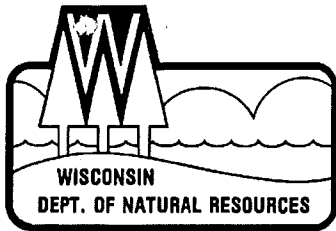


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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

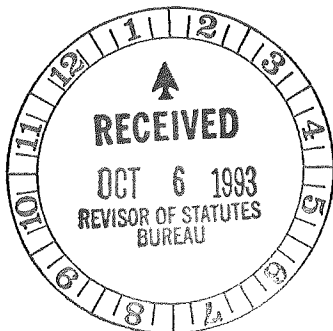
I, George E. Meyer, Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and custodian of the official records of said Department, do hereby certify that the annexed copy of Natural Resources Board Order No. FM-11-93 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on June 24, 1993. I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have here-
unto set my hand and affixed the
official seal of the Department at
the Natural Resources Building in
the City of Madison, this 29th
day of September, 1993.

George E. Meyer

George E. Meyer, Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN
NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD
REPEALING, AMENDING,
REPEALING AND RECREATING,
AND CREATING RULES

.....
IN THE MATTER OF repealing s. NR 20.03(1)(cm); .
amending ss. NR 20.02(1)(e)3., 20.03(1)(a)1.c., e. .
and f., 6., and 9., (c)4., 6., and 7., and (q)1.a. .
and 20.04 (3)(am) 10.; repealing and recreating .
s. NR 20.03(1)(c)5.; and creating . FM-11-93
s. NR 20.03(1)(a)1.cm. and d., (c)9., 20.13(6) and .
26.09(59) of the Wisconsin Administrative Code .
pertaining to sport fishing and fish refuges .
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Analysis Prepared by the Department of Natural Resources

Statutory authority: ss. 29.174(3) and 227.11(2)(a), Stats.

Statutes interpreted: ss. 29.085 and 29.174(2)(a), Stats.

In this order:

SECTION 1 changes the daily bag limit from 5 to 1 and the minimum length limit from 12 inches to 22 inches for smallmouth bass in Lake Superior (including all of the Kagagon river and connected sloughs) for the revised period from the Saturday instead of the Sunday nearest June 20 to March 1;

SECTIONS 2, 4, and 6 reduce the daily bag limit from 5 to 0 in 29 northern zone special regulation waters from the first Saturday in May to the Friday nearest June 20. SECTION 5 also establishes the same daily bag limit, minimum length limit and revised season for most inland waters in the northern bass zone;

SECTION 3 shifts existing special regulations for bass in the southern zone to a section of the code separate from regulations for the northern zone;

SECTION 7. NR 20.03(1)(c)5 is repealed and recreated to read:

Kind of fish and locality	Open season (both) dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Minimum length (inches)
5. Tributaries to Lake Superior and their connected sloughs including all of the Bad river, White river, Fish creek, Kakagon and Sand Cut rivers in Ashland county; the Iron river and Fish creek sloughs in Bayfield county; the Bois Brule river, Middle river, Poplar river and the Amnicon river in Douglas county	First Saturday in May to March 1	5, of which no more than one may be over 20 inches in length	15

SECTION 8. NR 20.03 (1)(c) 4., 6., .7 and 11 are amended to read:

Kind of fish and locality	Open season (both) dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Minimum length (inches)
(c) WALLEYE AND SAUGER AND HYBRIDS THEREOF			
4. The Nemadji river, Allouez bay, Little Pokegama bay, Pokegama bay, and Kimballs bay, Douglas county	Saturday nearest May 15 to March 1	2 in aggregate with sauger	15
6. Lake Butte des Morts, Lake Winneconne, Lake Poygan, Lake Winnebago and waters upstream on the Fox river to the state hwy. 23 bridge at Princeton and the waters upstream on the Wolf river to the dam in the city of Shawano	Continuous	5 in aggregate with sauger	No size limit for sauger; 15 for walleye

Kind of fish and locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Minimum length (inches)
7. Lake Mendota and its following tributaries: Cherokee lake, Warner Park lagoons, Pheasant Branch creek from its mouth upstream to county hwy. M, Sixmile creek from its mouth upstream to state hwy. 19 in Sec. 8, and Yahara river from its mouth upstream to state hwy. 19; all in Dane county	First Saturday in May to March 1	3	15 until March 17, 1991 18 thereafter
11. In all other waters (See also s. NR 20.04)	First Saturday in May to March 1	5 in aggregate with sauger	15

SECTION 9. NR 20.03(1)(cm) is repealed.

SECTION 10. NR 20.03(1)(q)1.a. is amended to read:

Kind of fish and locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Minimum length (inches)
a. In all waters except Lakes Poygan, Winneconne, Butte des Morts, Winnebago and connecting waters; in the Embarrass river from the Pella dam, Shawano county downstream to its confluence with the Wolf river in Outagamie county; in the Shioc river from the Outagamie-Shawano county line downstream <u>downstream</u> to its confluence with the Wolf River <u>river</u> , in the Little Wolf river from the Manawa dam, Waupaca county downstream to its confluence with the Wolf river in Waupaca county; the Wolf river from the dam at Shawano downstream to Lake Poygan; and the Fox river downstream from milepost No. 63, commonly known as Johnson creek in	First Saturday in September to October 15	1 per season	50

Green Lake county to Lake Butte des Morts;
in the St. Croix river from Upper
St. Croix lake, Douglas county
downstream to the Minnesota
state line; in the Namekagon
river from Namekagon lake,
Bayfield county downstream to its
confluence with the St. Croix
river in Burnett county, in the
Totagatic river from Totagatic
lake, Bayfield county downstream
to its confluence with the
Namekagon river in Burnett
county; and the Nemadji river,
 Allouez bay, Little Pokegama bay,
 Pokegama bay and Kimballs bay,
 Douglas county.

SECTION 11. NR 20.04(3)(am)10. is amended to read:

NR 20.04(3)(am)10. La Crosse river including ~~Lake Neshonoc~~
 sloughs and bayous from the ~~Perch lake dam at Sparta~~ Lake Neshonoc
dam at West Salem downstream to the Mississippi river.

SECTION 12. NR 20.13(6) is created to read:

NR 20.13(6) PROHIBITED METHODS WITHIN FISH SHANTIES. During the
 open season for spearing sturgeon under s. NR 20.03(1)(q)2.a. and b.,
 no person may fish with or possess hook and line within any building,
 tent, shanty or similar enclosure containing an ice hole larger than
 12 inches in diameter or square.

SECTION 13. NR 26.09(59) is created to read:

NR 26.09(59) WAUKESHA COUNTY. Oconomowoc river. That part
 of the Oconomowoc river between the Okauchee lake dam and 500 feet
 below the dam.

The foregoing rules were approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on June 24, 1993.

The rules contained herein shall take effect on January 1, 1994, pursuant to authority granted by s. 227.22(2)(b), Stats.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, Sept. 29, 1993.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

By George E. Meyer
George E. Meyer, Secretary

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