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INTRODUCTION

The Illinois Register is the official state document for publishing public notice of rulemaking activity initiated by State governmental agencies. The table of contents is arranged categorically by rulemaking activity and alphabetically by agency within each category.

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Editor's Note: The Secretary of State Index Department is providing this opportunity to remind you that the next filing period for your Regulatory Agenda will occur from October 15, 2012 to January 2, 2013.

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

- 1) Heading of the Part: Sex Equity
- 2) Code Citation: 89 Ill. Adm. Code 829
- 3)

<u>Section Numbers:</u>	<u>Proposed Action:</u>
829.10	Amendment
829.20	Amendment
829.30	Amendment
829.40	Amendment
829.50	Amendment
829.70	Amendment
829.80	Amendment
829.90	Amendment
829.100	Amendment
- 4) Statutory Authority: Implementing Sections 10 and 11 and authorized by Section 3(f) of the Disabled Persons Rehabilitation Act [20 ILCS 2405/10, 11 and 3(f)]
- 5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: This rulemaking pertains to the Department of Human Services, Rehabilitation Services, regarding equality of both sexes at the residential school facilities. This rulemaking is a result of updating all school rules to insure that language is consistent with current terminology and program practices. The revisions include:
 - Changing "Office" to "Division"; "ORS" to "DRS"; and add "DRS" to "DHS" when appropriate;
 - Changing "Vocational and Career Education" to "Technical and Career Education"; and
 - Removing Section 829.100 (a) as a result of a labor relations finding.
- 6) Published studies or reports, and sources of underlying data, used to compose this rulemaking: None
- 7) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 8) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 9) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No

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- 10) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objectives: This rulemaking does not create or expand a State mandate.
- 12) Time, Place, and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed rulemaking: Interested persons may present their comments concerning this rulemaking within 45 days of the date of this issue of the *Illinois Register*. All requests and comments should be submitted in writing to:
- Tracie Drew, Chief
Bureau of Administrative Rules and Procedures
Department of Human Services
100 South Grand Avenue East
Harris Building, 3rd Floor
Springfield, Illinois 62762
- 217/557-1544
- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
- A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not for profit corporations affected: None
- B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: None
- C) Types of professional skills necessary for compliance: Educators at the School for the Deaf and the School for the Visually Impaired are required to have appropriate certifications to teach students at each school.
- 14) Regulatory Agenda on which this rulemaking was summarized: July 2012

The full text of the Proposed Amendments begins on the next page:

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

TITLE 89: SOCIAL SERVICES
CHAPTER IV: DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
SUBCHAPTER f: EDUCATIONAL FACILITIESPART 829
SEX EQUITY

Section	
829.10	Definitions
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829.50	Educational Programs and Activities
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829.70	Extracurricular Programs and Activities
829.80	Compliance and Enforcement
829.90	Effects of Other Requirements
829.100	Supervision of Students by School Staff

AUTHORITY: Implementing Sections 10 and 11 and authorized by Section 3(f) of the Disabled Persons Rehabilitation Act [20 ILCS 2405/10, 11 and 3(f)].

SOURCE: Adopted at 13 Ill. Reg. 5755, effective April 11, 1989; recodified from the Department of Rehabilitation Services to the Department of Human Services at 21 Ill. Reg. 9325; amended at 23 Ill. Reg. 10281, effective August 10, 1999; amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

Section 829.10 Definitions

In addition to the terms defined in Part 751, the following terms are defined for the purposes of this Part.

"Comparable" means similar in quality and quantity, taking into consideration all relevant facts and circumstances.

"Contact Sports" means those sports whose purpose or major activity involves bodily contact: e.g., basketball, boxing, football, goalball, ~~ice hockey~~, rugby, and wrestling.

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"Counseling" means all guidance activities, personal counseling, guidance-related evaluation and testing, provision of vocational and career information and advice, scheduling assistance, and any other guidance services provided to students by any person acting under the authorization of ~~the~~ State School.

"Course" means any ~~State~~-School sponsored class regardless of the location of ~~the~~ class meetings, nature of instruction, or type or age of student.

"Discrimination" means the violation of individuals' ~~State~~ or federal equal rights guarantees (U.S. Constitution, Amendment 14; 20 USC 1681 et seq.; Illinois Constitution, Article I, Sections 2, 18; and Sections 10-22.5 and 27-1 of the School Code [105 ILCS 5/10-22.5], whether intended or unintended.

"Disparate Interest Levels" means that, according to the results of a ~~State~~-School's written student athletics interest survey, the total number of students of one sex who wish to participate in all athletics exceeds by more than 50% the total number of students of the other sex who wish to participate in all athletics. Disparate interest levels do not in and of themselves evidence discrimination.

"Disproportionate Enrollment" means that students of one sex constitute at least 75% of a School's participants in a given program, course, or activity. Disproportionate enrollment does not in and of itself evidence discrimination.

"Equal Access" means availability of opportunity without discrimination on the basis of sex, going beyond simple admission to a course or activity to include full and unrestricted participation in educational and experiential processes.

"Prime Time" means that time period which is most desirable locally for a given activity.

"Program" means a series of courses or set of activities leading toward identified educational or experiential student outcomes.

"Sex Bias" means the attribution of behaviors, abilities, interests, values and/or roles to a person or group of persons on the basis of their sex.

"Sexual Harassment" means unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature.

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"Sexual Intimidation"~~;~~ means any behavior, verbal or nonverbal, which has the effect of subjecting members of either sex to humiliation, embarrassment or discomfort because of their gender.

"Significant Assistance" means the payment of dues, fees, or other remuneration in return for the provision of services or benefits, or any other collaboration that significantly facilitates the functioning of any agency, organization, or person outside ~~the a State~~-School.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.20 Applicability

Nothing contained herein shall be construed as relieving a ~~State~~-School of its duty to comply with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (20 USC 1681 et seq.) or its implementing regulations (34 CFR 106).

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.30 Administration

- a) All policies and practices of the ~~SchoolState Schools~~ shall comply with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (20 USC 1681 et seq.), Article I, Section 18 of the Illinois Constitution, and Sections 10-22.5 and 27-1 of the School Code [105 ILCS 5/10-22.5 and 27-1].
- b) The ~~SchoolState Schools~~ shall not discriminate on the basis of sex in the provision of programs, activities, services, or benefits. They shall guarantee both sexes equal access to educational and extracurricular programs and activities.
- c) Any individual(s) wishing to appeal a decision of action alleging that a ~~State~~ School has discriminated against a student or students on the basis of the student's sex may do so as set forth in 89 Ill. Adm. Code 510 (Appeals).
- d) Each ~~State~~-School shall take reasonable measures to assure that employees, students and parents or guardians are informed of the School's sex equity policy and grievance procedure, e.g., through the use of policy manuals and student handbooks.

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- e) Each ~~State~~ School shall, at least every four years, evaluate its policies and practices in terms of the requirements of these rules to identify sex discrimination and shall develop a written sex equity plan to modify any policy or practice that does not meet the requirements of those rules and take remedial steps to eliminate the effects of any discrimination resulting from ~~thesuch~~ policy or practice.
- 1) The sex equity evaluation shall include an examination of course enrollment data to identify any instances of disproportionate enrollment on the basis of sex and, where discrimination may have contributed to ~~the disproportionalitysuch disproportionately~~, the sex equity plan shall seek to redress ~~the disproportionalityany such disproportionately~~ identified.
 - 2) DHS-~~DRS~~ shall assure that in-service training implementing the sex equity plan shall be provided to ~~theState~~ School administrators and to certificated and ~~non-certificatednoncertificated~~ personnel annually.
- f) Except as provided in Section 829.70(a)(4) and 829.100, a ~~State~~ School may not, on the basis of sex, designate or otherwise limit the use of any facility or portion thereof, related services, equipment or supplies. This Section shall not apply to shower and toilet facilities, locker rooms, dormitories, and dressing areas. All ~~such~~ accommodations and all related support and maintenance services shall be comparable for both sexes.
- g) Except as provided in Section 829.70(a)(4), a ~~State~~ School may not provide significant assistance to or enter into any agreement with any organization, group, business or individual that discriminates against students on the basis of sex.
- h) A ~~State~~ School shall not institute organizational changes or employment practices ~~thatwhich~~ would result in discrimination against students of either sex.
- i) A ~~State~~ School shall maintain records documenting compliance with this Part, e.g., records of sex equity evaluations and plans, remediation efforts and in-service activities, athletic interest survey results, enrollment data, grievances and their disposition; ~~thesesuch~~ records shall be made available to ~~the~~ Illinois State Board of Education (~~ISBE~~) enforcement authorities upon request.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.40 Treatment of Students

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- a) No student shall, on the basis of sex, be denied equal access to programs, activities, services or benefits or be limited in the exercise of any right, privilege, advantage, or opportunity.
- b) A ~~State~~ School shall apply the same system and program admission standards for both sexes.
- c) A ~~State~~ School shall not set quotas limiting the number of either male or female students who will be admitted to the ~~State~~ School's programs, courses or activities unless ~~thesuch~~ quotas have the effect of furthering affirmative action goals established by the ~~State~~ School to overcome the effects of conditions that resulted in limited participation in a program or activity by persons of a particular sex.
- d) Graduation requirements shall be the same for both sexes.
- e) No student shall be discriminated against because of his or her actual or potential marital or parental status.
 - 1) Pregnancy shall be treated as any other temporary disability.
 - 2) Pregnancy or parenthood shall not be considered cause for dismissal or exclusion from any program or activity.
 - 3) Participation in special programs provided for pregnant students or students who are parents shall be at the student's option.
 - 4) ~~The School~~~~State Schools~~ shall eliminate administrative and programmatic barriers to school attendance and school completion by pregnant students or students who are parents.
 - 5) ~~The School~~~~State Schools~~ will not pay for medical care directly related to pregnancy or for child care for the children of students.
- f) No student shall be subjected to sexual intimidation or harassment by any ~~State~~ School employee, by other students, or by the effect of any school policy or practice.
- g) A ~~State~~ School shall not discriminate on the basis of sex in the bestowing of

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awards, honors, scholarships and financial aid.

- h) A ~~State~~-School may not discriminate on the basis of sex in the provision of employment opportunities for students; a ~~School~~~~state school~~ may not enter into ~~work-study~~~~work-study~~ or cooperative employment agreements with employers who discriminate against students on the basis of sex.
- i) The ~~State~~-Schools' discipline policies and practices shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.50 Educational Programs and Activities

- a) General Practices
 - 1) All courses shall be open to students regardless of their sex, although students may be segregated by sex during class sessions or portions ~~of class sessions~~~~thereof~~, which deal exclusively with human sexuality.
 - 2) Students shall be advised to take courses consistent with their interests and abilities, regardless of their sex.
 - 3) Neither course titles nor course descriptions shall discourage either sex from enrolling.
 - 4) Course prerequisites and course requirements shall be the same for both sexes.
 - 5) Course content and course objectives shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
- b) Selected Program Areas
 - 1) Music
 - A) Students shall not be separated according to sex when participating in voice instruction, although divisions within a class may be established on the basis of vocal range and quality.

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- B) The study of musical instruments shall be suited to students' individual interests and abilities, regardless of their sex.
- 2) Physical Education
- A) Each physical education class shall be open equally to both sexes.
- i) Instructional portions of all physical education classes shall be coeducational.
- ii) A student may be segregated by sex during participation in a contact sport, upon parental or guardian request or when the student's safety is at jeopardy.
- B) ~~When~~~~Where~~ assignments to classes or portions of classes are based on ability levels, group composition shall be determined by objective standards of individual performance developed and applied without regard to sex, and students shall be re-grouped at appropriate intervals, e.g., when substantial changes occur in either teaching objectives or student ability levels.
- C) If the use of a single standard for measuring skill or progress in a physical education class results in discrimination against members of either sex, appropriate standards ~~that~~~~which~~ do not have ~~that~~~~such~~ effect shall be used.
- D) Neither physical education classes nor areas where ~~those~~~~such~~ classes are conducted shall be designated by sex.
- 3) Special Education
- A) Special education referral, testing and placement practices shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
- B) Classes and related services for students with disabilities shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
- 4) Gifted Education

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- A) Gifted education referral, testing and placement practices shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
- B) Programs and classes or related services for gifted students shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
- 5) Technical~~Vocational~~ and Career Education
 - A) Students shall be provided opportunities to acquire knowledge and understanding of technical~~vocational~~ and career options without discrimination on the basis of sex.
 - B) Materials used in technical~~vocational~~ and career education shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
- c) Classroom Practices
 - 1) Classroom practices shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
 - 2) Teaching methods shall in no way inhibit the participation of any student on the basis of sex.
 - 3) The history, roles and contributions of both sexes shall be presented on a comparable basis in curricular areas.
 - 4) Teachers shall utilize methods designed to counteract sex bias in instructional materials.
 - 5) Instructional materials shall not be discriminatory against either sex.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.70 Extracurricular Programs and Activities

- a) General Practices
 - 1) Except as provided in subsection (b)(1)(A) of this Section, students of both sexes shall have equal access to all extracurricular programs and

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activities, including clubs, committees, service or honor organizations, intramural sports programs, interscholastic athletics and other after-school activities ~~that~~~~which~~ are offered by a ~~State~~-School.

- 2) Except as provided in subsection (b)(1)(A) of this Section, extracurricular programs and activities offered by a ~~State~~-School shall not use titles ~~that~~~~which~~ imply that membership or participation is restricted on the basis of sex.
- 3) A ~~State~~-School shall not provide significant assistance to any association or conference whose purpose is to organize or regulate interscholastic competition if that association or conference discriminates on the basis of sex in the provision of benefits or services to students.
- 4) ~~The School~~~~State Schools~~ may cooperate with single sex youth organizations that are tax exempt and whose membership has traditionally been limited to members of one sex and principally to persons who are under 19 years of age, provided that comparable activities shall be available for both sexes.

b) Selected Activity Areas

- 1) Athletics (Interscholastic and Intramural)
 - A) Both sexes shall be accorded equal opportunities to participate in athletic programs.
 - i) Single-sex teams are permitted for contact sports or when selection for team membership is based upon competitive skill, provided the interests and abilities of both sexes are accommodated.
 - ii) In a non-contact sport, when a team is provided only for members of one sex, members of the excluded sex must be allowed to compete for a place on the team if their overall athletic opportunities have been limited in comparison with those of the other sex.
 - iii) ~~When~~~~Where~~ a coeducational team in a given sport does not

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accommodate the interests and abilities of members of both sexes, separate teams shall be afforded by sex. For example, if the level of interest determined pursuant to subsection (b)(1)(B) indicates that 30 students of one sex and 30 students of the other sex want to participate in a particular sport, but only one student of the first sex is able to qualify to compete while 20 students of the other sex do so, a coeducational team does not accommodate the interests and abilities of both sexes.

- B) ~~At Within one year of the effective date of this Part and at~~ least once every four years ~~thereafter~~, each ~~State~~ School shall assess student athletics interest by administering a written survey to all students. If survey data indicate that the overall levels of student interest in the range of alternatives being provided are disparate between the sexes and ~~this such~~ disparity may be the result of discrimination, the ~~State~~ School shall initiate efforts to reduce ~~this such~~ disparity.
- C) Based upon the results of the interest survey, existing offerings and other pertinent factors (e.g., budget, facilities, available competition, etc.), each ~~State~~ School shall provide comparable continuity in sports opportunities for students of both sexes (i.e., students have the opportunity to acquire skills at successive levels, over time, within a given sport).
- D) The nature and extent of the athletics programs offered by a ~~State~~ School shall accommodate the interests and abilities of both sexes to a comparable degree. Factors to be considered in assessing program comparability include, but are not necessarily limited to, the following:
- i) selection of sports offered;₅
 - ii) levels of competition within sports;₅
 - iii) length of sports seasons;₅
 - iv) scheduling of athletics opportunities throughout the

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- calendar year;
 - v) scheduling of practices and games during prime time;
 - vi) use of facilities for practice and competition;
 - vii) ratio of ~~coaches~~each(es) to athletes;
 - viii) quality of coaching and officiating (e.g., credentials, experience and compensation);
 - ix) assignment and compensation of coaches and officials;
 - x) supplies and equipment;
 - xi) allowances for travel and per diem;
 - xii) medical and training services;
 - xiii) publicity for teams and individual participants; ~~and~~;
 - xiv) overall distribution of athletic budget funds.
- 2) Music
- A) Choruses segregated by sex shall not be allowed; however, choral groups based upon vocal range and ~~qualities~~quality are allowable.
 - B) Instrumental music skill acquisition and performance shall be based upon students' individual interests and abilities, regardless of their sex.
- 3) Speech and Drama
- A) Competitive speaking events shall be open to both sexes.
 - B) Materials limited to a single sex (e.g., a monologue specific to one sex) may be used as long as comparable opportunities are provided for both sexes.

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- 4) Miscellaneous
- A) Activities such as cheerleading, pompom squads, color guards, school safety patrol, teacher or/office aides, and library assistants shall be open to students of both sexes.
- i) Participation criteria, selection procedures, or uniform restrictions ~~that~~~~which~~ would discriminate on the basis of sex shall not be applied.
- ii) Criteria for the utilization of ~~these~~~~sueh~~ groups shall not discriminate on the basis of sex.
- B) A king or queen of an activity may be selected; however, comparable opportunities for students of both sexes shall be provided.
- C) If a ~~State~~-School sponsors mother-son, father-daughter, mother-daughter, or father-son activities, comparable activities shall be available for both sexes, and the special needs of children from single-parent families shall be accommodated.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.80 Compliance and Enforcement

Compliance with this Part will be subject to evaluation during the recognition process for the ~~School~~~~State~~ ~~Schools~~ established in 23 Ill. Adm. Code 1 (Public Schools Evaluation, Recognition and Supervision).

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.90 Effects of Other Requirements

The obligation to comply with this Part is not obviated or alleviated by any policy or regulation of any club, organization, athletic league or other association ~~that~~~~which~~ would limit the eligibility or participation of students on the basis of their sex in any program or activity operated by any ~~State~~-School covered by this Part.

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(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 829.100 Supervision of Students by School Staff

- a) ~~Direct supervision of female students shall be by adult female staff while they are in their living quarters at night.~~
- a)b) Supervision and assistance of female students, as necessary, in the performance of personal hygiene will be performed by an adult female staff.
- b)e) Extracurricular activities that require overnight stays away from the ~~State~~ School will be supervised by female staff when the students involved are female.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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- 1) Heading of the Part: Public Use of State Parks and Other Properties of the Department of Natural Resources
- 2) Code Citation: 17 Ill. Adm. Code 110
- 3) Section Number: 110.40 Proposed Action: Amendment
- 4) Statutory Authority: Implementing and authorized by Section 8 of the State Forest Act [525 ILCS 40/8] and by Sections 1, 2, 4 and 6 of the State Parks Act [20 ILCS 835/1, 2, 4 and 6] and by Section 5 of the State Parks Designation Act [20 ILCS 840/5] and by Sections 805-10, 805-520, 805-525, 805-330, 805-335 and 805-515 of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois [20 ILCS 805/805-10, 805-520, 805-525, 805-330, 805-335 and 805-515]
- 5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: This Part is being amended to allow boats on Argyle Lake, located in Argyle Lake State Park (McDonough County), to operate at full speed if they have motors 10 H.P. or less. Boats with motors larger than 10 H.P. will now be allowed to operate at no-wake or idle speed.
- 6) Published studies or reports, and sources of underlying data, used to compose this rulemaking: None
- 7) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 8) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 9) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 10) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objectives: This rulemaking does not affect units of local government.
- 12) Time, Place and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed rulemaking: Comments on the proposed rulemaking may be submitted in writing for a period of 45 days following publication of this Notice to:

Nick San Diego, Legal Counsel

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Department of Natural Resources
One Natural Resources Way
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- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
- A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not for profit corporations affected: None
 - B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: None
 - C) Types of Professional skills necessary for compliance: None
- 14) Regulatory Agenda on which this rulemaking was summarized: This rulemaking was not included on either of the 2 most recent regulatory agendas because: the need for the amendment was not known when the most recent Regulatory Agenda was drafted.

The full text of the Proposed Amendment begins on the next page:

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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TITLE 17: CONSERVATION
CHAPTER I: DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
SUBCHAPTER a: LANDSPART 110
PUBLIC USE OF STATE PARKS AND OTHER PROPERTIES OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Section	
110.4	Fees and Charges
110.5	Unlawful Activities (Repealed)
110.20	Alcoholic Beverages – Possession, Consumption, Influence
110.30	Animals – Pets, Dogs, Cats, Equine; Noisy, Vicious, Dangerous Animals; Livestock; Animal Waste
110.40	Boats and Other Watercraft
110.45	Abandoned Watercraft
110.50	Capacity of Areas – Usage Limitation
110.60	Camping – Campfires – Firewood
110.70	Destruction of Property – Flora – Fauna – Man-Made and Inanimate Natural Objects-Collection of Artifacts
110.90	Group/Activity Permits
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110.100	Littering
110.110	Prohibited Fishing Areas – Cleaning of Fish
110.120	Restricted Areas
110.140	Soliciting/Advertising/Renting/Selling
110.150	Swimming/Wading/Diving
110.160	Vehicles – Operation on Roadway – Speed – Parking – Weight Limit
110.165	Bicycles – Operation on Roadway – Designated Trails
110.170	Weapons and Firearms – Display and Use
110.175	Nudity Prohibited
110.180	Violation of Rule
110.185	Emergency Modification of Site Rules

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by Section 8 of the State Forest Act [525 ILCS 40/8] and by Sections 1, 2, 4 and 6 of the State Parks Act [20 ILCS 835/1, 2, 4 and 6] and by Section 5 of the State Parks Designation Act [20 ILCS 840/5] and by Sections 805-10, 805-520, 805-525, 805-330, 805-335 and 805-515 of the Civil Administrative Code of Illinois [20 ILCS 805/805-10, 805-520, 805-525, 805-330, 805-335 and 805-515].

