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Chapter WCD 26

FISH REFUGES

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(Section 23.09, Wis. Stats.)

WCD 26.01 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill or fish for fish in any manner or at any time in, on or along the following described water areas.

(1) ADAMS COUNTY. (a) Lawrence creek. That part of the Lawrence creek located in section 36, township 17 north, range 7 east.

(13) DANE COUNTY. (a) University of Wisconsin arboretum. All springs, spring holes, streams, potholes and lagoons lying within the boundaries of the University of Wisconsin arboretum located in section 9, township 6 north, range 9 east, town of Madison, and in sections 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, and 35, township 7 north, range 9 east, town of Fitchburg.

(17) DUNN COUNTY. (a) Red Cedar river. That part of the Red Cedar river beginning at a point known as the Cedar Falls dam and power plant of the Northern States Power company located in section 6, township 28 north, range 12 west, thence downstream from said point to the highway bridge crossing said river on county trunk highway BB.

(18) EAU CLAIRE COUNTY. (a) Little Niagara creek. That stream known as Little Niagara creek from its mouth at the Chippewa river upstream to its source, said stream flowing through and along Putnam park and the property of the Eau Claire state teachers college, all located within the city limits of the city of Eau Claire.

(19) FLORENCE COUNTY. (a) Woods creek. That part of Woods creek beginning at the dam in and across said Woods creek in the NE¼ of the SW¼ of section 28, township 39 north, range 17 east, and extending downstream for a distance of 500 feet.

(20) FOND DU LAC COUNTY. (a) Parson creek. That part of the stream known as Parson creek lying on property owned by David Coulter in the $E\frac{1}{2}$ of the SE⁴ of the SE⁴ of section 16, township 14 north, range 17 east.

(24) GREEN LAKE COUNTY. (a) White creek. All that part of White creek situated in sections 34 and 35, township 16 north, range 13 east.

(26) IRON COUNTY. (a) Flambeau river. That part of the Flambeau river located in the SW⁴ of SE⁴ and SE⁴ of SW⁴ of section 34, township 42 north, range 2 east, and the NE⁴ of NW⁴ and the NW⁴ of NE⁴ of section 3, township 41 north, range 2 east, beginning at the dam in and across the Flambeau river in section 34, township 42 north, range 2 east, Iron county, Wisconsin, commonly known as the Turtle-Flambeau dam and extending downstream from said dam to the U. S. government gaging station on said river in the NE⁴ of NW⁴ of said section 3.

(39) MARQUETTE COUNTY. (a) *Fredreck creek*. That part of Fredreck creek beginning at the downstream side of the bridge on the fish hatchery road and thence upstream to its headwaters, said part of stream lying in sections 1 and 12, township 16 north, range 8 east.

(42) OCONTO COUNTY. (a) *McCauslin brook.* That part of McCauslin brook beginning at the bridge on state trunk highway 32, across said McCauslin brook in section 31, township 33 north, range 16 east and extending upstream to a point 100 feet west of the east line of section 36, township 33 north, range 15 east.

(43) ONEIDA COUNTY. (a) Long Lake dam. That part of the Eagle river located in section 5, township 39 north, range 11 east, beginning at the dam in and across the Eagle river in said section 5 and commonly known as the Long Lake dam and thence extending downstream for a distance of 500 feet.

(b) Tomahawk river. Beginning at the dam in and across the Tomahawk river, located in section 10, township 37 north, range 5 east, Oneida county, Wisconsin, commonly known as the Willow dam, and thence downstream from the said dam for a distance of 500 feet.

(c) Wisconsin river. Beginning at the dam in and across the Wisconsin river, located in section 31, township 39 north, range 8 east, Oneida county, Wisconsin, commonly known as the Rainbow dam, and thence downstream from the said dam for a distance of 500 feet.

(50) PRICE COUNTY. (a) *Big Elk river*. That part of Big Elk river beginning at the dam commonly known as Jobe's dam, located in section 14, township 37 north, range 1 west, and thence downstream for a distance of 500 feet.

