

# Coastal Recreational Fishing License

## Sales Update



Date of Release: February 28, 2019

**Marine Resources Fund Balance**

Revenue or Expense	Item	FY2007-2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	Total to Date
Gross Revenue	CRFL Only (Annual and 10-day)	\$ 19,384,640	\$ 4,183,310	\$ 4,035,390	\$ 4,298,860	\$ 4,200,660	\$ 4,187,145	\$ 4,112,975	\$ 3,970,860	\$ 2,112,095	\$ 50,485,935
	Unified CRFL (Annual)	\$ 3,694,085	\$ 1,034,025	\$ 1,052,481	\$ 1,168,410	\$ 1,160,460	\$ 1,194,160	\$ 1,218,045	\$ 1,238,205	\$ 802,815	\$ 12,562,686
	Blanket For Hire CRFL	\$ 845,009	\$ 152,475	\$ 143,900	\$ 113,488	\$ 127,500	\$ 140,623	\$ 140,138	\$ 170,410	\$ 59,718	\$ 1,893,259
	Blanket for Hire CRFL Captain	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,013	\$ 32,750	\$ 27,988	\$ 25,113	\$ 28,838	\$ 11,863	\$ 142,563
	Blanket Ocean Fishing Pier CRFL	\$ 265,145	\$ 48,136	\$ 53,560	\$ 1,890	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 368,731
	Block of Ten-Day CRFL	\$ 2,330	\$ 750	\$ 300	\$ -	\$ 600	\$ 750	\$ 750	\$ 300	\$ -	\$ 5,780
	Interest	\$ 817,925	\$ 84,135	\$ 50,282	\$ 46,517	\$ 50,048	\$ 73,098	\$ 106,396	\$ 153,971	\$ 142,495	\$ 1,524,866
	Sales Commission	\$ 66,428	\$ 14,883	\$ 15,890	\$ 8,634	\$ (6)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 105,829
	Other Misc Rev-Program	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 56,924	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 56,924
	Subtotal (Gross)	\$ 25,075,562	\$ 5,517,714	\$ 5,351,803	\$ 5,653,811	\$ 5,572,012	\$ 5,680,687	\$ 5,603,416	\$ 5,562,584	\$ 3,128,985	\$ 67,146,572
Expense	Agent Commission	\$ 1,463,224	\$ 325,722	\$ 331,381	\$ 207,761	\$ (299)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,327,790
	WRC Transaction Fee	\$ 3,518,362	\$ 813,108	\$ 712,073	\$ 789,439	\$ 755,041	\$ 782,161	\$ 767,728	\$ 751,170	\$ 446,726	\$ 9,335,808
	Subtotal (Expense)	\$ (4,981,586)	\$ (1,138,830)	\$ (1,043,454)	\$ (997,201)	\$ (754,741)	\$ (782,161)	\$ (767,728)	\$ (751,170)	\$ (446,726)	\$ (10,770,145)
Total Net		\$ 20,093,976	\$ 4,378,884	\$ 4,308,349	\$ 4,656,610	\$ 4,817,270	\$ 4,898,526	\$ 4,835,688	\$ 4,811,413	\$ 3,575,711	\$ 56,376,427

**Marine Resources Endowment Fund Balance**

Revenue or Expense	Item	FY2007-2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	Total to Date
Gross Revenue	Lifetime CRFL	\$ 1,323,000	\$ 179,810	\$ 189,665	\$ 188,105	\$ 195,145	\$ 204,050	\$ 212,190	\$ 230,120	\$ 114,530	\$ 2,836,615
	Unified Lifetime CRFL	\$ 2,392,580	\$ 522,360	\$ 588,250	\$ 651,170	\$ 733,840	\$ 814,645	\$ 815,910	\$ 881,670	\$ 584,145	\$ 7,984,570
	Subtotal (Gross)	\$ 3,715,580	\$ 702,170	\$ 777,915	\$ 839,275	\$ 928,985	\$ 1,018,695	\$ 1,028,100	\$ 1,111,790	\$ 698,675	\$ 10,821,185
Expense	Agent Commission	\$ 223,224	\$ 42,224	\$ 46,792	\$ 29,858	\$ 320	\$ 7	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 342,425
	Transaction Fee	\$ 216,818	\$ 39,072	\$ 38,602	\$ 40,924	\$ 41,041	\$ 44,697	\$ 44,285	\$ 44,967	\$ 26,079	\$ 536,484
	Subtotal (Expense)	\$ (440,042)	\$ (81,296)	\$ (85,393)	\$ (70,782)	\$ (41,361)	\$ (44,704)	\$ (44,285)	\$ (44,967)	\$ (26,079)	\$ (826,751)
Non Capital Gifts		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Interest	From Sales and WRC Transfers	\$ 512,717	\$ 55,521	\$ 37,257	\$ 38,925	\$ 46,440	\$ 74,769	\$ 113,530	\$ 169,001	\$ 167,445	\$ 1,215,604
Subtotal Net		\$ 3,788,256	\$ 676,395	\$ 729,779	\$ 807,418	\$ 934,064	\$ 1,048,760	\$ 1,097,345	\$ 1,235,823	\$ 892,199	\$ 11,210,039
	Transfers from WRC March 2006-2010			5 transfers of \$680,000 each							\$ 3,400,000
Total Net											\$ 14,610,039

