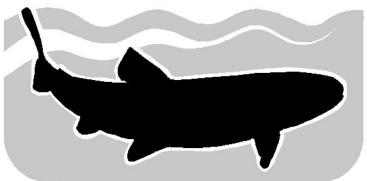


# Tanana River Drainage **Stocked Lakes**

# Fishing Guide

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#### Tanana River Drainage Stocked Lakes Program

Upon statehood (1959), the Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G), Division of Sport Fish, began an official lake stocking program in Interior Alaska. Hatcheries operated and staffed by ADF&G produce the fish used in the stocking program. Originally, the program was intended to create new recreational fishing opportunities and provide sport anglers with the opportunity to fish for species that do not occur naturally in the Tanana River drainage (rainbow trout and Arctic char). Today the stocking program also relieves harvest pressure on naturally occurring stocks of game fish which can sustain only limited levels of harvest. Copies of the Statewide Stocking Plan for Recreational Fisheries in Alaska are available at any ADF&G office and at <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishingSportStockingHatcheries.stockingPlan">www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishingSportStockingHatcheries.stockingPlan</a>. This document presents tables listing proposed stocking locations, number, species, and sizes of fish to be stocked through 2026 and it is updated annually. Also available at the ADF&G offices, in Fairbanks and Delta, are bottom contour maps of some of the stocked lakes and some trail maps. This information can also be found in the Alaska Lake Database at: <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/SF-Lakes/">www.adfg.alaska.gov/SF-Lakes/</a>

ADF&G is eager to develop sport fishing opportunities near communities in the Tanana River drainage. If you know of potentially suitable lakes, ponds, or gravel pits that are available for the public to access, please contact us at 907-459-7228. Alaska law does not allow for the stocking of privately owned lakes, ponds, or gravel pits when there is no public access. Stocked fish provided by ADF&G are paid for by anglers through license fees and taxes on fishing equipment and marine gas.

Information on the following pages identifies and provides locations of stocked lakes within the Tanana River drainage. A brief description of public facilities is included.

Please be aware that land adjacent to stocked lakes as well as trails leading to the stocked lakes may be in private ownership. During your fishing excursions, please remember the following:

- 1) Respect private property.
- 2) Do not litter.
- 3) Obey sport fishing regulations.
- 4) Respect the rights of other water resource users.

#### **Fishing Facts and Tips**

The following fishing tips are suggestions and do not guarantee success. In addition, special regulations apply to some lakes and waterways (e.g. the use of bait and/or treble hooks is prohibited in some waters) so the following tips are not always legal. It is the angler's responsibility to check the Sport Fishing Regulations Summary for each lake or waterway he/she plans to fish. Visit <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishregulations.sport">www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishregulations.sport</a> for more information.

For detailed descriptions and color illustrations of the following fish, consult the species identification page of the Sport Fishing Regulations Summary or <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=animals.listfish">www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=animals.listfish</a>.

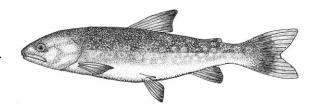
For more on the life history of the following fish, stop in any ADF&G office and ask for copies of the *Wildlife Notebook Series* pages that address your species of interest or visit <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=animals.listfish">www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=animals.listfish</a> or <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=educators.notebookseries">www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=educators.notebookseries</a>.

For more lake information, including bottom contour maps, stocking records, and lake locations visit <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/SF\_Lakes/">www.adfg.alaska.gov/SF\_Lakes/</a>.

You can find all of the above and more on our website at www.adfg.alaska.gov/.

#### **Arctic Char** (Salvelinus alpinus)

A beautiful fish to look at and eat; Arctic char are more finicky than rainbow trout, but worth the extra effort to target them. Most fish enthusiasts prefer the taste of Arctic char over that of rainbow trout. Arctic char are present in lakes of the Tanana River drainage due solely to ADF&G stocking efforts.



Summer: Arctic char like a bit of flash and color, so use brightly colored spoons and spinners. Green

seems to often work, as well as red and white combinations. Some anglers swear by the silver

Swedish Pimple.

