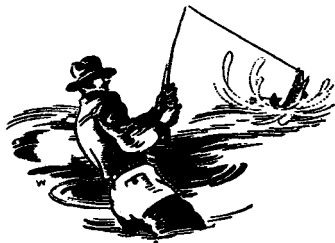


**STATE OF UTAH**

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**PROCLAMATION**

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# STATE OF UTAH FISHING PROCLAMATION

— 1950 —

The Fish and Game Commission of the State of Utah, having made due and thorough investigations and received recommendations from conservation officers of the department and other competent persons, find that the following seasons, bag limits, and other regulations governing the taking of fish in the State of Utah are necessary, and that certain changes in seasons, bag limits and other regulations should be made in the interest of conservation and wise use of the fisheries resources of the State of Utah.

**THEREFORE**, it is deemed advisable to make certain changes in the fishing season, bag limit and hours on certain waters otherwise regulated under Sections 30-0-32, 30-0-33, and 30-0-34, Utah Code Annotated, 1943.

**NOW, WE**, the Fish and Game Commission of the State of Utah, by virtue of the authority vested in us under Sections 30-0-7 and 30-0-8-Id., Utah Code Annotated 1943, do hereby proclaim and declare that in the interest of conservation and adequate protection of the fisheries of the State of Utah, the following regulations are effective from April 15, 1950 until April 15, 1951.

## CATFISH AND COMMON FISH

**SEASON:** No closed season except Channel Catfish may not be taken in Utah Lake at any time.

**AREA OPEN:** Jordan River, Utah Lake, Sevier River below Joseph-Monroe State Highway No. 118 bridge, Redmond Lake, Venice Canal and Cove River in Sevier County; Duchesne River below its junction with the Strawberry River; Logan River from Mendon Bridge to Cutler Dam; Bear River from the Utah-Idaho State line to Great Salt Lake; Weber River below the Davis-Weber Canal Company Dam in lower Weber Canyon; Minersville Reservoir; Colorado River; San Juan River; Green River below the narrows near Jensen, Utah; Mona Reservoir.

**SIZE LIMIT:** No size limit.

**FISHING HOURS:** 5:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

**DAILY BAG LIMIT:** Unlimited except on Catfish, which will be 20 catfish regardless of size.

**POSSESSION LIMIT:** Same as daily bag limit.

**SPECIAL PROVISION:** Catfish and common fish may be taken at any time during the year in the Colorado River, San Juan River, and Green River below the narrows with a set line.

### **BASS, PERCH, SUNFISH, CRAPPIE**

**SEASON:** May 13, 1950 to October 8, 1950

**AREA OPEN:** All the waters of the Sevier River drainage below the Delta Diversion Dam; Clear Lake in Millard County (except that area as marked and posted); all waters of the Logan River below the Mendon Bridge; Pelican Ponds; Cutler Dam in Cache

County; Horseshoe Springs and Clear Lake and Mill Pond in Tooele County; Bear River from Utah-Idaho State line to Great Salt Lake; Black Slough in Box Elder County; Redmond Lake. Utah Lake and Mona Reservoir shall be open to year-round angling for Yellow Perch.

**SIZE:** Ten-inch minimum size on Black Bass.

**FISHING HOURS:** 5:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

**DAILY BAG LIMIT:** Seven pounds and/or one fish or twelve fish, whichever is caught first.

No size, bag, or possession limit on Yellow Perch.

**POSSESSION LIMIT:** Same as daily bag limit.

#### **TROUT, SALMON, GRAYLING AND WHITEFISH**

**OPEN SEASON:** June 17, 1950 to and including October 8, 1950, except areas otherwise regulated under Sections 1 and 2 of this proclamation.

**AREA OPEN:** Entire State except areas otherwise regulated under Sections 1 and 2 of this proclamation.

**SIZE LIMIT:** Seven-inch minimum.

**FISHING HOURS:** 5:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M.

**DAILY BAG LIMIT:** Seven pounds and/or one fish or twelve fish, whichever is caught first.

**POSSESSION LIMIT:** Same as daily bag limit.

#### **SECTION I — CLOSED WATERS**

The following waters are hereby declared closed to fishing for the entire year:

## STATE FISH HATCHERIES.

All waters within and adjacent to all properties owned or operated by the State Fish and Game Department for propagation purposes as marked and posted on the ground.

