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County	Water
Fulton	Meadow Grounds Lake
McKean	Bradford City Number Two Reservoir

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The Commission will consider adding a portion of the following water to its list of "waters limited to specific purposes—exclusive use fishing areas" for both children and special populations, regulated and managed under 58 Pa. Code § 65.21 (relating to waters limited to specific purposes—exclusive use fishing areas):

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