2015 License Fees and Information

Licenses and fishing-related permits are valid from date of purchase to Dec. 31 of each year.

Licenses

Resident Fishing
- Ages 16–64 yrs. .................................................$22.50
- Senior Resident Fishing
  - Ages 65–69 yrs. .............................................$12.50
  - 70 & over .........................................................Free
Non-resident Fishing
- Age 16 yrs. and older ............................................$34
- Non-resident Trout Stamp ....................................$20
- Non-resident 2-Day Vacation Fishing .................$9
- Non-resident 7-Day Vacation Fishing ..............$19.50
- All-Around Sportsman (includes resident fishing, firearm hunting and bow/arrow hunting licenses) $72.25

Permits

Available online or through license agents:
- Boat Ramp Permit ............................................$15
Available through the Bureau of Freshwater Fisheries (908) 236-2118:
  - Water Lowering, Fish Stocking, Baitfish Collecting, Fish Tagging .........$2
  - Scientific Collecting ...........................................$22
Available through the Trenton Office (609) 984-0530:
  - Commercial Snapping Turtles and Frog Permits

Regulations in red are new this year.

Licenses

- A valid New Jersey fishing license is required for residents at least 16 years and less than 70 years of age (plus all non-residents 16 years and older) to fish the fresh waters of New Jersey, including privately owned waters.
- Resident anglers age 70 and over do not require a fishing license. A driver’s license or other acceptable proof of age containing date of birth and physical description will serve as the actual fishing license. Non-residents 70 and over must purchase a license.
- License must be visibly displayed on outer clothing.
- License and trout stamp are both valid from date of purchase through Dec. 31.
- A person must reside in New Jersey for at least six months to obtain a resident fishing license.
- Farmers and immediate family members who live on the farm do not need a license to fish on their own farm, but must obey all fishing regulations.
- Anyone convicted of a second fish or wildlife violation in this or another state within a period of five years will have his or her New Jersey sporting licenses revoked for a minimum of two years.

Trout Stamps

A valid fishing license and trout stamp are both required to fish for or possess trout and salmon for all anglers (residents and non-residents) 16 and over, and residents under the age of 70. No trout stamp is required for residents age 70 years and over.

Purchasing a License

Licenses may be purchased by phone at (888) 773-8450, online at www.NJ.WildlifeLicense.com or at license agents such as sporting goods stores plus bait and tackle shops. Visit our website at NJFishandWildlife.com or by phone at (609) 292-2965. The Trenton Fish and Wildlife office is no longer open to the public for questions call (609) 984-6213.

Replacement — Lost License or Stamp

A license, permit or stamp can be replaced at any license agent or online at Fish and Wildlife’s Internet license sales site, www.NJ.WildlifeLicense.com also linked through our regular website at NJFishandWildlife.com or by phone at (888) 773-8450.

Special Licenses

Servicemen and Servicewomen
A person who is on active duty in the armed services of the United States is entitled to fish with a resident license.

National Guard Members

Eligible National Guard personnel are entitled to free licenses, permits, and stamps. Further information can be obtained by writing to: NJ Department of Military/Veteran Affairs, 101 Eggerts Crossing Rd., Lawrenceville, NJ 08648. Or call (609) 530-6866 for 1st Sgt. Turrian.

Disabled Veterans Licenses, Stamps and Permits

Free hunting and fishing licenses, stamps and permits are available for resident disabled veterans.

For the purposes of this program, legislation defines disabled veterans as “…any resident of New Jersey who has been honorably discharged or released under honorable circumstances from active service from any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States and who has been declared by the United States Department of Veteran Affairs, or its successor, to have a service-connected disability of any degree…”

New applicant disabled veterans may obtain their hunting and fishing licenses and stamps at the following Fish and Wildlife field offices:
- Central Region Office, Upper Freehold Twp., Monmouth Co., (609) 259-2132
- Southern Region Office, Sicklerville, Camden Co., (856) 629-0090

Applications for disabled veteran certification and your first disabled veteran license may be made via the mail by sending the application and all required documentation to NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife, Attn: Disabled Veteran Licensing, MC 501-03, PO Box 420 Trenton, NJ 08625-0420.