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SOURCE: Adopted at 4 Ill. Reg. 11, p. 59, effective March 4, 1980; emergency amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 8933, effective August 25, 1981, for a maximum of 150 days; codified at 5 Ill. Reg. 10621; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 7401, effective June 11, 1982; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 9967, effective June 19, 1984; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 9797, effective May 21, 1986; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 13256, effective July 25, 1986; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 3785, effective March 13, 1989; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 14423, effective October 1, 1991; emergency amendment at 16 Ill. Reg. 7934, effective May 11, 1992, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired October 8, 1992; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 15435, effective September 28, 1992; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 6471, effective April 28, 1995; recodified by changing the agency name from Department of Conservation to Department of Natural Resources at 20 Ill. Reg. 9389; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 14832, effective August 3, 1998; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 12556, effective August 7, 2000; emergency amendment at 25 Ill. Reg. 13786, effective October 12, 2001, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 1206, effective January 16, 2002; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 6534, effective May 1, 2002; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 8866, effective May 19, 2003; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 7061, effective May 3, 2004; amended at 29 Ill. Reg. 2268, effective January 28, 2005; emergency amendment at 30 Ill. Reg. 13536, effective July 27, 2006, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 30 Ill. Reg. 19376, effective November 30, 2006; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 174, effective December 19, 2007; amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

Section 110.40 Boats and Other Watercraft

It shall be unlawful:

- a) For any person to operate any sailboat, rowboat, houseboat, pontoon boat, or boat propelled by machinery or other watercraft in any pond, lake, river, canal, or other body of water where posting clearly indicates that certain specific boating usage is prohibited. However, Department of Natural Resources employees operating watercraft in carrying out official duties and personnel of cooperating agents or agencies operating watercraft as authorized by the Department of Natural Resources are exempt from boating regulations in this Section 110.40 or in specific site rules as determined by Department of Natural Resources supervisory managers in order to provide management actions for enhancing or saving the resource base or the safety and welfare of the using public.
- b) For any person to use a motor driven boat on any body of water under the jurisdiction of the Department that has less than 60 surface acres. However, this does not exclude the use of motor driven boats to gain access to duck blinds during blind building activities and during the waterfowl hunting season or

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electric trolling motors on these bodies of water.

- c) For any person to use a motor driven boat with a motor of a size larger than 10 H.P. on any body of water under the jurisdiction of the Department that has 60 or more surface acres of water area except:

- 1) departmentally supervised waters of over 500 acres;
- 2) on the following lakes that are between 60-500 acres, motors of any size are allowed (10 H.P. and under may operate at full speed while motors larger than 10 H.P. must operate at no-wake, idle speed):

Argyle Lake – Argyle Lake State Park (McDonough County)

Prairie Lake – Jim Edgar Panther Creek State Fish and Wildlife Area (Cass County)

Pierce Lake – Rock Cut State Park (Winnebago County)

Wolf Lake – William W. Powers State Conservation Area (Cook County)

Dawson Lake – Moraine View State Recreation Area (McLean County)

Mermet Lake – Mermet Lake State Fish and Wildlife Area (Massac County); and

- 3) portions of canals having specific regulations posted on boat motor size and boat use allowed and except that an outboard horsepower restriction shall not apply at posted boat launch ramps while loading or unloading a trailered watercraft; provided that the watercraft over the H.P. limit is operated at a no-wake speed within 150 feet of the loading ramp itself.
- d) For any person to allow his boat or other watercraft to remain on any of the public recreational and fishing areas under the jurisdiction of the Department beyond the date of December 1st of each year.
- e) To remain on any Department lake after posted closing time.

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- 1) Heading of the Part: Sport Fishing Regulations for the Waters of Illinois
- 2) Code Citation: 17 Ill. Adm. Code 810
- 3)

<u>Section Numbers:</u>	<u>Proposed Action:</u>
810.14	New Section
810.15	New Section
810.35	Amendment
810.45	Amendment
810.70	Amendment
810.80	Amendment
- 4) Statutory Authority: Implementing and authorized by Sections 1-120, 1-125, 1-150, 5-5, 10-5, 10-10, 10-15, 10-20, 10-25, 10-30, 10-35, 10-45, 10-50, 10-60, 10-75, 10-90, 10-95, 15-50, 20-5, 20-35 and 25-5 of the Fish and Aquatic Life Code [515 ILCS 5/1-120, 1-125, 1-150, 5-5, 10-5, 10-10, 10-15, 10-20, 10-25, 10-30, 10-35, 10-45, 10-50, 10-60, 10-75, 10-90, 10-95, 15-50, 20-5, 20-35, 25-5, and 5/5-15]
- 5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: This Part is being amended to address wanton waste of fish; clarify legal methods for, allowed species and catch limit, and areas open to bowfishing; address statewide daily catch and size limits; amend individual site specific fishing regulations by water area; and identify the 2013 and 2014 dates for Free Fishing Days.
- 6) Published studies or reports, and sources of underlying data, used to compose this rulemaking: None
- 7) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 8) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 9) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 10) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objectives: This rulemaking does not affect units of local government.
- 12) Time, Place and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed

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rulemaking: Comments on the proposed rulemaking may be submitted in writing for a period of 45 days following publication of this Notice to:

Nick San Diego, Legal Counsel
Department of Natural Resources
One Natural Resources Way
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217/782-1809

- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
- A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not for profit corporations affected: None
 - B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: None
 - C) Types of professional skills necessary for compliance: None
- 14) Regulatory Agenda on which this rulemaking was summarized: July 2012

The full text of the Proposed Amendments begins on the next page:

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TITLE 17: CONSERVATION
CHAPTER I: DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
SUBCHAPTER b: FISH AND WILDLIFEPART 810
SPORT FISHING REGULATIONS FOR THE WATERS OF ILLINOIS

Section

810.5	Definitions
810.10	Sale of Fish and Fishing Seasons
810.14	Wanton Waste – Fish Abandonment
810.15	Statewide and Site Specific Bowfishing
810.20	Snagging
810.30	Pole and Line Fishing Only (Repealed)
810.35	Statewide Sportfishing Regulations – Daily Catch and Size Limits
810.37	Definitions for Site Specific Sportfishing Regulations
810.40	Daily Catch and Size Limits (Repealed)
810.45	Site Specific Water Area Regulations
810.50	Bait Fishing
810.60	Bullfrogs (Repealed)
810.70	Free Fishing Days
810.80	Emergency Protective Procedures
810.90	Fishing Tournament Permit
810.100	Bed Protection

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by Sections 1-120, 1-125, 1-150, 5-5, 10-5, 10-10, 10-15, 10-20, 10-25, 10-30, 10-35, 10-45, 10-50, 10-60, 10-75, 10-90, 10-95, 15-50, 20-5, 20-35 and 25-5 of the Fish and Aquatic Life Code [515 ILCS 5/1-120, 1-125, 1-150, 5-5, 10-5, 10-10, 10-15, 10-20, 10-25, 10-30, 10-35, 10-45, 10-50, 10-60, 10-75, 10-90, 10-95, 15-50, 20-5, 20-35, 25-5, and 5/5-15].

SOURCE: Adopted at 5 Ill. Reg. 751, effective January 8, 1981; codified at 5 Ill. Reg. 10647; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 342, effective December 23, 1981; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 7411, effective June 11, 1982; amended at 7 Ill. Reg. 209, effective December 22, 1982; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 1564, effective January 23, 1984; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 16769, effective August 30, 1984; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 2916, effective February 26, 1985; emergency amendment at 9 Ill. Reg. 3825, effective March 13, 1985, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired August 10, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 6181, effective April 24, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 14291, effective September 5, 1985; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 4835, effective March 6, 1986; amended at

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11 Ill. Reg. 4638, effective March 10, 1987; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 5306, effective March 8, 1988; emergency amendment at 12 Ill. Reg. 6981, effective April 4, 1988, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired September 1, 1988; emergency amendment at 12 Ill. Reg. 10525, effective June 7, 1988, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired November 4, 1988; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 15982, effective September 27, 1988; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 8419, effective May 19, 1989; emergency amendment at 13 Ill. Reg. 12643, effective July 14, 1989, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired December 11, 1989; emergency amendment at 13 Ill. Reg. 14085, effective September 4, 1989, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired February 1, 1990; emergency amendment at 13 Ill. Reg. 15118, effective September 11, 1989, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired February 8, 1990; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 6164, effective April 17, 1990; emergency amendment at 14 Ill. Reg. 6865, effective April 17, 1990, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired September 19, 1990; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 8588, effective May 21, 1990; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 16863, effective October 1, 1990; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 4699, effective March 18, 1991; emergency amendment at 15 Ill. Reg. 5430, effective March 27, 1991, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired August 24, 1991; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 9977, effective June 24, 1991; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 13347, effective September 3, 1991; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 5267, effective March 20, 1992; emergency amendment at 16 Ill. Reg. 6016, effective March 25, 1992, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired August 22, 1992; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 12526, effective July 28, 1992; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 3853, effective March 15, 1993; emergency amendment at 17 Ill. Reg. 5915, effective March 25, 1993, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired August 22, 1993; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 10806, effective July 1, 1993; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 3277, effective February 28, 1994; emergency amendment at 18 Ill. Reg. 5667, effective March 25, 1994, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 12652, effective August 9, 1994; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 2396, effective February 17, 1995; emergency amendment at 19 Ill. Reg. 5262, effective April 1, 1995, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 10614, effective July 1, 1995; amended at 20 Ill. Reg. 4640, effective March 6, 1996; recodified by changing the agency name from Department of Conservation to Department of Natural Resources at 21 Ill. Reg. 9389; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 4709, effective April 1, 1997; emergency amendment at 21 Ill. Reg. 5590, effective April 15, 1997, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 12140, effective August 26, 1997; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 4930, effective March 2, 1998; amended at 23 Ill. Reg. 3434, effective March 8, 1999; emergency amendment at 23 Ill. Reg. 7317, effective June 10, 1999, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 23 Ill. Reg. 8406, effective July 7, 1999; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 3736, effective February 25, 2000; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 6296, effective March 26, 2001; emergency amendment at 25 Ill. Reg. 7947, effective June 16, 2001, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment at 25 Ill. Reg. 9912, effective August 1, 2001, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 11386, effective August 14, 2001; emergency amendment at 25 Ill. Reg. 12122, effective September 15, 2001, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 1210, effective January 16, 2002; amended at 26

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Ill. Reg. 4294, effective March 6, 2002; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 3376, effective February 14, 2003; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 4607, effective March 1, 2004; amended at 29 Ill. Reg. 3955, effective February 24, 2005; amended at 30 Ill. Reg. 4810, effective March 1, 2006; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 3480, effective February 16, 2007; emergency amendment at 31 Ill. Reg. 8265, effective May 25, 2007, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 14432, effective October 5, 2007; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 3302, effective February 25, 2008; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 5275, effective March 25, 2009; amended at 34 Ill. Reg. 6391, effective April 20, 2010; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 4011, effective February 22, 2011; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 5461, effective March 22, 2012; amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

Section 810.14 Wanton Waste – Fish Abandonment

It is unlawful for any person at any time to take or possess any fish authorized by this Part in Illinois waters by sport fishing methods and then intentionally leave or abandon these fish or any portion of these fish resulting in wanton or needless waste. It is also unlawful for any person to intentionally allow the fish or fish portions to be wantonly or needlessly wasted or to fail to dispose of the fish in a reasonable and sanitary manner. No disposal of fish or fish portions shall be allowed on State owned or leased properties except at designated fish cleaning stations.

(Source: Added at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 810.15 Statewide and Site Specific Bowfishing

- a) Legal Methods of Taking
Carp, buffalo, suckers, gar, shad, drum and bowfin may be taken by means of a pitchfork, underwater spear gun, bow and arrow or bow and arrow device, spear or gig. Each person taking fish by these means shall possess a valid sport fishing license. Fish taken by these means shall not be sold or bartered. No other fish may be taken in this State by these means. It is unlawful to discharge any bow and arrow device along, upon, across or from any public right-of-way or highway in this State.
- b) Species of Fish and Catch Limit
Only fish species listed may be taken by bowfishing and other legal methods as per creel limits identified for each. Fish Species permitted (except as noted below) to be taken by bowfishing and other archery/spear fishing legal methods in Illinois waters include:
 - 1) Order Lepisosteiformes

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Family Lepisosteidae:Spotted gar - *Lepisosteus oculatus* (Winchell)Longnose gar – *Lepisosteus osseus* (Linnaeus)Shortnose gar – *Lepisosteus platostomus* (Rafinesque)2) Order AmiiformesFamily Amiidae:Bowfin – *Amia calva* (Linnaeus)3) Order CypriniformesFamily Cyprinidae:Grass carp-*Ctenopharyngodon idella* (Valenciennes)Common carp-*Cyprinus carpio* (Linnaeus)Silver carp-*Hypophthalmichthys molitrix* (Valenciennes)Bighead carp-*Hypophthalmichthys nobilis* (Richardson)Goldfish-*Carassius auratus* (Linnaeus)Family Catostomidae:River Carpsucker-*Carpionodes carpio* (Rafinesque)Quillback carpsucker-*Carpionodes cyprinus* (Lesueur)Highfin carpsucker-*Carpionodes velifer* (Rafinesque)White sucker-*Catostomus commersoni* (Lacepede)

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Blue sucker-*Cycleptus elongates* (Lesueur)

Smallmouth buffalo-*Ictiobus bubalus* (Rafinesque)

Bigmouth buffalo-*Ictiobus cyprinellus* (Valenciennes)

Black buffalo-*Ictiobus niger* (Rafinesque)

Spotted sucker-*Minytrema melanops* (Rafinesque)

Silver redhorse-*Moxostoma anisurum* (Rafinesque)

River redhorse (State threatened)-*Moxostoma carinatum* (Cope) may not be legally taken; release immediately

Black redhorse-*Moxostoma duquesnei* (Lesueur)

Golden redhorse-*Moxostoma erythrurum* (Rafinesque)

Shorthead redhorse-*Moxostoma macrolepidotum* (Lesueur)

Greater redhorse (State endangered)-*Moxostoma valenciennesi* (Jordan) may not be legally taken; release immediately

Family Sciaenidae:

Freshwater drum-*Aplodinotus grunniens* (Rafinesque)

Family Clupeidae:

Gizzard shad-*Dorosoma cepedianum* (Lesueur)

- c) Asian Carp
No live possession of Asian Carp species is permitted. Bowfishing and other legal methods are not permitted in waters listed in the Site Specific Regulations as "2 pole and line fishing only" except as listed by notation.
- d) Waters Open to Bowfishing and Other Legal Methods

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Illinois waters open to bowfishing and other legal methods include all public site specific waters as noted in Section 810.35 and all public rivers and streams as noted in 17 Ill. Adm. Code 3704.Appendix A.

(Source: Added at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 810.35 Statewide Sportfishing Regulations – Daily Catch and Size Limits

- a) Length is measured from the tip of the snout to the end of the tail with the fish laid flat on a ruler, with the mouth of the fish closed and the tail lobes pressed together.
- b) No fish species may be dressed (filleted or head and tail removed) on any waters to which length or bag limits are applicable. Regardless of where taken, no fish less than the specified minimum length or more than the daily catch shall be possessed while taking from, or on, any waters to which length or bag limits and/or daily catch limits apply. While taking from areas designated as "Catch and Release Only", all catch and release species must be immediately released back into the waters from which taken.
- c) Statewide limits by type of fish:
 - 1) CHANNEL CATFISH
There are no daily catch or size limits except in those waters listed under Site Specific Regulations.
 - 2) LARGEMOUTH BASS, SMALLMOUTH BASS, SPOTTED BASS
Daily catch limit is 6 bass, either singly or in the aggregate, except as specified under Site Specific Regulations. In streams and rivers (excluding the mainstem of the Mississippi, Ohio, including the Golconda Marina and Wabash Rivers) the daily creel can contain no more than 3 smallmouth bass. In streams and tributaries statewide, except for the Mississippi, Ohio, including the Golconda Marina, Wabash and Illinois Rivers, all smallmouth bass must be immediately released between April 1 and June 15. There is no statewide size limit.
 - 3) MUSKELLUNGE, NORTHERN PIKE AND THEIR HYBRIDS
 - A) All muskellunge and muskellunge hybrids (tiger muskie) taken

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must be 36 inches in total length or longer, except as specified under Site Specific Regulations.

- B) No more than 1 muskellunge or muskellunge hybrid (tiger muskie), either singly or in the aggregate, may be taken per day, except as specified under Site Specific Regulations.
 - C) All northern pike taken must be 24 inches in total length or longer, except in the Mississippi River and Ohio River where there is no size limit.
 - D) No more than 3 northern pike may be taken per day, except as specified under Site Specific Regulations.
- 4) **CRAPPIE (WHITE, BLACK OR HYBRID CRAPPIE)**
There are no catch or size limits except in those waters listed under Site Specific Regulations.
 - 5) **BLUEGILL AND REDEAR SUNFISH**
There are no catch or size limits except in those waters listed under Site Specific Regulations.
 - 6) **STRIPED BASS (OCEAN ROCKFISH), WHITE BASS, YELLOW BASS AND HYBRIDS**
There are no daily catch limits or minimum size limits for striped bass (ocean rockfish), white bass, yellow bass and their hybrids, which are less than 17 inches in total length, except in those waters listed under Site Specific Regulations. For these fish 17 inches in total length or longer, the daily limit is 3 fish, either singly or in the aggregate, except in the Mississippi River between Illinois and Missouri where there is a 30 fish daily creel limit for all striped, white, yellow or hybrid striped bass. In the Mississippi River between Illinois and Iowa, there is a 25 fish daily creel on striped bass, white bass, yellow bass and their hybrids, either singly or in the aggregate.
 - 7) **TROUT AND SALMON**
Daily catch limit is 5 trout or salmon, either singly or in the aggregate.
 - 8) **WALLEYE, SAUGER OR THEIR HYBRID**

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A) All walleye, sauger, or their hybrid (saugeye) taken must be 14 inches in total length or longer, except in the Mississippi River, Ohio River, Wabash River, or as specified under Site Specific Regulations.

B) Daily catch limit is 6 walleye, sauger or their hybrid, either singly or in the aggregate, except in those waters listed under Site Specific Regulations.

9) INJURIOUS SPECIES

For injurious species, as described in 17 Ill. Adm. Code 805, there are no catch or size limits. Possession of live specimens, progeny thereof, viable eggs, or gametes is prohibited.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 810.45 Site Specific Water Area Regulations

Fishing regulations, including species of fish, fishing methods and daily catch limits are listed for each water area. The numbers in parenthesis refer to the corresponding numbered definitions in Section 810.37 of this Part. If a water area is not listed or if a specific species is not listed, then state-wide restrictions apply. Check the bulletin boards at the specific site for any emergency changes to regulations.

Altamont Reservoir, City of Altamont
Effingham County

Large or Smallmouth Bass 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Anderson Lake Fish and Wildlife Area (33)
Fulton County

Andover Lake, City of Andover
Henry County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Anna City Lake, City of Anna

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Union County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish - 8" Minimum Length Limit
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Apple River (within Apple River Canyon State Park and Satellite Boundaries), State of Illinois

Jo Daviess County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Smallmouth Bass - Catch and Release Fishing Only (9)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Apple River and tributaries, State of Illinois

Jo Daviess County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Argyle Lake, Argyle Lake State Park

McDonough County

- Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Hybrid Walleye - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish > 15" and/or 5 < 12" Daily (12)
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie - 9" Minimum Length Limit

Arrowhead Heights Lake, Village of Camp Point

Adams County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Arrowhead Lake, City of Johnston City
Williamson County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Ashland City Old Reservoir, City of Ashland
Morgan County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Ashland City Reservoir, City of Ashland
Morgan County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Auburn Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District
Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Axehead Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve
Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
- Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed
Sunfish (14) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Bakers Lake, City of Peru
LaSalle County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Baldwin Lake, Baldwin Lake Conservation Area	
Randolph County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
Banana Lake, Lake County Forest Preserve District	
Lake County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
Banner Marsh Lake & Ponds, Banner Marsh State Fish and Wildlife Area (33)	
Peoria/Fulton Counties	
Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (34)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 12"-18" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession)
Pure Muskellunge	- 42" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
Bass Lake, DuPage County Forest Preserve District	
DuPage County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Channel Catfish	- 12" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Batchtown Wildlife Management Area (19)	
Calhoun County	
Baumann Park Lake, City of Cherry Valley	
Winnebago County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Beall Woods Lake, Beall Woods Conservation Area	
Wabash County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Beaver Dam Lake, Beaver Dam State Park	
Macoupin County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
Beck Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve District	
Cook County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Sunfish (14)	
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Belk Park Pond, City of Wood River	
Madison County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Belleau Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve District	
Cook County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Sunfish (14)	
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Belvidere Ponds, City of Belvidere	
Boone County	
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Bevier Lagoon, Waukegan Park District	
Lake County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Bird Park Quarry, City of Kankakee	
Kankakee County	
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
Bloomington Park District Lakes (Anglers Lake, Holiday Lake, Miller Park Lake, Tipton Lake)	

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and White Oaks Lake)

McLean County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Blue Pond, Boone County Conservation District

Boone County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Borah Lake, City of Olney

Richland County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Boston Pond, Stephen A. Forbes State Park

Marion County

Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Boyd-Wesley Park Pond, Village of Towanda

McLean County

<u>All Fish</u>	<u>-2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)</u>
<u>Channel Catfish</u>	<u>-3 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>
<u>Large or Smallmouth Bass</u>	<u>-15" Minimum Length Limit</u>
<u>Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)</u>	<u>-1 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>
<u>Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)</u>	<u>-10 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>

Bowen Lake, City of Washington

Tazewell County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 12"-15" Protected Slot Length Limit (no

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Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) possession) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Braidwood Lake, Braidwood State Fish and Wildlife Area (41)
Will County

Recreational Use Restrictions - Braidwood Lake is closed to all fishing and boat traffic, except for legal waterfowl hunters, from 10 days prior to duck season through the day before duck season and is closed to all fishing during waterfowl season commencing with regular duck season through the close of the Canada goose and regular duck season

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Striped, White or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) - 10 Creel/3 Fish 17" or Longer Daily (17)

Breeze JC's Park Pond, City of Breeze
Clinton County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Buckner City Reservoir, City of Buckner
Franklin County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Buffalo Prairie Pheasant Habitat Area Lakes and Ponds (Buffalo Lake South, Buffalo Lake North, Buffalo Pond Northwest, Buffalo Wetland) State of Illinois

Knox County

Recreational Use Restrictions - Buffalo Prairie Pheasant Habitat Area is closed to all fishing during the northern zone upland hunting season.