Note: Includes revenue generated from licenses sold through the Wildlife Resources Commission ALVIN system and the Division of Marine Fisheries FIN system.

**Projects Approved for Funding from the Marine Resources Fund (no obligations from Endowment Fund)**

Project	Budgeted FY19
CRFL Sales and Data Support	\$ 453,937
Fisheries Independent Assessment Program	\$ 564,065
Coastal Angling Program	\$ 978,497
Minimizing Habitat Impacts	\$ 150,213
Full Time Law Enforcement Officers and Temp Communications	\$ 829,416
Fisheries Management CRFL Implementation and Support	\$ 180,000
North Carolina Saltwater Fishing Tournament	\$ 22,500
Artificial Reef Program	\$ 500,000
Marine Patrol Education Team / Operations	\$ 217,500
CRFL Division Infrastructure Support	\$ 417,371
Senior Stock Assessment Scientist	\$ 121,334
DMF No Cost Extensions and Multi-Year	\$ 1,018,636
WRC Boating Access Projects on NCE	\$ 456,534
CRFL Funds No Cost Extensions from Previous RFP Projects	\$ 1,703,591
Subsequent Multi-Year Approved Funding	\$ 1,916,627
CRFL Funded Projects FY2018 - 19	\$ -
Total	\$ 9,530,221

**SUMMARY**

Net Revenue from Marine Resources Fund	\$ 56,376,427
Spent Funds from Approved FY 18 Obligations	\$ (4,509,224)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 17 Obligations	\$ (4,126,303)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 16 Obligations	\$ (4,445,115)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 15 Obligations	\$ (5,012,727)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 14 Obligations	\$ (6,160,705)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 13 Obligations	\$ (4,091,363)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 12 Obligations	\$ (4,381,767)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 11 Obligations	\$ (4,773,350)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 10 Obligations	\$ (1,740,114)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 09 Obligations	\$ (1,264,239)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 08 Obligations	\$ (645,559)
Payback to WRC	\$ (821,516)
Approved Projects for FY2018-19	\$ (9,530,221)
<b>BALANCE IN FUND February 28, 2019</b>	<b>\$ 4,874,224</b>

Coastal Recreational Fishing License sales by calendar year through date of release of this report.

	2016	2017	2018	2019
Annual Nonresident CRFL	20,374	22,034	21,210	715
Annual Resident CRFL	120,417	119,001	103,502	3,221
Annual Resident Unified Inland/CRFL	36,304	39,969	40,232	2,044
Annual Resident Unified Sportsman/CRFL	42,807	43,115	41,702	1,354
Infant Lifetime CRFL	81	85	78	16
Infant Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	4,795	5,058	5,144	864
Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	418	459	574	30
Nonresident 10-Day CRFL	138,428	139,285	130,022	710
Nonresident Adult Lifetime CRFL	10	18	16	0
Nonresident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	15	17	13	2
Resident 10-Day CRFL	46,973	47,349	40,051	524
Resident Adult Care Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	322	235	239	5
Resident Adult Lifetime CRFL	281	300	286	18
Resident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	1,104	1,148	1,210	67
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime CRFL	775	789	756	83
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	833	966	987	116
Resident Legally Blind Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	48	77	53	8
Resident Subsistence Unified Inland/CRFL Waiver	38,544	33,972	29,987	2,226
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime CRFL	598	579	439	36
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	383	361	333	30
Senior CRFL	6,670	7,148	5,732	243
Unified Senior Sportsman CRFL	6,912	6,933	5,719	308
Youth Lifetime CRFL	69	110	95	11
Youth Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	545	563	548	77
<b>Total</b>	467,706	469,571	428,928	12,708

Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by North Carolina county of sale (location where license sales agent resides), excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year.

