

# Boat Trailer Parking Boating and Fishing Guidelines



## BOAT TRAILER PARKING PASSES

Boat trailer passes are required from April 1 through November 30.

- Daily and Annual Passes must be visible on the dashboard or rearview mirror in your vehicle.
- If you forget your annual pass, purchase a daily pass online <https://www.threeriversparks.org/webtrac> or at the pay box or gatehouse to avoid a citation and/or fine.
- Replacement passes can be purchased by calling 763-559-6700.
- If you are unable to print the annual or daily receipt, take the envelope from the pay box near the boat launch and write your receipt number on the envelope stub. Place the envelope stub on your dashboard.
- The number of trailer parking spots available at each access is based on the maximum number of motorized boats that can be launched. This limit is based on lake size, carrying capacity of boats in the water and the individual limitations of the park. These limits also apply to lake-area residents and to persons who are launching boats but not parking a trailer. When the limit is reached, other boaters must wait until an opening is available. Personal watercrafts are included in these limits.
- Please visit [mndnr.gov](http://mndnr.gov) and city websites for information about boating restrictions/no-wake zones, aquatic invasive species (AIS) requirements, detailed lake information and special fishing regulations.
- Visit <https://www.threeriversparks.org/activity/boating> for launch open/closures and temporary no-wake restrictions.

## BOAT RENTAL

Canoes, kayaks, rowboats, paddleboats, and stand-up paddleboards can be rented at many park locations. Paddles/oars and personal floatation devices (PFDs) are included. Boats may not be taken off park property.

## FISHING PIERS

- Anglers (16-89 years old) must have a valid Minnesota fishing license.
- Wheelchair accessible fishing piers are located near boat launches at Baker Park Reserve, Bryant Lake Regional Park, Carver Park Reserve, Cedar Lake Farm Regional Park, Cleary Lake Regional Park, Eagle Lake Regional Park, Fish Lake Regional Park, French Regional Park, Gale Woods Farm, Hyland Lake Park Reserve, Lake Minnetonka Regional Park, Lake Rebecca Park Reserve, Mississippi Gateway Regional Park, Silverwood Park

## AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES

Numerous aquatic invasive species (AIS), including zebra mussels, Eurasian water milfoil, and spiny water flea, threaten Minnesota waters. These species spread mainly through the transportation of watercraft and equipment from lake to lake. You must clean all aquatic plants, animals, and mud from watercraft and equipment; drain all watercraft, bait containers, and live wells - drain plugs must be left out and water-draining devices left open before leaving the access. Dispose of unwanted bait in the garbage. Bait water must be exchanged for tap or bottled water if bait is being kept. It is illegal to release live bait into a water body or move aquatic animals from one water body to another.

# LAKE DESIGNATIONS FOR BOATING AND ICE FISHING

Three Rivers offers plenty of boating opportunities with over 30 lakes, rivers and streams. With lake access points and trailer parking sites, it's easy to get the family out on the water to enjoy the ultimate Minnesota pastime.

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<p><b>Class I</b> Lakes with public access and shared lakeshore ownership. There are no motor restrictions on these lakes, and overnight fish houses are permitted. Where there is a park entry gate, access to the lake is permitted until 10 p.m. and exit is permitted 24-hours a day. At launch locations where there is not an entry gate, access and exits are permitted 24-hours a day.</p>	<p><b>Class II</b> Lakes with public access but completely within the Park District. Electric trolling motors only. No gas motors (including vehicles of any type) are permitted on these lakes, except gas augers for ice fishing. Overnight fish houses are not permitted. Lake access and exit is limited to 5 a.m. – 10 p.m. <b>Class II*</b> Gas motors allowed no wake (Spurzem and Stieger Lakes)</p>	<p><b>Class III</b> Non-fishing lakes with no public access and completely within the Park District. There is no access or recreational activity on these lakes.</p>
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## LOCATIONS

### Baker Park Reserve in Maple Plain

- Lake Independence - Class I (844 acres) Concrete access, parking for 58 trailers, located off main park road, 1/4 mile south of the intersection of County Road 19 and County Road 24. Parking fills early on weekends and holidays. Additional non-motorized boat access located south of creative play area, near reservation picnic area.
- Spurzem Lake - Class II\* (70 acres) Concrete access, parking for 6 trailers, located one mile east of County Road 19 on County Road 201. No wake.
- Half Moon Lake - Class II (28 acres) Carry-in access located off County Road 19 at Half Moon Group Camp; carry boat a few hundred yards. No wake.
- Lake Katrina - Class III No access or recreational activity.