(b) Big Elk river. All that part of the Big Elk river beginning at the dam commonly known as the Weimer dam located in section 11, township 38 north, range 2 west, and thence downstream for a distance of 500 feet.

(c) Flambeau river (South Fork). That part of the South Fork of the Flambeau river situated in section 26, township 40 north, range 3 east beginning at the dam in and across the South Fork of the Flambeau river in said section 26 at the outlet of Round lake and commonly known as the Pike Lake dam and extending thence downstream for a distance of 500 feet.

(54) RUSK COUNTY. (a) Swift creek. That part of Swift creek or its backwaters beginning at the Island Lake dam located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 21, township 33 north, range 8 west, Rusk county and thence downstream on Swift creek for a distance of 500 feet.

(b) Chippewa river (West Fork). That part of the west fork of the Chippewa river beginning at the Moose lake dam located in section 14, township 41 north, range 6 west, Sawyer county and thence downstream for a distance of 500 feet.

(c) Spider creek. That part of Spider creek downstream from the outlet of Spider lake and situated on the following described lands: Sawyer county.

Township 42 north, range 7 west, town of Spider lake.

Section 34—E½ SW, govt. lot 4, SW SW.

Section 33—All that part of govt. lot 5 bounded by the following description: Beginning at a point in the center line of state trunk highway 77 where the north and south quarter line of section 33 intersects said highway 77, thence due west 140 feet, thence N35°W 650 feet, thence N57°E 655 feet, thence due north 75 feet, thence N83°W 120 feet, thence N20°W 390 feet, thence N77°E 380 feet, thence due south 1188 feet to the point of beginning.

Govt. lot 6.

Govt. lot 7.

Township 41 north, range 7 west, town of Round lake.

Section 3—All that part of the $W\frac{1}{2}$ NW bounded by the following description: Beginning at a point in center of town road at the southwest corner of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the section, thence due east 660 feet, thence due north 1160 feet, thence N75°E 270 feet, thence N13°E 617 feet, thence N39°E 223 feet, thence due north 608 feet to the center line of state trunk highway 77, thence northerly and westerly on the highway 1240 feet to the intersection of town road on west section line, thence due south in the center line of town road 2625 feet to the point of beginning.

Section 4-N¹/₂ NE¹/₄. SE NE. SW NE. N¹/₄ NE SE.

(63) VILAS COUNTY. (a) Grassy creek. That part of Grassy creek beginning at the town road crossing said creek in the NW⁴ of the NW⁴, section 2, township 42 north, range 7 east, and extending downstream to the Fishtrap Lake road in the SE⁴ of the NE⁴, section 2, township 42 north, range 7 east.

(b) *Manitowish river*. Beginning at the dam in and across the Manitowish river, located in section 9, township 42 north, range 5 east, Vilas county, Wisconsin, commonly known as the Rest Lake dam, and thence downstream from the said dam for a distance of 500 feet.

(c) *Rice creek.* All that part of Rice creek in sections 4, 8, 9, township 42 north, range 6 east, Vilas county, Wisconsin beginning at Newcomb's Point in section 8 and extending upstream to the outlet of Big lake in section 4.

(d) Squaw creek. Beginning at the dam in and across the Squaw creek, located in section 28, township 40 north, range 4 east, Vilas county, Wisconsin, commonly known as the Squaw Lake dam, and thence downstream to state highway No. "70".

(e) Trilby lake. That lake known as Trilby lake (camp 7) located in sections 11, 12, 13 and 14, township 40 north, range 6 east.

(64) WALWORTH COUNTY. (a) Outlet of Lake Geneva. The artificial raceway, that is a part of the outlet of Lake Geneva, beginning at the Broad street bridge and thence in and along the artificial raceway to

the control gates on the north side of Main street and located at the corner of the Wisconsin Power and Light company power plant; all located in the city of Lake Geneva and in section 36, township 2 north, range 17 east.

(66) WASHINGTON COUNTY.

(b) Gilbert's lake and outlet. That body of water known as Gilbert's lake and its outlet to the mouth of said outlet in Big Cedar lake; said Gilbert's lake and outlet lying in sections 17 and 20, township 11 north, range 19 east.