All licenses, stamps and permits for which the veteran is eligible will be free of charge. This does not give preferential treatment in any lottery. For questions call (609) 984-6213.

Disabled Veteran Applicants:

1. Documentation of current benefits for a service-connected disability and proof of honorable discharge (such as a copy of your DD-214, VA card or monthly check stub) must be presented to obtain a free disabled veteran license.
2. Applicant must provide a hunter education (archery, shotgun or rifle) course certificate applicable to the license for which he or she is applying or a previously issued resident archery or firearm license or rifle permit. Resident licenses from other states issued to hunters prior to establishing residency in New Jersey will be accepted if the license indicates the sporting arm for which it was valid. Non-resident licenses from other states are not acceptable.
3. To obtain the free disabled veteran deer/turkey permits one must first have a free disabled veteran hunting license.

For the Blind

Residents afflicted with total blindness may obtain a free license from Fish and Wildlife’s Trenton office. Call (609) 292-9530 for an application.
Summary of General Fishing Regulations

The season, size and creel limits for freshwater species apply to all waters of the state, including tidal waters.

- Fish may be taken only in the manner known as angling with handline or with rod and line, or as otherwise allowed by law.
- When fishing from the shoreline, no more than three fishing rods, handlines or combination thereof may be used (except on the Delaware River, see page 28). For the Delaware River the three rod limit applies both to boat and shoreline anglers (see page 28).
- Only one creel of any fish species may be in possession. Additional fish may be caught once the creel is reached if immediately returned to the water unharmed.
- Separate stringers or buckets must be used for each angler’s catch.
- Boats may contain only the combined daily creel limit for each legal angler on board.
- A fishing license does not authorize trespass on private property. Permission first must be obtained from the landowner.

It Is Unlawful To:

- Fish within 100 feet (or as posted) of any fish ladder entrance or exit from March 1 through June 30.
- Spear fish in fresh waters. See exception for Delaware River, page 28.
- Possess a fishing device with more than nine hooks in total, or more than three treble hooks, except for the Delaware River; see page 28.
- Use set lines.
- Use cast nets in freshwater lakes or trout stocked waters. See Baitfish Regulations, page 31 for other exclusions.
- Foul hook or snag any species of fish. This does not apply to fish taken through the ice.

Bow and Arrow Fishing
Carp, including bighead, common, grass and silver— as well as, eels, flathead catfish, both American and gizzard shad, snakeheads and suckers—may be taken at any time by use of a bow and arrow (with a line attached to the arrow) when in possession of a valid fishing license. See regulations for the Delaware River and Greenwood Lake, pages 28–30. Crossbows are NOT permitted for fishing.

Emergency Closures
It is illegal to fish or attempt to catch or kill fish by any manner or means in any waters for which the Director of the Division of Fish and Wildlife, upon approval by the Fish and Game Council, issues an emergency closure notice. Such notification is effective and/or rescinded immediately upon public notification. Emergency closures shall be based upon imminent threat to the well-being of the fishery resources, and/or its users, and may include any exceptions to the total ban of fishing that the Director deems practical.

Water Supply Reservoirs Open To Fishing By Permit Only
Permits must be obtained from the specific reservoir owner listed below. A valid fishing license is also required.

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Waterbody</th>
<th>County</th>
<th>Type of Fishing</th>
<th>Fee</th>
<th>Permit Source</th>
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<tr>
<td>Newark-Popapostock Watershed Reservoir</td>
<td>Passaic</td>
<td>Boat &amp; Shoreline</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Newark Watershed reservoir permits available in person only at these locations: City of Newark 223 Echo Lake Road, Newfoundland, NJ 07435 (973) 697-1724 Newark City Hall 920 Broad St., Newark 07102 (973) 733-8098</td>
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<tr>
<td>Clinton Reservoir</td>
<td>Morris</td>
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<td>Oak Ridge Reservoir</td>
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<td>Orode Reservoir</td>
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<tr>
<td>Woodcliff Lake</td>
<td>Bergen</td>
<td>Shoreline only</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>200 Old Hook Road, Harrington Park, NJ 07640 (201) 767-9300 x3208</td>
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Ice Fishing
No more than five devices may be used for taking fish when ice is present. The devices that may be used are:
1. Ice supported tip-ups or lines with one single pointed hook attached, or one burl of three hooks that measure not more than ½-inch from point to shaft;
2. An artificial jigging lure with not more than one burl of three hooks that measure not more than ½-inch from point to point;
3. An artificial jigging lure with not more than three single hooks measuring not more than ½-inch from point to shaft;
4. An artificial jigging lure with a combination of the hook limitations described in 2 and 3 above.