### BOX ELDER COUNTY.

Willowmere Creek or Right Fork of Box Elder Creek from source to junction with Box Elder Creek.

### GARFIELD COUNTY.

Parowan Creek and Ipson Creek, tributaries to Panguitch Lake. Blue Springs Creek from source to confluence with Bunker Creek closed.

### SANPETE COUNTY.

South Fork of Manti Creek. All streams entering Ferron Reservoir.

### SALT LAKE COUNTY.

Mountain Dell Reservoir and Mountain Dell Creek from reservoir up to Cattle Guard on Emigration Canyon Cutoff Road in Parley's Canyon; Mill Creek as it flows from 9th East Street diagonally to 33rd South Street; City Creek; Little Cottonwood Creek from 9th East Street and 59th South to 53rd South between 5th and 6th East, as marked and posted.

### SEVIER COUNTY.

Fish Lake for a radius of 250 yards from the mouth of Twin Creeks as posted.

### UTAH COUNTY.

Provo River from the Knudsen swimming

hole down stream to the bridge near the mouth of said river closed to fishing to protect bass spawning.

#### **JUAB COUNTY.**

Birch Swamps in Salt Creek Canyon as marked and posted. Pole Creek and Hop Creek.

#### **WASATCH COUNTY.**

Deer Creek from its junction with Provo River up to railroad crossing above government property. All the waters flowing into the Strawberry Reservoir. Midway Hatchery stream from the hatchery property to the railroad bridge crossing said stream. Deer Creek reservoir from a point 1500 feet in front of Dam down Provo River to its confluence with Deer Creek Stream.

#### **WEBER COUNTY.**

Causey Creek from Boy Scout Dam to source; Wheeler Creek, a tributary of Ogden River; Snow Basin Creek; the left and right forks of South Fork of Ogden River, as marked and posted.

**SUMMIT COUNTY.** Heiner Creek.

#### **MORGAN COUNTY.**

Hardscrabble Creek and Arthur Creek from confluence of same to source.

### **SECTION II — SPECIAL REGULATIONS**

Be it further provided, that the season during which it shall be lawful to angle in certain waters for the year 1950 as provided under Sections 30-0-32, 30-0-33, and 30-0-34, Utah

Code Annotated, 1943, shall be amended as follows:

**1. BOX ELDER COUNTY.**

Locomotive Springs open to fishing May 1, 1950 through October 8, 1950. All waters in Northwestern Box Elder County as bounded on the North by the Utah-Idaho State line and on the East, South and West, by the Park Valley-Rosette-Lucin Highway shall be open to fishing from June 17, 1950 to August 15, 1950, inclusive.

**2. CARBON COUNTY.**

Fish Creek and tributaries from Scofield Reservoir to Gooseberry CCC Dam (in Sanpete County) Pondtown Creek throughout open to fishing June 17, 1950 to October 8, 1950. Scofield Reservoir open to fishing May 1, 1950 to and including November 15, 1950, with certain areas closed, as marked and posted: From May 1, 1950 to June 17, 1950 and October 8, 1950 to November 15, 1950, fishing methods restricted to the use of worms only with no artificial fly, spinner, plug or other artificial lure or trolling device permitted. From June 17, 1950 to October 8, 1950, fishing will be permitted in accordance with methods specified in Fish and Game Code.

**3. DAGGETT COUNTY.**

Carter Creek drainage from a point one (1) mile above Vernal-Manila road crossing to source; Sheep Creek drainage from a point one (1) mile above Vernal-Manila road crossing to source open to fishing July 1, 1950 to October

8, 1950.

4. DUCHESNE COUNTY.

Brown Duck Lakes and tributary streams; Brown Duck Creek and Lake Fork Creek above Moon Lake; Rock Creek Drainage above Upper Still Water; North Fork of the Duchesne River above the confluence of said stream with Marcell Creek; West Fork of Duchesne and Wolf Creek above junctions of said streams; Yellowstone Creek above the R.E.A. Dam; Uintah River above Davis Ranch in Uintah Park open to fishing July 1, to October 8, 1950. Moon Lake open to fishing June 17, to October 8, 1950. Borham Lake and Montez Reservoir open to fishing May 1, to November 15, 1950.