Agent County	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Alamance	2,869	20	3,129	18	2,694	18	132	15
Alexander	352	77	385	76	323	76	12	82
Alleghany	76	97	81	94	86	95	3	96
Anson	552	71	536	68	516	67	25	68
Ashe	276	81	253	81	294	79	10	74
Avery	76	98	66	98	70	97	2	97
Beaufort	5,900	11	6,017	11	5,269	11	204	11
Bertie	779	58	746	60	652	60	42	39
Bladen	982	51	886	53	819	50	23	57
Brunswick	30,485	4	30,372	4	26,293	3	668	4
Buncombe	996	50	979	47	918	45	46	40
Burke	1,098	45	906	52	822	49	38	52
Cabarrus	2,145	27	2,158	26	2,014	25	73	32
Caldwell	2,059	30	1,796	34	1,599	34	100	25
Camden	249	82	270	80	309	77	12	86
Carteret	35,224	3	33,742	3	25,669	4	606	5
Caswell	196	86	187	86	166	86	17	78
Catawba	1,595	39	1,456	39	1,328	39	53	41
Chatham	749	61	757	59	632	61	32	54
Cherokee	194	87	172	88	158	87	14	83
Chowan	851	57	645	63	759	57	43	47
Clay	220	85	194	85	203	83	17	80
Cleveland	904	55	791	57	765	56	41	50
Columbus	2,204	25	2,163	25	2,064	23	96	24
Craven	9,176	8	9,193	8	7,770	8	326	7
Cumberland	4,753	14	4,600	14	4,224	14	242	8
Currituck	7,658	9	7,457	9	6,541	9	44	51
Dare	71,473	2	70,700	2	64,621	2	325	6
Davidson	2,151	26	2,101	27	2,036	24	98	21
Davie	631	63	578	66	548	65	17	75
Duplin	2,468	23	2,302	24	1,939	27	69	33
Durham	924	54	964	49	885	46	28	56
Edgecombe	1,755	35	1,651	36	1,561	35	99	18
Forsyth	3,141	18	2,707	19	2,432	21	78	28
Franklin	683	62	669	61	612	62	36	60
Gaston	2,140	28	2,076	28	1,904	28	115	19
Gates	329	78	316	78	308	78	7	87
Graham	79	96	63	99	45	99	1	100
Granville	581	68	515	69	457	70	15	71
Greene	435	74	453	71	399	72	18	65
Guilford	3,760	16	3,614	16	3,337	15	138	13
Halifax	1,370	40	1,129	41	1,061	42	66	34
Harnett	1,633	36	1,819	33	1,652	32	73	35
Haywood	310	79	278	79	288	80	6	90
Henderson	296	80	244	82	224	82	13	84
Hertford	1,312	42	1,250	40	1,172	40	63	31
Hoke	752	60	648	62	597	63	29	61

Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by North Carolina county of sale (location where license sales agent resides), excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year. (Continued)