(67) WAUKESHA COUNTY. (a) Rosenow creek. That part of Rosenow creek and its tributaries in sections 26, 27, 34 and 35, in the town of Oconomowoc, east of the junction of the main stream with the creek, said junction lying east of Henry Rosenow's bridge one rod, in township 8 north, range 17 east.

History: 1-2-56; (57) (a), (66) (a) and (68) (a) r. Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57.

WCD 26.02 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill or fish for fish in any manner from January 1 to May 15 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(70) WINNEBAGO COUNTY. (a) Fox river (Eureka dam). Beginning at the dam in and across the Fox river, located in section 31, township 18 north, range 14 east, Winnebago county, Wisconsin, commonly known as the Eureka dam, and thence downstream from the said dam for 200 feet.

(b) Fox river (Menasha dam). Beginning at the dam in and across the Fox river, located in the city of Menasha, Winnebago county, Wisconsin, and thence downstream from said dam for 200 feet.

(c) Fox river (Neenah dam). Beginning at the dam in and across the Fox river, located in the city of Neenah, Winnebago county, Wisconsin, and thence downstream from the said dam for 200 feet.

WCD 26.03 Fish refuges. The following described area is hereby created and established as a fish refuge, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill or fish for fish in any manner or at any time in, on or along the following described water areas throughout the open season for hunting migratory waterfowl each year.

(29) JUNEAU COUNTY. (a) Meadow Valley flowage. That part of the Meadow Valley Flowage beginning at a point in the E½ of section 10, township 20 north, range 2 east, where the drainage ditch intersects the Meadow Valley Flowage road; thence northerly along the east spoil bank of said ditch to the junction of a brushed line at the approximate interior quarter corner of section 3, township 20 north, range 2 east; thence west along said brushed line to its junction with the east-west drainage ditch; thence westerly along the north spoil bank of said ditch to its junction with the main northsouth drainage ditch; thence south along the west spoil bank of said ditch to its point of intersection with the Meadow Valley Flowage road; thence east along said Meadow Valley road to the point of beginning, all in Juneau county.

WCD 26.04 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from January 15 to May 15 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(13) DANE COUNTY. (a) Castle Marsh. All of the marshland commonly known as "Castle Marsh" lying north and east of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad right-of-way in the following described area:

Township 8 North, Range 9 East.

Section 36—NE¼ SW¼ NW¼; SE¼ NW¼; SE diagonal NE¼ NW¼; NE¼ SW¼; NW¼ SE¼; SW¼ NE¼ and all of the*marshland outlet channel into Lake Mendota and that water area of Lake Mendota proper extending 100 feet in any direction from the mouth of said marshland outlet channel and lying south and west of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad right-of-way in the following described area:

Township 8 North, Range 9 East.

Section 36-SW4 SE4 NW4.

(58) SHAWANO COUNTY. (a) *Embarrass river*. Beginning at the dam in and across the Embarrass river, located in section 10, township 26 north, range 14 east, commonly known as the Pella Dam, and thence downstream from said dam for 1,500 feet.

(b) Wolf river (Paper Mill dam). Beginning at the paper mill dam in and across the Wolf river located in section 1, township 26 north, range 15 east, in the city of Shawano, thence downstream from the said dam for 500 feet.

(c) Wolf river (Power House dam). That part of the Wolf river beginning at the dam commonly known as the Power House dam, located in section 1, township 27 north, range 14 east, and thence downstream for a distance of 500 feet.

History: 1-2-56; cr. (13), Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57.

WCD 26.05 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from April 1 to July 1 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(43) ONEIDA COUNTY. (a) Stone creek. All that part of Stone creek situated in sections 15, 16, 22 and 27 in township 39 north, range 4 east.

WCD 26.06 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from April 1 to May 15 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(68) WAUPACA COUNTY. (a) Little Wolf river. Beginning at the dam in and across the Little Wolf river, located in section 15, township 23 north, range 13 east, in the village of Manawa, and thence downstream from the said dam for 500 feet.

WCD 26.07 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from March 1 to June 30 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(29) JUNEAU COUNTY. (a) Meadow Valley Flowage. That part of the Meadow Valley Flowage lying in the following described area:

Township 20 North, Range 2 East.