Winter: Arctic char like a little action. They are seldom caught using passive techniques. A brightly

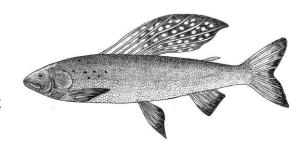
colored hook or lure (orange or red works well) baited with shrimp, squid, or salmon eggs should be rapidly jigged up and down within a few inches of the bottom. In early winter, Arctic char

congregate just off the bottom in about 20 feet of water. Char prefer open bottom areas, free of weed beds. The best fishing times are right after sunrise until the sun is at its highest and then

again just a short time before and right after sunset.

#### **Arctic Grayling** (*Thymallus arcticus*)

Characterized by its beautiful array of colors and sail-like dorsal fin, the Arctic grayling is a popular sport fish in Alaska. The Arctic grayling's genus name, Thymallus, is derived from the fact that the meat of the grayling tastes as if it has already been seasoned with thyme. A willing biter, the Arctic grayling is an excellent fish for the beginning fly angler to target, since it is not choosy about fly patterns or presentation.



Summer: Spin fishing: Try a size 1 or 2 Mepps or Vibrax spinner, or Mister Twister lead-head jigs (white

works best). For bait fishing, try salmon eggs or shrimp.

Fly fishing: Try elk hair caddis, ant, beetle, wooly worm, blue dunn or mosquito. In lakes, try

fishing just off the weeds or lily pads.

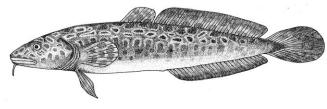
Winter: Arctic grayling are sedentary in the winter and fishing success is dependent on fishing right on

top of them. Try using a size 8-12 hook baited with shrimp, squid, or salmon eggs.

#### **Burbot** (Lota lota)

ADF&G does not stock burbot, but they are present in some stocked lakes. It has very mild tasting white meat with excellent texture. Burbot is also known as "poor man's lobster" because when boiled and dipped in butter it has the taste and texture of lobster. For some excellent burbot recipes, stop by the ADF&G office in Fairbanks or Delta and ask for the *burbot recipe* handout or check for it on the web at <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=anglereducation.burbot">www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=anglereducation.burbot</a> For videos on How to Setline for Burbot and How to Clean a Burbot, go to:

https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=anglereducation.burbot



Summer: Use a size 2/0 single hook baited with a piece of fresh or frozen herring, smelt, or whitefish.

Attach a sinker about 18 to 24 inches above the hook. Cast the bait and allow it to sink to the

bottom. Set the hook when a consistent tug is felt

Winter: Burbot bite best from sunset to about midnight. Use the same technique as summer. In addition,

set lines can often be used to catch burbot in winter. Consult the regulations to see where this

technique is allowed.

#### King/Chinook Salmon (Oncorhynchus tshawytscha) and Silver/Coho Salmon (O. kisutch)

King and silver salmon are excellent fighters on the line. Stocked salmon have about the same life span as their sea-going relatives (approximately 4 years for kings and 3 years for silvers). Stocked salmon, on average, grow to a length of 12 to 16 inches.

Summer: Spin fishing: Spinners, wobbling spoons and jigs.

Fly fishing: Streamers, muddlers and egg patterns.

Winter: Shrimp, salmon eggs, mini-marshmallows and jigs

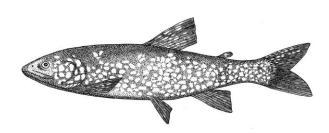
work well. In winter, stocked salmon are usually

found higher in the water column than rainbow trout. Try fishing within the first few feet below

the bottom of the ice cover.

#### **Lake Trout** (Salvelinus namaycush)

Alaska's largest freshwater fish, the lake trout is actually a member of the char family and closely related to Arctic char and Dolly Varden. Lake trout offer excellent table fare, and with the size they reach, leftovers are almost a guarantee.



Lake trout are a bit more finicky than most other Alaska game fish but knowing some of their habits will help make fishing for them a little more successful. Just after ice-out, lake trout tend to hang near the surface and/or shoreline of lakes. As waters begin to warm, lake trout go deep where they tend to occupy waters below the thermocline (the distinct transition layer from warm to cold water in lakes during summer).

Summer: Use brightly colored spinners and spoons from shore. If you have a boat, try trolling silver

spoons or deep running plugs through deep water. Fish the thermocline or through schools of

small fish (whitefish) if possible.

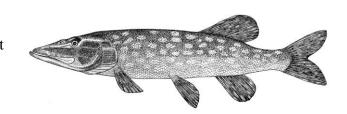
Winter: Lake trout, found in deep water in summer, forage in shallower water when there is ice cover.