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<u>All Fish</u>	<u>-2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)</u>
<u>Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)</u>	<u>-1 Fish > or equal to 15" and 2 Fish < 15"</u>
	<u>daily (25)</u>
<u>Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)</u>	<u>-10 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>

Bullfrog Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Bunker Hill Lake, City of Bunker Hill

Macoupin County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Burrells Wood Park Pond

White County

Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
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Busse Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve

Cook County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Cache River State Natural Area

Pulaski/Johnson Counties

Recreational Use Restrictions	- Waterfowl Refuge or Hunting Area; no fishing in Nature Preserves – Section 8 Woods, Heron Pond/Little Black Slough
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All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
All Fish	- No Seines
Calhoun Point Wildlife Management Area (19)	
Calhoun County	
Calumet River	
Cook County	
Yellow Perch	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Yellow Perch	- Closed During July
Campbell Pond Wildlife Management Area (19)	
Jackson County	
Campus Lake – Southern Illinois University, State of Illinois	
Jackson County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Campus Pond – Eastern Illinois University, State of Illinois	
Coles County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
Canton Lake, City of Canton	
Fulton County	
Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel or Blue Catfish (14)	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Pure Muskellunge	- 42" Minimum Length Limit
Carbondale City Reservoir, City of Carbondale	
Jackson County	
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

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Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Carlinville Lake #1, City of Carlinville	
Macoupin County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Carlinville Lake #2, City of Carlinville	
Macoupin County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Carlton Silt Basin, State of Illinois	
Whiteside County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish	- 8" Minimum Length Limit
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- Catch and Release Fishing Only (9)
Carlyle Lake, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (20) (33)	
Clinton/Bond/Fayette Counties	
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 10" Minimum Length Limit
Carthage Lake, City of Carthage	
Hancock County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Casey Park Pond, City of Casey	
Clark County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit of which only 5 fish > 8" are allowed
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Casters Pond, Boone County Conservation District

Boone County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Cedar Lake and Little Cedar Lake, U.S. Forest Service and City of Carbondale

Jackson County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14"-18" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession)
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 5 Fish < 14" and 1 Fish > 18" Daily Creel Limit (38)
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Centennial Park Pond, Coloma Township Park District

Whiteside County

Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Centralia Foundation Park Catfish Pond, Centralia Park Foundation

Marion County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Centralia Lake, City of Centralia

Marion County

Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
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Cermack Quarry, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
 White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Champaign Park District Lakes (Kaufman Lake, Heritage Lake, and Mattis Lake), Champaign Park District

Champaign County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Charleston Lower Channel Lake, City of Charleston

Coles County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) (36)

Charleston Side Channel Lake, City of Charleston

Coles County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 17" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 (16)
 White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit for Fish < 10";
 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit for Fish > 10"
 (23)

Charlie Brown Lake & Pond, City of Flora

Clay County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Charter Oak North – Peoria Park District Lake, Peoria Park District

Peoria County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Charter Oak South – Peoria Park District Pond, Peoria Park District

Peoria County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Chautauqua Lake North and South Pools, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Mason County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - Lake Chautauqua North and South Pools will be closed to boat fishing from October 6+5 through January 31+4 |
| | - Bank fishing will be allowed in selected areas only |
| | - Ice fishing will be allowed following the February 1 January 15 reopening |
| Largemouth Bass | - 12" Minimum Length Limit |

Chenoa City Lake, City of Chenoa

McLean County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Chicago River (including its North Branch, South Branch, and the North Shore Channel)

Cook County

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| Yellow Perch | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Yellow Perch | - Closed During July |

Christopher Old City Lake, City of Christopher

Franklin County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Citizen's Lake, City of Monmouth

Warren County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

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| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
1 Fish > 15" and 5 Fish < 12" Daily Creel Limit (12) |
| Trout | - Fall Closed Season (10) |
| Clear Lake, Kickapoo State Park
Vermilion County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 12" to 15" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession); 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit of which no more than 1 fish may be > 15" and no more than 2 may be < 12" (31) |
| Trout | - Fall Closed Season (10) |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |
| Clinton Lake, Clinton Lake State Recreation Area
DeWitt County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (18) (36) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 16" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) | - 10 Creel/3 Fish 17" or Longer Daily (17) |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie | - 9" Minimum Length Limit |
| Coffeen Lake, Coffeen Lake State Fish and Wildlife Area
Montgomery County | |
| Channel Catfish | - All jugs must be attended at all times while fishing (2) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish \geq 15" and 2 Fish < 15" daily (25) |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie | - 10" Minimum Length Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass | - 17" Minimum Length Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Coles County Airport Lake, Coles County Airport | |

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Coles County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Columbus Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District

Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Commissioners Park Pond, Alsip Park District

Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Conservation World Ponds, Illinois State Fairgrounds

Sangamon County

Fishing by special permit only for senior groups, children's groups or group guests of the Director. Apply for permit by writing to: Department of Natural Resources, Division of Fisheries, One Natural Resources Way, Springfield IL 62702

Cook Co. Forest Preserve District Lakes, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
- Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Sunfish (14)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye - 18" Minimum Length Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Coulterville City Lake, City of Coulterville

Randolph County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge – Crab Orchard Lake, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Williamson County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (4)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 16" Minimum Length Limit

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Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge – Devil's Kitchen Lake, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Williamson County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge – Little Grassy Lake, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Williamson County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 12-15" Slot Length Limit (3)

Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge – Visitors Pond

Williamson County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge Restricted Use Area Ponds (30), except Visitor Pond,
and Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge – All Other Ponds, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Williamson County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 1645" Minimum Length Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Crawford Co. Cons. Area – Picnic Pond, Crawford County Conservation Area

Crawford County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)

Crawford Co. Cons. Area Ponds, Crawford County Conservation Area

Crawford County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

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Crull Impoundment Wildlife Management Area (33)
Jersey County

Crystal Lake, Urbana Park District
Champaign County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
<u>Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)</u>	<u>- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>

Cypress Creek National Wildlife Refuge – All Ponds, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Johnson/Pulaski/Union Counties

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Cypress Creek National Wildlife Refuge – Cache River from Rt. 37 to Rt. 51 in Ullin, U.S.
Fish and Wildlife Service
Johnson/Pulaski Counties

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
All Fish	- No Seines

Dawson Lake & Park Ponds, Moraine View State Park

McLean County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (44)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Decatur Park Dist. Ponds, City of Decatur

Macon County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit (except for Fairview Park – Dreamland Pond, which has a 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit)

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Deep Quarry Lake, DuPage County Forest Preserve District

DuPage County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 12" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 16" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Defiance Lake, Moraine Hills State Park

McHenry County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Des Plaines River Basin (Hoffman Dam to 47th Street Bridge, including tributaries)

Cook County

Channel Catfish	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- Catch and Release Only – No Harvest Permitted (9)
Northern Pike	- 30" Minimum Length Limit
Northern Pike	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Diamond Lake, City of Mundelein

Lake County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

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- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Dieterich Park Pond, City of Dieterich
Effingham County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 - Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Dolan Lake, Hamilton County Conservation Area
Hamilton County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 - Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Donnelley State Wildlife Area (33)
Bureau County
- Double "T" State Fish and Wildlife Area, State of Illinois
Fulton County
- Recreational Use Restrictions - Waterfowl Refuge or Hunting Area (all use other than waterfowl hunting is prohibited from October 1 through the end of the central zone Canada goose season)
 - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
 - All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 - Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Channel or Blue Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass - 21" Minimum Length Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Pure Muskellunge - 42" Minimum Length Limit
 - White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie - 10" Minimum Length Limit
 - White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Douglas Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District

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Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

DuPage County Forest Preserve District Lakes and Ponds (excluding Bass Lake, Deep Quarry Lake, and Grove Lake), DuPage County Forest Preserve District

DuPage County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 12" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye - 16" Minimum Length Limit
- Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black or Hybrid Crappie - 9" Minimum Length Limit
- White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

DuPage River – West Branch (between the dams located in the McDowell Grove Forest Preserve and the Warrenville Grove Forest Preserve)

DuPage County

- Large or Smallmouth Bass - Catch and Release Fishing Only (9)

DuQuoin City Lake, City of DuQuoin

Perry County

- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14"-18" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession) (38)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 5 Fish < 14" and 1 Fish > 18" Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

East Fork Lake, City of Olney

Richland County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

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White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Eldon Hazlet State Park (See Also Carlyle Lake)
Clinton County

Elkville City Reservoir, City of Elkville
Jackson County

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Elliott Lake, Wheaton Park District
DuPage County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Emiquon Preserve – Thompson Lake
Fulton County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Black, White, or Hybrid Crappie - 9" Minimum Length Limit
Black, White, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Bluegill, Redear, Pumpkin Seed, Green,
or Orange Spotted Sunfish and Hybrid
Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye - 14" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14) - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Evergreen Lake, City of Bloomington
McLean County

Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a
quick set rig (43)
All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
Pure Muskellunge - 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Fairgrounds Pond – Fort Massac State Park, State of Illinois

Massac County

- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Fairview Park – Dreamland Pond, City of Decatur

Macon County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Ferne Clyffe Lake, Ferne Clyffe State Park

Johnson County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Flatfoot Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
- Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Sunfish (14)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Fletcher Park Pond, City of Mt. Zion

Macon County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 5 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Foli Park Pond, Village of Plano

Kendall County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Forbes State Lake, Stephen A. Forbes State Park (including Forbes State Lake tailwaters and that portion of Lost Fork Creek within Stephen A. Forbes State Park)

Marion County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Pure Muskellunge | - 48" Minimum Length (40) |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass | - 17" Minimum Length Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Forbes State Park Ponds, Stephen A. Forbes State Park

Marion County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |

Forest Park Lagoon, City of Shelbyville

Shelby County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Trout | - Fall Closed Season (10) |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |

Four Lakes, Winnebago County Forest Preserve

Winnebago County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |

Fox Chain O'Lakes (including the Fox River south of the Wisconsin-Illinois boundary to the Algonquin Dam and the Nippersink Creek upstream to the Wilmot Road Bridge) (6) (Applies to Grass Lake and Nippersink Lake State Managed Blind Areas Only), State of Illinois Lake and McHenry Counties

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a |
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| All Fish | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> quick set rig (43) - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) only on State Park property bordering the Fox River and Grass Lake |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 14" Minimum Length Limit (6) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit of which no more than 3 can be Smallmouth Bass |
| Pure Muskellunge | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 48" Minimum Length Limit (40) |
| Smallmouth Bass | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All fish must be immediately released between April 1 and June 15 |
| Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 14" Minimum Length Limit with an 18-24" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession) (6) |
| Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 Fish " Daily Creel Limit of which only 1 can be > 24" (35) |
- Fox Ridge State Park (see also Hurricane Pond, Wilderness Pond and Ridge Lake)
Coles County
- Fox River, Algonquin Dam to confluence with the Illinois River, including tributaries, State of Illinois
Multiple Counties
Smallmouth Bass
- 1 Fish 12" \geq and 2 Fish < 12" Daily Creel Limit
- Fox River (at Moraine Hills State Park and Dam and on Bolger Lock and Dam Properties),
State of Illinois
McHenry County
All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) on Moraine Hills State Park and Dam property and on property at the Bolger Lock and Dam along the Fox River
- Fox River Marina, Lake County Forest Preserve
Lake County
All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only; Bank Fishing Only (in areas designated by Lake County Forest Preserve District

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Fox Valley Park District Lakes and Ponds (except Jericho Lake and Lake Gregory), Fox Valley Park District

Kane and DuPage Counties

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Frank Holten Lakes, Frank Holten State Park

St. Clair County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Franklin Creek (within the boundaries of Franklin Creek State Natural Area)

Lee County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
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Franklin Creek Mill Pond – Franklin Creek State Park, State of Illinois

Lee County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Fuller Lake (19)

Calhoun County

Fulton County Camping and Recreation Area Waters, Fulton County Board

Fulton County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 12"-15" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession)
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Gages Lake, Wildwood Park District

Lake County

Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 16" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Garfield Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District

Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Gebhard Woods Pond, Gebhard Woods State Park

Grundy County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Germantown Lake, City of Germantown

Clinton County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Giant City Park Ponds, Giant City State Park

Jackson and Union Counties

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Largemouth and Spotted Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Gillespie New City Lake, City of Gillespie

Macoupin County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 12-15" Slot Length Limit (3) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Gillespie Old City Lake, City of Gillespie
Macoupin County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Glades – 12 Mile Island Wildlife Management Area (19)
Jersey County

Gladstone Lake, Henderson County Conservation Area
Henderson County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel or Blue Catfish (14) | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish \geq 15" and/or 2 < 12" Daily (31) |

Glen Oak Park Lagoon, Peoria Park District
Peoria County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Glen Shoals Lake, City of Hillsboro
Montgomery County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass | - 17" Minimum Length Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass
(16) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Godar-Diamond/Hurricane Island Wildlife Management Area (19)
Calhoun County

Gompers Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District

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Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Gordon F. More Park Lake, City of Alton

Madison County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Governor Bond Lake, City of Greenville

Bond County

- Channel Catfish - All jugs must be attended at all times while fishing (2)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 17" Minimum Length Limit
- Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Grayslake Park District (Grayslake and Park Ponds), City of Grayslake

Lake County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Greenfield City Lake, City of Greenfield

Greene County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 12"-15" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 5 Fish < 12" and 1 Fish > 15" Daily Creel Limit

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Greenville Old City Lake, Kingsbury Park District

Bond County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Grove Lake, DuPage County Forest Preserve District

DuPage County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 12" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Hanover Lake – Apple River Canyon State Park, State of Illinois

Jo Daviess County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Harrisburg New City Reservoir, City of Harrisburg

Saline County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Heidecke Lake, Heidecke Lake State Fish and Wildlife Area

Grundy County (41)

Recreational Use Restrictions	- Heidecke Lake shall be closed to all fishing and boat traffic except for legal waterfowl
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	hunters from 10 days prior to duck season through the day before duck season and is closed to all fishing during waterfowl season commencing with regular duck season through the close of the Canada goose and regular duck season
	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Black, White, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 12" to 18" Protected Slot (no possession); 1 > 18" and 2 < 12" Daily Creel Limit (46)
Pure Muskellunge	- 48" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 10 Creel/3 Fish 17" or Longer Daily (17)
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 16" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Helmbold Slough (19) Calhoun County	
Henderson Creek State Fish and Wildlife Area Henderson County Recreational Use Restrictions	- It shall be unlawful to trespass upon a designated waterfowl hunting area during the 7 days prior to regular duck season or to fish on such areas during the regular duck season except in areas posted as open to fishing; it shall be unlawful to trespass upon areas designated as waterfowl rest areas or refuges from 2 weeks prior to the start of the regular duck season through the end of duck and Canada Goose season (33)
Hennepin Canal – Mainline & Feeder, Hennepin Canal Parkway State Park Multiple Counties	

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (13) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Trout | - Fall Closed Season (10) |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |
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Hennepin-Hopper Lakes, The Wetlands Initiative
Putnam County | |
| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Black, White or Hybrid Crappie | - 9" Minimum Length Limit |
| Black, White or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Pure Muskellunge | - 42" Minimum Length Limit |
| Walleye, Sauger or Hybrid Walleye | - 18" Minimum Length Limit |
| Walleye, Sauger or Hybrid Walleye (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
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Herrin Lake #1, City of Herrin
Williamson County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
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Herrin Lake #2, City of Herrin
Williamson County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
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Hidden Springs State Forest Pond, Hidden Springs State Forest
Shelby County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 18" Minimum Length Limit |

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Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Highland Old City Lake, City of Highland
Madison County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)

Hillsboro Old City Lake, City of Hillsboro
Montgomery County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 12-15" Slot Length Limit

Homer Guthrie Pond – Eldon Hazlet State Park, State of Illinois
Clinton County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Homer Lake, Champaign County Forest Preserve District
Champaign County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie - 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Hormel Pond, Donnelly State Fish and Wildlife Area
Bureau County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Horseshoe Lake – Alexander Co., Horseshoe Lake Conservation Area

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Alexander County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - Only trolling motors in refuge from
October 15-March 1 |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |

Horseshoe Lake – Madison County, Horseshoe Lake State Park (19)

Madison County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) (28) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Horsetail Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36) |
| Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed
Sunfish (14) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Trout | - Fall Closed Season (10) |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Horton Lake, Nauvoo State Park

Hancock County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Humbolt Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District

Cook County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Hurricane Pond, Fox Ridge State Park

Coles County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 5 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 18" Minimum Length Limit |

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Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Illinois & Michigan Canal, State of Illinois

Grundy/LaSalle/ Will Counties

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Illinois Beach State Park Ponds, Illinois Beach State Park

Lake County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Illinois Department of Transportation Lake, State of Illinois

Sangamon County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
 Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Illinois River – Pool 26 (19)

Calhoun County

Illinois River – Starved Rock and Marseilles Pools

LaSalle and Grundy Counties

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Illinois River – State of Illinois

Multiple Counties

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 12" Minimum Length Limit

Indian Boundary South Pond, Frankfort Square Park District

Will County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Iroquois & Kankakee Rivers and their Tributaries, State of Illinois

Multiple Counties

- Walleye, Sauger and Hybrid Walleye - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- Walleye, Sauger and Hybrid Walleye (14) - 18" to 26" Protected Slot (no possession); 3 Fish Daily Creel of which only 1 can be > 26" (47)

Island Pond, Boone County Conservation District

Boone County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Jackson Park (Columbia Basin) Lagoon, Chicago Park District

Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Jericho Lake, Fox Valley Park District

Kane County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Black, White, or Hybrid Crappie - 9" Minimum Length Limit
- Black, White, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Jim Edgar/Panther Creek Fish and Wildlife Area, All Lakes and Ponds, Jim Edgar/Panther Creek Fish and Wildlife Area

Cass County

- Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait \geq 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Pure Muskellunge - 48" Minimum Length Limit

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Jim Edgar/Panther Creek Fish and Wildlife Area – Drake Lake, Jim Edgar/Panther Creek Fish and Wildlife Area

Cass County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Jim Edgar/Panther Creek Fish and Wildlife Area, Gurney Road Pond, Jim Edgar/Panther Creek Fish and Wildlife Area

Cass County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Johnson Sauk Trail Lake & Pond, Johnson Sauk Trail State Park

Henry County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Jones Lake Trout Pond, Saline County Conservation Area

Saline County

Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
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Jones Park Lake, City of East St. Louis

St. Clair County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Jones State Lake, Saline County Conservation Area

Saline County

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All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14"-18" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession) (38)
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 5 Fish < 14" and 1 Fish > 18" Daily Creel Limit

Jubilee College State Park Pond, Jubilee College State Park

Peoria County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Kankakee-Iroquois Rivers and their Tributaries, State of Illinois

Multiple Counties

Walleye, Sauger, and Hybrid Walleye	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, and Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 18" to 26" Protected Slot (no possession); 3 Fish Daily Creel of which only 1 can be > 26" (47)

Kankakee River, from the Kankakee Dam to the mouth of the Kankakee River, including tributaries, State of Illinois

Multiple Counties

Smallmouth Bass	- 12"-18" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession)
Smallmouth Bass	- 1 Fish > 18" and 2 Fish < 12" Daily Creel Limit (37)

Kaskaskia River Fish and Wildlife Area – Doza Creek Wildlife Management Area (33)

St.Clair County

Kendall Co. Lake #1, Kendall County Forest Preserve District

Kendall County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Kent Creek
Winnebago County
Trout

- Catch and Release Fishing Only (9)

Kickapoo State Park Lakes & Pond, Kickapoo State Park
Vermilion County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 12"-15" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession); 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit of which no more than 1 fish may be \geq 15" and no more than 2 may be $<$ 12" (31)

Kincaid City Reservoir, City of Kincaid
Christian County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Kinkaid Lake, Kinkaid Lake State Fish and Wildlife Area
Jackson County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait $>$ 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 16" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Pure Muskellunge	- 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Kinmundy Reservoir, City of Kinmundy
Marion County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Kishwaukee River and South Branch of Kishwaukee River and Tributaries, State of Illinois

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Multiple Counties

Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Lake Atwood, McHenry County Conservation District

McHenry County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Lake Bloomington, City of Bloomington

McLean County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 17" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Carlton, Morrison-Rockwood State Park

Whiteside County

Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
 All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
 Pure Muskellunge - 36" Minimum Length Limit
 White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Chaminwood, Will County Forest Preserve District

Will County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Lake Co. Forest Preserve District Lakes (except Independence Grove Lake), Lake County
Forest Preserve District

Lake County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye | - 16" Minimum Length Limit |

Lake Decatur, City of Decatur

Macon County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (29) (36) |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie | - 10" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |

Lake Depue Fish and Wildlife Area (33)

Bureau County

Lake Eureka, City of Eureka

Woodford County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Lake George, Loud Thunder Forest Preserve

Rock Island County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Pure Muskellunge | - 36" Minimum Length Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass | - 17" Minimum Length Limit |
| Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Lake Jacksonville, City of Jacksonville

Morgan County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit

Lake Kakusha, City of Mendota

LaSalle County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Le-Aqua-Na Kids Only Fishing Pond, Lake Le-Aqua-Na State Park

Stephenson County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- Only kids under 16 years of age permitted to fish
Channel Catfish	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish and Their Hybrids	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Le-Aqua-Na, Lake Le-Aqua-Na State Park

Stephenson County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Mendota, City of Mendota

LaSalle County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

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| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish > 15" &/or 2 < 12" Daily (31) |

Lake Michigan (Illinois Portion), State of Illinois
Lake/Cook Counties

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| Trout and Salmon | - 10" Minimum Length Limit |
| Trout and Salmon | - No more than 5 fish of any one species daily,
except for Lake Trout |
| Lake Trout | - 2 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Yellow Perch | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Yellow Perch | - Closed During July (exception: 10 fish daily
limit during July for youth under age 16) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 21" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| <u>Lake Whitefish and Round Whitefish</u> | <u>-12 Fish (in aggregate) Daily Creel Limit</u> |

Lake Milliken, Des Plaines Conservation Area
Will County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |

Lake Mingo & Kennekuk Cove Park Ponds, Vermilion County Conservation Area
Vermilion County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick
set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (44) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - No more than 5 fish > 7" permitted;
unlimited daily creel for fish 7" and under |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Pure Muskellunge | - 48" Minimum Length Limit (40) |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie | - 9" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Lake Murphysboro, Lake Murphysboro State Park
Jackson County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

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| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
- Lake Nellie, City of St. Elmo
Fayette County
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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
- Lake of the Woods & Elk's Pond, Champaign County Forest Preserve District
Champaign County
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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - No more than 5 fish > 7" permitted; unlimited daily creel for fish ≤ 7" |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |
- Lake Owen, Hazel Crest Park District
Cook County
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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
- Lake Paradise, City of Mattoon
Coles County
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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
- Lake Sara, City of Effingham
Effingham County
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| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
- Lake Shelbyville (21), U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Moultrie/Shelby Counties

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

- Recreational Use Restrictions
- During the regular waterfowl season, no bank or boat fishing shall be permitted on the Kaskaskia River from the Strickland Boat Access north to the Illinois Central Railroad Bridge from one-half hour before sunrise to 1 p.m.
 - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass
- 14" Minimum Length Limit
- Pure Muskellunge
- 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)
- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit with only 5 Fish < 10" and 10 Fish \geq 10" permitted

Lake Shelbyville – U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Project Ponds and Wood Lake, and Lake Shelbyville State Fish and Wildlife Management Area Ponds (33)

Moultrie/Shelby Counties

- All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish
- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass
- 14" Minimum Length Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)
- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit with only 5 Fish < 10" and 10 Fish \geq 10" permitted

Lake Shermerville, Northbrook Park District

Cook County

- All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only
- Channel Catfish
- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Sinnissippi (33)

