

Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen & Conservationists

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On the Front Lines - So You Can Be in the Woods, On the Water or At the Range!

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Commissioners, Executive Director Schaeffer, Staff & Guests:

My name is Mike Kriner, Director of Government Affairs for the Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen and Conservationists. I am extremely honored to be representing the Federation's interests in aquatic and boating management issues in the Commonwealth. Historically, this agency and the PFSC have worked closely on issues relevant to our membership's passions, and I look forward to cultivating and strengthening this relationship.

Currently representing over 75,000 sportsmen, women and conservationists, PFSC's membership comprises individuals, affiliated clubs, and statewide organizations with like-minded goals and interests in conservation efforts and protecting our outdoor heritage.

We want to thank Executive Director Schaeffer and staff for their accessibility and thank the Commission for providing our members with greater access to the streams and waters of the Commonwealth.

Related to today's agenda, the preliminary feedback from our board of directors shows solid support for establishing a single statewide opening day for trout season -1st Saturday in April.

Thank you for allowing me the time to introduce myself and share the views of our membership. I look forward to working with the agency on behalf of the Federation.