5. RICH COUNTY.

Bear Lake for a radius of one quarter of a mile around the mouth of Swan Creek will be closed to all fishing until July 1, 1950. The remainder of Bear Lake open to fishing from May 1, to December 15, 1950; except the entire East shore of Bear Lake from the Utah-Idaho Border south to Lake Town for a distance of one mile from said shoreline will be closed to fishing September 1, 1950. Utah and Idaho licenses recognized reciprocally on Bear Lake.

6. SEVIER COUNTY.

Fish Lake open to fishing June 17, 1950 and closes September 17, 1950.

7. SUMMIT COUNTY.

Provo River Drainage above Soapstone; Weber River Drainage above Howell's bridge; Chalk Creek above Pine Cliff including the



Blue Lakes area, closed to fishing until July 1, 1950. Closes October 8, 1950. All streams and lakes of Bear River Drainage, all of Black's Fork Drainage, all of East Fork of Smith's Fork Drainage, Gilbert Creek, Henry's Fork Drainage, West Fork of Beaver Creek and Beaver Creek Drainage, Burnt Fork Drainage south of the Utah-Wyoming line to summit of Uintah Mountains will be open to fishing July 1, 1950 through Oct. 8, 1950. This includes Hoop's Lake, Fish Lake, China Lake, Marsh Lake, Blue Lakes, Bridger Lake, and all lakes in the designated area. Beaver Creek near Kamas open to fishing June 17, to October 8, 1950.

#### 8. UINTAH COUNTY.

Whiterocks River drainage, including Paradise Park above Merrimon Ranch upper fence open to fishing July 1, through October 8, 1950. Dry Fork of Ashley Creek, North Fork of Dry Fork of Ashley and East Fork of Dry Fork of Ashley drainages above their confluences; Brush Creek drainage above Gorge; Little Brush Creek drainage above Vernal-Manila highway crossing open to fishing July 1, through October 8, 1950.

#### 9. UTAH COUNTY.

Spring Creek (stream flowing from State Fish Hatchery at Springville, Utah) open to fishing during the hours from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. from June 17, 1950 to October 8, 1950.

#### 10. WASATCH COUNTY.

Strawberry Reservoir and Willow Creek a tributary to Strawberry River open to fishing June 17, 1950 to October 8, 1950. Current Creek from source to Bridge on Highway 40.

Red Creek, Lake Creek Drainage commencing at the Old Rock Quarry at the mouth of the canyon to the head waters of the water shed open to fishing July 1, 1950 to October 8, 1950. Deer Creek Reservoir open to fishing May 1, 1950 to and including November 15, 1950, with certain areas closed, as marked and posted: From May 1, 1950 to June 17, 1950 and October 8, 1950 to November 15, 1950, fishing methods restricted to the use of worms only with no artificial fly, spinner, plug or other artificial lure or trolling device permitted. From June 17, 1950 to October 8, 1950, fishing will be permitted in accordance with methods specified in Fish and Game Code.

### SECTION III

Be it further provided that any water or area not mentioned in Section I or II, may as a conservation measure, be closed to fishing by properly posting, with suitable signs and markers without further notice. Be it also provided that the use of outboard motors of any size or type for fishing are prohibited on any lake in Utah that lies greater than one half mile distance from any designated road in the Uintah Mountain area, Boulder Mountain area and Thousand Lake Mountain area.

Be it further provided that the use of spears and grappling hooks is prohibited on Clear Lake in Millard County.

Be it also provided that fishing from any boat, raft, or floating device be prohibited on Silver Lake (Salt Lake County) and Duck Creek Spring and Mirror Aspen Lake on Duck Creek (Kane County). All reservoirs

on Logan River and Blacksmith Fork River in Cache County; Pine Valley Reservoir in Washington County, Whit's Lake in Wasatch County and Burreston Ponds in Juab County.

#### SECTION IV

When and if necessary, checking stations for the purpose of checking fishermen will be established and operated any place by the Fish and Game Department during 1950.

Be it further provided that violation of any of the regulations of this proclamation shall be termed a misdemeanor and this proclamation shall have full force and effect of the law.