Whiteside County

Lake Springfield, City of Springfield

Sangamon County

- All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass
- 15" Minimum Length Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)
- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie
- 10" Minimum Length Limit

Lake Storey, City of Galesburg

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Knox County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) |
| Bluegill and Redear Sunfish (14) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel or Blue Catfish (14) | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish > 15" and/or 5 < 12" Daily (12) |
| Pure Muskellunge | - 42" Minimum Length Limit |
| Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Lake Strini, Village of Romeoville

Will County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Lake Sule, Flagg-Rochelle Park District

Ogle County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 5 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Pure Muskellunge | - 36" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Lake Taylorville, City of Taylorville

Christian County

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| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie | - 9" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Lake Vandalia, City of Vandalia

Fayette County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |

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- Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 17" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 (16)

Lake Vermilion, Vermilion County Conservation District

Vermilion County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (26)
 (except that sport fishermen may take carp, carpsuckers, buffalo, gar, bowfin, and suckers by pitchfork, gigs, bow and arrow or bow and arrow devices north of Boiling Springs Road, but not within 300 feet around the wetland boardwalk)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie - 9" Minimum Length Limit
 White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Victoria, City of South Beloit

Winnebago County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lake Williamsville, City of Williamsville

Sangamon County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

LaSalle Lake, LaSalle Lake State Fish and Wildlife Area

LaSalle County

- Recreational Use Restrictions - Waterfowl refuge or hunting area; site regulations apply
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 10 Creel/3 Fish \geq 17" Daily (17)
 (16)

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Levings Lake, Rockford Park District

Winnebago County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lincoln Log Cabin Pond, Lincoln Log Cabin Historical Site

Coles County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lincoln Park North Lagoon, Chicago Park District

Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lincoln Park South Lagoon, Chicago Park District

Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Lincoln Trail Lake, Lincoln Trail State Park

Clark County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14-18" Slot Length Limit (14" to 18" protected)
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 4 Creel/1 Fish > 18" Daily (daily Catch Limit for large or smallmouth bass, singly or in the aggregate, shall not exceed 4 fish per day, no more than one of which shall be > 18" in length)

Litchfield City Lake, City of Litchfield

Montgomery County

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit – 1 Fish \geq 15" and 2
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

	Fish < 15" Total Length (25)
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Loami Reservoir, City of Loami	
Sangamon County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Lou Yeager Lake, City of Litchfield	
Montgomery County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Mackinaw Ponds 1, 2, and 3, Mackinaw State Fish and Wildlife Area	
Tazewell County	
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Macon County Conservation District Ponds (see also Rock Springs Pond and Rock Springs Bike Trail Pond), Macon County Conservation District	
Macon County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Mallard Lake, DuPage County Forest Preserve District	
DuPage County	
Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 12" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Pure Muskellunge	- 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 16" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit

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- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Maple Lake, Cook County Preserve District
Cook County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
 - Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Sunfish (14)
 - Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
 - White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Marine Heritage Lake, Village of Marine
Madison County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 - Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 - Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Marissa City Lake, City of Marissa
St. Clair County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 - Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Marquette Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District
Cook County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 - Channel Catfish - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Marshall County Conservation Area (Fishing Ditch), Marshall County Conservation Area (33)
Marshall County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Marshall County Conservation Area – Sparland Unit (33)
Marshall County
- Mascoutah Reservoir, City of Mascoutah
St. Clair County
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

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Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Matthiessen Lake, Matthiessen State Park

LaSalle County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Mattoon Lake, City of Mattoon

Coles County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Mautino Fish and Wildlife Area, Mautino Fish and Wildlife Area

Bureau County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (34)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Mauvaise Terre/Morgan Lake, City of Jacksonville

Morgan County

Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
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Mazonia Lakes & Ponds (excluding Ponderosa Lake), Mazonia State Fish and Wildlife Area (33)

Grundy/Kankakee/Will Counties

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

McCullom Lake, City of McHenry

McHenry County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
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McKinley Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District
Cook County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
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McLeansboro City Lakes, City of McLeansboro
Hamilton County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
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Mechanicsburg Park Pond, City of Mechanicsburg
Sangamon County | |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
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Meredosia Lake – Cass County Portion Only (meandered waters only) (33)
Cass County | |
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Meredosia Lake, Cass County Portion
Cass County | |
| Recreational Use Restrictions | - Meandered waters only; All boat traffic is prohibited from operating on meandered waters (except non-motorized boats may be used to assist in the retrieval of waterfowl shot from private land) from the period from one week before waterfowl season opens until the season closes; hunting and/or any other activity is prohibited during the period from one week before waterfowl season opens until the season closes |

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Mermet State Lake, Mermet Lake Conservation Area (33)

Massac County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Middle Fork Forest Preserve Pond, Champaign County Forest Preserve

Champaign County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |

Middle Fork of the Vermilion River, Kickapoo State Park and Middle Fork Fish and Wildlife Area

Vermilion County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
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Mill Creek Lake, Clark County Park District

Clark County

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| Recreational Use Restrictions | - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43) |
| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| <u>Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)</u> | <u>-2 Fish < 15" and 1 fish > or equal to 15" daily (25)</u> |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | -12-15" Slot Length Limit (3) |
| Pure Muskellunge | - 42" Minimum Length Limit |
| <u>White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)</u> | <u>-25 Fish Daily Creel Limit, of which only 2 fish can be 12" or longer</u> |

Mill Pond, Pearl City Park District

Stephenson County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

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Mill Race Ponds, Belvidere Park District

Boone County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Miller Park Lake, Bloomington Park District

McLean County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Mineral Springs Park Lagoon, City of Pekin

Tazewell County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)

Mississippi River Pools 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 24 (33)

Multiple Counties

Mississippi River Pools 25 and 26 (19)

Multiple Counties

Mississippi River (between IL & IA), State of Illinois

Multiple Counties

- Recreational Use Restrictions - Any tagged sport fishing device may not be left unattended for more than 24 hours or must be completely removed
- Maximum treble hook size is 5/0; gaffs may not be used to land paddlefish
- All Fish - Anglers must not use more than 2 poles and each pole must not have more than 2 hooks or lures while trolling
- Bluegill or Pumpkinseed Sunfish - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit singly or in aggregate
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

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Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 5 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Northern Pike	- 5 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Paddlefish	- Snagging for paddlefish is permitted from ½ hour before sunrise to ½ hour after sunset daily, March 1 through April 15 within a 500 yard downstream limit below locks and dams on the Mississippi River between Illinois and Iowa; daily catch limit is 2 fish; the maximum length limit for paddlefish taken from the Mississippi River between Illinois and Iowa is 33" eye-fork length (EFL) (all paddlefish ≥ to 33" EFL must be immediately released back to the Mississippi River); no sorting allowed; once the daily limit of paddlefish has been reached, snagging must cease
Rock Bass	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Striped, White, Yellow or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit singly or in aggregate – statewide regulation limiting daily creel to 3 fish ≥ 17" is not in effect on the Mississippi River between Illinois and Iowa
Walleye and Sauger (14)	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit with no more than 1 walleye > 27" in total length
Walleye	- 15" Minimum Length Limit with a 20-27" Protected Slot Length Limit (24)
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit singly or in aggregate
Yellow Perch	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Mississippi River (between IL & MO), State of Illinois Multiple Counties Recreational Use Restrictions	- Boating prohibited on refuge area (Ellis Bay) immediately upstream of Melvin Price Lock and Dam 26 overflow dike from October 15-April 15 - Any tagged sport fishing device may not be left unattended for more than 24 hours or must be completely removed

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- All Nongame Species Combined - 100 Total Fish Daily Creel Limit
 (Excludes endangered and threatened species and the following game species: Crappie, Channel/Blue/Flathead Catfish, Rock Bass, Warmouth, White/Yellow/Striped/Hybrid Striped Bass, Trout, Largemouth/Smallmouth/Spotted Bass, Muskellunge, Northern Pike, Chain/Grass Pickerel, Walleye, Sauger, Paddlefish)
- Channel or Blue Catfish (14) - 20 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Flathead Catfish - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Largemouth, Smallmouth, Spotted Bass - 12" Minimum Length Limit or
 Northern Pike - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Paddlefish - 24" Eye to Fork Minimum Length Limit
 Paddlefish - Snagging for paddlefish is permitted from September 15 through December 15 and March 15 through May 15 within a 300 yard downstream limit below locks and dams on the Mississippi River between Illinois and Missouri except for the Chain of Rocks low water dam at Chouteau Island, also known as Dam 27 at the Chain of Rocks (Madison County) where no snagging is permitted; daily catch limit is 2 fish; sorting is permitted; every paddlefish ≥ 24 " in eye to fork length must be taken into immediate possession and included in the daily catch limit; paddlefish < 24 " eye to fork length must be returned immediately to the water; once the daily limit of paddlefish has been reached, snagging must cease
- Striped, White, Yellow or Hybrid Striped Bass - 30 Fish Daily Creel Limit singly or in aggregate – statewide regulation limiting daily creel to 3 fish ≥ 17 " is not in effect on the Mississippi River between Illinois and Missouri

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| Walleye and Sauger (14) | - 8 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 30 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Monee Reservoir, Will County Forest Preserve District

Will County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| <u>White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)</u> | <u>-15 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u> |

Montrose Lake, City of Montrose

Cumberland County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |

Mt. Olive City Lakes (Old and New), City of Mt. Olive

Macoupin County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Mt. Pulaski Park District Lake, Mt. Pulaski Park District

Logan County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Mt. Sterling Lake, City of Mt. Sterling

Brown County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 12-15" Slot Length Limit (3) |

Mt. Vernon City Park Lake, City of Mt. Vernon

Jefferson County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

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- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Mt. Vernon Game Farm Pond, Mt. Vernon Game Farm

Jefferson County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Mundelein Park District Ponds , City of Mundelein

Lake County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Nashville City Lake, City of Nashville

Washington County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit

Newton Lake, Newton Lake State Fish and Wildlife Area (41) (33)

Jasper County

- Recreational Use Restrictions - The cold water arm of Newton Lake shall be closed daily from one-half hour before sunrise until 1:00 p.m. to all fishing and boat traffic except for legal waterfowl hunters during waterfowl season commencing with regular duck season through the close of the Canada goose and regular duck season; fishing tournaments prohibited from June 1 through August 31
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie - 10" Minimum Length Limit

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Norris City Reservoir, City of Norris City

White County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

~~North Marcum Campground Pond, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers~~~~Franklin County~~

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Oakland City Lake, City of Oakland

Coles County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Oblong Lake, City of Oblong

Crawford County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Ohio River (between Illinois & Kentucky), State of Illinois

Multiple Counties

Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 12" Minimum Length Limit
Northern Pike	- No Length or Creel Limit
Muskie or Tiger Muskie	- 2 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Muskie or Tiger Muskie	- 30" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 30 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Striped, White, Yellow or Hybrid	- 30 Creel/4 Fish \geq 15" Daily (32)
Striped Bass	

Ohio River – Smithland Pool Tributary Streams (in Pope/Hardin/Gallatin Counties, excluding

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Wabash River and Saline River Above Route 1 Bridge)

Multiple Counties

Large and Smallmouth Bass - 12" Minimum Length Limit

Old Kinmundy Reservoir, City of Kinmundy

Marion County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Olsen Lake, Rock Cut State Park

Winnebago County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Omaha City Reservoir, City of Omaha

Gallatin County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Omaha Township Reservoir, City of Omaha

Gallatin County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Otter Lake, Otter Lake Water Commission

Macoupin County

Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
 All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 10 Creel/3 Fish \geq 17" (17)
 (16)

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Pure Muskellunge - 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)

Palmissano Pond (Stern's Park Quarry), Chicago Park District

Cook County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

All Fish - Catch and Release Fishing Only (9)

Palmyra – Modesto Water Commission Lake, Palmyra/Modesto Water Commission

Macoupin County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Pana Lake, City of Pana

Shelby and Christian Counties

Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Paris East & West Lakes, City of Paris

Edgar County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Peabody River King, Pit #3 Lakes and Ponds, River King State Conservation Area (see also Willow Lake for additional regulations)

St Clair County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie - 9" Minimum Length Limit

Pecatonica River and Tributaries, State of Illinois

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Winnebago/Stephenson Counties

Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Perry Farm Pond, Bourbonnais Park District

Kankakee County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Piasa (19)

Madison/Jersey Counties

Pierce Lake, Rock Cut State Park

Winnebago County

Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (7)
Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
Pure Muskellunge - 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Pinckneyville Lake, City of Pinckneyville

Perry County

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Pine Creek

Ogle County

Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Pine Creek (within the boundaries of White Pines Forest State Park)

Ogle County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Pine Lake, Village of University Park

Will County

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All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Piscasaw Creek	
McHenry County	
Trout	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
Pittsfield City Lake, City of Pittsfield	
Pike County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (7)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Pocahontas Park Ponds, City of Pocahontas	
Bond County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Ponderosa Lake, Mazonia State Fish and Wildlife Area (33)	
Grundy County	
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Powerton Lake, Powerton Lake Fish and Wildlife Area (39)	
Tazewell County	
Recreational Use Restrictions	- Powerton Lake shall be closed to boat traffic except for legal waterfowl hunters from one week prior to regular waterfowl season to February 15, and closed to all unauthorized entry during regular Canada goose and duck season
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

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Channel or Blue Catfish (14)	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 10 Creel/3 Fish \geq 17" Daily (17)
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 18" Minimum Length Limit

Prospect Pond, City of Moline

Rock Island County

Trout

- Fall Closed Season (10)

Pyramid State Park – Blue Wing Lake, Green Wing Lake and Goldeneye Lake, Pyramid State Park

Perry County

Recreational Use Restrictions

- Waterfowl Hunting Area (from October 28 through February 28 fishing is permitted in designated areas only, and fishing hours are from ½ hour before sunrise to 2 p.m.)
 - All live bait in excess of 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)

All Fish

- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)

Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)

- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Channel Catfish

- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass

- 14 to 18" Protected Slot (no possession)

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)

- 1 Fish $>$ 18" and 5 Fish $<$ 14" (40)

Pure Muskellunge

- 48" Minimum Length Limit

White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)

- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Pyramid State Park – Captain, Denmark, Galum and East Conant Areas – All Lakes and Ponds except Blue Wing Lake, Green Wing Lake and Goldeneye Lake, Pyramid State Park

Perry County

Recreational Use Restrictions

- Waterfowl Refuge or Hunting Area (all use other than waterfowl hunting prohibited from October 28 through February 28)
 - All live bait $>$ 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)

All Fish

- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)

Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)

- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" to 18" Protected Slot (no possession)
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish > 18" and 5 Fish < 14" (40)
Pure Muskellunge	- 48" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Pyramid State Park Lakes & Ponds (excluding Captain, Denmark, Gallum and East Conant Areas), Pyramid State Park

Perry County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" to 18" Protected Slot (no possession)
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish > 18" and 5 Fish < 14" (40)

Raccoon Lake, City of Centralia

Marion County

Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
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Ramsey Lake, Ramsey Lake State Park

Fayette County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit

Ramsey Lake State Park Ponds, Ramsey Lake State Park

Fayette County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Randolph County Lake, Randolph County Conservation Area

Randolph County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)

Red Hills Lake, Red Hills State Park

Lawrence County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Red's Landing Wildlife Management Area (19)

Calhoun County

(Walk-in area closed to trespassing 7 days prior to duck season)

Redwing Slough/Deer Lake (33)

Lake County

Rend Lake, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (22) (33)

Franklin and Jefferson Counties

Channel Catfish - All jugs must be attended at all times while fishing (2)

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Striped, White, Yellow, or Hybrid Striped Bass (8) - 20 Creel/3 Fish \geq 17" Daily

White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 25 Creel/10 Fish \geq 10" Daily

Rend Lake Project Ponds – Jackie Branch Pond, Ina N. Borrow Pit, Green Heron Pond, North Marcum Campground Pond, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Franklin and Jefferson Counties

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Rice Lake Fish and Wildlife Area (33)

Fulton County

Ridge Lake, Fox Ridge State Park

Coles County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (27)

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Channel Catfish	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Riis Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District
Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Riprap Landing (19)
Calhoun County

River Bend Forest Preserve Lakes (Sunset Lake and Shadow Lake), Champaign County Forest
Preserve District

Champaign County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish	- 8" Minimum Length Limit
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Riverside Park Lagoon, Moline Park District
Rock Island County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Rochester Park Pond, City of Rochester
Sangamon County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Rock Creek, State of Illinois
Kankakee County

Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
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Rock River, from the Sears and Steel Dam downstream to confluence of the Mississippi River,
State of Illinois

Rock Island County

Walleye

- 15" Minimum Length Limit with a 20-27"
Protected Slot Length Limit (24)

Walleye and Sauger (14)

- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit with no more than 1
walleye > 27" in total length

Rock River, Wisconsin State Line downstream to confluence of the Mississippi River, including
tributaries, State of Illinois

Multiple Counties

Smallmouth Bass

- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Rock Springs Bike Trail Pond, Macon County Conservation District

Macon County

All Fish

- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish

- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass

- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)

- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Rock Springs Pond, Macon County Conservation District

Macon County

All Fish

- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish

- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass

- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)

- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Trout

- Fall Closed Season (10)

Roodhouse Park Lake, City of Roodhouse

Green County

All Fish

- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Channel Catfish

- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Route 6 Quarries (East and West), Will County Forest Preserve District

Will County

All Fish

- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)

- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Channel Catfish

- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Route 154 Day Use Pond, State of Illinois
 Randolph County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Sag Quarry East, Cook County Forest Preserve District
 Cook County

Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Rainbow Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)
 White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Sahara Woods Fish and Wildlife Area, State of Illinois
 Saline County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

St. Elmo South Lake, City of St. Elmo
 Fayette County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Salem Reservoir, City of Salem
 Marion County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Sam Dale Lake, Sam Dale Conservation Area

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Wayne County

- Recreational Use Restrictions - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- Pure Muskellunge - 48" Minimum Length Limit

Sam Dale Trout Pond, Sam Dale Conservation Area

Wayne County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Sam Parr Lake, Sam Parr State Park

Jasper County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Sand Lake, Illinois Beach State Park

Lake County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Sanganois Conservation Area (33) (42)

Mason/Cass/Schuyler/Menard Counties

- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 12" Minimum Length Limit

Sangchris Lake, Sangchris Lake State Park

Christian/Sangamon Counties

- Recreational Use Restrictions - Posted waterfowl refuge closed to all boat traffic during waterfowl season. Bank

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fishing along the dam shall be permitted. Fishing shall be prohibited in the east and west arms of the lake during the period from 10 days prior to the duck season through the end of the duck season. Fishing shall be prohibited in the west arm of the lake and the east arm of the lake south of the power lines during that portion of the Canada goose season that follows the duck season

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (45) |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie | - 10" Minimum Length Limit |

Sangchris Lake Park Ponds, Sangchris Lake State Park

Sangamon County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
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Schiller Pond, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36) |
| Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Schuy-Rush Lake, City of Rushville

Schuyler County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black or Hybrid Crappie | - 9" Minimum Length Limit |

Senior Citizen's Pond, Kankakee River State Park

Kankakee County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

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Sesser City Lake, City of Sesser

Franklin County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Shabbona Lake, Shabbona Lake State Park

DeKalb County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (7)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Pure Muskellunge	- 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Shawnee National Forest Lakes and Ponds less than 10 acres, U.S. Forest Service

Multiple Counties

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Bay Creek Lake #5 and #8 (Sugar Creek Lake), U.S. Forest Service

Pope County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Largemouth, Smallmouth and Spotted Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Dutchman Lake, U.S. Forest Service

Johnson County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Lake Glendale, U.S. Forest Service

Pope County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Little Cache #1, U.S. Forest Service

Johnson County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Largemouth or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Little Cedar Lake, U.S. Forest Service

Jackson County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14"-18" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession)
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 5 Fish < 14" and 1 Fish > 18" Daily Creel Limit (38)

Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 17" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Shawnee National Forest – One Horse Gap Lake, U.S. Forest Service

Pope County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Pounds Hollow Lake, U.S. Forest Service

Gallatin County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Tecumseh Lake, U.S. Forest Service

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Hardin County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Turkey Bayou, U.S. Forest Service

Jackson County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Shawnee National Forest – Whoopie Cat Lake, U.S. Forest Service

Hardin Counties

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Largemouth, Smallmouth or Spotted Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Sherman Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District

Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Siloam Springs Lake, Siloam Springs State Park

Adams County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (7)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 12-15" Slot Length Limit (3)
- Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)
- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Siloam Springs State Park Buckhorn Unit Waters, Siloam Springs State Park

Brown County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish - 8" Minimum Length Limit
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Silver Lake, City of Highland

Madison County

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| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Silver Lake, DuPage County Forest Preserve District

Dupage County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 12" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |
| Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye | - 16" Minimum Length Limit |
| Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| White, Black or Hybrid Crappie | - 9" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Silver Springs S.P. (Big Lake) & Ponds, Silver Springs State Fish and Wildlife Area

Kendall County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Trout | - Fall Closed Season (10) |
| Trout | - Spring Closed Season (11) |

Skokie Lagoons, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36) |
| Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 14" Minimum Length Limit |
| Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye | - 18" Minimum Length Limit |
| White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Snakeden Hollow State Fish and Wildlife Area – McMaster Lake & Other Site Waters, State of Illinois

Knox County

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- Recreational Use Restrictions
- Waterfowl Refuge or Hunting Area (all use other than waterfowl hunting prohibited from 14 days prior to duck season through the end of the central zone Canada goose season)
 - All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
- All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)
- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish
- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)
- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit with only one fish $\geq 15"$
- Pure Muskellunge
- 42" Minimum Length Limit
- Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye (14)
- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)
- 5 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Sparta City Lakes, City of Sparta
Randolph County
- All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish
- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass
- 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Sparta City Reservoir (South), City of Sparta
Randolph County
- All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish
- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)
- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass
- 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Sparta "T" Lake, City of Sparta
Randolph County
- All Fish
- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish
- 8" Minimum Length Limit
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)
- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish
- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass
- 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)
- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie
- 9" Minimum Length Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)
- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Sparta World Shooting and Recreational Complex – Derby Lake, State of Illinois
Randolph County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill and Redear Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large and Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large and Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 10" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Sparta World Shooting and Recreational Complex Lakes, State of Illinois
Randolph County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill and Redear Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large and Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large and Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 10" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Spencer Lake, Boone County Conservation District
Boone County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Sportsmans' Club Pond, Macon County Conservation District
Macon County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Spring Lake, City of Macomb
McDonough County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
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All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Spring Lakes (North & South), Spring Lake Conservation Area (33)

Tazewell County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Pure Muskellunge	- 48" Minimum Length Limit (40)
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit

Spring Pond, Flagg-Rochelle Park District

Ogle County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Starved Rock State Park (33)

