

**Ohio EPA 2004 Integrated Report Appendix D.2
Watershed Assessment Unit (WAU) Summaries**

HUC11 **WAU Description** **WAU Size (mi²): 181.1**
 05040001 060 Sandy Creek (downstream Still Fork to mouth); excluding Nimishillen
 Creek

Integrated Report Assessment Category: 5 **Priority Points: 2**
Next Scheduled Monitoring: 2012

Aquatic Life Use Assessment

Subcategories of ALU: WWH Sampling Year(s): 1996, 1997, 1998,
 Impairment: Yes 2002

| Stream Size Category | Raw Data | | % Attainment | | | WAU Score | | |
|------------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|---------|------|-----------|---------|-----|
| | Data Available | No. Attaining | Full | Partial | Non | Full | Partial | Non |
| Small (Spatial) | | | | | | | | |
| < 5 mi ² | 3 Sites | 2 Sites | | | | | | |
| 5-20 mi ² | 2 Sites | 1 Sites | 29.2 | 25.0 | 45.8 | | | |
| 20-50 mi ² | 2 Sites | 0 Sites | | | | | | |
| <hr/> | | | | | | 21 | 39 | 40 |
| Large (Linear) | | | | | | | | |
| 50-500 mi ² | 11.3 Miles | 1.5 Miles | 13.3 | 53.1 | 33.6 | | | |

High Magnitude Causes

Cause Unknown
 Unknown Toxicity
 Siltation
 Other Habitat Alterations

High Magnitude Sources

Municipal Point Source
 Source Unknown
 Channelization - Agriculture
 Removal of Riparian Vegetation - Ag.

Recreation Use Assessment

Subcategory of Use: Primary Contact
 Impairment: No Geometric Mean: 56
 No. Ambient Sites: 3 No. Ambient Sampling Records: 10 75th %ile: 313
 No. of NPDES MOR Sites: 4 No. of NPDES MOR Records: 72 90th %ile: 699
 Other:

Fish Consumption Advisory (FCA) Assessment

Waters Within the WAU Sampled and Assessed: Yes
 FCA Issued: Yes
 (See the 2004 Ohio FCA for more detailed information at "www.epa.state.oh.us/dsw/fishadvisory/index.html")
 Impairment Due to FCA: Yes Pollutant (Waterbody): PCBs (Sandy Creek)

Comments

The upper portion of Sandy Creek was sampled by Ohio EPA Division of Emergency and Remedial Response from 1996 to 1998. Tributaries were sampled in 2002 by Ohio DNR Division of Wildlife.