

Attachment 2

NPS Management of Recreational Fishing		
State	Unit	Park Policies, Guidance, and Regulations that are More Restrictive than States
AK	Katmai NP & Pres.	Due to intense bear activity and limited storage space for fish that are caught, salmon retention is limited by NPS to 1 fish per day at Brooks River, and only in the lower river area where the fish can be quickly transported away from the river to a hard-sided facility for storage.
WY	Yellowstone NP	In alignment with the Interstate Yellowstone Cutthroat Trout Conservation Team, the park regulations provide additional restrictions to suppress nonnative fish and meet interstate goals to conserve native trout. The fishing public needs a park license. Only non-lead fishing tackle, sinkers, jigs, etc. are permitted.
OK	Chickasaw NRA	The park has prohibited fishing in Travertine Creek and bodies of water east of U.S. 177, which are extensively used for recreational swimming. This is a public safety issue as it prevents swimmers in these popular swimming areas from being injured from lost fishing tackle. Fishing in Veterans Lake, creeks, and all small watershed lakes less than 100 acres are restricted to the uses of hand line or rod and reel. Nets and other means of fishing are prohibited, except in Lake of the Arbuckles. This is intended to prevent unattended fishing equipment in these smaller bodies of water from interfering with other forms of water recreation.
NM	Pecos NHP	To bolster native fish populations within the unit, fishing is only allowed on a reservation system. Fish harvest of non-native species is now allowed (Sept. 2018) and is the same as State regulations, however native non-game fish are catch and release only due to their "sensitive" status.
CO	Rocky Mountain NP	The park does not allow the use of live bait or attractants, and requires barbless hooks. The park prohibits the use of spearfishing, archery, slingshots, seines, netting. In catch and keep waters, the park has a higher bag limit for brook trout than the State, and a lower limit for non-greenback cutthroat trout. The park defines certain waters as catch and release only for Colorado River Cutthroat Trout.
MT	Glacier NP	Some park waters are closed to fishing to protect the listed bull trout. The use of all lead associated with fishing is prohibited within Glacier National Park.
WI	Apostle Islands NL	State agency, Tribe(s), and park-specific rules apply within the unit. To prevent disease, the unit has live bait restrictions to limit exposure to Viral Hemorrhagic Septicemia

AR	Arkansas Post NMem.	Fishing is only permitted with hook and line, with rod or line closely attended. Bowfishing, noodling and hogging are not permitted. Giggling for frogs and snagging are permitted.
AR	Buffalo NR	The park allows fishing only by hook and line, with rod or line attended. Bow fishing, noodling and hogging are not currently permitted; however, the 2018 draft Superintendent's Compendium, will allow bowfishing and noodling. Commercial fishing is also prohibited within the unit.
OH	Cuyahoga Valley NP	To protect against digging and the spread of invasive species, the park prohibits the use of live bait, bait fish, or amphibians.
MN	Grand Portage NM	All Grand Portage Band of Minnesota Tribe fishing laws and/or regulations apply.
MI	Isle Royale NP	The park has park specific restrictions on bait and barbless hooks, regulations on artificial lures, brook trout, rainbow trout, Lake trout, Northern pike, and lake herring. The use of artificial lures avoids the spread of disease and non-native bait species.
MO	Ozark NSR	The park has established conditions on the digging of bait for personal use, as well as the times, locations and conditions governing the taking of frogs, turtles, and/or crayfish.
WI	Saint Croix NSR	To prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species, the park prohibits the use of crayfish (MN) or live crayfish (WI) within the Federally managed portion of the Riverway.
KS	Tallgrass Prairie NPRES	To protect against the introduction of aquatic nuisance species and protect the Federally endangered Topeka shiner and other native stream cyprinids, the unit has established rules for catch and release only and does not allow live bait.
DC	Rock Creek Park	Fishing in the portion of Rock Creek in US Reservation 339, is prohibited under statute.
VA, MD, DC	George Washington Memorial PKWY	Fishing at Dyke Marsh Wildlife Preserve is prohibited under statute.