Try fishing between 4 and 20 feet of water under the ice. Lake trout bite best in the morning and late afternoon. Use brightly colored lures (combinations of red or orange with silver or white seem to work well), baited with herring, whitefish, or smelt. The bait should be fresh, not rancid

or freezer burned.

#### **Northern Pike** (*Esox lucius*)

ADF&G does not stock northern pike, but they are present in some stocked lakes. These lakes may have been connected to, or flooded by, a river at some time in the distant past, or pike may have been illegally introduced.



This lie-in-wait, sharp-toothed predator is a favorite of many Interior anglers, as northern pike are a worthy opponent on the end of your line and their delicate white meat is flaky with a mild, savory flavor. Videos on how to properly fillet northern pike can be easily found online, as this fish contains a different bone structure then others.

Summer: In early summer, northern pike hang out in the reeds and other aquatic vegetation along the

shorelines of lakes and sloughs. During hot, sunny days and during stormy weather, northern pike typically move to deeper water, but still tend to remain in water less than 15 feet deep.

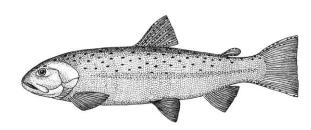
Winter: Northern pike typically occupy water that is 2 to 15 feet from ice bottom to lake bottom. Jig for

pike using brightly colored lures baited with fresh herring, smelt, whitefish, or viscera and heads

of sport-caught fish.

#### **Rainbow Trout** (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*)

Rainbow trout do not occur naturally in the Tanana River drainage. Their presence in lakes throughout the drainage is due to ADF&G stocking efforts. In lakes or sloughs where the possibility exists that rainbow trout may escape into rivers, ADF&G stocks all-female, sterile rainbow trout. These fish are unable to reproduce.



Rainbow trout are usually voracious eaters, making them relatively easy fish to catch. They are good fighters on the line, tasty morsels on the plate and hardy enough for catch-and-release.

Summer: Spin fishing: Spinners, wobbling spoons and jigs.

Fly fishing: Streamers, muddlers, and egg patterns.

Winter: Try shrimp, salmon eggs, mini-marshmallows, and jigs.

#### **Bathymetric Maps**

Bathymetric maps (bottom contour) are available for most stocked lakes at <a href="https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/SF">www.adfg.alaska.gov/SF</a> Lakes/ or at ADF&G offices or by scanning the QR code provided here.



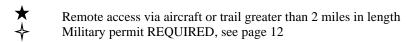
#### **Road Guide**

The following pages list the stocked lakes of the Tanana River Drainage, lake locations, site descriptions, lake size and species present. If you have any questions or comments, contact ADF&G Sport Fish Division in Fairbanks (907-459-7228) or Delta (907-895-4632).

#### **Key to Symbols**

AC	Arctic Char	LT	Lake Trout*
AG	Arctic Grayling	NP	Northern Pike**
RT	Rainbow Trout	BB	Burbot**
LS	Land-locked Salmon		

- \* ADF&G Sport Fish hatcheries produce lake trout every even year.
- \*\* Northern pike and burbot occur in some lakes, but are not stocked by ADF&G.



<sup>&#</sup>x27;Species Stocked or Present' indicates species most recently stocked and wild species present. For the latest stocking information visit our website at www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=SportStockingHatcheriesSearch.main

#### **Fishing Lakes on Military Land**

A permit is **REQUIRED** to legally access military land. For Army land a Recreational Access Permit (RAP) is required. For Air Force Land a Hunt/Trap/Fish (HTF) permit is required. These permits are not interchangeable. For information on how to obtain a permit for Army lands, visit <a href="https://usartrak.isportsman.net/">https://usartrak.isportsman.net/</a> or call 907-361-9684. For information on how to obtain a permit for Air Force lands call 907-377-5182.

