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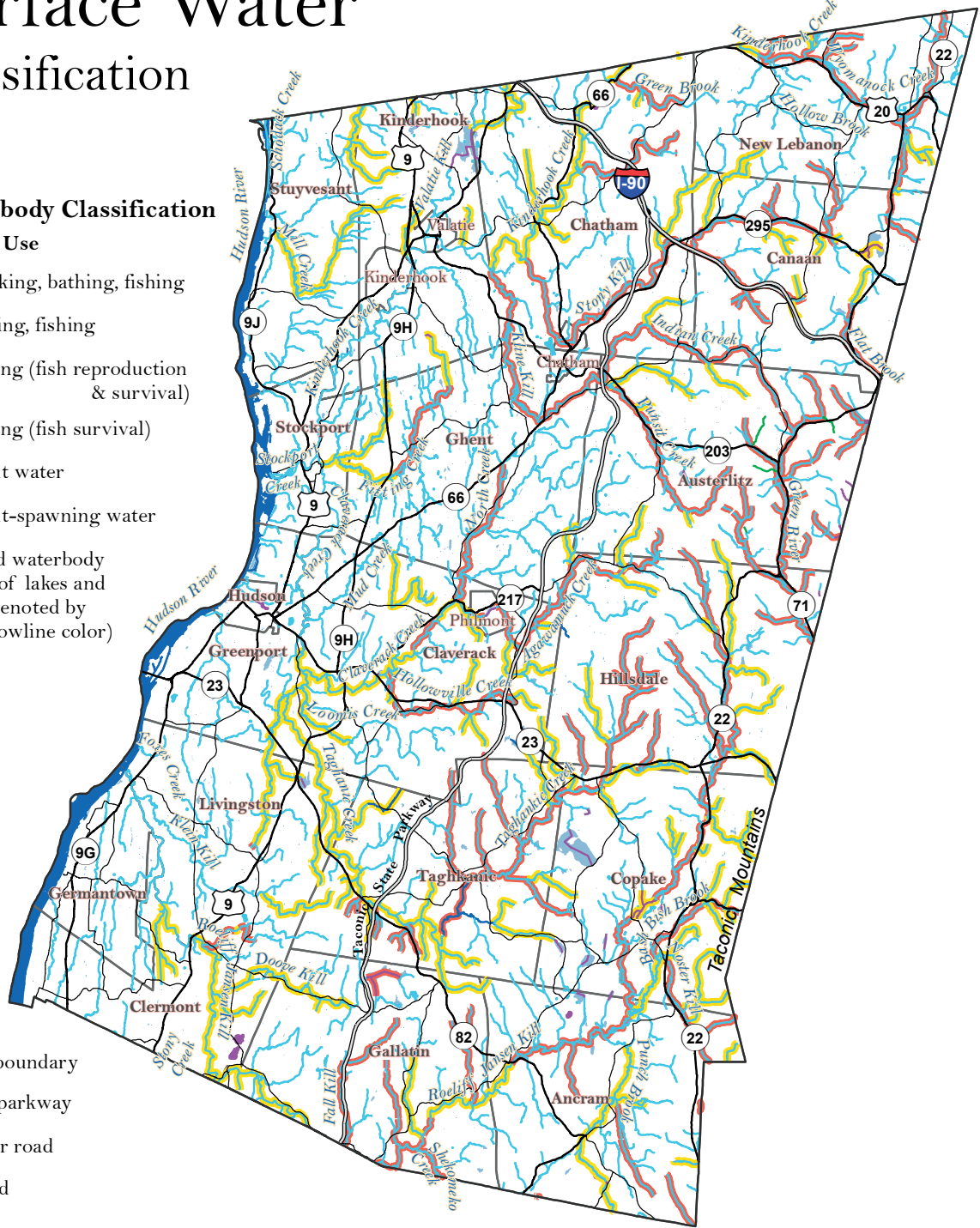
Surface Water Classification

NYSDEC Waterbody Classification

Class	Best Use
	A Drinking, bathing, fishing
	B Bathing, fishing
	C Fishing (fish reproduction & survival)
	D Fishing (fish survival)
	Trout water
	Trout-spawning water
	Unclassified waterbody (classes of lakes and ponds denoted by fill or flowline color)



- Municipal boundary
- Interstate/parkway
- Other major road
- County road



Data Sources: Water use classes of streams and other waterbodies created by the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC), 2010, available from gis.ny.gov. For more information, contact the Hudson River Estuary Program at 845-256-3016. Other waterbodies data from the National Hydrography Dataset, US Geological Survey, 2013, available from nhd.usgs.gov. For roads and boundaries data sources see Figure 1. Map created by Hudsonia Ltd., Annandale, NY.

Figure 13. Water use classification of streams and other waterbodies in Columbia County, New York. Many small headwater streams are not included. Columbia County Natural Resources Inventory, 2018.