

DESIGNATED SPECIAL MANAGEMENT WATERS

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6264.0400 DESIGNATED SPECIAL MANAGEMENT WATERS.

[For text of subps 2 to 32, see permanent rules.]

Subp. 33. Lake of the Woods and Rainy River; walleye and sauger.

A. Notwithstanding part 6266.0700, subpart 2, item A, the seasons and possession limits for walleye and sauger in the aggregate as specified in this subpart apply to the specified portions of Lake of the Woods and Rainy River. Except as further restricted in item D, a person may have only four walleye from these water bodies in possession regardless of whether they are taken from Lake of the Woods or Rainy River.

B. From the Saturday two weeks prior to the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend to November 30, the daily and possession limits for Lake of the Woods are as follows: six in the aggregate, ~~of which not more than four may be walleye~~ and not more than one walleye over 28.0 inches. All walleye ~~and sauger~~ in possession must be less than 19.5 inches in length or greater than 28.0 inches in length. All walleye ~~and sauger~~ that are 19.5 to 28.0 inches in length, inclusive, must be immediately returned to the water.

C. Except as provided in item D, from December 1 to April 14, the daily and possession limits for Lake of the Woods are as follows: eight in the aggregate, ~~of which not more than four may be walleye~~ and not more than one walleye over 28.0 inches. All walleye ~~and sauger~~ in possession must be less than 19.5 inches in length or greater than 28.0 inches in length. All walleye ~~and sauger~~ that are 19.5 to 28.0 inches in length, inclusive, must be immediately returned to the water.

D. From March 1 to April 14, the daily and possession limits for Four Mile Bay of Lake of the Woods and Rainy River are as follows: two in the aggregate. All walleye ~~and sauger~~ in possession must be less than 19.5 inches in length. All walleye ~~and sauger~~ that are 19.5 inches in length or greater must be immediately returned to the water.

E. From the Saturday two weeks prior to the Saturday of

Memorial Day weekend to the last day in February, the daily and possession limits for Rainy River are as follows: six in the aggregate and not more than one walleye over 28.0 inches. All walleye in possession must be less than 19.5 inches in length or greater than 28.0 inches in length. All walleye that are 19.5 to 28.0 inches in length, inclusive, must be immediately returned to the water.

Name	Location	County
(1) Lake of the Woods, including Four Mile Bay	T.162-168, R.32-37, S.Various	Lake of the Woods, Roseau
(2) <u>Rainy River</u>	<u>from the Boise Cascade Dam (T.71, R.24, S.27) downstream to the U.S. Coast Guard lighthouse at Wheeler's Point (T.162, R.31, S.19)</u>	<u>Lake of the Woods, Koochiching</u>

Subp. 34. Rainy River; walleye and sauger. [SEE REPEALER.]

[For text of subps 35 to 59, see permanent rules.]

REPEALER. Minnesota Rules, part 6264.0400, subpart 34, is repealed. The expedited emergency amendments to Minnesota Rules, part 6264.0400, subparts 33 and 34, published in the State Register, volume 29, page 851, January 18, 2005, are repealed.