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Name	Location	Size (acres)	Species Stocked or Present
Alaska High	way		
Hidden Lake	Mile 1240, travel southwest ~ 1 mile on foot trail to lake. ATVs prohibited by Tetlin National Wildlife Refuge. No facilities.	28	RT
Forrest Lake	Mile 1347.2 Alaska Hwy, south of Robertson River, follow primitive trail ~ 7.5 miles to lake, lake is too small for aircraft. Outhouse & tent platform.	34	RT
Monte Lake	Approximately 8 air miles west of the Robertson River bridge & north of the Robertson River. No facilities.	148	RT
Jan Lake	Mile 1353.5, turn south on Jan Lake Rd and travel 0.25 miles to lake.	25	LS, RT
Lisa Lake	Mile 1381 Alaska Hwy, pullout and trail are located east of highway, travel 0.7 miles to lake. ADF&G cabin available for reservation – Call 907-459-7228.	46	LS, RT
Craig Lake	Mile 1383.7, turn south on Craig Lake Trail/Road and travel 1 mile to trail sign located west of road. Trail is 0.5 miles long. Outhouse & tent platform.	21	LT, RT
Donna Lake	Mile 1391.8, pullout and trail located on south side of hwy, travel 3.4 miles to lake. ADF&G cabin available for reservation – call 907-459-7228.	58	RT
Little Donna Lake	Mile 1391.8, pullout & trail on south side of hwy, 4.8 miles to lake. ADF&G cabin available for reservation – call 907-459-7228.	42	RT
Taylor Highy	way		
Four Mile Lake	Mile 4.5, pullout & primitive trail on east side of hwy, 0.75 miles to lake.	123	AC, LT, RT
Richardson I	Highway		
Rapids Lake	Mile 225.4 pullout on west side of hwy, lake is located 100 yards east of hwy. No facilities.	6	LT, RT
Donnelly Lake	Mile 244.6 Richardson Hwy, small pullout on east side of hwy, travel 0.5 miles southeast to lake. No facilities.	30	AC, LT, RT

Kenna Lake★ ❖	Kenna Lake is located near Morningstar and McCumber Creeks and is too small for aircraft.	15	LT, RT
Reima Bake	Richardson Highway Trail (~15 miles) access trailhead at mile 252.4 Richardson Highway (locally known as 12 Mile Crossing), travel ~2 miles to Jarvis Creek, cross Jarvis Creek, turn right (SE) at trail intersection (~1.7 miles from Jarvis Creek crossing), and continue on main trail to lake.		
	Alaska Highway (~18 miles) access is at milepost 1408, turn south and follow main trail south along base of Granite Mountains, cross Granite Creek and take a left at the top of the hill. Follow main trail back to lake.		
Coal Mine Road			
Mile 242; turn east to pa	rking area – it is advised to not take highway vehicles past this point – and follow primitive gravel road to	the following	ng lakes:
Coal Mine #5	Mile 1.6, turn east on ATV trail, travel 0.6 miles to lake (located north of trail). ADF&G cabin available for reservation – call 907-459-7228.	9	AC, LS, LT, RT
Backdown Lake	Mile 1.6, turn east on ATV trail, travel 0.5 miles to lake (located south of trail). No facilities.	5	AC, RT
Last Lake	Mile 1.9, lake is located 10 yards east of road. No facilities.	3	RT
Brodie Lake	Mile 2.1, lake is located 100 yards east of road. No facilities.	5	AC, AG, LS
Paul's Pond	Mile 2.7, lake is located 50 yards north of road. No facilities.	5	AG
Rangeview Lake	Mile 2.7, lake is located 10 yards south of road. No facilities.	4	AC, AG, LT, RT
Dick's Pond	Mile 4.1, lake is located 800 yards south of road. No facilities.	6	AC, RT, LT
Ken's Pond	Mile 4.7, lake is located 800 yards south of road. ADF&G cabin available for reservation – call 907-459-7228.	6	AC, RT, LT
<b>Donnelly Training</b>	Area / Meadows Road		
Mile 257.6, turn west on	Ft. Greely Meadows Rd to the following lakes:		
Sheefish Lake 💠	At mile 2 turn east on Wahlgren Rd, trailhead is in curve of road. Travel northeast 0.3 miles to fork, take northeast fork 0.5 miles to lake. No facilities.	7	AC, AG
Bullwinkle Lake 💠	At mile 2 turn east on Wahlgren Rd, trailhead is in curve of road. Travel northeast 0.3 miles to fork, take southeast fork 0.3 miles to lake. No facilities.	5	RT

