



## 2019/2020 California Sport Fishing Regulations: Freshwater Lagoon



**What You Need to Know** The following sport fishing regulations (effective through 2/29/2020) are *summarized* as a courtesy to anglers in Redwood National & State Parks. All sport fishing must be in accordance with California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW) regulations and requires a California fishing license for anglers 16 years old and older. For more information, contact CDFW (see below) or inquire at any visitor center.

Fish	Open Season	Daily Bag & Possession Limit	Fishing Hours
Trout	Open all year	5 fish daily; 10 in possession	1 hour before sunrise to 1 hour after sunset
Bullhead	Open all year	No limit	Day and night
Black bass	Open all year	5 fish daily; 12-inch minimum size limit	Day and night

### Additional Info.

**California Department of Fish and Wildlife**  
 Northern Region Eureka Field Office  
 Ph: 707-445-6493  
 Web: [www.wildlife.ca.gov](http://www.wildlife.ca.gov)

#### Displaying Your License

While anglers are no longer required to display their sport fishing license on their outer clothing above the waist, a license must be in their possession while fishing.

#### Amphibians

No amphibians (including frogs) may be taken from Redwood National & State Parks.

#### Stop Aquatic Hitchhikers

Before and after fishing, please remove all plant material from your boat and/or trailer to prevent the spread of invasive species.

### Freshwater Beach

#### Surf smelt

Limit (night smelt, day fish, whitebait smelt) is 25 pounds in combination.

#### Surfperch

Limit is 20 fish: not more than 10 surfperch may be of any one species (shiner surfperch has a separate daily limit of 20); redbait surfperch minimum size 10 1/2 inches total length.