LaSalle County

Staunton City Lake, City of Staunton

Macoupin County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Pure Muskellunge	- 36" Minimum Length Limit

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Stephen A. Forbes State Park (33) (see also Forbes State Lake and Forbes State Park Ponds)
Marion County

Sterling Lake, Lake County Forest Preserve District
Lake County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Pure Muskellunge	- 48" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 16" Minimum Length Limit

Storm Lake, DeKalb Park District
DeKalb County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Stump Lake Wildlife Management Area (19)
Jersey County

Tampier Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve District
Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (36)
Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Walleye, Sauger, or Hybrid Walleye	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Taylorville Park District Pond, Taylorville Park District
Christian County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)

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Ten Mile Creek Lakes, Ten Mile Creek State Fish and Wildlife Area
Hamilton/Jefferson Counties

(Areas designated as waterfowl rest areas are closed to all access during the Canada goose season only)

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Three Oaks North Lake, City of Crystal Lake
McHenry County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| All Fish | - Catch and Release Fishing Only (9) |

Three Oaks South Lake, City of Crystal Lake
McHenry County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| All Fish | - Catch and Release Fishing Only (9) |

Tilton City Lake, City of Tilton
Vermilion County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Toledo Reservoir, City of Toledo
Cumberland County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

Tri-Township Park Pond, City of Troy
Madison County

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| All Fish | - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) |
| Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) | - 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Channel Catfish | - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass | - 15" Minimum Length Limit |
| Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) | - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit |

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Turkey Bluff Ponds, State of Illinois
Randolph County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large and Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large and Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Turner Lake, Chain O'Lakes State Park
Lake County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Turtle Lake (East Lake Renwick), Will County Forest Preserve DistrictWill County

<u>All Fish</u>	<u>-2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)</u>
<u>Channel Catfish</u>	<u>-3 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>
<u>Large or Smallmouth Bass</u>	<u>-18" Minimum Length Limit</u>
<u>Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)</u>	<u>-1 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>
<u>Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)</u>	<u>-15 Fish Daily Creel Limit</u>

Tuscola City Lake, City of Tuscola
Douglas County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit

Union County Fish and Wildlife Area – All lakes and ponds

Union County

(All fishing and boat traffic prohibited from October 15 through the last day of February)

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Valley Lake, Wildwood Park District
Lake County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Valmeyer Lake, City of Valmeyer
 Monroe County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Vanhorn Woods Pond, Plainfield Park District
 Will County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Vernor Lake, City of Olney
 Richland County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Villa Grove East Lake, City of Villa Grove
 Douglas County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Villa Grove West Lake, City of Villa Grove
 Douglas County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass - 17" Minimum Length Limit
 Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)

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Virginia City Reservoir, City of Virginia

Cass County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit

Waddams Creek

Stephenson County

- Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Walnut Point Lake, Walnut Point State Fish and Wildlife Area

Douglas County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - ~~2015~~ Fish (either singly or in aggregate)
Daily Creel Limit, of which only 5 fish
can be \geq 8"
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 12-15" Slot Length Limit (3)

Walton Park Lake, City of Litchfield

Montgomery County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Wampum Lake, Cook County Forest Preserve District

Cook County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (36)
- Bluegill, Redear, or Pumpkinseed Sunfish (14) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit
- White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Washington County Lake, Washington County Conservation Area

Washington County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

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Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 14" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass	- 17" Minimum Length Limit
Striped, White, or Hybrid Striped Bass (16)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Washington Park Lagoon, Chicago Park District
Cook County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 4 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Washington Park Pond, Springfield Park District
Sangamon County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Trout	- Fall Closed Season (10)
Trout	- Spring Closed Season (11)

Watseka City Ponds (Clements Pond, Kapers Pond and Municipal Center Pond), City of
Watseka

Iroquois County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (14)	- 10 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Waverly Lake, City of Waverly

Morgan County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit

Weinberg-King Pond, Weinberg-King State Park

Schuyler County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Weldon Springs Lake, Weldon Springs State Park

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DeWitt County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

West Frankfort New City Lake, City of West Frankfort

Franklin County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit

West Frankfort Old City Lake, City of West Frankfort

Franklin County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

West Salem Reservoir, City of West Salem

Edwards County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Whalon Lake, Forest Preserve District of Will County

Will County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
- Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14) - 15 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Channel Catfish - 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass - 18" Minimum Length Limit
- Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

White Hall City Lake, City of White Hall

Greene County

- All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1) (5)
- Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit

~~White Oaks Park Lake, City of Bloomington
MeLean County~~

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All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Wilderness Pond, Fox Ridge State Park
Coles County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 5 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 18" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Wildlife Prairie State Park, State of Illinois
Peoria County

Recreational Use Restrictions	- All live bait > 8" must be rigged with a quick set rig (43)
All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 12-18" Protected Slot Length Limit (no possession allowed within the protected slot length limit)
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Bluegill or Redear Sunfish (14)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit
White, Black or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Pure or Hybrid Muskellunge	- 42" Minimum Length Limit

William W. Powers Conservation Area (33)
Cook County

Willow Lake, Peabody River King State Conservation Area

St. Clair County

All Fish	- 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
Channel Catfish	- 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass	- 15" Minimum Length Limit
Large or Smallmouth Bass (14)	- 3 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie (15)	- 25 Fish Daily Creel Limit
White, Black, or Hybrid Crappie	- 9" Minimum Length Limit

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Trout - Fall Closed Season (10)

Wolf Lake, William W. Powers Conservation Area (33)

Cook County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 14" Minimum Length Limit

Woodford Co. Cons. Area (Fishing Ditch), Woodford County Conservation Area (33)

Woodford County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)

Woodlawn Pond, Frankfort Square Park District

Will County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit

Wyman Lake, City of Sullivan

Moultrie County

All Fish - 2 Pole and Line Fishing Only (1)
 Channel Catfish - 6 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass - 15" Minimum Length Limit
 Large or Smallmouth Bass (14) - 1 Fish Daily Creel Limit
 Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

Yellow Creek

Stephenson County

Trout - Spring Closed Season (11)

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 810.70 Free Fishing Days

During the period of June ~~7, 8, 9, 10, 2013 and June 6, 7, 8, 9, 2014~~~~8, 9, 10, 11, 2012~~, it shall be legal for any person to fish in waters wholly or in part within the jurisdiction of the State, including the Illinois portion of Lake Michigan, without possessing a sport fishing license, salmon stamp or inland trout stamp.

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(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 810.80 Emergency Protective Procedures

- a) Emergency procedures will be utilized to protect the sport fisheries resources of the State and the general health, safety and welfare of the general public under the following criteria:
- 1) Conditions
 - A) When data analysis based upon biological surveys demonstrates that one or more fish species in a fishery is likely to suffer severe deleterious effects due to angling pressure without the procedure; or
 - B) When the Department identifies a water of the State where a fish kill (manmade, natural, or unknown origin) occurs and determines that fishing or the removal of a dead and decaying aquatic life resulting from these conditions poses a threat to public health or safety.
 - 2) The information upon which the procedure is based was not available prior to the time frame required for normal rulemaking procedures.
 - 3) The emergency procedure must have the approval of the Chief, Division of Fisheries.
- b) Emergency procedures will be posted on the Department's website: www.dnr.state.il.us and at all lake road entrances, boat launching ramps or other heavily used bank fishing areas. A news release explaining the emergency procedures will be given to relevant State agencies, local emergency management agencies and local news media (television, newspaper, radio) prior to the effective date. These procedures will remain in effect until the Director of the Department of Natural Resources determines that the relevant conditions listed in Section 810.80(a)(1)(A) and (B) are mitigated. Rescission of the emergency procedures shall be posted on the Department's website and announced to local news media. Emergency procedures that will

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remain in effect longer than 7 days will result in the Department filing an emergency rule.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

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- 1) Heading of the Part: The Taking of Reptiles and Amphibians
- 2) Code Citation: 17 Ill. Adm. Code 880
- 3)

<u>Section Numbers</u> :	<u>Proposed Action</u> :
880.10	Amendment
880.20	Amendment
880.30	Amendment
880.60	Amendment
- 4) Statutory Authority: Implementing and authorized by Sections 5/10-30, 10-35, 10-60, 10-115, 20-5 and 20-90 of the Fish and Aquatic Life Code [515 ILCS 5/10-30, 10-35, 10-60, 10-115, 20-5 and 20-90] and the Aquaculture Development Act [20 ILCS 215]
- 5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: This Part is being amended to revise the methods of taking and capture of reptiles and amphibians. Snapping turtles will be able to be legally taken by bow and arrow and must be taken into possession once taken with a lethal method. Dip nets will no longer be a legal method of capture for snapping turtles or bullfrogs. This Part is also being amended to clarify the daily catch and possession limits of reptiles and amphibians.
- 6) Published studies or reports, and sources of underlying data, used to compose this rulemaking: None
- 7) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 8) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 9) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 10) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objectives: This rulemaking does not affect units of local government.
- 12) Time, Place and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed rulemaking: Comments on the proposed rulemaking may be submitted in writing for a period of 45 days following publication of this Notice to:

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Nick San Diego, Legal Counsel
Department of Natural Resources
One Natural Resources Way
Springfield, IL 62702-1271

217/782-1809

- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
- A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not for profit corporations affected: None
 - B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: None
 - C) Types of professional skills necessary for compliance: None
- 14) Regulatory Agenda on which this rulemaking was summarized: July 2012

The full text of the Proposed Amendments begins on the next page:

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TITLE 17: CONSERVATION
CHAPTER I: DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
SUBCHAPTER b: FISH AND WILDLIFEPART 880
THE TAKING OF REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS
[UNDER A SPORT FISHING LICENSE](#)

Section

880.10	Prohibition of Commercial Use
880.20	Methods of Taking and Capture
880.30	Daily Catch and Possession Limits
880.40	Captive Born Reptiles and Amphibians
880.50	Protection of Habitat
880.60	Areas Closed to the Taking of Reptiles and Amphibians
880.70	Additional Protective Regulations

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by Sections 5/10-30, 10-35, 10-60, 10-115, 20-5 and 20-90 of the Fish and Aquatic Life Code [515 ILCS 5/10-30, 10-35, 10-60, 10-115, 20-5 and 20-90] and the Aquaculture Development Act [20 ILCS 215].

SOURCE: Adopted at 16 Ill. Reg. 109, effective December 20, 1991; recodified by changing the agency name from Department of Conservation to Department of Natural Resources at 20 Ill. Reg. 9389; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 14852, effective August 3, 1998; amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

Section 880.10 Prohibition of Commercial Use

It is unlawful to take, possess, buy, sell, offer to buy or sell or barter any reptile, amphibian, or their eggs [or resulting offspring](#) or parts taken from the wild in Illinois for commercial purposes, unless otherwise authorized by statute.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 880.20 Methods of Taking and Capture

- a) Only those persons who hold a valid sport fishing license or a valid Sportsmen's Combination License may take or attempt to take turtles and/or frogs ([see](#) ~~515 ILCS 5/20-5~~).

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- b) Common snapping turtles (*Chelydra serpentina*) ~~Turtles~~ may be taken only by hand, hook and line, ~~or bow and arrow (except in the counties listed in Section 880.60(b) where bowfishing for common snapping turtles is not allowed).~~ The Alligator Snapping Turtle (*Macrochelys temminckii*) is protected and may not be taken by any method including, but not limited to, any sport fishing method, or landing net. For the purposes of this Part, a landing net is defined as a hand-held net with no greater than 1.5 inch bar measurement netting, an opening of not greater than 5 feet in diameter, and a handle.
- c) Bullfrogs and common snapping turtles may be taken only between June 15 and August 31, both dates inclusive. Bullfrogs may be taken only by hook and line, gig, pitchfork, spear, bow and arrow, hand, ~~or~~ landing net.
- d) No person shall take common snapping turtles or bullfrogs by commercial fishing devices, including dip nets, hoop nets, traps or seines, or by the use of firearms, airguns or gas guns.
- e) No person shall take or possess any species of reptile or amphibian listed as endangered or threatened in Illinois (17 Ill. Adm. Code 1010), except as provided by 17 Ill. Adm. Code 1070.
- f) All other species of reptiles and amphibians may be captured by hand ~~any device or method which is not designed or intended to bring about the death or serious injury of the animals captured.~~ This shall not restrict the use of legally taken reptiles or amphibians as bait by anglers.
- g) Any captured reptiles or amphibians ~~that~~ which are not to be retained in the possession of the captor shall be immediately released at the site of capture, unless taken with a lethal method (such as bow and arrow, gig, spear or pitchfork) that does not permit "release with no harm". All common snapping turtles and bullfrogs taken by this method must be kept and counted in the daily catch creel or bag. No culling of these taken species is permitted.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 880.30 Daily Catch and Possession Limits

- a) The daily catch limit for common snapping turtles ~~reptiles~~ is eight (8) ~~of each~~

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~~species~~ and for ~~bullfrogs~~ ~~amphibians~~ is ~~eight (8)~~ of each species. The possession limit for ~~common snapping turtles~~ ~~reptiles~~ is ~~4~~ ~~sixteen (16)~~ ~~of each species~~ and for ~~bullfrogs~~ ~~amphibians~~ is ~~sixteen (16)~~ ~~of each species~~.

- b) For indigenous Illinois amphibian and reptile taxa (excluding common snapping turtles and bullfrogs), the possession limit is 8 collectively with no more than 4 per taxa.**

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

Section 880.60 Areas Closed to the Taking of Reptiles and Amphibians

- a)** Unless otherwise allowed by statute or administrative rule, the taking of reptiles and amphibians at any time and by any method is prohibited in the following ~~area~~ ~~areas~~: the LaRue-Pine Hills/Otter Pond Research Natural Area in Union County. The closed area shall include the Research Natural Area as designated by the U.S. Forest Service and the right-of-way of Forest Road 345 from the intersection of Forest Road 345 with Forest Road 236 to the intersection of Forest Road 345 with the Missouri Pacific railroad tracks.
- b)** Bowfishing for common snapping turtles is not permitted in the following Illinois counties: Randolph, Perry, Franklin, Hamilton, White, Gallatin, Saline, Williamson, Jackson, Union, Johnson, Pope, Hardin, Massac, Pulaski and Alexander.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

- 1) Heading of the Part: Newborn Metabolic Screening and Treatment Code
- 2) Code Citation: 77 Ill. Adm. Code 661
- 3) Section Number: 661.15 Proposed Action:
Amend
- 4) Statutory Authority: Newborn Metabolic Screening Act [410 ILCS 240]
- 5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: The amendment is necessary to ensure that the definition of "Lysosomal Storage Disorders" (LSDs) corresponds with the expansion of screening testing specified in PA 97-0532 that became effective on August 23, 2011. The amendment to the Act adds Mucopolysaccharidosis Type I (Hurlers syndrome) and Mucopolysaccharidosis Type II (Hunters syndrome) to the list of disorders included in the Lysosomal Storage Disorders category.

The economic effect of this proposed rulemaking is unknown. Therefore, the Department requests any information that would assist in calculating this effect.

The Department anticipates adoption of this rulemaking approximately six to nine months after publication of the Notice in the *Illinois Register*.

- 6) Published studies or reports, and sources of underlying data used to compose this rulemaking: None
- 7) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 8) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 9) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 10) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objectives: This rulemaking does not create or expand a State Mandate.
- 12) Time, Place and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed rulemaking:

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Interested persons may present their comments concerning this rulemaking within 45 days after the publication of this issue of the *Illinois Register* to:

Susan Meister
Division of Legal Services
Illinois Department of Public Health
535 W. Jefferson St., 5th floor
Springfield, IL 62761

217/782-2043
e-mail: dph.rules@illinois.gov

- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
- A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not for profit corporations affected: Birthing hospitals in Illinois
 - B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: No changes are required.
 - C) Types of professional skills necessary for compliance: Same as now exist for other disorders included in the Illinois newborn screening panel.
- 14) Regulatory Agenda on which this rulemaking was summarized: The rulemaking was not included on the most recent Regulatory Agenda because the need for the rulemaking was not apparent when the Regulatory Agenda was prepared.

The full text of the Proposed Amendment begins on the next page:

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TITLE 77: PUBLIC HEALTH
CHAPTER I: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
SUBCHAPTER i: MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTHPART 661
NEWBORN METABOLIC SCREENING AND TREATMENT CODE

Section

661.10	Responsibility
661.15	Definitions
661.20	Collection of Blood and Submission of Specimens
661.30	Interpretation of Results
661.35	Designation of Medical Specialists
661.40	Reports
661.50	Diagnosis and Treatment
661.60	Exemption
661.70	Fee Assessment and Payment

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by the Newborn Metabolic Screening Act [410 ILCS 240].

SOURCE: Adopted December 14, 1973; emergency rules at 3 Ill. Reg. 28, p. 224, effective June 28, 1979, for a maximum of 150 days; rules repealed and new rules adopted at 3 Ill. Reg. 48, p. 42, effective November 20, 1979; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 4593, effective April 15, 1981; amended and codified at 8 Ill. Reg. 19041, effective September 26, 1984; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 12921, effective August 1, 1987; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 15079, effective October 1, 1989; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 13292, effective August 15, 1990; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 13609, effective August 1, 1993; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 15720, effective November 1, 1995; expedited correction at 20 Ill. Reg. 3590, effective November 1, 1995; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 20639, effective November 10, 1998; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 10676, effective July 1, 2002; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 18412, effective January 1, 2003; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 13203, effective August 28, 2007; amended at 34 Ill. Reg. 940, effective December 31, 2009; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 1753, effective January 19, 2012; amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

Section 661.15 Definitions

"Act" means the Newborn Metabolic Screening Act [410 ILCS 240].

"Advisory Committee" means the Genetic and Metabolic Diseases Advisory

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Committee appointed by the Director.

~~"CF" means cystic fibrosis.~~

~~"CLSI" means Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute" or "CLSI" means a global nonprofit standards-developing organization that promotes the development and use of voluntary consensus standards and guidelines within the health care community.~~

"Department" or "DPH" means the Department of Public Health.

"Director" means the Director of the Department of Public Health.

"Formula" means a medically prescribed treatment substance that has been designed to treat a specific metabolic disorder.

~~"LysosomalLSD" means lysosomal storage disorders" or "LSD" means disorders, including, but not limited to, the following: Krabbe, Pompe, Gaucher, Fabry, and Niemann-Pick and Mucopolysaccharidosis Type I (Hurlers syndrome) and Mucopolysaccharidosis Type II (Hunters syndrome), which are inherited metabolic disorders caused by lysosomal dysfunction, usually as a consequence of deficiency of a single enzyme required for the metabolism of lipids, glycoproteins or mucopolysaccharides.~~

"Newborn screening" or "testing" means the testing of a blood sample for classical phenylketonuria (PKU) and certain other amino acid, organic acid, and fatty acid oxidation disorders, primary hypothyroidism, classical galactosemia, congenital adrenal hyperplasia due to 21-hydroxylase deficiency, biotinidase deficiency, sickle cell disease/trait, cystic fibrosis, lysosomal storage disorders, and severe combined immunodeficiency. At times, variant forms of some disorders, or related conditions, may also be identified.

~~"PKU" means classical phenylketonuria.~~

"Tandem mass spectrometry" or "MS/MS" means use of a tandem mass spectrometer and associated software to test a newborn screening sample.

~~"MS/MS" means Tandem Mass Spectrometry.~~

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"~~Severe~~SCID" ~~means severe~~ combined immunodeficiency and T cell lymphopenia or "SCID" means a primary immune deficiency characterized by a severe defect in both the T and B lymphocyte systems.

"Using accepted statistical techniques" means using techniques that have been published in peer reviewed scientific literature.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

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- 1) Heading of the Part: Department of Personnel
- 2) Code Citation: 80 Ill. Adm. Code 420
- 3)

<u>Section Numbers:</u>	<u>Proposed Action:</u>
420.400	Amendment
420.610	Amendment
- 4) Statutory Authority: 15 ILCS 310/10
- 5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: This rulemaking seeks to conform to current merit practices and with the provisions of Public Act 97-949 that amended the Secretary of State Merit Employment Code [15 ILCS 310/10].
- 6) Published studies or reports, and sources of underlying data, used to compose this rulemaking: None
- 7) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 8) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 9) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 10) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objective: This rulemaking will not create or enlarge a State mandate.
- 12) Time, Place, and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed rulemaking: Written comments may be submitted within 45 days after the publication of this Notice to:

Stephan Roth or Linda Green
Office of the Secretary of State
Department of Personnel
Room 197 Howlett Building
Springfield, Illinois 62756

217/782-1750

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All comments must be in writing.

- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
- A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not-for-profit corporations affected: None
 - B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: None
 - C) Types of professional skills necessary for compliance: None
- 14) Regulatory Agenda on which this rulemaking was summarized: This rulemaking did not appear on either of the most recent Regulatory Agendas, since the Department did not anticipate this rulemaking at that time.

The full text of the Proposed Amendments begins on the next page:

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TITLE 80: PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES
SUBTITLE B: PERSONNEL RULES, PAY PLANS, AND
POSITION CLASSIFICATIONS
CHAPTER II: SECRETARY OF STATE

PART 420
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL

SUBPART A: INTRODUCTION

Section
420.10 Definitions

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Section
420.200 Positions
420.210 Position Classification
420.220 Pay Plan

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Section
420.300 Application and Examination
420.310 Appointment and Selection
420.320 Trainees
420.330 Intermittents
420.340 Continuous Service
420.350 Performance Evaluation Forms
420.360 Probationary Status
420.370 Promotions
420.380 Employee Transfers
420.390 Demotion
420.400 Layoffs and Reemployment
420.410 Voluntary Reduction
420.415 Sworn Personnel – Inter-Agency Assignment
420.420 Resignation and Reinstatement
420.430 Discipline, Discharge, and Termination
420.435 Return of State Property

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SUBPART D: CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Section	
420.600	Grievance Procedure
420.610	Sick Leave
420.620	Personal Leave
420.630	On-The-Job Injury – Industrial Disease (Repealed)
420.640	Leaves of Absence Without Pay
420.645	Family Leave
420.650	Limitations on Leaves of Absence
420.660	Leaves of Absence – Special
420.665	Leaves of Absence – Sworn Personnel – Inter-Agency Assignment
420.670	Leaves of Absence – Special – Salary (Repealed)
420.680	Employee Rights After Leave
420.690	Leave of Absence – Election to Public Office
420.700	Failure to Return from Leave of Absence
420.705	National Service Leave
420.710	Military Leave
420.715	Disaster Services Leave with Pay
420.720	Leave for Annual Military Reserve Training or Special Duty
420.730	Leave for Military Physical Examinations
420.740	Leave to Take Exempt Position (Repealed)
420.745	Blood/Organ/Tissue Donation Leave
420.750	School Visitation Leave
420.760	Non-service Connected and Service Connected Disability Leave
420.770	Attendance in Court
420.775	Victims' Economic Security and Safety Leave
420.800	Vacation
420.810	Work Schedules
420.820	Overtime
420.825	Temporary Assignment (Repealed)
420.830	Holidays
420.835	Notification of Absence

SUBPART E: GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section	
420.1000	Records

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420.1010	Benefits
420.1015	Proration of Rights and Benefits
420.1020	Prohibition of Discrimination
420.1030	Other Provisions

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by Section 10 of the Secretary of State Merit Employment Code [15 ILCS 310/10].