WV, MD, VA	Harpers Ferry National Historical Park	Fishing from the Goodloe E. Byron Memorial Pedestrian Walkway is not permitted, as it runs adjacent to the railroad bridge and allows for foot traffic only. Located immediately below the walkway, are the archaeological ruins of the bridge piers of the historic Bowman Bridge. Recreational activities from the walkway potentially threaten those features and may have adverse effects on the safety of recreational river users below.
NJ, NY	Gateway NRA	Fishing is prohibited in non-tidal waters in the park, along the shoreline under the Verrazano Bridge and adjacent to Battery Weed and the Torpedo Pier is closed to fishing, on lifeguard protected beaches when lifeguards are on duty, and within 150 feet of posted shorebird nesting areas. Due to health concerns, shellfishing is prohibited in all park waters. The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and New York Department of Environmental Conservation has closed and "condemned" certain waters to the harvesting or collecting of shellfish.
ME	Katahdin Woods and Waters NM	The park does not allow the use of live bait.
VA	Shenandoah NP	The park has a 9-inch size requirement for harvest to ensure mature fish remain in the population to breed. Virginia generally requires 7-inch limits, but does include 9-inch requirements in Special Regulation Trout Waters. Any angled non-native trout are required to be permanently removed from park waters. The park does not allow the use of live bait.
CA	Lassen Volcanic NP	Manzanita Lake in the park is catch and release only. In addition, only artificial lures with a single barbless hook are permitted. Live bait is also not permitted in Kings Creek, Mill Creek, and Hat Creek. The park has an MOU with the State to manage the fishery in Manzanita Lake.
CA	Sequoia Kings Canyon NP	In waters below 9,000 feet elevation that are not located in a Developed Area, Rainbow Trout, Sacramento Sucker, Kern Rainbow, Sculpin, and Roach Fish must be released and only barbless artificial flies or lures are authorized.
HI	Pu`uhonua o Honaunau NHP	Fishing is prohibited in all anchialine pools to prevent disturbance and contamination of these fragile ecosystems. Bow fishing is prohibited within the park boundaries.
HI	Hawaii Volcanoes NP	Per statute, fishing is permitted in the Kalapana extension only by native Hawaiian residents of said areas or of adjacent villages and by visitors under their guidance.

OR	Crater Lake NP	Unlike the State, the park allows unlimited take of fish in all streams and bodies of water except Sun Creek and Lost Creek. In addition, the park does not require a fishing license. Sun Creek and Lost Creek are closed to fishing because they contain populations of bull trout (<i>Salvelinus confluentus</i>), a native fish listed as threatened.
FL	Big Cypress National NP and Pres.	Fishing in freshwater in the park is permitted by hook and line only.
NC, VA	Blue Ridge PKWY	Fishing is prohibited from one-half hour after sunset until one-half hour before sunrise. The park has some limited closures: fishing from the dam at Price Lake or from the footbridge in Price Lake picnic area in Watauga County, N.C., and from the James River Parkway Bridge in Bedford and Amherst Counties, Va., is prohibited. With respect to bait, possession of or use of live bait is not allowed. In designated waters in North Carolina in the park, the use of bait other than artificial lures having a single hook is prohibited. In other designated waters in North Carolina, the use of bait other than single hook artificial flies is prohibited. In designated waters in Virginia, the use of bait other than artificial lures having one single hook is prohibited. In designated waters in North Carolina and Virginia, the daily creel and size limits are as posted around the lake shorelines and along the stream banks.
NC, TN	Great Smoky Mountains NP	The park does not allow the use of a liquid, chemical or aerosol product intended as a scented attractant, or any tackle manufactured with an impregnated scent. There are also some streams and their tributaries upstream that are closed to fishing to protect native brook trout, while the populations are being restored.
LA	Jean Lafitte NHP and Pres.	Though broadly similar to what is allowed elsewhere in Louisiana, the park limits recreational fishing in some ways by designating areas where no fishing is permitted for reasons of public safety. The park consults with the State on those limits and they will be included in Louisiana's annually published fishing regulations in the wildlife management areas, refuges, and Federal lands section beginning in 2019. The park also limits species and methods of take to those that have been traditionally used in the area by means that maintain public safety and do not cause unacceptable damage to park resources. A written determination justifying the action is published at least annually in the Superintendent's Orders. The park does not allow the harvest of reptiles and amphibians under State-issued fishing licenses.
KY, TN	Big South Fork NRRRA	The park does not allow non-native species to be used as bait.
TN	Obed WSR	The park does not allow non-native species to be used as bait.