Bolio Lake	At mile 2 turn east on Wahlgren Rd, travel 0.5 miles to lake.	91	AG, LS, RT
Mark Lake	At mile 5, turn southeast (left) on Mark Lake Rd (unmarked), travel 0.3 miles to lake. No facilities.	13	AG, RT
North Twin Lake 💠	At mile 5.3, turn southeast (left) on Twin Lakes Rd, travel 1.3 miles to lake, located north of road (left). Outhouse & parking area.	16	LT, RT
South Twin Lake 🔸	At mile 5.3, turn southeast (left) on Twin Lakes Rd, travel 1.3 miles to lake located south of road (right). Outhouse & parking area.	13	RT
Doc Lake	Trail head is located between North and South Twin lakes. From the parking area travel east 0.4 miles to a T, follow trail heading north (left) 0.34 miles to a Y, then head east (right) and travel 200 yards to lake. No facilities.	3	RT
Chet Lake	At mile 7.5, turn left onto Windy Ridge Rd, travel 2.7 miles, lake located on the south (right) of road. No facilities.	9	AC, AG, RT
J Lake	At mile 7.5, turn left onto Windy Ridge Rd, travel 3 miles, trail located north of road, 0.2 miles to lake. No facilities.	17	AC, AG, RT
Nickel Lake	At mile 7.5, turn left onto Windy Ridge Rd, travel 3.1 miles, lake located on the south (right) of the road. No facilities.	7	AC, AG, RT
Ghost Lake 👆	At mile 7.5, turn left onto Windy Ridge Rd, travel 3.2 miles, take trail on north (left) of lake 0.4 miles to lake. No facilities.	5	AC, RT
Weasel Lake	At mile 249.6, travel west onto Dome Rd, 4.4 miles, turn south (left) onto Old Richardson and travel for 2.3 miles, take foot trail east (left) of road 105 yards to lake. No facilities.	11	AC, RT
Delta Junction Are	a		
Bluff Cabin Lake	Mile 271.8, travel north on Tanana Loop Road 1.3 miles, turn right at junction and travel 2.3 miles to ATV trailhead. Take trail north 4 miles to lake. No facilities.	38	RT
Quartz Lake	Mile 277.8, turn east onto Quartz Lake Road, travel 2.7 miles to lake. Outhouses, camping area & public boat launch. Icehouse rental information; contact DNR Div. of Parks & Outdoor Rec 907-451-2695.	1,458	AC, LS, RT,
Little Lost Lake	Mile 277.8, turn east onto Quartz Lake Rd, travel 2.1 miles to lake. Picnic & camping area.	74	RT

Big D Pond	Mile 274.9, turn west onto Spengler Rd, travel 1.5 miles, pond is located on east side of road. No facilities.	10	AG, NP, RT,
Rainbow Lake	70 air miles southeast of Fairbanks. Winter access trail only after ice road has been installed across the Delta River from Spengler Rd, located at MP 274.9. No facilities.	87	RT
Rich 81 Mile Pit	Mile 283, immediately northeast of hwy. No facilities.	2	AG, RT
Shaw Pond	Mile 287, northwest of Shaw Creek and adjacent to hwy. No facilities.	26	AC, RT
Salcha Area			
Koole Lake ★ ❖	Mile 307.2 for trailhead; trail crosses the Tanana & Little Delta Rivers (winter access only). 52 air miles southeast of Fairbanks. No facilities.	212	AC, AG, LS, RT
Birch Lake	Mile 306, lake is located north of highway at public rest area. Boat launch, camping and parking is located at Mile 305.5 at Birch Lake State Rec Site. Turn north onto Birch Lake Rd and travel 0.3 miles to state rec site on west (left) side Pull off, parking, public boat launch, sand beach & camping. Icehouse rental information; contact DNR Div. of Parks & Outdoor Rec 907-451-2695.	841	AC, AG, LS, RT, BB
Lost Lake	Mile 306.2, turn south onto Lost Lake Rd and drive 0.75 miles to lake. Parking area, boat launch & Boy Scout camp.	104	AC, AG, LS, LT, RT
Mosquito Creek/Silver Lake	Mile 314.1, turn east onto Solita St., travel 120 yds, turn right onto Silver Lake Dr. Travel 0.3 miles to a small parking area and ATV trailhead, travel east on trail for 0.2 miles to lake. No facilities.	22	RT
Harding Lake	Mile 321.5, turn east onto Harding Dr. Picnic, camping, swimming, & public boat launch. <b>Harding</b> Lake is closed year-round to fishing for northern pike.	2,192	AC, BB, NP, RT, LT
Little Harding Lake	Mile 319.3, turn east on Salcha Dr, turn south at intersection, travel 0.5 miles and turn west to lake. No facilities.	51	RT, NP
Johnson Pit #2	Mile 330.4, turn north onto Johnson Rd, travel 0.3 miles, turn left onto Salcha Star Rd and travel 0.4 miles to pit, first pit on left. No facilities.	3	AG, BB, RT
Rich 31 Mile Pit	Mile 332.3, turn north to pit. No facilities.	14	AG, RT
Stringer Rd Pond	Mile 334, lake located north side of hwy across from Stringer Rd. No facilities.	2	RT

