



US Army Corps  
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# *Notice of Availability*

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**Aylesworth Creek Lake Project**  
**Draft 2025 Master Plan and Environmental Assessment**  
**July 08, 2025**

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, as amended, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore District (USACE) has prepared a draft environmental assessment (EA) that assesses the effects of adopting the Aylesworth Creek Lake 2025 Master Plan ("2025 Master Plan"). Aylesworth Creek Lake is located on Aylesworth Creek approximately one mile upstream from its confluence with the Lackawanna River in the Borough of Archbald in Pennsylvania (PA).

The Proposed Action is to adopt the 2025 Master Plan that reflects changes in land management classifications, land and water uses, and USACE regulations and guidance that have occurred since the 1959 Aylesworth Creek Lake Master Plan. Lands at the Aylesworth Lake Creek Project are classified as project operations, high density recreation, multiple resource management, and water surface.

A draft EA was prepared by USACE that determined that adoption of the 2025 Master Plan will have no effect on the natural, cultural, and human environment. Based on the preliminary findings in the draft EA, USACE prepared a draft Finding of No Significant Impact. The Proposed Action is an administrative update and does not involve the construction of any physical projects. Projects that may be proposed at the Aylesworth Creek Lake Project in the future will be evaluated in accordance with the 2025 Master Plan; NEPA; USACE regulations; and other federal, state, and local policies and regulations.

The draft 2025 Master Plan, EA, and FONSI are available for public review at the following link:  
<https://www.nab.usace.army.mil/missions/dams-recreation/aylesworth-lake/aylesworth-lake-master-plan/>

Physical copies of the draft Master Plan, EA, and FONSI are available at the Carbondale Public Library (Carbondale, PA) and the Valley Community Library (Peckville, PA).

Comments can be submitted using the fillable form at the website above. USACE requests that comments be submitted within 30 calendar days of the date of this notice. USACE will consider all comments received within the 30-day comment period in preparation of the final 2025 Master Plan and EA.

If you would like to request a public meeting or if you have any questions, please contact Grant Cunningham at [Grant.M.Cunningham@usace.army.mil](mailto:Grant.M.Cunningham@usace.army.mil). Additionally, comments can be mailed to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Attn: Grant Cunningham, Planning Division, Floor 10, 2 Hopkins Plaza, Baltimore, MD 21201.

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