



12th Judicial District Court
Published Fines and Cost Schedule - Fishing Violations
Effective 10/1/2006



SPORT FISHING - PART 487

SPORT FISH - ICE FISHING

MCL CITATION	OFFENSE	FINES and COSTS	CONSERV. FEE	TOTAL AMOUNT
324.48703	No Name Address on Tip-Up or Similar Device	\$110	\$10	\$120
324.48703	Fish with More than Two Lines	\$110	\$10	\$120
324.48703	Fish with Line Not in Immediate Control	\$110	\$10	\$120

SPORT FISH - CLOSED SEASON

324.48716	Take or Attempt to Take Bass - Closed Season	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48716	Spear or Bow Fish - Closed Season	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48716	Take or Attempt to Take Pike - Closed Season	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48716	Take or Attempt to Take Walleye - Closed Season	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48716	Take or Attempt to Take Muskellunge - Closed Season	\$240	\$10	\$250	REST *
324.48716	Possess Fish Out of Season	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *

SPORT FISH - EQUIPMENT / METHODS

324.48703	Buy/Sell or Attempt to Buy/Sell Fish Taken on Sport Fish License	\$240	\$10	\$250	REST *
324.48703	Use any Hook on Line Between Rod and the Weight	\$120	\$10	\$130	
324.48703	Use Multipointed Hook, Fly or Lure with Weight Rigidly Attached or Suspended from/below the Hook	\$140	\$10	\$150	
324.48703	Fish with Line Not in Immediate Control	\$115	\$10	\$125	
324.48703	Fish with More than Four Hooks Attached	\$140	\$10	\$150	
324.48703	Fish with More than Two Lines	\$165	\$10	\$175	
324.48703	Take Unauthorized species with Spear/Bow	\$190	\$10	\$200	
324.48739	Possess/Sell Multipointed Hook with Weight Permanently Attached	\$140	\$10	\$150	

SPORT FISH - SIZE LIMITS

324.48719	Possess Undersized Muskellunge	\$240	\$10	\$250	REST *
324.48719	Possess Undersized Channel Catfish	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48719	Possess Undersized Flathead Catfish	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48719	Possess Undersized Northern Pike	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48719	Possess Undersized Largemouth/Smallmouth Bass	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48719	Possess Undersized Walleye	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *

SPORT FISH - POSSESSION / LIMITS

324.48719	Possess Mutilated Fish on Water - Unable to Identify or Measure	\$110	\$10	\$120	REST *
324.48721	Possess Fish Illegally Taken	\$110	\$10	\$120	REST *
324.48721	Take/Possess over Limit of Largemouth/Smallmouth Bass	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48721	Take/Possess over Limit of Bluegills, Sunfish, Warmouth, Rock Bass or Crappies - in combination	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48721	Take/Possess over the Limit of Walleye	\$140	\$10	\$150	REST *

<u>MCL CITATION</u>	<u>OFFENSE</u>	<u>FINES and COSTS</u>	<u>CONSERV. FEE</u>	<u>TOTAL AMOUNT</u>	
324.48721	Take/Possess over the Limit of Northern Pike	140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48721	Take/Possess over the Limit of White Bass	140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48721	Take/Possess over the Limit of Perch	140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48721	Take/Possess over the Limit of Catfish	140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48721	Take/Possess over the Limit of Largemouth/Smallmouth Bass Walleye, Northern Pike or Flathead Catfish - in combination	140	\$10	\$150	REST *
324.48721	Take Possess over Limit Muskellunge	270	\$10	\$280	REST *

FISHING LICENSING - PART 435

LICENSE VIOLATIONS

324.43509	No Fishing License	90	\$10	\$100	
324.43509	No Fishing License in Possession	90	\$10	\$100	
324.43509	Possess Fish with No Fishing License	115	\$10	\$125	
324.43516	Fail to Exhibit Fishing License	90	\$10	\$100	
324.43518	Fail to Sign / Validate Fishing License	75	\$10	\$85	
324.43559	Obtain or Attempt to Obtain Fishing License when Revoked	215	\$10	\$225	

ICE SHANTIES - PART 465

SHANTY VIOLATIONS

324.46502	Fail to Affix Name / Address to Fish Shanty	\$190	\$10	\$200	
324.46502	Name and Address not Permanently Attached to Ice Shanty	\$190	\$10	\$200	
324.46505	Fail to Remove Shanty by Required Date or Unsafe Ice	\$290	\$10	\$300	REIMB *

REST * = For each game fish, other than a Sturgeon, of an individual weight of 1 pound or more, \$10 for each pound or fraction of a pound of fish illegally taken or possessed
 For each game fish, other than a Sturgeon, of an individual weight of less than 1 pound, \$10 for each fish illegally taken or possessed - MCL 324.48740

REIMB * = The defendant shall reimburse the governmental entity that removes or provides for the removal of the shanty an amount equal to three times the costs of the removal - MCL 324