Potentiallly Dangerous Fish
The possession or release of live, potentially dangerous fish is prohibited. These species include Asian swamp ed, bighead, grass (diploid) and silver carp, brook stickleback, green sunfish, flathead catfish, oriental weatherfish, snakehead and warmouth. Anglers MUST destroy these species if encountered while fishing and are directed to submit specimen(s) or photos to a Fish and Wildlife Bureau of Freshwater Fisheries biologist for verification. To reach a biologist, call (908) 236-2118; (south) 609-259-6964. It is ILLEGAL to stock carp or koi into any such waters.

Stocking Fish
A permit is required to stock fish or fish eggs into any waters of the state, public or private, at any time. An application may be obtained by contacting the Bureau of Freshwater Fisheries (north/central) 908-236-2118; (south) 609-259-6964. It is ILLEGAL to stock carp or koi into any such waters.

Tagging Fish
No person may tag or mark and then release a fish without first obtaining a fish stocking permit or by special permit issued by Fish and Wildlife. Contact the Bureau of Freshwater Fisheries (north/central) 908-236-2118; (south) 609-259-6964 for application information.

Waste of Fish
Fish of any species which are purposely killed become part of the angler’s daily limit and must be removed from the waters from which they were taken, then either used or otherwise disposed of properly.

Potentially Dangerous Fish
- Asian swamp ed
- Bighead
- Grass (diploid)
- Silver carp
- Brook stickleback
- Green sunfish
- Flathead catfish
- Oriental weatherfish
- Snakehead
- Warmouth

Sale of Fish
It is illegal to sell any freshwater fish species except under commercial permits as prescribed in the Fish and Game Code. Artificially-propagated trout, if properly tagged, may be sold for food purposes.
Certain waters are closed to fishing for all species from March 16 to April 4, 2015 at 8 a.m. because of trout stocking. Refer to pages 18–20 for complete lists and exceptions. For Delaware River and Greenwood Lake, see regulations on pages 28–30.

### Largemouth & Smallmouth Bass

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<td>Statewide (exceptions below)</td>
<td>Jan. 1–April 14</td>
<td>12 inches</td>
<td>5 combined</td>
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<tr>
<td>Lunker Bass Lakes: Alloway, Assunpink, Parvin, Delaware lakes, Splitrock Reservoir</td>
<td>April 15–June 15</td>
<td>15 inches</td>
<td>3 combined</td>
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<tr>
<td>Conservation Regulations: Ryker Lake</td>
<td>June 16–Dec. 31</td>
<td>15 inches</td>
<td>2 combined</td>
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<tr>
<td>Lake Audrey</td>
<td>Year-round</td>
<td>Catch &amp; Release Only</td>
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### Northern Pike, Tiger Musky, Muskellunge

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<tr>
<td>Statewide</td>
<td>Open year round</td>
<td>Northern Pike: 24 inches</td>
<td>2</td>
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<tr>
<td>Statewide (exceptions below)</td>
<td>March 20–May 20 are Catch &amp; Release only for Echo Lake Reservoir, Mercer Lake, Mountain Lake, Monksville Reservoir</td>
<td>Tiger Musky &amp; Muskellunge: 36 inches</td>
<td>1 combined</td>
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<tr>
<td>Trophy Musky Waters: Mountain &amp; Echo Lake reservoirs</td>
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<td>Tiger Musky &amp; Muskellunge: 40 inches</td>
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### Chain Pickerel and Redfin Pickerel

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<td>15 inches</td>
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### Walleye