Agent County	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Hyde	4,854	13	4,727	13	4,360	13	30	46
Iredell	1,336	41	1,119	42	1,112	41	55	42
Jackson	193	88	183	87	154	88	8	88
Johnston	2,688	21	2,653	20	2,498	20	94	26
Jones	236	84	231	83	188	84	16	76
Lee	1,024	49	1,059	44	803	52	39	58
Lenoir	6,901	10	7,189	10	6,347	10	231	10
Lincoln	1,035	48	1,100	43	867	47	63	38
Macon	153	91	128	91	106	91	4	91
Madison	84	95	69	97	67	98	2	98
Martin	2,005	33	1,938	31	1,804	30	84	17
McDowell	407	76	329	77	281	81	18	69
Mecklenburg	2,053	31	1,945	30	1,774	31	92	27
Mitchell	169	90	135	90	101	93	4	93
Montgomery	539	72	499	70	459	69	19	67
Moore	979	52	998	46	865	48	31	55
Nash	2,140	29	2,009	29	1,853	29	88	23
New Hanover	25,694	5	24,869	5	21,243	5	683	3
Northampton	593	66	426	72	353	75	29	59
Onslow	18,399	6	17,177	6	15,654	6	713	2
Orange	599	65	595	65	573	64	21	72
Pamlico	2,265	24	2,346	23	1,967	26	70	37
Pasquotank	2,890	19	2,624	21	2,507	19	89	22
Pender	15,958	7	15,348	7	11,262	7	194	12
Perquimans	245	83	209	84	168	85	9	85
Person	560	70	574	67	534	66	19	73
Pitt	5,451	12	5,525	12	4,741	12	250	9
Polk	65	100	47	100	40	100	3	94
Randolph	1,782	34	1,700	35	1,559	36	73	30
Richmond	957	53	872	54	797	53	32	49
Robeson	3,183	17	3,166	17	2,729	17	151	16
Rockingham	768	59	827	56	790	54	22	63
Rowan	2,016	32	1,830	32	1,634	33	86	29
Rutherford	568	69	413	74	403	71	22	70
Sampson	1,629	37	1,642	37	1,484	37	42	45
Scotland	875	56	759	58	677	59	42	48
Stanly	1,627	38	1,581	38	1,423	38	66	36
Stokes	582	67	851	55	735	58	20	64
Surry	1,062	47	968	48	938	44	43	53
Swain	108	93	80	95	100	94	1	95
Transylvania	171	89	156	89	149	89	10	79
Tyrrell	104	94	70	96	111	90	13	89
Union	1,078	46	952	50	785	55	26	62
Vance	1,103	44	944	51	819	51	52	43
Wake	132,073	1	143,585	1	144,088	1	4,527	1
Warren	421	75	394	75	378	74	19	66
Washington	1,278	43	1,053	45	964	43	55	44

Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by North Carolina county of sale (location where license sales agent resides), excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year. (Continued)

<b>Agent County</b>	<b>2016</b>		<b>2017</b>		<b>2018</b>		<b>2019</b>	
	<b>No. Sold</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>No. Sold</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>No. Sold</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>No. Sold</b>	<b>Rank</b>
Watauga	456	73	422	73	390	73	5	81
Wayne	4,087	15	3,999	15	3,325	16	126	14
Wilkes	603	64	599	64	498	68	10	77
Wilson	2,607	22	2,426	22	2,249	22	87	20
Yadkin	138	92	118	92	104	92	4	92
Yancey	74	99	99	93	83	96	1	99
	467,706		469,571		428,928		12,708	



Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by North Carolina county of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year. (Continued)

County	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Hoke	1,513	58	1,472	59	1,335	59	65	50
Hyde	850	75	831	73	701	77	30	74
Iredell	2,888	34	3,034	33	2,834	33	98	39
Jackson	293	89	248	92	268	89	8	90
Johnston	8,762	8	8,898	8	8,210	7	255	11
Jones	1,031	72	1,032	71	883	72	36	70
Lee	1,909	50	1,867	51	1,520	52	54	61
Lenoir	3,735	27	3,660	28	3,199	30	154	26
Lincoln	1,932	48	1,970	48	1,762	48	95	43
Macon	222	96	230	94	201	95	9	94
Madison	234	95	203	98	187	97	5	96
Martin	1,972	47	1,921	49	1,790	47	87	33
McDowell	812	78	773	78	640	79	31	68
Mecklenburg	7,971	11	7,904	11	7,462	11	297	10
Mitchell	192	98	205	97	162	98	5	95
Montgomery	756	81	719	80	595	83	27	76
Moore	2,359	38	2,464	38	2,191	38	70	44
Nash	3,599	29	3,605	30	3,388	29	120	28
New Hanover	15,024	4	15,068	4	13,164	4	579	4
Northampton	870	74	771	79	655	78	41	65
Onslow	17,726	3	17,259	3	14,973	3	827	3
Orange	2,750	36	2,669	36	2,490	36	83	41
OUT OF STATE	25	102	5	102	14	102	0	
Pamlico	1,796	52	1,764	52	1,496	53	64	57
Pasquotank	2,046	41	2,075	43	1,910	42	69	45
Pender	5,858	14	5,938	15	5,173	15	232	14
Perquimans	1,157	67	1,138	66	1,043	66	41	67
Person	1,090	69	1,071	69	961	70	24	73
Pitt	8,528	10	8,809	9	8,081	8	389	6
Polk	162	99	162	99	146	99	8	93
Randolph	4,584	20	4,656	20	4,103	21	134	24
Richmond	1,351	64	1,296	64	1,130	64	45	60
Robeson	4,436	22	4,548	21	3,910	24	178	23
Rockingham	1,993	46	2,155	41	1,806	46	52	59
Rowan	4,729	19	4,688	19	4,289	19	128	27
Rutherford	942	73	821	75	762	75	31	75
Sampson	2,937	33	3,017	34	2,810	34	93	37
Scotland	1,153	68	1,021	72	933	71	45	63
Stanly	2,013	45	2,036	45	1,837	43	72	47
Stokes	2,167	40	2,051	44	1,588	51	30	69
Surry	1,663	56	1,516	57	1,420	56	53	62
Swain	134	100	110	100	90	100	1	99
Transylvania	280	90	270	90	261	90	15	92
Tyrrell	494	87	418	88	411	88	19	85
Union	3,684	28	3,747	27	3,484	27	109	32
UNKNOWN	162,235	1	164,722	1	155,341	1	1,735	1



