Code. The state resource water use designation is defined in rule 3745-1-05 of the Administrative Code. The most stringent criteria associated with any one of the use designations assigned to a water body will apply to that water body.
- (B) Figure 1 of the appendix to this rule is a generalized map of the Ashtabula river drainage basin.
- (C) RM, as used in this rule, stands for river mile and refers to the method used by the Ohio environmental protection agency to identify locations along a water body. Mileage is defined as the lineal distance from the downstream terminus (i.e., mouth) and moving in an upstream direction.
- (D) The following symbols are used throughout this rule:
- * Designated use based on the 1978 water quality standards;
 - + Designated use based on the results of a biological field assessment performed by the Ohio environmental protection agency;
 - o Designated use based on justification other than the results of a biological field assessment performed by the Ohio environmental protection agency; and
 - L An L in the warmwater habitat column signifies that the water body segment is designated limited warmwater habitat.

Table 14-1. Use designations for water bodies in the Ashtabula river drainage basin.

Water Body Segment	Use Designations												Comments
	S R W	Aquatic Life Habitat					Water Supply			Recreation			
		W H	E W H	M W H	S S H	C W H	L R W	P W S	A W S	I W S	B W	P C R	
Arcola creek - U.S. rte. 20 (RM 4.3) to the mouth - all other segments		+			o			+	+			+	
Wheeler creek - estuary zone - all other segments		*			o			*	*			*	
Cowles creek - estuary zone (RM 0.8 - 0.0) - all other segments		+			+			+	+			+	
Indian creek		*						*	*			*	
Red brook		*						*	*			*	
Ashtabula river - st. rte. 11 (RM 5.8) to mouth - all other segments		+			o				+			+	
Strong brook							+			*		*	Small drainageway maintainance
Fields brook		+								+		+	
West brook							+			+		+	Small drainageway maintainance
Hubbard run		*						*	*			*	
Ashtabula creek		*						*	*			*	
West branch		+						+	+			+	
East branch		+						+	+			+	
Conneaut creek			+		o			+	+			+	

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 Smokey run (Conneaut creek RM 3.5) Turkey creek					o													
				o	*			*	*		*							

SRW = state resource water; WWH = warmwater habitat; EWH = exceptional warmwater habitat; MWH = modified warmwater habitat; SSH = seasonal salmonid habitat; CWH = coldwater habitat; LRW = limited resource water; PWS = public water supply; AWS = agricultural water supply; IWS = industrial water supply; BW = bathing water; PCR = primary contact recreation; SCR = secondary contact recreation.

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