

Non-transferable

Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks



No. 13012-1-0116-9

DOB/ALS#	06/16/1958-1
Business Name	YOUNG, RAY A
Name	PO BOX 2454
Address	KALISPELL, MT 59903
City and State	

PRIVATE POND FISH STOCKING

The above named person shall have the right to take fish in any manner except with dynamite and substances toxic to fish (Section 87-3-206, MCA), from the artificial lake or pond described. The licensee may stock in said pond only the species of fish listed hereon, which may be obtained from a lawful source. This pond has been inspected and licensee has certified he/she owns or lawfully controls the artificial lake or pond, and it has been found to conform with provisions of Section 87-4-603, MCA.

County : FLATHEAD

Legal Description : Lat: 48.270592 Long: -114.24451 TRS: 29N21W15SE4SE4

Species : RAINBOW TROUT (STERILE FISH) WESTSLOPE CUTTHROAT TROUT

Issued at : Kalispell

Issue Date : 01/12/2016

Expiration Date : 02/28/2026

Bruce Rich
 Fisheries Division Administrator
 By *Walt*

Note: This license does not authorize the sale of fish or spawn. License may be transferred during the term of the permit. An application for renewal must be made before the license expires. There is a \$10.00 application fee. A license expires on February 28 of the 10th year succeeding the year of issuance.

Fish must be obtained from a state approved source. A permit from FWP is required to import fish from out-of-state.

DECISION RECORD – FISH POND LICENSE

DECISION: Issue/Reissue



Private Pond License



Commerical Pond License



Issue One-Time-Permission-to-Plant Letter

EA # _____ (if applicable)

APPROVED SPECIES:

_Tripliod Rainbow Trout, Westslope Cutthroat. _____

LICENSE RESTRICTIONS:

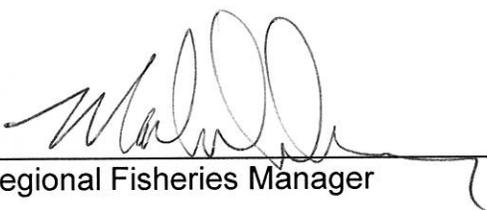
DECISION REASONING:



Pond meets all requirements for Private Pond License.



Other



Regional Fisheries Manager

Date 1/7/16



REPORT OF INSPECTION – FISH POND LICENSE

Is the pond or lake created by artificial impoundment of water? Yes

Describe water source: The pond is fed by ground water____

Fish species present? None____

How is pond constructed? Excavated Dam Other _____

Does the pond include any portion of a natural stream or lake? No__

Describe dam and outlet structure, if any: There is no dam or outlet structure. The pond is a former gravel pit.____

Have screens been provided: ___ on diversion inlet? NA on outlet? NA_____

Describe discharge of pond water to nearest stream or lake, if any: _The pond has no visible outlet structure.

Fish species present in nearby stream/lake? Northern Pike, Cutthroat trout. ____
Likelihood of fish escaping from pond? Escapement is unlikely.

Give name of any person(s) who accompanied you during inspection: Ray Young _____

Do you recommend that a private pond license be granted? yes _____ no

List reasons: Escapement from this pond is unlikely.

Region: 1

Latitude 48.270592 Longitude: -114.244512

Comments:

Kenneth Breidinger _____ 12/29/15 _____
Inspector Date of inspection

Impacts to other forms of aquatic life that may be caused by this introduction? None___ Minor_ X ___ Major

Comments required for minor or major impacts: The current aquatic community has not been characterized however; it is likely that the introduction of fish into a previously fishless body of water will have some impacts on the invertebrate community.

Potential for the proposed new species to reproduce in this location? None___ Minor_ X ___ Major

Comments required for minor or major impacts: It is not likely that these species will be able to successfully reproduce in the pond.

If necessary, would it be feasible to remove this species after it has been stocked? How? Stocked fish could easily be removed from this pond with the use of piscicides or by pumping the pond dry.

Would this introduction result in impacts that are individually limited, but cumulatively considerable? No

Describe reasonable and prudent alternatives to this action, if any (including no action).

No action - The no action alternative would result in no new species introductions in this body of water. The aquatic community would continue to be fishless.

Limit introductions to native species or sterile nonnative species - This alternative would limit introductions to species native to adjacent waters or incapable of reproducing. This alternative would minimize impacts to adjacent waters if fish were to escape.

Describe and evaluate mitigation, stipulations, or other control measures enforceable by the agency, if any.

List any other agencies or individuals that may be affected by the proposed introduction:

None

List all agencies and individuals outside of FWP who have been notified of this proposed introduction: None

Based on this evaluation, is an EIS required? Yes___ No_X__ If no, explain why the EA is the appropriate level of analysis for the proposed action.

This is a small lake with no defined inlet or outlet making escapement impossible. The species proposed for stocking are native to adjacent waters or incapable of reproducing. This project is not likely to raise substantial public concern.

Literature Cited:

EA prepared by: Kenneth Breidinger

Comments will be accepted until:

Comments should be sent to: Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks
Attn: Fisheries Division
490 N. Meridian Rd.
Kalispell, MT 59901

(REF:)