

Fact Sheet: **CONNEAUT CREEK**

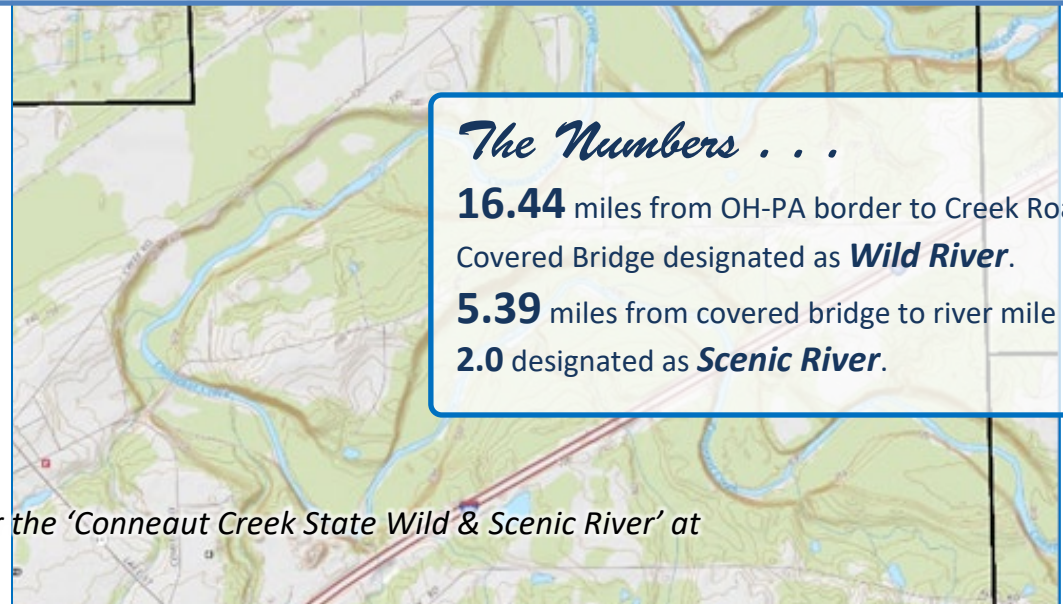
Scenic & Wild River . . .

“Conneaut Creek . . . was officially designated a State Wild and Scenic River on October 6, 2005.”



“Conneaut Creek offers an exceptional diversity of habitats that support outstanding wildlife populations. The stream corridor is home to 78 fish species and 32 species of amphibians and reptiles. The heavily wooded watershed harbors more than 30 unique plants and plant communities, many of which are listed as threatened or endangered.”

“The stream passes beneath several picturesque covered bridges and some of its tributary streams feature waterfalls. It's a popular destination for anglers, particularly for its quality steelhead trout fishing. It also supports a variety of other fish, including smallmouth bass, walleye, and northern pike. Conneaut's name comes from an Indian word for ‘place of many fish’ or ‘place where snow lays in spring.’”



The Numbers . . .

16.44 miles from OH-PA border to Creek Road Covered Bridge designated as **Wild River**.

5.39 miles from covered bridge to river mile

2.0 designated as **Scenic River**.

For more information . . .

Visit the Ohio Department of Natural Resources page for the ‘Conneaut Creek State Wild & Scenic River’ at <http://watercraft.ohiodnr.gov/conneautsr>