UTAH FISH AND GAME COMMISSION  
GEORGE H. HARRISON Comm. Chairman  
J. PERRY EGAN Director

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1950.

ARMOND F. CARR, Notary Public.

#### IMPORTANT TO FISHING

1. 30-0-7—Power of Commission to Regulate Fishing and Hunting. When, for any reason whatsoever, the fish and game commission shall deem it advisable to open or close any lake, stream or waterway, or any part thereof, to angling, or to open or close the hunting or killing of game birds or animals, it is hereby empowered to open or close such fishing or hunting seasons at such a time or place as they deem advisable except that such opening days shall commence on any day except Sunday. They may impose additional restrictions upon the taking of such game birds or animals by

shortening the open season, reducing the number of game birds or game animals permitted to be taken in any one day or during the entire open season, or by entirely prohibiting the shooting or otherwise killing or taking any species of game birds, game or fur-bearing animals. If on account of oversight, error or any other cause the fish and game commission shall find that adequate protection is not extended by virtue of this title to all species of fish, game birds, game and furbearing animals, it is hereby empowered to impose the necessary regulations and restrictions to fully protect the same.

**30-0-8-Id. Notice and Proclamation—Publication.** If the fish and game commission shall close to angling or any other method of taking fish, any lake, stream or waterway, or a portion thereof, it shall first cause to be posted at or near such lake, stream or waterway a reasonable number of signs, stating that such lake, stream or waterway is closed to angling or other means of taking fish, and shall cause a notice of such action to be published in at least two newspapers having general circulation in this state, not less than twenty days prior to such closing, which action shall have the force and effect of law. When the fish and game commission desires to close all or any section of the state to the shooting, trapping or otherwise capturing or taking of any species of game bird, game or fur-bearing animal or to further restrict or limit the taking of such birds or animals, it shall issue a proclamation setting forth the changes, restrictions or limitations which it desires to effect. Such procla-

mation must be published in at least two newspapers having general circulation throughout the state, and after such publication such proclamation shall have the full force and effect of law.

2. Game Fish—"The word 'game fish' as used in this title shall mean all species of trout, salmon, mountain herring, grayling, catfish, whitefish, crappie, perch and black bass, and the words 'common fish' shall mean all fish not listed as game fish."

3. It shall be lawful for any person, holding a license, to angle for catfish and common fish at any time of the year in the following waters: Jordan river, Utah Lake, the Sevier river, below its junction with Clear Creek near the mouth of Sevier canyon; the Green river below the bridge on the Victory Highway; the Duchesne river below its junction with the Strawberry river; the Bear river below the Cutler dam; the Weber river below its junction with the Ogden river; the Minersville reservoir; the Colorado river; and the San Juan river, and to fish for catfish and common fish at any time of the year in the Colorado River, the San Juan river and the Green river with a set line.

4. Spears and Grappling Hooks—"It shall be lawful to take or kill carp with spears in Utah Lake, the Jordan river, the Sevier river below its junction with Clear Creek near the mouth of Sevier Canyon, the Green river below the bridge on the Victory highway, the Duchesne river below its junction with the Strawberry river, the Bear river below the Cutler dam, the Weber river below its junction with the Ogden river, the Colorado river and the

San Juan river. Suckers may be taken by grappling hooks between April 1 and May 20th following, both dates included only in the Provo River between Utah Lake and the state road bridge northwest of Provo, in the Spanish Fork river between the Los Angeles and the Salt Lake Railroad bridge across said river and Utah Lake, and in Hobble creek between Main street in Springville city and Utah Lake, and in the Sevier river below the Sevier bridge reservoir."

5. Certain bait forbidden—It shall be unlawful to use as bait, or have in possession any fish eggs, fish spawn, or imitation thereof, or fish under seven inches in length except as herein provided, or for any person to have in his possession or sell or offer for sale any salmon eggs or other fish eggs or imitation thereof. It shall be unlawful to have attached to a hook as a bait or lure in the act of angling any substance or material except the following: Any kind of natural insect, worm, or fly; any kind of small cured fish, any kind of artificial fly, artificial insect, artificial minnow; any kind of spinner, wobbler, or other artificial bait or lure not otherwise prohibited by this title. It shall be unlawful to deposit in any of the waters of this state any meat, fish eggs, or other sort of bait or food substance for the purpose of chumming or baiting the waters or so as to induce or cause fish to gather. The word "artificial" as used in connection with the baits and lures enumerated in this title is hereby defined as meaning lure or bait constructed of any non-edible material.