Eielson Air Force	Base (EAFB)		
Rich 28 Mile Pit 🔸	At the south end of the EAFB runway there is a chain-linked fence, at mile 335.1 turn north (look for sign) and proceed 0.1 miles to pit. Picnic tables.	7	AG, NP, RT
Grayling Lake 💠	Mile 341, turn southwest and travel 0.4 miles, turn left and travel 1.2 miles to lake. No facilities.	11	AC, AG, NP, RT, LS
Hidden Lake →	Mile 341, turn southwest and travel 0.4 miles, turn right and travel 0.2 miles to lake. No facilities.	17	AC, AG, RT
Mullins Pit	From EAFB main gate, travel approximately 3.3 miles on Flightline Ave, turn east (left) onto Quarry Rd, right at Mullins Pit Rd (after circular storage tanks) and travel 0.46 miles to lake. Pavilion, picnic tables and playground.	77	AG, RT, NP
Horseshoe Lake	From EAFB main gate, travel approximately 0.3 miles on Flightline Ave, turn north (left) onto Transmitter Rd, travel 5.5 miles to parking area and trail on west (left) side of road, 210 yards to lake. No facilities.	22	RT, NP
Manchu Lake	From EAFB main gate, turn north (left) onto Transmitter Rd, travel 2.9 miles and turn south (right) onto Manchu Lake Tr (unmarked), travel 2.37 miles to lake on east side of road. Floating tundra mats make walking difficult; hip boots or waders are a must. No Facilities.	39	AG, RT
Fort Wainwright (	FTWW)		_
Lungren Pond	From FTWW main gate, travel on Gaffney Rd for 4.23 miles (turns into Ketcham Rd), turn east (left) on Kinney Rd, stay to the left at Y, after the Chena River go right onto Nautilus Dr, travel 0.65 miles to lake on the west (left) side of road. No facilities.	5	RT
Monterey Lake	From FTWW main gate, travel on Gaffney Rd for 1.05 miles to River Rd intersection (stop light), turn right, travel 1 mile to road end, turn left onto Alder Ave, travel 1 mile east to lake, located behind the building at the end of Alder Ave. No facilities.	7	RT
Wainwright #6	From FTWW main gate, travel on Gaffney Rd for 1.5 miles, turn left onto River Rd, travel 3.22 miles, and turn left onto Sage Hill Rd, take the first left to lake. No facilities.	1	AG, RT

North Pole			
Chena Lake	Mile 346.8, turn north onto Laurance Rd, travel 3.3 miles and turn left at sign to lake park. Picnic areas, camping, swimming, fishing & boating (non-motorized). Icehouse rental information contact Fairbanks North Star Borough Parks and Rec at 907-459-1070/www.parks.fnsb.gov	230	AC, AG, LS, RT
North Chena Pond	Located within the Chena Lake Recreation Area on the north side of the Moose Creek Flood Control Project Dam, access by crossing Chena River, travel on 1 mile trail to lake. No facilities.	14	AG, RT
Pyrite Pond	Mile 346.8 turn north onto Laurance Rd, travel 0.6 mi, turn left onto Nelson Rd, travel north, crossing Plack Rd. Continue north on Farmall Rd for 250 yds. Pond on left.	3	NP, RT
North Pole Pond	From the Richardson Hwy travel north on Badger Road, turn right on Doughchee Ave (first road on the right before the gas station), stay right at the Y, travel 0.44 miles to lake on right. No facilities.	14	AG, LS, RT
Sirlin Drive Pond	From the Richardson Hwy take the north exit for Badger Road, travel 1.1 miles and turn right onto Sirlin Dr, travel 0.25 miles to pond on right. No facilities.	4	RT
Nordale #2	From the Richardson Hwy take the north exit for Badger Road, travel 6.36 miles and turn left onto Nordale Rd, after the Little Chena River bridge turn west (left) onto Andromeda Dr, travel 1.32 mi, road ends at pond, first pond on the right is not stocked, please respect nearby private property. No facilities.	12	AG, RT
Weigh Station #1 Pit	From the Richardson Hwy heading north, turn onto non-labeled road just after Badger Rd on-ramp and before the DOT Weigh Station. Take the next two right-hand turns and travel to a small parking area. Pit is on the right.	3	RT, NP
Weigh Station #2 Pit	From the Richardson Hwy heading north, turn onto non-labeled road just after Badger Rd on-ramp and before the DOT Weigh Station. Take the next two right-hand turns and travel to a small parking area. Pit is on the left.	2	RT, NP
Parks Highw	vay		
Healy			
Otto Lake	Mile 248, turn west onto Otto Lake Rd, travel 0.8 miles to lake. Picnic area.	117	LS, RT
Parks Hwy 261	Mile 261 (north of Healy), lake is on west side of hwy. No facilities.	1	RT