Section 1-W1/2.

Sections 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6-Entire sections.

Section 7-N¹/₂.

Section 8-N¹/₂.

Section 9-N1/2.

Section 10-N¹/₂

Section 11-All that part lying north of the Meadow Valley Flowage road and west of State Highway 173.

(71) WOOD COUNTY. (a) Wood county public hunting grounds. Township 21 north, range 2 east, town of Remington.

Section 1—Entire fractional section. Section 2—Entire fractional section except 1 acre off of NW SE for school ground.

Section 3—Entire fractional section.

Section 4-S¹/₂ of section.

Section 5-N¹/₂ SE¹/₄, SW SE less 1 acre on south side, SE SE.

Section 7-E1/2 and S1/2 NW fractional 14.

Section 8-Entire section.

Section 9-Entire section.

Section 10-Entire section.

Section 11—Entire section. Section 12—Entire section.

Section 13-Entire section.

Section 14—Entire section.

Section 15-Entire section.

Section 16-Entire section.

Section 17—Entire section. Section 18—NE¹/₄ and E¹/₂ SE¹/₄.

Section 19-NE NE, W1/2 SE1/4.

Section 20-N¹/₂, N¹/₂ SW¹/₄, SE SW and SE¹/₄.

Section 21-E¹/₂ NE¹/₄, NW NW and SW SW.

Section 22—N^{$\frac{1}{2}$} of section. Section 23—N^{$\frac{1}{2}$} of section.

Section 24-N¹/₂ and SE¹/₄.

Section 27-S¹/₂ NW¹/₄ and S¹/₂ of section.

Section 28-W1/2 NE1/4, SE NE, NW1/4, N1/2 SW1/4 and SE1/4.

Section 29-N¹/₂ NE¹/₄, SE¹/₄ NE¹/₄.

Section 31—Entire fractional section. Section 32—W¹/₂ NW¹/₄, SW¹/₄ and W¹/₂ SE¹/₄. Section 32—W¹/₂ NW¹/₄, SW¹/₄ and W¹/₂ SE¹/₄. Section 33—N¹/₂ NE NE, N¹/₂ NW NE and S¹/₂ SE¹/₄. Section 34—W¹/₂ NE¹/₄, N¹/₂ NW¹/₄, SE¹/₄ NW¹/₄, NE¹/₄ SW¹/₄,

E¹/₂ NW¹/₄ SW¹/₄, S¹/₂ SW¹/₄, W¹/₂ SE¹/₄ and SE¹/₄ SE¹/₄. Section 35—E¹/₂, NE¹/₄, SW¹/₄ and S¹/₂ SW¹/₄. Section 36—E¹/₂ SE¹/₄ NE¹/₄, NW¹/₄ and S¹/₂ of section.

Township 21 north, range 3 east, town of Remington.

Section 15-W1/2 NE1/4 and W1/2 of section.

Section 16-NE¼ and S½ of section.

Section 17—W½ NW¼, W½ SW¼, SE¼ SW¼, NE¼ SE¼, S½ SE¼.

Section 18-Entire fractional section.

Section 19-Entire fractional section.

Section 20-N¹/₂ NE¹/₄.

Section 21-E¹/₂, E¹/₂ NW¹/₄ and SE¹/₄ SW¹/₄.

Section 22-N¹/₂ NW¹/₄.

Section $30-N\frac{1}{2}$ of fractional section.

Section 31-NE¼, N½ NW fractional ¼, S½ SW fractional ¼, NE¼ SE¼ and S½ SE¼.

Section $32 - SW\frac{1}{4} NW\frac{1}{4}$.

History: 1-2-56; am. intro. par., cr. (29), Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57.

WCD 26.08 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from March 1 of each year to the date immediately preceding the opening date of the general fishing season, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(66) WASHINGTON COUNTY. (a) Cedar creek. That portion of Cedar creek commencing at the dam which is the outlet of Big Cedar lake, downstream to the kettle of Little Cedar lake, all in sections 32 and 33, township 11 north, range 19 east.