SOURCE: Emergency rule adopted December 29, 1977; amended at 3 Ill. Reg. 49, p. 159, effective October 1, 1979; amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 40, p. 219, effective December 1, 1980; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 3302, effective March 16, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 7494, effective June 16, 1982; amended at 7 Ill. Reg. 11526, effective September 7, 1983; codified at 8 Ill. Reg. 2653; recodified at 10 Ill. Reg. 15659; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 6766, effective April 1, 1988; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 1652, effective February 1, 1993; emergency amendment at 21 Ill. Reg. 1710, effective January 27, 1997, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 5937, effective April 24, 1997; emergency amendment at 27 Ill. Reg. 18259, effective November 17, 2003, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired April 14, 2004; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 7676, effective May 24, 2004; emergency amendment at 32 Ill. Reg. 3013, effective February 13, 2008, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment repealed at 32 Ill. Reg. 6659, effective April 2, 2008; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 15017, effective September 8, 2008; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 4278, effective March 1, 2011; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 12125, effective July 16, 2012; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 13945, effective September 1, 2012; amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

SUBPART C: MERIT AND FITNESS

Section 420.400 Layoffs and Reemployment

- a) For purposes of layoff and reemployment, Secretary of State continuous service shall mean the period of uninterrupted service from the date of entry into service with the Office of the Secretary of State, whether by appointment or transfer.
- b) Layoff Procedure:
 - 1) A department may request the layoff of an employee because of lack of funds, material change in duties or organization, or lack of work, or the abolition of a position for any of these reasons. Based on class, department, county or other designation, layoffs shall be within organizational units justified by operations and approved prior to the

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layoff by the Director of Personnel.

- 2) Based on class, department, county or other designation, layoffs shall be within organizational units justified by operations and approved prior to the layoff by the Director of Personnel. Within selected designations and organizational units, employees will be laid off in order of length of Secretary of State continuous service.
 - 3) A proposed layoff is subject to the approval of the Director of Personnel before becoming effective and shall include the following in the organizational unit in which the layoff is proposed:
 - A) A list of all employees in the selected designation and organizational unit showing status and total Secretary of State continuous service;
 - B) A listing of the employees to be laid off;
 - C) An explanation of any layoff not in order of Secretary of State continuous service;
 - D) An explanation of the organizational unit selected, identifying the department, division, facility, geographical location, operational needs and other elements deemed relevant by the department director.
- c) Order of Layoff:
- 1) The following order shall be observed in implementing layoffs:
 - A) No certified or probationary employee may be laid off until all temporary, emergency, provisional ~~and~~; trainee ~~and exempt~~ employees in the same class and organizational unit are terminated;
 - B) No certified employee may be laid off until all probationary employees in the same class and organizational unit are terminated.
 - 2) Within status groups and in accordance with the layoff plan submitted

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under subsection (b), consideration shall be given to performance records and Secretary of State continuous service.

- 3) For purposes of this Section, "certified employee" shall mean any employee who has satisfactorily completed a required period of probation and/or attained certified status in any position during the employee's current period of continuous service.
- d) **Effective Date of Layoff:** Unless extraordinary operating conditions or events are specified in the proposed layoff plan, no layoff shall be effective until 10 working days after the Director of Personnel's approval of the layoff plan.
- e) **Disapproval:** The Director of Personnel may disapprove or modify any layoff plan that results in a disproportionate impact on any protected class, as defined by federal civil rights laws, judicial decisions and the Illinois Human Rights Act [775 ILCS 5], within the layoff unit.
- f) Notice of layoff to the affected employee shall be given within a reasonable time period after approval of the layoff plan by the Director of Personnel.
- g) **Reemployment Lists:**
 - 1) The Director of Personnel shall, before the effective date of layoff, approve and establish a reemployment list, by class and department and designated geographical area. A certified employee who has been laid off shall be placed in order of length of Secretary of State continuous service on a reemployment list for recall to the first available assignment to a position in the class and department and designated geographical location or area in which the employee was assigned prior to being placed on the reemployment list.
 - 2) When circumstances warrant, at the discretion of the Director of Personnel, the reemployment list may be established by related classes whose duties are substantially similar to the class from which the employee was laid off.
 - 3) An employee whose name has been placed on the reemployment list will also be eligible for reinstatement in accordance with Section 420.420(b).

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- h) Employment from Reemployment List: Whenever there is any person available on a reemployment list for recall to a vacant position for the same class, department and geographical area, no permanent position may be filled by any of the following means:
- 1) By probationary appointment from the appropriate open competitive list;
 - 2) By provisional appointment;
 - ~~3) By promotion of a certified employee or a probationary employee who has been certified during the current period of continuous service by a qualifying examination;~~
 - ~~3)4) By reinstatement of a former certified employee, except by an employee on the reemployment list or;~~
 - ~~4)5) By merit system transfer in; ~~or~~~~
 - ~~6) By voluntary reduction, except by an employee on the reemployment list, and only if there are no employees on the reemployment list for the same class, department and designated geographical area.~~
- i) Removal of Names from Reemployment List:
- 1) A laid off employee's name shall be removed from the reemployment list when:
 - A) The employee is recalled from layoff;
 - B) The employee refuses an offer of permanent reemployment;
 - C) The employee's name has remained on the reemployment list for 12 months; or
 - D) The employee has been reinstated in accordance with Section 420.420(b).
 - 2) Offers of temporary or emergency appointment shall not be considered as recall or reinstatement.

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- j) Laid Off Probationary Employee:
- 1) The name of a probationary employee who is terminated as a result of layoff before the completion of the probationary period shall be returned to the eligible list with the same grade as when appointed, for the remainder of his/her one year eligibility.
 - 2) An employee serving a probationary period but otherwise certified as defined in subsection (c)(3), who is to be laid off, shall be given notice and may request a voluntary reduction pursuant to Section 420.410(a) and (c). If no voluntary reduction is effected, the employee will be laid off and the employee's name placed on the reemployment list in order of continuous service for the department, work location and title in which last certified.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

SUBPART D: CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Section 420.610 Sick Leave

- a) Sick Leave Definition: All employees, except those in emergency, permanent part-time, intermittent, per diem, or temporary status, unless the status is the result of accepting a nonpermanent working assignment in another class, shall accumulate sick leave at the rate of one day for each month's service. Intermittent and permanent part-time employees shall accrue sick time on a prorated hourly basis determined by a ratio, the numerator of which shall be number of hours in pay status each month and the denominator of which shall be the number of normal work hours that month.
- b) Accumulation of Sick Leave: Employees shall be allowed to carry over from year to year of continuous service any unused sick leave. An employee shall retain any unused sick leave accumulated prior to December 1, 1980.
- c) Reinstatement of Sick Leave:
 - 1) On or after the effective date of this Section, accumulated sick leave available at the time an employee's continuous service is interrupted shall,

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upon verification, be reinstated to the employee's account upon return to full-time, regularly scheduled part-time, or intermittent employment, except in temporary or emergency status. This reinstatement is applicable provided the interruption of service occurred not more than 5 years prior to the date the employee reenters service and provided the sick leave has not been credited by the appropriate retirement system towards retirement benefits.

- 2) An employee with previous service for which sick leave was granted under provisions other than Jurisdiction C of the Code shall have the sick leave reinstated to the extent provided under this Section.
- d) **Advancement of Sick Leave:** An employee with more than 2 years continuous service whose personnel records warrant it may be advanced sick leave with pay for not more than 10 working days, with the written approval of the department and the Director of Personnel. Advances will be charged against sick leave accumulated later in subsequent service. No additional advance of sick time will be made until all previously advanced time is repaid.
- e) **Use of Sick Leave:**
 - 1) Sick leave shall be used in the following order:
 - A) Sick leave granted prior to January 1, 1984 will be used first;
 - B) Sick leave granted beginning January 1, 1998 will be used second;
 - C) Sick Leave granted from January 1, 1984 through December 31, 1997 will be used last.
 - 2) Sick leave may not be used in increments of less than ½ hour at a time, but in conjunction with the first ½ hour may be taken in additional 15-minute increments. Permanent part-time and intermittent employees may use sick time in 15-minute increments.
 - 3) Sick leave may be used for illness, disability or injury of the employee or appointments with doctor, dentist or other professional medical practitioner, and also may be used for not more than 30 days in one calendar year in the event of serious illness, disability, injury, or death of a

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member of the employee's immediate family, unless such time is used pursuant to the Family Medical Leave Act (29 USC 2601 et seq.).

- 4) The employing department or the Department of Personnel shall, when there is apparent abuse, require evidence to substantiate that sick leave days were used for the purposes set forth in subsection (e)(3). For periods of absence of more than 5 consecutive workdays, the employee shall provide verification for the absence in accordance with the provisions of Section 420.760(b)(4).
 - 5) Employees may be granted up to 3 days (a day being equal to his/her actual workday) of paid leave time, in addition to the use of sick time allowed in subsection (e)(3), to attend services and related events and make necessary arrangements upon the death of a member of his/her immediate family. For purposes of this subsection (e)(5), immediate family includes father/step-father, mother/step-mother, brother/step-brother, sister/step-sister, son/step-son, daughter/step-daughter, spouse, domestic partner, party to a civil union, child (including adopted, custodial or in-law), grandparent, grandchild, parent-in-law, brother or sister-in-law, niece, nephew, aunt and uncle. The employee may be required to provide documentation as to the necessity for absences covered by this subsection (e)(5).
- f) Payment in Lieu of Sick Leave:
- 1) Unless otherwise provided by law, upon separation of employment by means of resignation, retirement, death, indeterminate layoff, or discharge, and if the employee is not employed in another position in State service within 4 calendar days of the separation, an employee is entitled to be paid for unused sick leave which accrued on or after January 1, 1984 and prior to January 1, 1998 in accordance with subsection (e)(3).
 - 2) The amount of sick leave to be paid upon termination of employment will be determined as follows:
 - A) using time records from the employing department, the Department of Personnel will verify the employee's sick leave balance for sick leave earned, but not taken, in the period from January 1, 1984 up to and including December 31, 1997;

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- B) the employees will be paid one-half of the amount of sick leave days determined in subsection (e)(2)(A), multiplied by the daily salary rate in effect at the time of separation.
- 3) The method for computing the hourly or daily salary rate for sick leave qualifying for lump sum payment upon separation of employment shall be determined by Payroll.
 - 4) If an employee has a negative sick leave balance pursuant to subsection (d) when employment is separated, the employing department must submit this negative sick leave balance to Payroll, where one of the following will be applied:
 - A) Subtract the negative sick leave balance from the earning amount still due to the employee by the Secretary of State.
 - B) Contact employing department, stating dollar amount of overpayment to employee. The employing department then has the responsibility of contacting the employee regarding the dollar amount due to the Secretary of State, payable by personal check or money order.
 - C) If no repayment occurs, Payroll will establish a lien against any State of Illinois monetary payment due to the employee through the Comptroller for the negative sick leave balance owed to the Secretary of State.
 - 5) An employee who is reemployed, reinstated or recalled from indeterminate layoff and who received lump sum payment in lieu of unused sick days will have the days restored by doing the following:
 - A) The employee must notify the employing department to request restoration of the previously paid unused sick days to the employee's sick leave account; and
 - B) The employee must repay the gross (total) amount paid by the State (before deductions) to the Secretary of State by personal check or money order. The employing department will forward

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the employee's repayment to Payroll before unused sick days are returned to the employee's sick leave account.

- g) Pursuant to the Secretary of State Merit Employment Code [15 ILCS 310/10b.18], an employee who is also a veteran shall be permitted ~~42~~ days with pay per year to visit a ~~veterans'~~~~veterans~~ hospital for examination of a military service connected disability. Upon submitting proof of the visit, the ~~42~~ days shall not be charged against any sick leave currently available to the employee.

(Source: Amended at 37 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____)

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- 1) Heading of the Part: Reports of Child Abuse and Neglect
- 2) Code Citation: 89 Ill. Adm. Code 300
- 3)

<u>Section Numbers:</u>	<u>Adopted Action:</u>
300.20	Amended
300.30	Amended
- 4) Statutory Authority: 20 ILCS 505/4
- 5) Effective Date of Rulemaking: November 15, 2012
- 6) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 7) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 8) A copy of the adopted amendment, including material incorporated by reference, if any, is on file in the Agency's principal office and is available for public inspection.
- 9) Notice of Proposal published in the *Illinois Register*: December 30, 2011; 35 Ill. Reg. 20962
- 10) Has JCAR issued a Statement of Objection to this rulemaking? No
- 11) Differences between Proposal and Final Version: The Department made changes after initial publication to include changes to the definition of "neglected child" and to add the definition of "blatant disregard" as set forth in PA 97-803, deleting our initially proposed language. Additionally, PA 97-189 provides that a first-time violation of the false reporting provisions is a Class 4 felony; Sections 300.30(b)(4)(B) and 300.30(d) have been amended to include this language.
- 12) Have all the changes agreed upon by the Agency and JCAR been made as indicated in the agreements issued by JCAR? Yes
- 13) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 14) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No

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- 15) Summary and purpose of rulemaking: These amendments were proposed to implement changes in the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act as described in PA 97-189, PA 97-254, PA 97-293 and PA 97-803.
- 16) Information and questions regarding this rulemaking shall be directed to:

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SUBCHAPTER a: SERVICE DELIVERY

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AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act [325 ILCS 5], the Abandoned Newborn Infants Protection Act [325 ILCS 2] and Section 3 of the Consent by Minors to Medical Procedures Act [410 ILCS 210/3].

SOURCE: Adopted and codified as 89 Ill. Adm. Code 302 at 5 Ill. Reg. 13188, effective November 30, 1981; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 15529, effective January 1, 1983; recodified at 8 Ill. Reg. 992; peremptory amendment at 8 Ill. Reg. 5373, effective April 12, 1984; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 12143, effective July 9, 1984; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 2467, effective March 1, 1985;

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amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 9104, effective June 14, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 15820, effective November 1, 1985; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 5915, effective April 15, 1986; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 1390, effective January 13, 1987; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 1151, effective January 14, 1987; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 1829, effective January 15, 1987; recodified from 89 Ill. Adm. Code 302.20, 302.100, 302.110, 302.120, 302.130, 302.140, 302.150, 302.160, 302.170, 302.180, 302.190, and Appendix A at 11 Ill. Reg. 3492; emergency amendment at 11 Ill. Reg. 4058, effective February 20, 1987, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 12619, effective July 20, 1987; recodified at 11 Ill. Reg. 13405; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 2419, effective March 1, 1989; emergency amendment at 14 Ill. Reg. 11356, effective July 1, 1990, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 17558, effective October 15, 1990; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 19827, effective November 28, 1990; emergency amendment at 15 Ill. Reg. 14285, effective September 25, 1991; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 17986, effective December 1, 1991; emergency amendment at 17 Ill. Reg. 15658, effective September 10, 1993, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired February 7, 1994; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 8377, effective May 31, 1994; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 8601, effective June 1, 1994; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 3469, effective March 15, 1995; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 10522, effective July 1, 1995; amended at 20 Ill. Reg. 10328, effective July 19, 1996; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 18847, effective October 1, 1998; amended at 23 Ill. Reg. 13590, effective November 15, 1999; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 7707, effective June 1, 2000; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 12781, effective October 1, 2001; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 7435, effective May 15, 2002; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 11730, effective August 1, 2002; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 1114, effective January 15, 2003; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 9431, effective June 9, 2003; peremptory amendment at 29 Ill. Reg. 21065, effective December 8, 2005; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 7862, effective June 15, 2009; amended at 34 Ill. Reg. 6373, effective May 1, 2010; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 1599, effective January 15, 2011; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 2861, effective February 8, 2011; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 4026, effective March 5, 2012; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16756, effective November 15, 2012.

Section 300.20 Definitions

"Abandonment" means parental conduct that demonstrates the purpose of relinquishing all parental rights and claims to the child. Abandonment is also defined as any parental conduct that evinces a settled purpose to forego all parental duties and relinquish all parental claims to the child.

"Abused child" means a child whose parent or immediate family member, or any person responsible for the child's welfare, or any individual residing in the same home as the child, or a paramour of the child's parent:

inflicts, causes to be inflicted, or allows to be inflicted upon such child

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physical or mental injury, by other than accidental means, which causes death, disfigurement, impairment of physical or emotional health, or loss or impairment of any bodily function;

creates a substantial risk of physical or mental injury to such child by other than accidental means which would be likely to cause death, disfigurement, impairment of physical or emotional health, or loss of or impairment of any bodily function;

commits or allows to be committed any sex offense against such child, as such sex offenses are defined in the Criminal Code of 1961 ~~[720 ILCS 5]~~, ~~as amended~~, and extending those definitions of sex offenses to include children under 18 years of age;

commits or allows to be committed an act or acts of torture upon such child;

inflicts excessive corporal punishment; or

commits or allows to be committed the offense of female genital mutilation, as defined in Section 12-34 of the Criminal Code of 1961, against the child. [325 ILCS 5/3]

"Act" means the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act [325 ILCS 5].

"Blatant disregard" means an incident where the real, significant, and imminent risk of harm would be so obvious to a reasonable parent or caretaker that it is unlikely that a reasonable parent or caretaker would have exposed the child to the danger without exercising precautionary measures to protect the child from harm. [325 ILCS 5/3]

"CANTS/SACWIS 8" or "C/S8" means the Department's document titled Notification of a Report of Suspected Child Abuse and/or Neglect. This document explains the Department's child abuse/neglect allegation investigation process.

"CANTS/SACWIS 9" or "C/S9" means the Department's document titled Notification of Intent to Indicate Child Care Worker for Report of Child Abuse and/or Neglect. This document is used to notify a person that the Department plans to indicate that person as a perpetrator of child abuse/neglect.

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"CANTS/SACWIS 10" or "C/S10" means the Department's document titled Notice of Intent to Indicate a Child Care Worker for Report of Child Abuse and/or Neglect-Questions and Answers. This is an informational document explaining the impact of a determination of indicated child abuse/neglect and the appeal process.

"CANTS/SACWIS 11" or "C/S11" means the Department's document titled Notification of Indicated Decision in an Employment Related Report of Suspected Child Abuse and/or Neglect. This is the document by which the Department notifies a person that the Department has determined that there is credible evidence that he or she is responsible for the child abuse or neglect described in that document.

"Caregiver" means the child's parents, guardian, custodian or relative with whom the child lives and who has primary responsibility for the care and supervision of the child.

"Child" means any person under the age of 18 years, unless legally emancipated by reason of marriage or entry into a branch of the United States armed services. [325 ILCS 5/3]

"Child care facility" means any person, group of persons, agency, association or organization, whether established for gain or otherwise, who or which receives or arranges for care or placement of one or more children, unrelated to the operator of the facility, apart from the parents, with or without the transfer of the right of custody in any facility as defined in the Child Care Act of 1969 [225 ILCS 10], established and maintained for the care of children. Child care facility includes a relative who is licensed as a foster family home under Section 4 of the Child Care Act of 1969. [225 ILCS 10/2.05]

"Child care worker" means any person who is employed to work directly with children and any person who is an owner/operator of a child care facility, regardless of whether the facility is licensed by the Department. Child care facilities, for purposes of this definition, include child care institutions; child welfare agencies; day care/night care centers; day care/night care homes; day care/night care group day care homes; group homes; hospitals or health care facilities; schools, including school teachers and administrators, but not tenured school teachers or administrators who have other disciplinary processes available

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to them; and before and after school programs, recreational programs and summer camps. "Child care worker" also means persons employed as full-time nannies. A child care worker may, at his or her discretion, be subject to this Part if alleged to be responsible for child abuse or neglect outside of his or her employment. "Child care worker" includes a person: currently employed as a child care worker; currently enrolled in an academic program that leads to a position as a child care worker; or who has applied for a license required for a child care worker position. A person will be considered to be "employed as a child care worker" under this Part if, at the time of the notice of the investigation, he or she: has applied for, or will apply within 180 days for, a position as a child care worker; is enrolled in, or will commence within 180 days, an academic program that leads to a position as a child care worker; or has applied for a license as a child care worker.

"Child-placing agency" means a licensed public or private agency that receives a child for the purpose of placing or arranging for the placement of the child in a foster family home or other facility for child care, apart from the custody of the child's parents. [325 ILCS 2/10]

"Child Protective Service Unit" or "CPS" means certain specialized State employees of the Department assigned by the Director or his or her designee to perform the duties and responsibilities described under this Part. CPS staff is also referred to as investigative staff. [325 ILCS 5/3]

"Children for whom the Department is legally responsible" means children for whom the Department has temporary protective custody, custody or guardianship via court order, or children whose parents have signed an adoptive surrender or voluntary placement agreement with the Department.

"CPSW" means a Child Protective Service Worker.

"Collateral contact" means obtaining information concerning a child, parent, or other person responsible for the child from a person who has knowledge of the family situation but was not directly involved in referring the child or family to the Department for services.

"Credible evidence of child abuse or neglect" means that the available facts, when viewed in light of surrounding circumstances, would cause a reasonable person to believe that a child was abused or neglected.

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"Delegation of an investigation" means the investigation of a report of child abuse or neglect has been deferred to another authority. The Department maintains responsibility for determining whether the report is indicated or unfounded, entering information about the report in the State Central Register and notifying the subjects of the report and mandated reporters of the results of the investigation.

"Department" or "DCFS" means the Department of Children and Family Services.

"Determination" means a final Department decision about whether there is credible evidence that child abuse or neglect occurred. A determination must be either "indicated" or "unfounded".

"DR Specialist" means a Differential Response Specialist as described in Section 300.45(e)(1).

"Disfigurement" means a serious or protracted blemish, scar, or deformity that spoils a person's appearance or limits bodily functions.

"Ecomap" means a pictorial representation of family connections to different systems and community and other resources to identify significant people and/or systems around the family to illustrate the strengths, impact and quality of each connection. (Hartman, A., Diagrammatic Assessment of Family Relationships. Social Casework, 59, 465-476. (1978).)