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<tr>
<td>Statewide</td>
<td>Jan. 1–Feb. 28 March 1–April 30 May 1–Dec. 31</td>
<td>18 inches</td>
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### Striped Bass (freshwater only)

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<td>Statewide</td>
<td>March 1–Dec. 31</td>
<td>28 inches</td>
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### Hybrid Striped Bass (freshwater only)

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<tr>
<td>Statewide (exceptions below)</td>
<td>Open year round</td>
<td>16 inches</td>
<td>2</td>
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<tr>
<td>Raritan River (downstream of Duke Island Park dam)</td>
<td>March 1–Dec. 31</td>
<td>28 inches</td>
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### Fishing Regulations

**LOCATION SEASON MINIMUM SIZE DAILY LIMIT**

| AMERICAN SHAD | Delaware River only; regulations on page 28 | Closed (except for the Delaware River; see page 28) | — | — |
| CRAPPIE (BLACK AND WHITE) | Statewide | Open year round | 8 inches | 10 combined |
| SUNFISH AND ALL OTHER SPECIES WITH NO SPECIFIED CREEL LIMITS | Statewide (exceptions below) | Open year round | No minimum size | 25 combined |
| | Conservation Regulation Ryker Lake | Open year round | Sunfish: 7 inches | 10 combined |
| | Conservation Regulation Rainbow Lake (Salem Co.) | Open year round | Sunfish: 7 inches | 10 combined |
| BANDED, BLACKBANDED, BLUESPOTTED AND MUD SUNFISH | Statewide | Closed | Protected | 0 |
| FRESHWATER BAITFISH (See page 31 for complete description of gear types and restrictions) | Statewide | Open year round | No minimum | 35 combined |

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**Fishing Regulations**

**SIZE, SEASON AND CREEL LIMITS**

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Baitfish Regulations

**BAITFISH SPECIES**

Baitfish species: golden shiner, banded killifish, mummichog, spotfin killifish, rainwater killifish, American brook lamprey, fathead minnow, bluntnose minnow, tadpole madtom, margined madtom, all shiners, daces, minnows, chubs and the American eel.

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<tr>
<td>Open year round</td>
<td>Statewide</td>
<td>No minimum</td>
<td>35 per day, species combined</td>
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<td>Exception: In trout stocked</td>
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<tr>
<td>waters baitfish may be taken only with hook and line: from April 4 to June 15, or in waters open to fishing during the pre-season closure, from March 16 to June 15.</td>
<td>American eel: 6 inches</td>
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Notes: Any person with a valid fishing license (or those under 16 and residents 70 years or older) may take baitfish in fresh waters. Possession limit is one day’s limit, regardless of the intent to use these fish. Baitfish may be taken from the fresh waters of the state in numbers greater than 35 per day, in lakes over 250 acres, under a special permit issued by Fish and Wildlife at its discretion. Contact (908) 236-2118 for application information.

**GEAR GEAR DESCRIPTION**

- **Seine**: Not over 50 feet long in ponds and lakes over 100 acres; in all other waters not over 30 feet in length. **Exception**: In trout-stocked waters and special regulation trout areas a seine may not be larger than 10 feet in length and 4 feet in depth.
- **Minnow Trap**: Not larger than 24 inches in length with a funnel mouth no greater than 2 inches in diameter.
- **Umbrella Net**: No greater than 3.5 feet square.
- **Dip Net**: Not more than 24 inches in diameter; may be used only for alewife or blueback herring.
- **Cast Net**: No greater than 8 feet in diameter; may be used only in streams that are not trout-stocked or special regulation trout areas. May not be used in lakes.
- **Hook and Line**: Maximum of nine single hooks or three hooks with three burrs per contrivance on all waters except the Delaware River where only three single hooks are permitted.

Turtle and Frog Regulations

**SPEICES**

- **Snapping Turtle**: January 1–April 30 June 16–December 31 Statewide No minimum 3 per day
- **Bull Frog and Green Frog**: January 1–March 31 July 1–December 31 Statewide No minimum 15 per day, combined

**MEANS OF TAKE**

Snapping turtles may only be taken in fresh waters of the state. See page 32 for established fishing license lines that designate between fresh and marine waters. Any person with a valid fishing license or those entitled to fish without a license may take snapping turtles, bull frogs, and green frogs by means of spears, hooks, dip nets (not more than 24 inches in diameter), traps or by hand. Snapping turtles may not be taken with a gun or bow and arrow. Snapping turtles, bull frogs, and green frogs may be taken in numbers greater than the daily limit under a commercial harvest permit issued by Fish and Wildlife at its discretion. Contact (609) 984-0530 for application information.

