



## PUBLIC COMMENT FORM

The South Dakota Board on Geographic Names (SDBGN) is a state commission created in 2009 by SDCL Chapter 1-19C to recommend revision of offensive names for geographic places. The SDBGN has adopted a Public Involvement Process which seeks public comment on the existing historic name and offering recommendations and justification for the new name as well as names for unnamed geographic features. The SDBGN follows the United States Board on Geographic Names' principles, policies, and procedures. For further information visit: <http://geonames.usgs.gov/domestic/policies.htm>.

**Historic Name:** Unnamed Creek

**Proposed Name(s):** Annie Anderson Creek or Manning Creek

**Location/Identification:** Minnehaha County: the creek runs through Valley Springs and Red Rock Townships and is a tributary of Beaver Creek. It is approximately 7 miles north/northwest of Valley Springs, SD.

*The above feature is unnamed, and the SDBGN is soliciting public input on a new name for the geographic feature. Two names have been proposed. Please complete the section below if supportive of one or both of the proposed names.*

**Reason/Justification of support to name the feature either Annie Anderson Creek or Manning Creek:**

**Please attach any supporting documentation such as resolutions from governing boards or organizations; newspaper articles; petitions or historical references.**

*To propose a new name for the feature, please complete the section below:*

**Recommended Name:**

**Reason/Justification for Name:**

**Origin/Meaning of Name:**

**Please attach any supporting documentation such as resolutions from governing boards or organizations; newspaper articles; petitions or historical references.**

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**Submitted by:**

Name:  
Title (if representing an organization or public entity):  
Organization or Public Entity (if applicable):  
Mailing Address:  
Telephone:  
Email Address:

*If the recommended name is adopted by the SDBGN, additional information may be needed to support the recommendation to the U.S. Board on Geographic Names.*

**Comments should be submitted no later than July 18, 2014. Submit comments to:**

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