"Emergency medical facility" means a freestanding emergency center or trauma center, as defined in the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act [210 ILCS 50]. [325 ILCS 2/10]

"Emergency medical professional" includes licensed physicians, and any emergency medical technician-basic, emergency medical technician-intermediate, emergency medical technician-paramedic, trauma nurse specialist, and pre-hospital RN, as defined in the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems Act. [325 ILCS 2/10]

"Fire station" means a fire station within the State with at least one staff person. [325 ILCS 2/10]

"Formal investigation" means those activities conducted by Department

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investigative staff necessary to make a determination as to whether a report of suspected child abuse or neglect is indicated or unfounded. Those activities shall include: *an evaluation of the environment of the child named in the report and any other children in the same environment; a determination of the risk to such children if they continue to remain in the existing environments, as well as a determination of the nature, extent and cause of any condition enumerated in such report, the name, age and condition of other children in the environment; and an evaluation as to whether there would be an immediate and urgent necessity to remove the child from the environment if appropriate family preservation services were provided. After seeing to the safety of the child or children, the Department shall forthwith notify the subjects of the report, in writing, of the existence of the report and their rights existing under the Act in regard to amendment or expungement.* [325 ILCS 5/3]

"Genogram" means a pictorial representation of an individual's family relationships.

"Godparent" is a person who sponsors a child at baptism or one in whom the parents have entrusted a special duty that includes assisting in raising a child if the parent cannot raise the child. The worker shall verify the godparent/godchild relationship by contacting the parents to confirm the fact that they did, in fact, designate the person as the godparent. If the parents are unavailable, the worker should contact other close family members to verify the relationship. If the person is considered to be the child's godparent, in order for placement to occur, the same placement selection criteria as contained in 89 Ill. Adm. Code 301.60 (Placement Selection Criteria) must be met. If the godparent is not a licensed foster parent, all the conditions currently in effect for placement with relatives in 89 Ill. Adm. Code 301.80 must be met.

"Hospital" has the same meaning as in the Hospital Licensing Act [210 ILCS 85].

"Indicated report" means any report of child abuse or neglect made to the Department for which it is determined, after an investigation, that credible evidence of the alleged abuse or neglect exists.

"Initial investigation" means those activities conducted by Department investigative staff to determine whether a report of suspected child abuse or neglect is a good faith indication of abuse or neglect and, therefore, requires a formal investigation. Good faith in this context means that the report was made

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with the honest intention to identify actual child abuse or neglect.

"Initial oral report" means a report alleging child abuse or neglect for which the State Central Register has no prior records on the family.

"Involved subject" means a child who is the alleged victim of child abuse or neglect or a person who is the alleged perpetrator of the child abuse or neglect.

"Legal custody" means the relationship created by a court order in the best interest of a newborn infant that imposes on the infant's custodian the responsibility of physical possession of the infant, the duty to protect, train, and discipline the infant, and the duty to provide the infant with food, shelter, education, and medical care, except as these are limited by parental rights and responsibilities. [312 ILCS 2/10]

"Local law enforcement agency" means the police of a city, town, village or other incorporated area or the sheriff of an unincorporated area or any sworn officer of the Illinois Department of State Police.

"Mandated reporters" means those individuals required to report suspected child abuse or neglect to the Department. A list of these persons and their associated responsibilities is provided in Section 300.30 of this Part.

"Member of the clergy" means a clergyman or practitioner of any religious denomination accredited by the religious body to which he or she belongs. [325 ILCS 5/3]

"Neglected child" means any child who is not receiving the proper or necessary nourishment or medically indicated treatment including food or care not provided solely on the basis of present or anticipated mental or physical impairment as determined by a physician acting alone or in consultation with other physicians or otherwise is not receiving the proper or necessary support, or medical or other remedial care recognized under State law as necessary for a child's well-being (including where there is harm or substantial risk of harm to the child's health or welfare), or other care necessary for a child's well-being, including adequate food, clothing and shelter; or who is subjected to an environment which is injurious insofar as the child's environment creates a likelihood of harm to the child's health, physical well-being or welfare and the likely harm to the child is the result of a blatant disregard of parent or caretaker responsibilities; or who is

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abandoned by his or her parents or other person responsible for the child's welfare without a proper plan of care; or who is a newborn infant whose blood, urine or meconium contains any amount of controlled substance as defined in ~~subsection (f) of~~ Section 102(f) of the Illinois Controlled Substances Act [720 ILCS 570] or a metabolite thereof, with the exception of a controlled substance or metabolite thereof whose presence in the newborn infant is the result of medical treatment administered to the mother or newborn infant. A child shall not be considered neglected for the sole reason that the child's parent or other person responsible for his or her welfare has left the child in the care of an adult relative for any period of time. A child shall not be considered neglected or abused for the sole reason that such child's parent or other person responsible for his or her welfare depends upon spiritual means through prayer alone for the treatment or cure of disease or remedial care under Section 4 of the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act. Where the circumstances indicate harm or substantial risk of harm to the child's health or welfare and necessary medical care is not being provided to treat or prevent that harm or risk of harm because the parent or other person responsible for the child's welfare depends upon spiritual means alone for treatment or cure, the child is subject to the requirements of this Act for the reporting of, investigation of, and provision of protective services with respect to the child and his or her health needs, and in such cases spiritual means through prayer alone for the treatment or cure of disease or for remedial care will not be recognized as a substitute for necessary medical care, if the Department or, as necessary, a juvenile court determines that medical care is necessary. A child shall not be considered neglected or abused solely because the child is not attending school in accordance with the requirements of Article 26 of the School Code [105 ILCS 5/Art. 26]. [325 ILCS 5/3]

"Newborn infant" means a child who a licensed physician reasonably believes is 30 days old or less at the time the child is initially relinquished to a hospital, police station, fire station, or emergency medical facility, and who is not an abused or a neglected child. [325 ILCS 2/10]

"Perpetrator" means a person who, as a result of investigation, has been determined by the Department to have caused child abuse or neglect.

"Person responsible for the child's welfare" means the child's parent, guardian, foster parent, relative caregiver, an operator, supervisor, or employee of a public or private residential agency or institution or public or private profit or not-for-profit child care facility; or any other person responsible for the child's welfare at

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the time of the alleged abuse or neglect, or any person who came to know the child through an official capacity or position of trust, including but not limited to health care professionals, educational personnel, recreational supervisors, members of the clergy and volunteers or support personnel in any setting where children may be subject to abuse or neglect. [325 ILCS 5/3]

"Police station" means:

a municipal police station; ~~or~~

a county sheriff's office;

a campus police department located on any college or university owned or controlled by the State or any private college or private university that is not owned or controlled by the State when employees or the campus police department are present; or

any of the district headquarters of the Illinois State Police. [325~~315~~ ILCS 2/10]

"Private guardianship" means an individual person appointed by the court to assume the responsibilities of the guardianship of the person as defined in Section 1-3 of the Juvenile Court Act of 1987 [705 ILCS 405/1-3] or Article XI of the Probate Act of 1975 [755 ILCS 5/Art. XI].

"Relative", for purposes of placement of children for whom the Department is legally responsible, means any person, 21 years of age or over, other than the parent, who:

is currently related to the child in any of the following ways by blood or adoption: grandparent, sibling, great-grandparent, uncle, aunt, nephew, niece, first cousin, first cousin once removed (children of one's first cousin to oneself), second cousin (children of first cousins are second cousins to each other), godparent (as defined in this Section), great-uncle, or great-aunt; ~~or~~

is the spouse, or party to a civil union, of such a relative; ~~or~~

is the child's step-father, step-mother, or adult step-brother or step-sister;

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or

is the partner, or adult child of a partner, in a civil union with the child's mother or father.

Relative also includes a person related in any of the foregoing ways to a sibling of a child, even though the person is not related to the child, when the child and its sibling are placed together with that person. [20 ILCS 505/7(b)]

"Relinquish" means to bring a newborn infant, who a licensed physician reasonably believes is 30 days old or less, to a hospital, police station, fire station, or emergency medical facility and to leave the infant with personnel of the facility, if the person leaving the infant does not express an intent to return for the infant or states that he or she will not return for the infant. In the case of a mother who gives birth to an infant in a hospital, the mother's act of leaving the new born infant at the hospital without expressing an intent to return for the infant or stating that she will not return for the infant is not a "relinquishment" under the Act. [325 ILCS 2/10]

"Strengthening and Supporting Families service period" means a level of service intervention that will average 90 days, but no more than 120 days.

"State Central Register" is the record of child abuse and/or neglect reports maintained by the Department pursuant to the Act.

"Subject of a report" means any child reported to the child abuse/neglect State Central Register, and his or her parent, personal guardian or other person responsible for the child's welfare who is named in the report.

"SSF worker" means a Strengthening and Supporting Families worker.

"Temporary protective custody" means custody within a hospital or other medical facility or a place previously designated by the Department, subject to review by the Court. Temporary protective custody cannot exceed 48 hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

"Undetermined report" means any report of child abuse or neglect made to the Department in which it was not possible to complete an investigation within 60

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days on the basis of information provided to the Department.

"Unfounded report" means any report of child abuse or neglect for which it is determined, after an investigation, that no credible evidence of the alleged abuse or neglect exists.

(Source: Amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16756, effective November 15, 2012)

Section 300.30 Reporting Child Abuse or Neglect to the Department

- a) Reports of suspected child abuse or neglect may be immediately made to the State Central Register via its toll-free number [1-800-25A-BUSE] at any time, day or night, or on any day of the week. Reports may also be made to the nearest Department office. The Department encourages use of the toll-free hotline number.
- b) Persons Mandated to Report Child Abuse or Neglect
 - 1) Types of Mandated Reporters
Any of the following individuals who have reasonable cause to believe that a child known to them in their professional or official capacity may be abused or neglected shall immediately report or cause a report to be made to the Department. These mandated reporters include:
 - A) *physicians, residents, ~~and~~interns and physician assistants;*
 - B) *hospitals;*
 - C) *hospital administrators and personnel engaged in the examination, care and treatment of persons;*
 - D) *surgeons;*
 - E) *dentists;*
 - F) *dentist hygienists;*
 - G) *osteopaths;*

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- H) *chiropractors;*
- I) *podiatrists;*
- J) *Christian Science practitioners;*
- K) *coroners;*
- L) *medical examiners;*
- M) *emergency medical technicians;*
- N) *crisis line or hotline personnel;*
- O) *school personnel;*
- P) *educational advocate assigned to a child pursuant to the School Code;*
- Q) *truant officers;*
- R) *social workers;*
- S) *social services administrators;*
- T) *domestic violence program personnel;*
- U) *registered nurses;*
- V) *licensed practical nurses, advanced practice nurses, home health aides;*
- W) *directors or staff assistants of nursery schools or child day care centers;*
- X) *recreational program or facility personnel;*
- Y) *law enforcement officers;*

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- Z) *registered psychologists;*
- AA) *assistants working under the direct supervision of a psychologist or psychiatrist;*
- BB) *field personnel of the Illinois Departments of Healthcare and Family Services, Human Services, Public Aid, Public Health, Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities, Corrections, Children and Family Services ~~or~~ Human Rights; ~~or Rehabilitation Services~~;*
- CC) *probation officers;*
- DD) *foster parents, homemakers or any other child care worker;*
- EE) *supervisors and administrators of General Assistance under the Illinois Public Aid Code;*
- FF) *substance abuse treatment personnel;*
- GG) *funeral home directors or their employees; ~~or~~*
- HH) *members of the clergy;*
- II) *licensed professional counselors or licensed clinical professional counselors;*
- JJ) *acupuncturists;*
- KK) *animal control officers ~~rs~~ or Illinois Department of Agriculture Bureau of Animal Health and Welfare field investigators;*
- LL) *members of a school board or the Chicago Board of Education or the governing body of a private school; ~~or~~*
- MM) *medical technicians or certified nursing assistants of any office, clinic or any other physical location that provides abortions, abortion referral or contraceptives. [325 ILCS 5/4]*

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2) Members of the Clergy

Any member of the clergy having reasonable cause to believe that a child known to that member of the clergy in his or her professional capacity may be an abused child, as defined in this Part, shall immediately report or cause a report to be made to the Department. [325 ILCS 5/4] Members of the clergy are only required to report or cause a report to be made when they have reasonable cause to believe that a child known to them in their professional or official capacity may be a sexually abused child.

3) Acknowledgement of Reporting Responsibility

A) Individuals who became mandated reporters on or after July 1, 1986, by virtue of their employment shall sign statements acknowledging that they are mandated to report suspected child abuse and neglect in accordance with Section 4 of the ~~Abused and Neglected Child Reporting~~ Act ~~[325 ILCS 5/4]~~. The statement shall be on a form prescribed by the Department, but provided by the employer. (See Appendix A.) The statement shall be signed before beginning employment and shall be retained by the employer as a permanent part of the personnel record.

B) The Department shall provide, upon request at a reasonable cost of \$.50 each, copies of the ~~Abused and Neglected Child Reporting~~ Act to all employers employing persons who are mandated to report under ~~the~~this Act.

4) Interference with Reporting Prohibited

A) *Whenever such person is required to report under the Act in his or her capacity as a member of the staff of a medical or other public or private institution, school, facility or agency, or as a member of the clergy, he shall make report immediately to the Department in accordance with provisions of the Act and may also notify the person in charge of such institution, school, facility or agency, or church, synagogue, temple, mosque, or other religious institution, or his designated agent that such a report has been made. Under no circumstances shall any person in charge of such institution, school, facility or agency, or church, synagogue, temple, mosque or other religious institution, or designated agent to whom such*

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notification has been made exercise any control, restraint, modification or other change in the report or the forwarding of such report to the Department. [325 ILCS 5/4]

B) *Any person who knowingly transmits a false report to the Department commits the offence of disorderly conduct under ~~subsection (a)(7) of Section 26-1(a)(7) of the Criminal Code of 1961. A violation of this provision is a Class 4 felony~~Any person who violates this provision a second or subsequent time shall be guilty of a Class 4 felony. Any person who knowingly and willfully violates any provision of ~~subsection (b)(4)~~this Section other than a second or subsequent violation of transmitting a false report as described in this subsection ~~(b)(4)(B)~~, is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor for the first violation and a Class 4 felony for a second or subsequent violation. [325 ILCS 5/4]*

C) *No employer shall discharge, demote or suspend, or threaten to discharge, demote or suspend, or in any manner discriminate against any employee who makes any good faith oral or written report of suspected child abuse or neglect, or who is or will be a witness or testify in any investigation or proceeding concerning a report of suspected child abuse or neglect. [325 ILCS 5/9.1]*

5) Consequences of Failure to Report

A) *The privileged quality of communication between any professional person required to report and his or her patient or client shall not apply to situations involving abused or neglected children and shall not constitute grounds for failure to report as required by the Act or constitute grounds for failure to share information or documents with the Department during the course of a child abuse or neglect investigation. If requested by the professional, the Department shall confirm in writing that the information or documents disclosed by the professional were gathered in the course of a child abuse or neglect investigation. [325 ILCS 5/4]*
 Mandated reporters who willfully fail to report suspected child abuse or neglect are subject to license suspension or revocation in accordance with, but not limited to, the following statutes: A)The privileged quality of communication between any professional

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~~person required to report and patient or client shall not constitute grounds for failure to report suspected child abuse or neglect.~~

- i) ~~Nurse~~**Nursing and Advanced Practice Nursing** Act [225 ILCS 65];
 - ii) Medical Practice Act of 1987 [225 ILCS 60];
 - iii) Podiatric Medical Practice Act of 1987 [225 ILCS 100];
 - iv) Clinical Psychologist Licensing Act [225 ILCS 15];
 - v) Clinical Social Work and Social Work Practice Act [225 ILCS 20];
 - vi) The School Code [105 ILCS 5];
 - vii) The Illinois Dental Practice Act [225 ILCS 25];
 - viii) Physician Assistant Practice Act of 1987 [225 ILCS 95];
 - ix) Illinois Optometric Practice Act of 1987 [225 ILCS 80];
 - x) Illinois Physical Therapy Act [225 ILCS 90]; and
 - xi) Illinois Athletic Trainers Act [225 ILCS 5].
- B) *Any physician who willfully fails to report child abuse or neglect shall be referred to the Illinois State Medical Disciplinary Board for action. Any other person required to report suspected child abuse or neglect who willfully fails to report such abuse or neglect shall be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor. [325 ILCS 5/4]*
- C) Members of the clergy of any religious denomination accredited by the religious body to which he or she belongs shall not be compelled to disclose a confession or admission made to him or her in his or her professional character or as a spiritual advisor.
- 6) Written Confirmation of Reports

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Mandated reporters shall confirm their telephone report in writing on a form prescribed by the Department within 48 hours ~~after~~ the oral report. The Department shall provide forms to mandated reporters – one for the exclusive use of medical professionals and another for use by all other mandated reporters. These confirmation reports shall be admissible as evidence in any administrative or judicial proceeding related to child abuse or neglect. Local investigative staff shall transmit confirmation reports to the State Central Register within 24 hours ~~after~~ receipt.

- c) Other Persons May Report
Other persons may report suspected child abuse or neglect if they have reasonable cause to believe a child may be abused or neglected.
- d) Consequences of False Reporting
~~*Any person who knowingly transmits a false report to the Department commits the offense of disorderly conduct under Section 26-1(a)(7) of the Criminal Code of 1961. A violation of this provision is a Class 4 felony. Any person who knowingly and willfully violates any provision of this Section other than a second or subsequent violation of submitting a false report is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor for a first violation and a Class 4 felony for a second or subsequent violation. Any person who knowingly transmits a false report to the Department commits the offense of disorderly conduct under subsection (a)(7) of Section 26-1 of the Criminal Code of 1961 [720 ILCS 5/26-1(a)(7)]. A violation of this subsection is a Class B misdemeanor, punishable by a term of imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by a fine not to exceed \$500, or both. Any person who violates this provision a second or subsequent time shall be guilty of a Class 4 felony.*~~ [325 ILCS 5/4] The Department shall refer cases of false reporting to the local State's Attorney when the reporter is known.
- e) Cooperation in Court or Administrative Hearings
~~*Any person who makes a report or who investigates a report under the Act shall testify fully in any judicial proceeding or administrative hearing resulting from such report, as to any evidence of abuse or neglect, or the cause thereof. Any person who is required to report a suspected case of abuse or neglect shall testify fully in any administrative hearing resulting from such report, as to any evidence of abuse or neglect or the cause thereof. No evidence shall be excluded by reason of any common law or statutory privilege relating to communications between the alleged perpetrator of abuse or neglect, or the child subject of the report and any person who is required to report a suspected case of abuse or neglect or the*~~

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~~*person making or investigating the report.* [325 ILCS 5/10] Any person who makes a report or who investigates a report may be ordered by the Court to testify fully in any judicial proceeding resulting from the report about any evidence of the abuse or neglect or the cause of the abuse or neglect. Any mandated reporter listed in subsection (b)(1) who makes a report of suspected child abuse or neglect shall testify fully in any administrative hearing resulting from such report, as to any evidence of abuse or neglect or the cause thereof. No evidence shall be excluded because of any common law or statutory privilege regarding communications between the alleged perpetrator or the child subject and the person making or investigating the report.~~

- f) Referrals to Public Health
All mandated reporters listed in subsection (b)(1) may refer to the Department of Public Health any pregnant person in Illinois who is addicted as defined in the Alcoholism and Other Drug Abuse and Dependency Act [20 ILCS 301].
- g) Depending upon Spiritual Means Through Prayer Alone for the Treatment or Cure of Disease or Remedial Care
A child whose parent, guardian or custodian in good faith selects and depends upon spiritual means through prayer alone for the treatment or cure of disease or remedial care may be considered neglected or abused, but not for the sole reason that his parent, guardian, or custodian accepts and practices such beliefs. [325 ILCS 5/4] Where the circumstances indicate harm or substantial risk of harm to the child's health or welfare and medical care necessary to treat or prevent that harm or risk of harm is not being provided because a parent or other person responsible for the child's welfare depends upon such spiritual means, the child shall be subject to the requirements of the ~~Abused and Neglected Child Reporting~~ Act for the reporting of, investigation of, and provision of protective services with respect to the child and his or her health needs.

(Source: Amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16756, effective November 15, 2012)

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- 1) Heading of the Part: Radiological Protection
- 2) Code Citation: 29 Ill. Adm. Code 320
- 3)

<u>Section Numbers</u> :	<u>Adopted Action</u> :
320.100	Repealed
320.110	Repealed
320.120	Repealed
320.130	Repealed
320.140	Repealed
320.150	Repealed
320.160	Repealed
320.200	Repealed
320.210	Repealed
320.220	Repealed
320.300	Repealed
320.310	Repealed
320.320	Repealed
320.330	Repealed
320.340	Repealed
320.350	Repealed
320.360	Repealed
320.370	Repealed
320.380	Repealed
320.390	Repealed
320.400	Repealed
320.410	Repealed
320.420	Repealed
320.430	Repealed
320.440	Repealed
320.500	Repealed
320.510	Repealed
320.520	Repealed
320.530	Repealed
320.540	Repealed
320.550	Repealed
320.560	Repealed
320.EXHIBIT A	Repealed

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320.EXHIBIT B Repealed

320.EXHIBIT C Repealed

- 4) Statutory Authority: Implementing and authorized by Sections 5(f)(2) and 5(f)(7) of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act of 1975 [20 ILCS 3305/1105(f)(2) and (f)(7)].
- 5) Effective date of repealer: November 13, 2012
- 6) Does this repealer contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 7) Does this repealer contain incorporations by reference? No
- 8) A copy of the adopted repealer, including any material incorporated by reference is on file at the Agency's headquarters located at 1035 Outer Park Drive, Springfield, Illinois and is available for public inspection.
- 9) Notice of Proposal published in the *Illinois Register*: 36 Ill. Reg. 11738; July 27, 2012
- 10) Has JCAR issued a Statement of Objection to this repealer? No
- 11) Differences between Proposal and Final Version: None
- 12) Have all the changes agreed upon by the Agency and JCAR been made as indicated in the agreement letter issued by JCAR? No agreements were necessary.
- 13) Will this repealer replace any emergency repealer currently in effect? No
- 14) Are there any other proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 15) Summary and purpose of repealer: This Part is being repealed because the program outlined in the existing regulation started to phase out in 2001, two years before the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA) merged with the Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety (IDNS), and no longer exists. IDNS took all the sources from IEMA, including recovering sources loaned out to local governments for this training. IEMA is offering the local governments an opportunity to return for disposal any CDV units that are in their possession; otherwise the local governments will be allowed to keep and maintain them if they don't want to return them to IEMA.