WCD 26.09 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner each year beginning on October 1 and extending until the following May 15, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(59) SHEBOYGAN COUNTY. (a) Sheboygan marsh. That part of Sheboygan Marsh known as South Ditch with description as follows: East 150 feet of SW¼ of NE¼ of section 24. East 150 feet of W½ of SE¼ of section 24. South 150 feet of SW¼ of SE¼ of section 24. South 150 feet of SE¼ of SW¼ of section 24. All in township 16 north, range 20 east.

History: WCD 26.10, 1-2-56; r. Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57.

WCD 26.11 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from January 15 to June 19 in each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(58) SHAWANO COUNTY. (a) Shawano Lake Creek. That area of water known as Shawano lake creek and all its backwaters beginning at the bridge on the town highway on the section line between sections 28 and 29, township 27 north, range 16 east; thence to the Soo Line bridge in section 30, township 27 north, range 16 east.

WCD 26.12 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from April 1 to June 19 in each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(58) SHAWANO COUNTY. (a) Whispering Pines lagoons. That body of water known as the Whispering Pines lagoons adjacent to and connecting with Shawano lake. Said lagoons lying in section 14, township 27 north, range 16 east.

WCD 26.13 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from November 1 to May 14 in each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

(67) WAUKESHA COUNTY. (a) Eagle Springs lake. That part of Eagle Springs lake lying west and north of a line extending in a northeasterly direction from Horse island to Mary island, both located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 35, township 5 north, range 17 east.

WCD 26.14 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from January 1 to June 15 in each year, both dates inclusive, in, on, or along the following described water areas.

(48) POLK COUNTY. (a) Sucker creek. That part of Sucker creek beginning at the outlet of Lake Wapogasset and extending downstream to the county trunk highway "F" bridge, all in section 26, township 33 north, range 17 west.

WCD 26.15 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from April 1 to April 30 in each year, both dates inclusive, in, on, or along the following described water areas.

(39) MARQUETTE COUNTY. (a) Fox River (Montello dam). That part of the Fox river beginning at the Montello dam and extending downstream for a distance of 100 feet.

WCD 26.16 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill, or fish for fish in any manner from March 1 to May 31 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas:

(14) DODGE COUNTY. (a) Beaver Creek. All that part of Beaver Creek beginning at the highway bridge at the inlet of Beaver Dam Lake and extending upstream to the county trunk highway "G" bridge, all in sections 8, 9 and 19, Township 12 North, Range 13 East.

History: Cr. Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57.

WCD 26.17 Lake Poygan sturgeon refuge. (1) The following described area located in Winnebago county, is hereby created and established as a fish refuge for sturgeon, and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch, capture, kill or fish for sturgeon in any manner or by any means, or to take, capture, kill or

fish for any other species of fish by the use of spear, from February 11, 1956 to February 19, 1956, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas:

Lake Poygan—That part of Lake Poygan in Winnebago county lying north of a line beginning at a point on the shore of Lake Poygan in the northwest corner of the NE¼ SE¼, section 36, township 20 north, range 14 east, where the north-south town road extended intersects the shoreline of said Lake Poygan and extending to a point of land commonly known as Piper's Point or Monstead's Point in the SW¼ SE¼ of section 31, township 20 north, range 14 east. Said line to be clearly marked and posted by the agents of the conservation commission.

WCD 26.19 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, capture, kill or fish for fish in any manner or at any time except during the open season for muskellunge in, on or along the following described water areas:

(57) SAWYER COUNTY. (a) Chippewa River. Beginning at the gate of the reservoir dam known as the Winter Dam in Government Lots 1 and 9 in Section 2, Township 39 North, Range 6 West, Sawyer County, Wisconsin and extending downstream 1,000 feet.

History: Cr. Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57.

WCD 26.20 Fish refuges. The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, capture, kill or fish for fish in any manner from April 15 to June 1 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas:

(57) SAWYER COUNTY. (a) Whitefish Creek. The entire length of Whitefish Creek from Whitefish Lake to Lac Court Oreilles, all lying in Sections 11 and 12, Township 39 North, Range 9 West.

History: Cr. Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57.

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