

## Appendix A: Resource Prioritization (Visioning Meeting)

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### RESOURCE PRIORITIZATION FORM (Sample)

### *We Need Your Feedback!*

**Instructions:** Please provide a checkmark ✓ next to all resources that are important to you. Further, please circle the top five resources that are most important to you.

#### **Natural Resources**

- Streams.
- Headwaters (first order streams or small tributaries).
- Floodplains.
- Wetlands.
- Ponds and other Water Bodies.
- Groundwater (quality and quantity).
- Riparian Buffers (vegetation along the edge of a water body or stream).
- Woodlands/Hedgerows.
- Wildlife Habitat/Natural Diversity.
- Open Space Connections/Greenways.
- Geology.
- Steep Slopes.
- Dark skies (impact of light pollution).
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Natural Resource Designations**

- Pennsylvania Natural Diversity Index (PNDI) Sites.
- Scenic River Corridors.
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Cultural and Historic Resources**

- Public Parks and Recreation Areas.
- Public Fishing and Hunting Areas.
- Libraries and other Cultural Institutions.
- Community Events.
- Scenic Roads.
- Scenic Viewsheds.
- Recreational Trails (equestrian).
- Recreational Trails (hiking and passive recreation).
- Recreational Trails (cycling and rollerblading).
- Historic Structures, Sites, and Districts.
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Agricultural Resources**

- Active Farmland.
- Prime Agricultural Soils (classified 1, 2, and 3 for productivity).
- Agricultural-Related Business (farm stands, tree sales, etc.).
- Agricultural Secondary Business (wood shop, bed and breakfast, etc.).
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

## RESULT OF THE FIRST ASSIGNMENT

Please provide a checkmark ✓ next to all resources that are important to you.

### **Natural Resources**

#### **46 Streams.**

38 Headwaters (first order streams or small tributaries).

34 Floodplains.

#### **43 Wetlands.**

33 Ponds and other Water Bodies.

#### **45 Groundwater (quality and quantity).**

34 Riparian Buffers (vegetation along the edge of a water body or stream).

33 Woodlands/Hedgerows.

#### **44 Wildlife Habitat/Natural Diversity.**

38 Open Space Connections/Greenways.

17 Geology.

18 Steep Slopes.

36 Dark skies (impact of light pollution).

1 Other: Wildlife itself – birds, water dependent\_\_\_\_, etc.

1 Other: Children – education, continuity.

1 Native plant and animal species vs. exotics and invasives.

### **Natural Resource Designations**

23 Pennsylvania Natural Diversity Index (PNDI) Sites.

33 Scenic River Corridors.

1 Other: Exceptional value and high quality streams.

### **Cultural and Historic Resources**

26 Public Parks and Recreation Areas.

20 Public Fishing and Hunting Areas.

19 Libraries and other Cultural Institutions.

12 Community Events.

28 Scenic Roads.

33 Scenic Viewsheds.

20 Recreational Trails (equestrian).

30 Recreational Trails (hiking and passive recreation).

14 Recreational Trails (cycling and rollerblading).

36 Historic Structures, Sites, and Districts.

1 Other: Fox hunting.

1 Other: Reduce – limit secondary road traffic.

### **Agricultural Resources**

#### **51 Active Farmland.**

34 Prime Agricultural Soils (classified 1, 2, and 3 for productivity).

33 Agricultural-Related Business (farm stands, tree sales, etc.).

18 Agricultural Secondary Business (wood shop, bed and breakfast, etc.)

1 Other: farmers.

Note: The top five choices are shown in **bold** and *italicized* text.

## RESULTS OF THE SECOND ASSIGNMENT

*Please circle the top five resources that are most important to you.*

### **Natural Resources**

#### **12 Streams.**

7 Headwaters (first order streams or small tributaries).

2 Floodplains.

10 Wetlands.

1 Ponds and other Water Bodies.

#### **16 Groundwater (quality and quantity).**

3 Riparian Buffers (vegetation along the edge of a water body or stream).

8 Woodlands/Hedgerows.

#### **17 Wildlife Habitat/Natural Diversity.**

#### **12 Open Space Connections/Greenways.**

1 Geology.

1 Steep Slopes.

8 Dark skies (impact of light pollution).

1 Other: Wildlife itself – birds, water dependent\_\_\_\_, etc.

1 Other: Children – education, continuity.

0 Native plant and animal species vs. exotics and invasives.

### **Natural Resource Designations**

1 Pennsylvania Natural Diversity Index (PNDI) Sites.

3 Scenic River Corridors.

0 Other: Exceptional value and high quality streams.

### **Cultural and Historic Resources**

3 Public Parks and Recreation Areas.

3 Public Fishing and Hunting Areas.

3 Libraries and other Cultural Institutions.

1 Community Events.

5 Scenic Roads.

5 Scenic Viewsheds.

2 Recreational Trails (equestrian).

1 Recreational Trails (hiking and passive recreation).

1 Recreational Trails (cycling and rollerblading).

8 Historic Structures, Sites, and Districts.

0 Other: Fox hunting.

0 Other: Reduce – limit secondary road traffic.

### **Agricultural Resources**

#### **18 Active Farmland.**

3 Prime Agricultural Soils (classified 1, 2, and 3 for productivity).

4 Agricultural-Related Business (farm stands, tree sales, etc.).

0 Agricultural Secondary Business (wood shop, bed and breakfast, etc.)

0 Other: Farmers.

Note: The top five choices are shown in **bold** and *italicized* text.

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