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- 16) Information and questions regarding this repealer shall be directed to:

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IEMA

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- 1) Heading of the Part: Administrative Hearings
- 2) Code Citation: 32 Ill. Adm. Code 200
- 3)

<u>Section Numbers:</u>	<u>Proposed Action:</u>
200.10	Amendment
200.50	Amendment
- 4) Statutory Authority: Authorized by Section 18 of the Radiation Protection Act of 1990 [420 ILCS 40/18]
- 5) Effective Date of Rulemaking: November 13, 2012
- 6) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 7) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 8) A copy of the adopted rulemaking, including any material incorporated by reference, is on file at the Agency's headquarters located at 1035 Outer Park Drive, Springfield, Illinois and is available for public inspection.
- 9) Notice of Proposal published in the *Illinois Register*: 36 Ill. Reg. 11772; July 27, 2012
- 10) Has JCAR issued a Statement of Objection to this rulemaking? No
- 11) Differences between Proposal and Final Version: None
- 12) Have all the changes agreed upon by the agency and JCAR been made as indicated in the agreement letter issued by JCAR? No agreements were necessary.
- 13) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 14) Are there any proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 15) Summary and Purpose of Rulemaking: This rulemaking amends where hearing documents are to be sent during the hearing process and clarifies when service occurs for orders and notices sent by the Agency.

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- 16) Information and questions regarding this adopted rulemaking shall be directed to:

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TITLE 32: ENERGY

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200.230	Final Decision of the Director

AUTHORITY: Implementing Section 18 of the Radiation Protection Act of 1990 [420 ILCS 40/18].

SOURCE: Filed April 20, 1974 by the Department of Public Health; transferred to the Department of Nuclear Safety by P.A. 81-1516, effective December 3, 1980; amended at 7 Ill. Reg. 9306, effective July 22, 1983; codified at 7 Ill. Reg. 16404; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 17200, effective September 25, 1986; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 17739, effective December 2, 2002;

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recodified from the Department of Nuclear Safety to the Illinois Emergency Management Agency at 27 Ill. Reg. 13641; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 14137, effective September 28, 2009; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16780, effective November 13, 2012.

Section 200.10 Scope and Nature of Rules

- a) Authority and Scope
 - 1) Authority. This Part is promulgated pursuant to Section 5-10(a) of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act (IAPA) [5 ILCS 100/5-10].
 - 2) Scope. This Part shall govern the proceedings of any adjudicatory administrative hearing of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (Agency), except as otherwise specifically provided by statute or regulation.
- b) Communications to the Agency. All communications to the Agency concerning administrative hearings shall be addressed to the [Legal Office Director](#) at Illinois Emergency Management Agency, [1035 Outer Park Drive, 2200 S. Dirksen Parkway](#), Springfield, Illinois [6270462703](#), unless otherwise directed.
- c) Construction of Rules. This Part shall not be construed to abrogate, modify or limit any rights, privileges or immunities granted or protected by the Constitution or laws of the United States or the State of Illinois. In case of any conflict between this Part and the IAPA or a licensing statute, the procedures of the IAPA or licensing statute shall control.

(Source: Amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16780, effective November 13, 2012)

Section 200.50 Notice, Service and Proof of Service

- a) The hearing officer and all parties to the proceedings shall be served all pleadings, motions, notices and other documents filed by any party. Proof of ~~such~~ service on all parties shall be filed with the hearing officer.
- b) Any Order or Notice issued by the Agency shall either be served personally or by registered or certified mail on the Respondent.
- c) All other pleadings and other documents shall be served personally or by first

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class United States mail properly addressed, with postage prepaid, to each party to the proceeding.

- d) When any party or parties have appeared by attorney, service upon the attorney shall be deemed service upon the party or parties.
- e) Proof of service of any paper shall be by certificate of attorney, affidavit or acknowledgement, or certified or registered mail receipt.
- f) Wherever notice or notification is indicated or required, it shall be effective upon the date of mailing to the party's ~~business address, residence or~~ last address on file with the Agency. Orders and notices sent by certified or registered mail to the party's last address on file with the Agency that have been returned to the Agency as unclaimed or refused by the addressee shall be considered served.
- g) In addition to the methods provided for in this Part, a Respondent may be served in any manner permitted by law.

(Source: Amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16780, effective November 13, 2012)

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- 1) Heading of the Part: Personnel
- 2) Code Citation: 26 Ill. Adm. Code 212
- 3) Section Number: 212.270 Adopted Action: Amendment
- 4) Statutory Authority: Section 1A-8(9) of the Illinois Election Code [10 ILCS 5/1A]
- 5) Effective Date of Rulemaking: November 16, 2012
- 6) Does this rulemaking contain an automatic repeal date? No
- 7) Does this rulemaking contain incorporations by reference? No
- 8) A copy of the adopted amendment, including any material incorporated by reference, is on file in the agency's principal office and is available for public inspection.
- 9) Notice of Proposal Published in the *Illinois Register*: 36 Ill. Reg. 12999; August 17, 2012
- 10) Has JCAR issued a Statement of Objection to this rulemaking? No
- 11) Differences between Proposal and Final Version: No changes were made between the proposal and final version.
- 12) Have all the changes agreed upon by the agency and JCAR been made as indicated in the agreements issued by JCAR? No agreements were necessary.
- 13) Will this rulemaking replace any emergency rulemaking currently in effect? No
- 14) Are there any proposed rulemakings pending on this Part? No
- 15) Summary and Purpose of Rulemaking: This rulemaking establishes procedures to be used by the SBEL to appoint members of the Grievance Review Committee.
- 16) Information and questions regarding this adopted rulemaking shall be directed to:

Steven S. Sandvoss

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TITLE 26: ELECTIONS

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AUTHORITY: Implementing Section 1A-12 of the Illinois Election Code [10 ILCS 5/1A-12] and authorized by Section 1A-8(9) of the Illinois Election Code [10 ILCS 5/1A-8(9)].

SOURCE: Adopted by emergency rulemaking at 29 Ill. Reg. 5534, effective March 31, 2005, for a maximum of 150 days; adopted at 29 Ill. Reg. 13754, effective August 25, 2005; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16785, effective November 16, 2012.

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Section 212.270 Grievance Procedure

- a) Grievance: Any certified employee, unless otherwise excepted by this Part, may file a grievance as to the application of this Part or any policy arising under this Part as to the impact of the application upon his or her employment condition or his or her status. The existence of a grievance procedure is not intended to discourage the informal resolution of complaints. The Office intends this procedure to be used infrequently and only for major matters.
- b) Grievance Procedure – Limitation: The rules of the Office and the official policy arising under those rules are not subject to grievance. The following are not subject to the grievance process: the discipline, demotion or discharge of ~~executive employees~~ ~~Executive Employees~~ and probationary employees who have not obtained certified status in the Office; the demotion of a certified employee from a position in which he or she is serving a probationary period; layoff; and appointment, discharge, ~~or~~ reinstatement, and intra-agency transfers of employees.
- c) An employee shall be allowed reasonable time with pay during working hours for the presentation of a grievance, provided that the employee has obtained permission from his or her Director, ~~and~~ the employee is currently in active status on payroll, and the employee's absence will not interfere with agency operations.
- d) Grievance Procedure – Abandonment – Extension:
 - 1) Failure of either the grievant or the Grievance Review Committee to comply with the form or time requirements of the grievance procedure shall resolve the matter in favor of the other. The parties may mutually extend the time limits in writing at any level of the procedure. However, whenever the last day of a specified time requirement falls on a day on which the Office is closed for regular business, that time requirement shall automatically be extended to the next day on which the Office is open for regular business.
 - 2) An employee's failure to advance a grievance to the next level of this procedure within specified time limits shall mean that the employee has withdrawn the grievance or, if the employee so indicated, accepted the last answer given in the grievance procedure.

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e) Grievance Procedure – Steps:

- 1) Step 1: A grievant shall submit the grievance to the appropriate Director in writing, including the requested resolution to the grievance. The Director shall note the date and time upon receipt of the grievance and shall, within five working days after the grievance is filed, issue a written decision and serve a copy of the decision in person upon the grievant and place a copy of the decision in the employee's personnel file.
- 2) Step 2: If the grievance is not satisfactorily resolved or no answer is given within the time limit set forth in Step 1, the grievant may submit, within 10 calendar days from the date the Director's decision was due, to the Executive Director a copy of the written statement of grievance submitted in Step 1, along with a request for a grievance hearing.

f) Grievance Review Committee:

- 1) ~~The General Counsel shall be the Chair of the Grievance Review Committee. In the absence of the General Counsel, the~~ Executive Director ~~or Assistant Executive Director~~ shall appoint a Chair. The Chair, no later than five working days following receipt of an employee's request for a grievance hearing, shall appoint a Grievance Review Committee. The Committee shall consist of three members, ~~and shall include the Human Resources Manager. Committee members must have experience or knowledge in the areas of personnel administration and employee relations.~~ The Director or the immediate supervisor of the grievant shall not be appointed to the Committee. If the Chair is a party to the grievance or is unavailable, the Executive Director shall designate another committee member to chair the Grievance Review Committee. ~~If the Human Resources Manager is a party to the grievance or is unavailable, the Chair shall appoint another member.~~
- 2) Immediately upon appointment of the Committee, the Chair shall designate the location, time and date for hearing, which shall be no later than 20 working days after receipt of the employee's request for a grievance hearing. The grievant shall promptly be notified in person or by certified mail, return receipt requested, of the time, date and place of the hearing.

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- 3) The grievant and others who have knowledge of the relevant facts shall have an opportunity to present evidence in person or by written statement, after which the Committee shall meet privately to reach a recommendation. The Chair may require that testimony be given under oath or by sworn affidavit and may be recorded by an audio recording device. In the event the testimony is recorded by an audio recording device, the recording shall be retained in the office of the Director of Administrative Services for a period of three years.
- 4) The members of the Committee shall reduce to writing their recommendations as to the disposition of the grievance and submit them to the Executive Director within five working days following the hearing. A dissenting member of the Committee may make separate recommendations. All recommendations will bear the signatures of the concurring Committee members. Upon receipt of the recommendations from a Grievance Review Committee, the Executive Director, or his or her designee, shall approve, disapprove or modify the Committee recommendations, ~~shall~~ render a decision in writing within five working days, and cause a copy of the decision to be served upon the parties. The Executive Director's decision shall be final as to the grievant.
- 5) The written statement of the employee's grievance, the recommendations of the Grievance Review Committee, and the decision of the Executive Director shall be made part of the grievant's personnel file.
- 6) The Executive Director, for good cause, may extend any deadline set forth in this subsection (f).
- g) Representation: The grievant is entitled to be present and may be accompanied by a representative of his or her choice at the hearing. Only those persons the Chair deems advisable shall be entitled to attend the hearing.

(Source: Amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 16785, effective November 16, 2012)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT

- 1) Heading of the Part: Structural Pest Control Code
- 2) Code Citation: 77 Ill. Adm. Code 830
- 3) Register Citation to Notice of Proposed Amendments: 36 Ill. Reg. 14198; September 21, 2012
- 4) Date, Time and Location of Public Hearing: December 18, 2012 beginning at 9:00 AM, at the Illinois Department of Natural Resources Building, State Fairgrounds Gate 7, in Lake Level rooms A-C.
- 5) Other Pertinent Information: Free parking for the Hearing will be only in Lot 21 east of the meeting site. Please sign in and out of the meeting at the main desk as you enter the building. **Those wishing to comment must submit their comments in writing at the Hearing prior to speaking.**

Sections 830.20 and 830.820 will be amended to reference the Electronic Commerce Security Act. Section 830.820 will also be amended to require the time of the pesticide application on pesticide application records.

Sections 830.100 and 830.110 will be amended to clarify the requirements for obtaining an initial license or registration; Section 830.300 will be amended to clarify requirements for obtaining and maintaining reciprocal certification; and Section 830.180 will be amended to clarify the license and registration renewal requirements, including the timelines for imposing late fees and when licenses and registrations are no longer subject to renewal. Section 830.210 will be amended to indicate when late fees are due for licenses, registrations, and certification renewals.

Section 830.460, regarding an applicant's ability to review his or her examination, will be repealed to protect the examination confidentiality. Section 830.470 will list requirements that applicants must follow if they are unable to attend an examination.

Sections 830.200, 830.220, and 830.630 will be amended to increase the minimum number of classroom hours required for continuing education from seven hours to nine hours and to indicate that seminars may be in increments of three hours or more. Sections 830.600 and 830.640 will be amended to list additional sponsor requirements for approving pest control training seminar courses to be attended by certified technicians. Section 830.700 is being amended to update reference to the Department's administrative hearing rules.

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Section 830.710 will be amended to indicate those subject to administrative fines under the Act and Code and to establish a classification for violations of stop sale and use orders issued by the Department, as well as violations of pesticide notification and other integrated pest management requirements of the Act.

Sections 830.2000 – 830.2500 will be added under a new Subpart J to include specific integrated pest management course requirements to be consistent with the Act.

The economic effect on this proposed rulemaking is unknown. Therefore, the Department requests any information that would assist in calculating this effect.

The Department anticipates adoption of this rulemaking approximately six to nine months after publication of the Notice in the *Illinois Register*.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTHCARE AND FAMILY SERVICES

NOTICE OF MODIFICATION TO MEET THE OBJECTION OF THE
JOINT COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

- 1) Heading of the Part: Medical Payment
- 2) Code Citation: 89 Ill Adm. Code 140
- 3) Section Number: 140.491 Proposed Action:
Modification
- 4) Date Originally Published in the Illinois Register: July 20, 2012; 36 Ill. Reg. 11329
- 5) JCAR Statement of Objection Published in the Illinois Register: August 31, 2012; 36 Ill. Reg. 13738
- 6) Summary of Action Taken by the Agency: At its meeting on August 14, 2012, the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules voted to object to and suspend Section 140.491 of the Department of Healthcare and Family Services' emergency rule titled Medical Payment (89 Ill. Adm. Code 140; 36 Ill. Reg. 11329) because removal of the exemption from prior approval for transportation of patients from one hospital to another to obtain services not available at the discharging hospital was not required under the SMART Act (PA 97-689) and was contrary to public policy because of SMART Act's extraordinary rulemaking authority.

Prior to the August 2012 JCAR hearing the Department engaged in months long, time intensive negotiations with stakeholders on this rule and has consumed hours and hours of time in doing so. On August 13, 2012, the night before the August JCAR hearing, the Department continued its negotiations and engaged in an hours long meeting with stakeholders and believed it came to an agreement regarding modifications to the rule.

Subsequent to the August 2012 JCAR meeting, the Department continued its long time intensive negotiations with stakeholders. The Department's response to JCAR's Objection is modification of the rules published on November 2, 2012, at 36 Ill. Reg. 15425.

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JOINT COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

- 1) Heading of the Part: Hospital Services
- 2) Code Citation: 89 Ill Adm. Code 148
- 3) Section Number: 148.70(g) Proposed Action:
Modification
- 4) Date Originally Published in the Illinois Register: July 13, 2012; 36 Ill. Reg. 10326
- 5) JCAR Statement of Objection Published in the Illinois Register: August 31, 2012; 36 Ill. Reg. 13737
- 6) Summary of Action Taken by the Agency: At its meeting on August 14, 2012, the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules (JCAR) voted to object to and suspend Section 148.70(g) of the Department of Healthcare and Family Services' (Department) SMART emergency rule titled Hospital Services (89 Ill. Adm. Code 148; 36 Ill. Reg. 10326) because it deemed that the Department's denial of payment for entire hospital admissions when a Medicare-defined hospital acquired condition occurs is contrary to federal regulations and not required by the SMART Act (PA 97-689).

The SMART Act specifically authorizes the Department to deny payment for entire hospital admissions [305 ILCS 5/5-5f(h)] and is in line with federal regulations. Notwithstanding, in order to come to a resolution on this issue, address JCAR's Objection, and implement its statutory directive under SMART and federal law, the Department engaged in discussions with stakeholders. As a result of these discussions, the methodology indicated in the language below was agreed upon:

Section 148.70 Limitation On Hospital Services

- g) Effective with inpatient hospital admissions on or after July 1, 2012, the Department shall reduce the payment for a claim that indicates the occurrence of a provider preventable condition during the admission as specified in this subsection.
 - 1) Until such time as the All Patient Refined Diagnosis Related Groups (APR-DRG) is implemented by rule by the Department as authorized pursuant to 305 ILCS 5/14-11 the Department shall reduce each claim that

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indicates the occurrence of a health care acquired condition (HAC) by \$900.00.

- 2) After such time as the All Patient Refined Diagnosis Related Groups (APR-DRG) is implemented by rule by the Department as authorized pursuant to 305 ILCS 5/14-1, the Department shall reduce each claim by the amount that the payment on the claim is increased directly due to the occurrence of and treatment for that health care acquired condition (HAC).
- 3) The Department shall not pay for services related to Other Provider Preventable Conditions (OPPCs).
- 4) For HACs, hospitals shall code inpatient claims with a Present on Admission (POA) indicator for principal and secondary diagnosis codes billed. For OPPCs, hospitals shall submit claims to report these incidents and will be instructed to populate the inpatient claims with specific supplementary diagnosis coding.
- 5) Definitions. As used in this subsection, the following terms are defined as follows:

"Provider preventable condition" means a health care acquired condition as defined under the federal Medicaid regulation found at 42 CFR 447.26 or an Other Provider Preventable Condition.

"Other Provider Preventable Condition" means a wrong surgical or other invasive procedure performed on a patient, a surgical or other invasive procedure performed on the wrong body part, or a surgical procedure or other invasive procedure performed on the wrong patient or as defined in a federally approved State Plan Amendment.

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ILLINOIS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

WITHDRAWAL OF FILING PROHIBITION
OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

Heading of the Part: Obligations of Retail Electric Suppliers

Code Citation: 83 Ill. Adm. Code 412

<u>Section Numbers:</u>	412.10	412.120	412.170	412.210	412.300
	412.20	412.130	412.180	412.220	412.310
	412.30	412.140	412.190	412.230	412.320
	412.100	412.150	412.195	412.240	
	412.110	412.160	412.200	412.250	

Date Originally Published in the Illinois Register: 8/12/11
35 Ill. Reg. 12996

Date Filing Prohibition Published in Illinois Register: 6/29/12
36 Ill. Reg. 9453

Date Filing Prohibition Became Effective: 6/12/12

Date Filing Prohibition Withdrawn: Contingent upon and effective with the adoption of the rule with the agreed modifications.

The Joint Committee on Administrative Rules certifies that, pursuant to Section 5-115 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act, the Joint Committee, at its meeting on November 13, 2012, has withdrawn the prohibition against the filing of the Illinois Commerce Commission's rulemaking contingent upon and effective with the adoption of the rule with the agreed modifications. The Committee originally issued this Filing Prohibition at its 6/12/12 meeting.

Please take notice that the agency is no longer prohibited from filing the rulemaking with the Secretary of State, as modified in accordance with agreements between the agency and the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and the modifications submitted in response to the Objection and Filing Prohibition and from enforcing or invoking the rule.

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1. Statute requiring agency to publish information concerning proposed changes in methods and standards for establishing medical assistance payment rates for hospital services in the Illinois Register: 5 ILCS 100/5-70(c)
2. Summary of information: The Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services wishes to provide public notice regarding proposed changes in methods and standards for setting certain payment rates for inpatient hospital services under the Illinois Medical Assistance program.

The Department of Healthcare and Family Services is implementing the potentially preventable readmission (PPR) policy beginning January 1, 2013 as required by PA 97-689, also referred to as the Saving Medicaid Access and Resources Together (SMART) Act. The proposed policy modifications are described below.

Hospital Reports

Each hospital's "target" readmission rate has been calculated and, for those hospitals that are above their target, a payment reduction amount has been calculated.

Revised hospital specific reports will be sent to the hospitals that have registered through the Department's [Hospital-Specific PPR Report Registration](#) Web page. If a hospital has already registered at anytime to receive reports, it is not necessary to register again. The hospital specific PPR reports will vary from the initial reports that were sent because of policy changes that were made based on input from the hospital community. The updated reports have a third section with the payment reduction calculations.

Readmission data files will be available to hospitals upon request. Once the revised hospital specific reports are received, the hospital will need to provide the email address of one contact to receive the file. Contact information should include the contact's full name, title, telephone number and email address, and to what hospital or hospitals they represent.

Policy

In the first year of implementation (SFY 2013), SFY 2010 data are used to set the target and actual rates for the hospitals. For those hospitals above their target, 25% of the payment reduction amount will be recovered via a payment reduction factor that will be a percentage applied to all inpatient hospital claims, excluding Medicare, that are received from the hospital by the Department between January 1, 2013 and June 30, 2013. After January 2014, once all SFY 2013 inpatient hospital claims have been submitted to the Department, an analysis of SFY 2013 will be completed to determine if hospitals were able to reduce their readmissions for FY2013 to the target amount (based on FY2010)

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and, thereby, cost avoid any of the remaining payment reduction amount owed to the State. Any remaining balance will be recouped from the hospitals via an adjustment to payments.

The process will be the same for year two (SFY 2014), except that SFY 2011 data will be used to set the target and actual rates for the hospitals and the payment reduction factor will be based upon 50% of the calculated payment reduction amount and applied to all inpatient hospital claim payments that are received from the hospital by the Department beginning July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

Beginning SFY 2015, the Department will use SFY 2013 data to calculate the actual and target rates and the payment reduction factor which will be applied in full against FY2015 rates to the extent necessary. When comparing SFY 2013 to the base year (SFY 2010), if hospitals above their target rate are able to reduce their readmissions and cost avoid any of their payment reduction amount, then the cost avoidance minus the payment reduction will be the amount that is used to calculate the payment reduction factor.

Please refer to [Hospital Registration to Receive Hospital Specific PPR Reports](#) on the Department's Web site for details on how the payment reduction and payment reduction factors are calculated.

3. Name and address of person to contact concerning this information:

Bureau of Program and Reimbursement Analysis
Division of Medical Programs
Healthcare and Family Services
201 South Grand Avenue East
Springfield, IL 62763-0001
E-mail address: bpra@illinois.gov

Interested persons may review these proposed changes on the [HFS Public Involvement Web page](#) <<http://www2.illinois.gov/hfs/PublicInvolvement/>>. Local access to the Internet is available through any local public library. In addition, this material may be viewed at the DHS local offices (except in Cook County). In Cook County, the changes may be reviewed at the Office of the Director, Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services, 401 South Clinton Street, Chicago, Illinois. The changes may be reviewed at all offices Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. This notice is being provided in accordance with federal requirements found at 42 CFR 447.205.

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SECOND NOTICES RECEIVED

The following second notices were received by the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules during the period of November 19, 2012 through November 26, 2012 and have been scheduled for review by the Committee at its December 11, 2012 meeting. Other items not contained in this published list may also be considered. Members of the public wishing to express their views with respect to a rulemaking should submit written comments to the Committee at the following address: Joint Committee on Administrative Rules, 700 Stratton Bldg., Springfield IL 62706.

<u>Second Notice Expires</u>	<u>Agency and Rule</u>	<u>Start Of First Notice</u>	<u>JCAR Meeting</u>
12/28/12	<u>Department of Central Management Services, Day Care (89 Ill. Adm. Code 1300)</u>	9/28/12 36 Ill. Reg. 14460	12/11/12

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