

Knox-Lincoln SWCD 2024 Spring Trout Sale



Orders due to the District office by Tues., May 14, 2024

Pick-up Date: Wed., May 29, 2024 from Noon – 2:00 pm

Pick up location - District Office: 893 West St (Rt 90) in Rockport

Ordering Information:

1) Current Stocking Permit is required.

- A **valid Stocking Permit** from the ME Dept of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife must be on file at the District office before the date of fish pick-up.
- **Included with the order form is the “Application to Stock Waters in the State of Maine” permit application**, please complete and mail to Dept of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife. If you are submitting an application, please ***allow two+ weeks*** for IF&W to process your application.

2) Minimum order: \$50.00

- Please mail the completed order form, check payable to: “Knox-Lincoln SWCD” and copy of permit to: “Knox-Lincoln SWCD” 893 West St #103, Rockport, ME 04856
- Questions about how many fish to order? See page two for guidance.

Questions call the District office (207) 596-2040 or visit our website: www.knox-lincoln.org/trout-sale.

Any fish not picked up by 2:00pm will become the property of KLSWCD and refunds WILL NOT be issued.

Order Form

Trout Size & Species: 200 fish per acre (less than 8")	Price	Quantity	Total Cost
6-8 inch Brook Trout	\$3.50 each		
4-5 inch Rainbow Trout	\$3.00 each		
Oxygen Bags			
Oxygen Bags 7-9" fish: Each bag holds up to 25 fish	\$6.00 each		
Oxygen Bags 4-5" fish: Each bag holds up to 30 fish	\$6.00 each		
Donation			
Total			

Name _____ Daytime phone _____

Address _____

Email _____ IF&W Permit # _____

How many fish should I order?

There are many factors when determining the number of fish a pond can support such as water temperature, available food, water flow, depth and surface area.

Surface area is a good starting point to estimate capacity: 50 (4-6"), 40 (6-8"), 30 (8-10") fish per 1/4 acre surface area.

Pond Surface Area: 1/4 acre # of Fish 6" and larger: 50

Pond Surface Area: 1/2 acre # of Fish 6" and larger: 100

Pond Surface Area: 1 acre # of Fish 6" and larger: 150 - 250

Food supply and water quality, such as colder temperature, increase carrying capacity.

If you are unsure about brook trout's ability to survive in your pond, we encourage you start small or keep a record of pond water temperature at its deepest location or monitor for dissolved oxygen during July, August and September.

MAINE DEPARTMENT OF INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE

353 Water St., 41 SHS Augusta, ME 04333-0041

Phone 207-287-5261 - www.maine.gov/ifw

Application to Stock Waters in the State of Maine

Application Cost: \$10.00 (payable to "Treasurer, State of Maine")

Type of application (check one): NEW OR RENWAL

Name of Pond Owner: _____

Address (Street and Apt # or PO Box) _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ **Email Address:** _____

Is pond privately-owned? YES or NO - **If no, list Waterbody Name:** _____

Is pond entirely within property owned by you? YES OR NO

Pond location: Town: _____ **County:** _____

Provide a detailed description of pond location (directions on how to get to your pond; provide map or GPS coordinates if known) _____

Does Pond have an outlet? YES OR NO **If yes, where does it drain?** _____
(Name of brook, stream, pond, etc.)

List species you would like to stock: _____
(brook trout, rainbow trout, brown trout, other - list species)

Source of fish: _____
(Name of Maine Commercial Fish Hatchery or Soil and Water Conservation District, etc.)

If someone other than Pond Owner will be stocking the pond, provide the following information:

Name of person stocking pond: _____

Physical Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

NOTE: It is a Class E crime to obtain a permit through fraud, misstatement, or misrepresentation (Title 12 MRSA Section 10757)

Signature of Pond Owner: _____ **Date:** _____

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Permit Type: Private OR Public Approved OR Denied **By:** _____ **Date:** _____

Additional conditions: _____

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Please return completed application and fee to:
MDIFW, Fisheries and Hatcheries Division, 41 SHS, Augusta, ME 04333-0041
Please make check payable to "Treasurer, State of Maine"

MAINE LICENSED COMMERCIAL FISH HATCHERIES

<u>Hatchery Name & Address</u>	<u>Species</u>	<u>Telephone</u>
Micmac Farms 1353 Presque Isle Rd Caribou, ME 04736	Brook Trout	207-493-1269
Shy Beaver Trout LLC 161 Shy Beaver Rd Hollis, ME 04042 Email: shybeavertrout@gmail.com Website: shybeavertrout.com	Brook trout Rainbow trout Brown trout	207-300-7999
Spectrum Trout Bob Hendry 47 Bumptown Rd So. Paris, ME 04271	Rainbow trout	207-744-2348 207-272-2853 cell

Some local Soil and Water Conservation Districts hold annual fish sales, contact information can be found here: maineconservationdistricts.com/district-locations

CONDITIONS OF PERMIT TO STOCK WATERS IN THE STATE OF MAINE

All live freshwater fish taken from hatcheries, aquaculture operations or private ponds within the state and all live freshwater fish imported from outside the state shall, while being transported, held in storage or offered for sale, be identified with the name and address of the original source in the following manner:

- Each fish or the container holding fish shall be identified by a tag, seal or sign that identifies the source.
- All fish shall bear identification as described above from the time they leave the original source until they reach their ultimate destination.
- All fish while in transit, must be accompanied by an invoice or other documentation describing the species involved, the number of fish involved and the destination of the fish.
- All live freshwater fish which are to be introduced into either public or private waters of the State shall, while in transit, be accompanied by the appropriate written Permit from the Commissioner as described in Title 12 M.R.S. 12510.

A person may not introduce, import or transport any live fish or gametes into the State or receive or have in that person's possession fish or gametes without a valid permit; if convicted of this violation up to a \$10,000 fine may be imposed as described within Title 12 M.R.S. § 12509.