6. Shipping Fish and Game out of State—  
 “It shall be unlawful for any person to ship or  
 cause to be shipped out of this state any game  
 fish, or game or game birds, without having  
 attached thereto a permit issued by the State  
 Fish and Game Commission.”

### LICENSES REQUIRED:

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| Resident Fishing and Game Bird—            |         |
| Age 12 and under 16 .....                  | \$ 1.00 |
| Resident Fishing—Age 16 and over .....     | 3.00    |
| Resident Game Bird—Age 16 and over ....    | 3.00    |
| Resident Deer and Game Bird—               |         |
| Age 16 and over .....                      | 4.00    |
| Resident Fishing and Hunting—              |         |
| Age 16 and over .....                      | 5.00    |
| Trapping—Any age .....                     | 5.00    |
| Non-Resident Fishing (Full season only) .. | 5.00    |
| Non-Resident Game Bird .....               | 15.00   |
| Non-Resident Deer .....                    | 30.00   |
| Alien Fishing .....                        | 12.00   |
| Resident Fishing (Old Age)—                |         |
| Blind or 65 and over .....                 | .10     |

UTAH FISH AND GAME COMMISSION

An Amendment to the

1950 UTAH FISHING PROCLAMATION

An amendment to the 1950 Utah Fishing Proclamation advertised April 1, 1950 in the Deseret News and Salt Lake Tribune, daily papers of Salt Lake City, Utah.

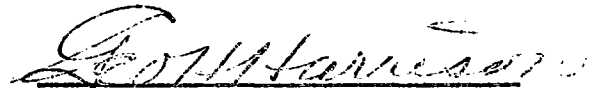
Whereas, after due investigation and in the interest of conservation of fish, we, the Fish and Game Commission of the State of Utah, have deemed it advisable to prohibit fishing from boats, rafts or other floating devices on certain waters of the State of Utah,

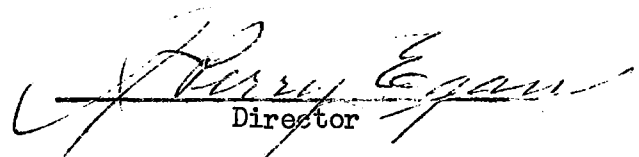
Now, therefore, under authority of Section 30-0-7 and 30-0-8 Id, Utah Code Annotated, 1943, we, the Fish and Game Commission of the State of Utah, do hereby proclaim and declare that fishing from boats, rafts or other floating devices will be prohibited from August 1, 1950 to and including October 8, 1950 on all waters except the following to-wit:

Fish Lake in Sevier County; Panguitch Lake; Moon Lake; Strawberry Reservoir; Navajo Lake, Palasade Lake; Forsyth Reservoir; Gooseberry Reservoir; Cleveland Reservoir; Scofield Reservoir; Ferron Reservoir; Bear Lake; Deer Creek Reservoir; Paradise Park Reservoir; Buck Pasture Reservoir; Ouks Park Reservoir; Mirror Lake; Spirit Lake; Hoops Lake; Hyrum Reservoir; Smith & Moorhouse Reservoir; East Canyon Reservoir; Newton Reservoir; Pine View Reservoir; Echo Reservoir; Tryol Lake; Otter Creek Reservoir; Piute Reservoir; Koosharem Reservoir; Yuba Reservoir; Enterprise Reservoir; Johnson Reservoir; Posey Lake; Pine Lake; Gunnison Reservoir; Tropic Reservoir; Puffers Lake; Otto Lake; Yankee Meadow Reservoir; Borham Lake; Montez Creek Reservoir; Utah Lake, Five Points Lake and Cedar View Reservoir.

It is provided by statute that the above regulations and rules shall have full force and effect of the law. Any violation thereof shall constitute a misdemeanor and shall be prosecuted as such.

UTAH FISH AND GAME COMMISSION

  
Chairman

  
Director

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
7th day of July, 1950

  
Notary Public