Motor Boat Registration and Title Requirements

**NJ Motor Vehicle Commission (MVC)**

**Registration**

Most boats must be registered to operate on New Jersey waterways.
- All titled boats must be registered also.
- Any boat (including jet skis and non-titled watercraft), mechanically propelled (incl. electric motors), regardless of length, must be registered.
- Boats greater than 12 feet in length, regardless of propulsion means, must be titled and registered at an MVC office.

Boats and marine equipment which need not be registered:
- Those not based in New Jersey or operating here less than 180 consecutive days that are operating under a federally-approved numbering system from another state.
- Ship’s lifeboats.
- Non-motorized used exclusively on small lakes and ponds on private property.
- Racing vessels with New Jersey State Marine Police permit.
- Non-motorized inflatable device, surfboard, racing shell, dinghy, canoe or kayak.
- Non-motorized vessel less than 12 feet in length.

**Title**

For use on New Jersey waterways, all boats more than 12 feet in length must be titled, with the exception of ship’s lifeboat, canoe, kayak, inflatable, surfboard, rowing scull, racing shell, tender/dinghy used for direct transportation between a vessel and shore for no other purposes.

**Boat Operator License (MVC)**

An operator license is required to operate power vessels on fresh, non-tidal waters such as lakes, creeks and rivers. (Minimum age 16 years; with certain exceptions.)

**For More Information:**

- New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission (888) 486-3339 toll free in NJ or (609) 292-6500 from out-of-state www.nj.gov/mvc/
- New Jersey State Police (NJSP) (609) 882-2000 www.njsp.org/maritime
A fishing license is required to fish the fresh waters of the state. Locations listed below mark the change from salt water (license not required) to fresh water. A fishing license is required at—and upstream of—these locations. Snapping turtles may only be taken from fresh waters of the state.

### ATLANTIC COUNTY
- Absecon Creek—Dam at Lower Atlantic City Reservoir
- Great Egg Harbor River—Power lines at confluence of Gravelly Run
- Middle River—None—all saline water
- Mullica River—Line between Seventh Ave., Sweetwater, and ramp at Crowleys Landing
- Nacote Creek—Port Republic dam
- Patcong Creek—Bargaintown Lake dam
- South River—Power lines immediately below Rt. 50
- Tuckahoe River—First northerly tributary downstream of Rt. 49 bridge (McNeals Branch)

### BERGEN COUNTY
- Hackensack River—Cedar Lane Bridge between Hackensack and Teaneck
- Hudson River—None—all saline water
- Passaic River—Required whole length

### CAMDEN COUNTY
- License required on Delaware River and all other waters

### CAPE MAY COUNTY
- Bidwells Creek—None—all saline water
- Cedar Swamp Creek—None—all saline water
- Dennis Creek—None—all saline water
- East Creek—100 ft. below East Creek Lake dam, Eldora
- Tuckahoe River—First northerly tributary downstream of lower Rt. 49 bridge (McNeals Br.)
- West Creek—100 feet below West Creek Lake dam (Pickle Factory Pond)

### CUMBERLAND COUNTY
- Assicunk Creek—Required whole length
- Bass River State–Fire Bridge on Stage Rd. in Bass River State Forest
- Batsto River—Required whole length
- Blacks Creek—Required whole length
- Crosswicks Creek—Required whole length
- Delaware River—Required whole length
- Mullica River—Line between Seventh Ave., Sweetwater, and ramp at Crowleys Landing
- Pennsauken Creek—Required whole length
- Pompeson Creek—Required whole length
- Rancocas Creek—Required whole length
- Swedes Run—Required whole length
- Wading River—Charcoal Landing, Chips Folly Campground