### Bryant Lake Regional Park in Eden Prairie

- Bryant Lake - Class I (177 acres) Concrete access, parking for 20 trailers, located off main park road. 15-mph speed limit on Sundays from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day, noon to 6:00 p.m.

### Carver Park Reserve in Victoria

- Crosby, Lake II, Sunny, and Lundsten Lakes - Class III No access or recreational activity.
- Lake Zumbra - Class I (162 acres) Gravel access, parking for 12 trailers, located on Park Drive. No boat/trailer fee.
- Lake Auburn - Class I (284 acres) Non-paved access, parking for 12 trailers, located off Carver Park Road. Operated by the DNR. No boat/trailer fee.
- Stieger Lake - Class II\* (158 acres) Gravel access, parking for 12 trailers, located on Stieger Lake Lane. No wake.
- Stone Lake - Class II No public access. Usage from private residences is very limited.
- Parley Lake - Class I (242 acres) Concrete access located on Parley Lake Lane, north of Highway 5. Operated by the DNR.

### Cedar Lake Farm Regional Park in New Prague

- Cedar Lake – Class I (162 acres) Carry-in only. Concrete access located on east side of lake, on a side street off of Highway 13 and one on the northwest side of lake off of 240th. Operated by the DNR. DNR special fishing regulations apply.

### **Cleary Lake Regional Park in Prior Lake**

- Cleary Lake - Class II (143 acres) Earthen access located near Oak Grove Group Camp. No wake.

### **Crow-Hassan Park Reserve in Hanover**

- Prairie Lake - Class III No access or recreational activity. Carry-in on Crow River, parking located on the north side of County Road 116.

### **Eagle Lake Regional Park in Plymouth**

- Eagle Lake - Class I (291 acres) Fishing pier. Carry-in only.
- Pike Lake - Class I Access through narrow channel from Eagle Lake (small boat).

### **Elm Creek Park Reserve in Maple Grove**

- Goose Lake - Class III No public access. Usage from lakeshore residences is very limited.
- Hayden, Lemans, Powers, and Mud Lakes - Class III No access or recreational activity.

### **Fish Lake Regional Park in Maple Grove**

- Fish Lake - Class I (223 acres) Concrete access, parking for 12 trailers. Know before you go: Surface water regulations, including speed limits, direction of travel, and no-wake zones are listed at <https://www.maplegovmn.gov/about/lakes-andwater-quality/fish>.

### **French Regional Park in Plymouth**

- Medicine Lake - Class I (886 acres) Concrete access, parking for 42 trailers, 3 spaces for car-top units (canoes, kayaks), located off main park road.

### **Gale Woods Farm in Minnetrista**

- Whaletail Lake - Class I (558 acres) Carry-in canoe access 1/2 mile from main parking lot. Concrete access operated by the DNR located at 2494 E Highland Road in Minnetrista.

### **Hyland Lake Park Reserve in Bloomington**

- Anderson Lake - Class II No public access. Usage from private residences is very limited.
- Hyland Lake - Class II (84 acres) Concrete access, located off Bush Lake Road near the visitor center. DNR special fishing regulations apply. No wake.

### **Lake Minnetonka Regional Park in Minnetrista**

- Lake Minnetonka - Class I (14,004 acres) Concrete access, parking for 55 trailers. Parking is up the hill from the boat launch.

### **Lake Rebecca Park Reserve in Rockford**

- Lake Rebecca - Class II (290 acres) Concrete access, parking for 28 trailers. No wake. DNR special fishing regulations apply.
- Rattail Lake - Class III No access or recreational activity.
- Carry-in canoe access on Crow River off County Road 50 at northwest end of park.

### **Lake Sarah Regional Park in Greenfield**

- Lake Sarah - Class I (574 acres) Concrete access operated by the City of Greenfield located on the southwest shore.

### **Mississippi Gateway Regional Park in Brooklyn Park**

- Mississippi River - Carry-in

### **Murphy-Hanrehan Park Reserve in Savage**

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- Hanrehan Lake - Class II No public access. Usage from private residences is very limited.
- Minnregs Lake - Class III No access or recreational activity.
- Murphy Lake - Class II (70 acres) Concrete access, parking for 5 trailers, located off Murphy Lake Boulevard. Shallow lake. No wake.

**Silverwood in Saint Anthony**

- Silver Lake - Class I (70 acres) Canoe launch. Shore fishing.
- Boat access located on the southwest side of the lake. Operated by the City of Columbia Heights

**Twin Lake Boat Access in Robbinsdale**

- Twin Lake - Class I (84 acres) Asphalt/concrete access, parking for 9 trailers. Located off Lakeland Avenue N