

Beneficial Use Designations for Stream Reaches: Rainy River - Lower Watershed (09030008)

Beneficial Use Legend

1A	Domestic Consumption (does not require treatment)
1B	Domestic Consumption (requires moderate treatment)
1C	Domestic Consumption (requires heavy treatment)
2Ae	Aquatic Life and Recreation - Exceptional Cold Water Habitat (streams)
2Ag	Aquatic Life and Recreation - General Cold Water Habitat (lakes and streams)
2Bde	Aquatic Life and Recreation also protected as a source of drinking water - Exceptional Warm Water Habitat (streams)
2Bdg	Aquatic Life and Recreation also protected as a source of drinking water - General Warm Water Habitat (lakes and streams)
2Bdm	Aquatic Life and Recreation also protected as a source of drinking water - Modified Warm Water Habitat (streams)
2Be	Aquatic Life and Recreation - Exceptional Warm Water Habitat (streams)
2Bg	Aquatic Life and Recreation - General Warm Water Habitat (lakes and streams)
2Bm	Aquatic Life and Recreation - Modified Warm Water Habitat (streams)
2C	Aquatic Life and Recreation - Indigenous aquatic life and their habitats (streams)
2D	Aquatic Life and Recreation - Wetlands
3A	Industrial Consumption (no treatment)
3B	Industrial Consumption (moderate treatment)
3C	Industrial Consumption (heavy treatment)
3D	Industrial Consumption (wetlands - moderate treatment)
4A	Agriculture and Wildlife (irrigation)
4B	Agriculture and Wildlife (livestock and wildlife)
4C	Agriculture and Wildlife (wetlands - livestock and wildlife)
5	Aesthetic Enjoyment and Navigation
6	Other Uses
7	Limited Resource Value Water
ORVW	Outstanding Resource Value Water; The [month/day/year/letter] code following the name of the outstanding resource value water in brackets is the effective date the water resource was designated as an outstanding resource value water. The letter code (P or R) indicates the applicable discharge restrictions in part Minn. R. 7050.0180. The letter code P corresponds to the prohibited discharges provision in Minn. R. 7050.0180, subp. 3. The letter code R corresponds to the restricted discharges provision in Minn. R. 7050.0180, subp. 6.

‡ *Some stream miles within the watershed have not been assigned their own water body id. These water bodies are not included in the use table, but they are labeled xxxxxxxx-999 in the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency's databases. The default uses (2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6) apply to these waters.*

*Abbreviations: * = Tiered aquatic life use review has not been performed; + = use confirmed; f = use confirmed by fish only; m = use confirmed by macroinvertebrates only; WR = Wild Rice water; AUID = Assessment Unit Identification code; ORVW = Outstanding Resource Value Water; CD = County Ditch; JD = Judicial Ditch; R = River; Cr = Creek; Bk = Brook; Lk = Lake; N = North; S = South; W = West; E = East; Fk = Fork; Br = Branch; M = Middle; ND = North Dakota.*

Beneficial use designations for stream reaches[†] in the Rainy River - Lower Watershed (09030008) (Table originally created August 9, 2016; updated on May 17, 2017, as per Minn. R. 7050.0470).

Reach Name and Description [#]	AUID	Uses	v [#]	ORVW
Winter Road River - Peppermint Cr to Rainy R	09030008-502	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - Rapid R to Baudette R	09030008-504	1C, 2Bdg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - Winter Road R to Lake of the Woods	09030008-505	2Bg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Winter Road River - Headwaters to Peppermint Cr	09030008-506	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Peppermint Creek - Headwaters to Winter Road R	09030008-507	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - Baudette R to RR bridge in Baudette	09030008-508	1C, 2Bdg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - RR bridge in Baudette to Winter Road R	09030008-509	2Bg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed ditch (Pitt Creek) - T159 R32W S16, south line to Peppermint Cr	09030008-510	1B, 2Ag, 3B, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Silver Creek - W Br Silver Cr to E Br Silver Cr	09030008-511	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Silver Creek - E Br Silver Cr to Unnamed cr	09030008-512	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Silver Creek - Unnamed cr to Rainy R	09030008-513	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed creek - Unnamed cr to Baudette R	09030008-514	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River, West Fork - Unnamed ditch to Unnamed ditch	09030008-515	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River, West Fork - Unnamed ditch to Unnamed cr	09030008-516	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River, West Fork - Unnamed cr to Baudette R	09030008-517	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed ditch - Headwaters to Unnamed ditch	09030008-520	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed ditch - Unnamed ditch to Winter Road R	09030008-521	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed ditch - Headwaters to W Fk Baudette R	09030008-522	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River, West Fork - Headwaters to Unnamed ditch	09030008-523	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River, West Fork - Unnamed ditch to Unnamed cr	09030008-524	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River, West Fork - Unnamed cr to Unnamed ditch	09030008-525	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Wabanica Creek - Unnamed cr to Rainy R	09030008-526	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Wabanica Creek - Headwaters to Unnamed cr	09030008-527	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Little Peppermint Creek - Unnamed cr to Peppermint Cr	09030008-528	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Hooper Creek - Headwaters to Rainy R	09030008-529	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Miller Creek - Headwaters to Rainy R	09030008-530	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Silver Creek, West Branch - Unnamed cr to Silver Cr	09030008-531	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Silver Creek, West Branch - Headwaters to Unnamed cr	09030008-532	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Silver Creek - Headwaters to W Br Silver Cr	09030008-533	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Silver Creek, East Branch - Headwaters to Silver Cr	09030008-534	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River - Headwaters to Unnamed cr	09030008-535	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Baudette River - Unnamed cr to Rainy R	09030008-536	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed creek - Headwaters to Unnamed wetland	09030008-537	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	

Rainy River - Black R to Rapid R	09030008-538	1C, 2Bdg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - Rainy Lk to International Falls Dam	09030008-539	1B, 2Bdg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - International Falls Dam to Little Fork R	09030008-540	1C, 2Bdg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - Little Fork R to Big Fork R	09030008-541	1C, 2Bdg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Rainy River - Big Fork R to Black R	09030008-542	1C, 2Bdg, 3A, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Black River, West Fork - Headwaters to Black R	09030008-543	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Black River - W Fk Black R to Rainy R	09030008-544	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Black River - Headwaters to S Fk Black R	09030008-545	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Black River - S Fk Black R to Unnamed cr	09030008-546	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Black River - Unnamed cr to W Fk Black R	09030008-547	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Black River, South Fork - Headwaters to Black R	09030008-548	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed creek - Headwaters to Unnamed cr	09030008-549	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed creek - Headwaters to Unnamed cr	09030008-550	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed creek - Unnamed cr to Black R	09030008-551	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Moonlight Creek - Headwaters to Rainy R	09030008-552	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed ditch - Unnamed ditch to W Fk Black R	09030008-553	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
McCloud Creek - Unnamed ditch to Rainy R	09030008-554	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
McCloud Creek - Headwaters to Unnamed ditch	09030008-555	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed ditch - Headwaters to Unnamed cr	09030008-556	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	
Unnamed creek (Sensky Creek) - Headwaters to Rainy River	09030008-557	2Bg, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5, 6	*	