### ESSEX COUNTY
- Woodbury Creek—Required whole length

### Hunterdon County
- Cheesequake Creek—Dam at Cheesequake Lake, Cheesequake State Park
- Lawrence Brook—N.J. Turnpike bridge, East Brunswick

### Middlesex County
- Cheesecapeake Creek—Dam at Cheesequake Lake, Cheesequake State Park
- Black Ditch—None—all saline water
- Deal Lake—Top of dam
- Hookhocksion (Pine) Brook—Garden State Parkway northbound bridge
- Little Silver Creek—Little Silver Creek Brook
- Manasquan River—Bennetts bridge, Manasquan Wildlife Management Area
- Matawan Creek—Lefferts Lake dam
- Oceanport Creek—Mouth of Husky Brook
- Parkers Creek—Mouth of Parkers Creek Brook
- Shark River—Rensenn Mills Rd.
- Swimming River—Swimming River Rd. bridge
- Wreck Pond Creek—Rt. 71 bridge

### Monmouth County
- Black Creek—Spillway at Ocean Rd.
- Branchport Creek—Mouth of Turtle Mill Brook
- Deal Lake—Top of dam
- Little Silver Creek—Little Silver Creek Brook
- Monmouth River—Bennetts bridge, Manasquan Wildlife Management Area
- Matawan Creek—Lefferts Lake dam
- Oceanport Creek—Mouth of Husky Brook
- Parker Creek—Mouth of Parkers Creek Brook
- Shark River—Rensenn Mills Rd.
- Swimming River—Swimming River Rd. bridge
- Wreck Pond Creek—Rt. 71 bridge

### Morris County
- License required on all waters

### Ocean County
- Beaver Dam Creek—Rt. 88 bridge
- Cedar Creek—Rt. 9 bridge
- Double Creek—None—all saline water
- Forked River—All branches Rt. 9
- Gunning Creek—None—all saline water
- Jakes Branch—Above Atlantic City Blvd.
- Jeffreys Creek—Ocean Gate Rd. to Ocean Gate
- Kettle Creek—Rt. 549 bridge
- Lake of the Lilies—Entire lake
- Long Swamp Creek—Washington St. bridge, Toms River
- Manahawkin Creek—Dams for Manahawkin WMA impoundments bayside
- Metedeconk River—Rt. 70 bridge, Laurelton
- Mill Creek—Mouth of Creek at lagoons in Beach Haven West
- Mill Creek—Pine Beach—Ocean Gate Road
- Oyster Creek—Rt. 9 bridge
- Parkers Run—None—all saline water
- Potters Creek—None—all saline water
- Stouts Creek—None—all saline water
- Stouts Creek S. Br.—Bayside East Parkway
- Toms River—Garden State Parkway, northbound bridge
- Tuckerton Creek—Dam at Rt. 9 bridge
- Waretown Creek—Rt. 9 bridge
- West Creek—Rt. 9 bridge

### Passaic County
- License required on all waters

### Salem County
- Alloway Creek—Rt. 540 bridge at Alloway
- Black Ditch—None—all saline water
- Delaware River—None—all saline water
- Fishing Creek—None—all saline water
- Hopewell Creek—None—all saline water
- Mad Horse Creek—None—all saline water
- Mill Creek—None—all saline water
- Oldmans Creek—Rt. 295 southbound bridge
- Salem River—Dupont dam near Cedar Crest Manor
- Salem Canal—Dam at Deepwater
- Stow Creek—Buckhorn Rd. bridge, Jersey
- Straight Ditch—None—all saline water

### Somerville County
- License required on all waters

### Sussex County
- License required on Delaware River and all other waters

### Union County
- Elizabeth River—West Grand St., Elizabeth
- Great Ditch—None—all saline water
- Morses Creek—Old Morses Mill Rd.
- Oyster Creek—None—all saline water
- Peddie Ditch—None—all saline water
- Piles Creek—None—all saline water
- Rahway River—Lawrence St. (Rt. 514), Rahway

### Warren County
- License required on Delaware River and all other waters

**Important Footnotes**

1. Absence of a river, creek, brook or other waterway from this list does not make it exempt from requiring a license to fish the fresh waters.