Nenana			
Nenana City Pond/Jeeps Lake	Mile 304, at junction with Airport Rd, turn east to lake. No facilities.	9	RT
Dune Lake	26 air miles southwest of Nenana, fly in or winter access only. No facilities.	212	AG, LS, RT
Geskakmina Lake	37 air miles west of Nenana, fly in or winter access only, trail crosses the Nenana River and Kantishna River. No facilities.	270	RT, LS
Triangle Lake	36 air miles west of Nenana, fly in or winter access only, trail crosses the Nenana River and Kantishna River. No facilities.	109	RT
West Iksgiza/Gap ★ Lake	38 miles west of Nenana, winter trail, lake is too small for some aircraft. No facilities.	64	RT
Parks Hwy 285	Mile 285, turn northwest onto access road, last lake on the right.	5	RT
Sansing Lake	Mile 283.5 Parks Hwy, turn west onto the Clear Hwy and travel 2 miles to Clear Space Force Station. Travel 0.9 miles after the Clear SFS gate, turn right (northwest) onto a gravel road. Travel 0.5 miles to the lake.	4	RT
Denali Highw	yay		
Fourteen Mile Lake	Mile 14, parking pullout on south side of road, lake is located 1.75 miles north of parking area. No facilities.	96	RT, LT
Fairbanks Aı	rea		
Ballaine Lake	From the intersection of University Ave and College Rd, travel north on University Ave 1 mile, lake is located on west side of road. Small pavilion near parking area.	2	AG, RT
Cushman/Tanana Lake	Travel south on South Cushman St. until you see the Tanana Lakes Recreation Area sign, turn right.  Lake will be on the left. No fishing is allowed at the swim beach. Non motorized boats permited.	114	AG, LS, NP, RT
Chena Hot S	orings Road		
Chena HS #25.0	Mile 25, turn north onto gravel access road, travel 0.25 miles to lake. No facilities.	6	AG, RT

Chena HS #30.0	Mile 30, turn north at Twin Bears Camp, park outside fence and walk 100 yards to pond. For current camp contractor information contact DNR Div. of Parks & Outdoor Rec 907-451-2695.	7	AG, RT
Chena HS #45.5	Mile 45.5, turn east and drive 0.2 miles to pond. No facilities.	10	AG, RT
Chena HS #47.9	Mile 47.0, turn east, pond on the right is stocked. No facilities. Icehouse rental information; contact DNR Div. of Parks & Outdoor Rec 907-451-2695.	6	AG, RT, BB
Chena HS #56	Mile 56.0, turn west to pond, parking area on north. No facilities.	1	AG, RT
Steese High	way		
Steese Hwy 29.5	Mile 29.5, turn west to pond. No facilities.	5	AG, RT
Steese Hwy 31.6	Mile 31.6, turn north to pond. No facilities.	2	AG, RT
Steese Hwy 33.5	Mile 33.5, turn north to pond. No facilities.	2	AG, RT
Steese Hwy 34.6	Mile 34.6, turn south to pond. No facilities.	3	AG, RT
Steese Hwy 35.8	Mile 35.8, turn south to pond. No facilities.	3	AG, RT
Steese Hwy 36.6	Mile 36.6, turn north to pond. No facilities.	6	AG, BB, RT
Elliot Highv	vay		
Olnes Pond	Mile 10.5 (~18 miles N of Fairbanks), turn southwest onto dirt road, travel 1 mile to pond on right. Picnic tables, parking, & camping.	16	AG, BB, RT

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