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County	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Vance	1,255	65	1,075	68	965	69	52	58
Wake	23,418	2	23,483	2	21,300	2	835	2
Warren	564	85	509	86	474	87	22	80
Washington	1,483	62	1,346	62	1,231	63	61	52
Watauga	759	80	712	81	639	80	15	87
Wayne	5,382	18	5,557	17	4,918	18	168	15
Wilkes	1,405	63	1,445	60	1,300	61	33	77
Wilson	4,360	24	4,228	24	3,917	23	152	21
Yadkin	1,194	66	1,204	65	1,093	65	20	78
Yancey	211	97	246	93	192	96	2	97
	467,706		469,571		428,928		12,708	

Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by state of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year.

State	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Alabama	554	26	505	26	524	26	22	21
Alaska	100	49	105	47	99	48	9	40
Arizona	355	29	392	29	343	29	4	38
Arkansas	240	36	201	38	220	38	7	33
California	969	22	1,001	22	1,036	21	28	17
Colorado	797	23	879	23	876	23	11	25
Connecticut	1,386	18	1,246	18	1,119	20	11	23
Delaware	2,200	13	2,226	13	2,025	13	12	18
District of Columbia	272	33	285	33	291	33	2	43
Florida	3,070	12	3,164	12	2,911	11	66	8
Georgia	3,172	11	3,167	11	2,889	12	51	10
Hawaii	63	51	61	51	58	51	0	52
Idaho	125	46	137	46	104	47	3	47
Illinois	1,060	21	1,086	21	1,001	22	21	15
Indiana	1,459	17	1,483	17	1,359	17	24	19
Iowa	242	35	214	37	249	35	5	37
Kansas	213	38	222	36	228	37	10	31
Kentucky	1,770	14	1,908	14	1,706	14	19	26
Louisiana	221	37	248	34	288	34	7	29
Maine	285	32	320	31	319	32	8	32
Marshall Islands	1	60	2	57	2	59	0	
Maryland	12,372	4	12,505	4	12,074	4	53	7
Massachusetts	1,070	20	1,225	19	1,190	19	20	16
Michigan	1,581	16	1,607	16	1,649	15	41	14
Minnesota	373	28	426	27	414	28	6	28
Mississippi	168	41	157	41	157	42	3	35
Missouri	637	24	635	24	682	24	18	27
Montana	118	47	147	43	161	41	9	41
Nebraska	138	43	171	39	133	44	3	44
Nevada	117	48	140	45	123	45	5	39
New Hampshire	381	27	423	28	486	27	12	24
New Jersey	5,649	9	5,314	9	5,018	9	47	13
New Mexico	130	44	97	48	117	46	2	45
New York	5,819	8	5,825	8	5,722	8	95	5
North Carolina	306,819	1	305,732	1	274,254	1	11,040	1
North Dakota	44	53	51	52	39	52	0	50
Ohio	10,539	5	10,725	5	9,849	5	58	6
Oklahoma	256	34	242	35	243	36	5	42
Oregon	163	42	155	42	168	39	4	36
Pennsylvania	25,191	3	25,014	3	23,532	3	142	4
Rhode Island	127	45	147	44	134	43	2	48
South Carolina	9,145	6	9,534	6	8,688	6	191	3
South Dakota	58	52	87	50	82	50	0	51
Tennessee	3,402	10	3,443	10	3,270	10	43	12
Texas	1,634	15	1,642	15	1,632	16	61	9
Utah	190	40	165	40	164	40	2	49

Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by state of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year. (Continued)

State	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Vermont	287	31	343	30	330	31	9	30
Virginia	52,821	2	54,601	2	51,186	2	424	2
Washington	335	30	312	32	336	30	8	34
West Virginia	7,545	7	7,919	7	7,479	7	57	11
Wisconsin	586	25	635	25	634	25	17	20
Wyoming	70	50	94	49	91	49	2	46
	466,319		468,365		427,684		12,699	

Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by country of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year.

Country	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
AFGHANISTAN	0		0		0		0	
ALBANIA	1	50	1	46	0		0	
ALGERIA	1	51	1	47	0		0	
ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	0		1	48	0		0	
ARGENTINA	0		3	24	1	38	0	
ARMENIA	0		0		0		0	
ARUBA	1	52	0		1	39	0	
AUSTRALIA	19	9	10	11	12	9	0	
AUSTRIA	1	53	0		1	40	0	
BAHAMAS	1	54	2	34	1	41	0	
BELARUS	4	23	0		3	23	0	
BELGIUM	2	36	1	49	2	29	0	
BELIZE	1	55	1	50	0		0	
BENIN	0		1	51	0		0	
BERMUDA	0		0		0		0	
BOLIVIA	1	56	3	25	1	42	0	
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1	57	0		0		0	
BRAZIL	1	58	5	19	3	24	0	
BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERF	1	59	0		0		0	
BULGARIA	2	37	2	35	2	30	0	
CANADA	512	2	503	2	541	2	0	
CAYMAN ISLANDS	0		1	52	0		0	
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	0		1	53	0		0	
CHILE	3	28	5	20	1	43	0	
CHINA	10	13	3	26	10	10	0	
COLOMBIA	5	21	3	27	3	25	0	
COSTA RICA	7	16	5	21	10	11	0	
CUBA	1	60	2	36	1	44	0	
CZECH REPUBLIC	0		0		1	45	0	
DENMARK	4	24	5	22	1	46	0	
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	1	61	0		0		0	
ECUADOR	0		2	37	0		0	
EGYPT	0		0		0		0	
EL SALVADOR	23	8	19	8	38	6	0	
FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINA	1	62	0		0		0	
FIJI	0		0		0		0	
FINLAND	3	29	1	54	2	31	0	
FRANCE	8	15	8	12	8	12	0	
GEORGIA	0		1	55	1	47	0	
GERMANY	47	7	54	5	37	7	0	
GUAM	0		1	56	2	32	0	
GUATEMALA	15	10	18	9	21	8	2	4
GUYANA	2	38	0		0		0	
HAITI	0		1	57	0		0	



Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by country of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing licenses, by calendar year. (Continued)

Country	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
SEYCHELLES	0		0		0		0	
SINGAPORE	0		2	43	0		0	
SLOVAKIA	0		3	32	2	35	0	
SLOVENIA	0		1	67	0		0	
SOUTH AFRICA	4	27	8	15	3	27	0	
SPAIN	3	34	1	68	4	22	0	
SWAZILAND	1	70	0		0		0	
SWEDEN	6	20	7	17	5	18	0	
SWITZERLAND	5	22	3	33	1	58	0	
TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA	1	71	1	69	1	59	0	
THAILAND	1	72	2	44	2	36	0	
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	0		0		0		0	
TURKEY	0		2	45	0		0	
UKRAINE	2	47	1	70	0		0	
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	1	73	0		0		0	
UNITED KINGDOM	89	5	63	4	62	4	0	
UNITED STATES	466,456	1	468,500	1	427,819	1	12,701	1
UNITED STATES MINOR OUTL	2	48	1	71	2	37	0	10
UNKNOWN	164	3	28	7	0		1	11
URUGUAY	1	74	1	72	0		0	
UZBEKISTAN	0		0		0		0	
VENEZUELA	0		0		1	60	0	
VIET NAM	2	49	0		3	28	0	
VIRGIN ISLANDS, U.S.	3	35	0		1	61	0	
ZIMBABWE	1	75	1	73	0		0	
	467,706		469,571		428,928		12,708	

**Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by type and vessel size, by fiscal year.**

		2007					
<b>For Hire Blanket Type</b>		<b>0 to 18 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 18 to 38 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 38 to 50 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 50 Feet</b>	<b>Total Sold</b>	<b>% Sold</b>
Six or fewer passengers		18	324	120	115	<b>577</b>	89%
More than 6 passengers		0	7	30	33	<b>70</b>	11%
		18	331	150	148	<b>647</b>	100%
		2008					
<b>For Hire Blanket Type</b>		<b>0 to 18 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 18 to 38 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 38 to 50 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 50 Feet</b>	<b>Total Sold</b>	<b>% Sold</b>
Six or fewer passengers		19	346	113	110	<b>588</b>	90%
More than 6 passengers		0	7	28	30	<b>65</b>	10%
		19	353	141	140	<b>653</b>	100%
		2009					
<b>For Hire Blanket Type</b>		<b>0 to 18 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 18 to 38 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 38 to 50 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 50 Feet</b>	<b>Total Sold</b>	<b>% Sold</b>
Six or fewer passengers		12	336	92	116	<b>556</b>	90%
More than 6 passengers		0	6	24	29	<b>59</b>	10%
		12	342	116	145	<b>615</b>	100%
		2010					
<b>For Hire Blanket Type</b>		<b>0 to 18 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 18 to 38 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 38 to 50 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 50 Feet</b>	<b>Total Sold</b>	<b>% Sold</b>
Six or fewer passengers		15	344	100	127	<b>586</b>	92%
More than 6 passengers		0	5	23	26	<b>54</b>	8%
		15	349	123	153	<b>640</b>	100%
		2011					
<b>For Hire Blanket Type</b>		<b>0 to 18 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 18 to 38 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 38 to 50 Feet</b>	<b>&gt; 50 Feet</b>	<b>Total Sold</b>	<b>% Sold</b>
Six or fewer passengers		21	351	97	121	<b>590</b>	91%
More than 6 passengers		0	6	24	30	<b>60</b>	9%
		21	357	121	151	<b>650</b>	100%

Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by type and vessel size, by fiscal year. (Continued)

For Hire Blanket Type	2012					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
Six or fewer passengers	18	326	81	108	533	93%
More than 6 passengers	0	4	12	27	43	7%
	18	330	93	135	576	100%
For Hire Blanket Type	2013					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
Six or fewer passengers	13	329	73	108	523	92%
More than 6 passengers	0	4	11	29	44	8%
	13	333	84	137	567	100%
For Hire Blanket Type	2014					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
Six or fewer passengers	12	92	19	28	151	28%
More than 6 passengers	0	1	2	3	6	1%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Captain's CRFL</b>						
Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	71	13%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	2	135	41	53	231	43%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	0	4	10	14	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	10	1	2	13	2%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	1	1	2	0%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	11	33	1	1	46	9%
	25	271	69	98	535	100%



Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by type and vessel size, by fiscal year. (Continued)

	2015					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
<b>Blanket For-Hire Captain's CRFL</b>						
Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>135</b>	18%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>4</b>	1%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	6	230	62	106	<b>404</b>	55%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	2	5	18	<b>25</b>	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	25	14	15	<b>54</b>	7%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	1	4	<b>5</b>	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	22	81	2	1	<b>106</b>	14%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	1	0	0	<b>1</b>	0%
	28	339	84	144	<b>734</b>	100%
	<b>2016</b>					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
<b>Blanket For-Hire Captain's CRFL</b>						
Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>117</b>	14%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>3</b>	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	4	292	71	93	<b>460</b>	56%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	6	16	<b>23</b>	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	29	10	16	<b>55</b>	7%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	0	2	<b>2</b>	0%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	26	130	5	2	<b>163</b>	20%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	3	0	0	<b>3</b>	0%
	30	455	92	129	<b>826</b>	100%

Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by type and vessel size, by fiscal year. (Continued)

	2017					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
<b>Blanket For-Hire Captain's CRFL</b>						
Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>109</b>	14%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>2</b>	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	4	303	67	90	<b>464</b>	59%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	5	22	<b>28</b>	4%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	42	8	16	<b>66</b>	8%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	1	1	<b>2</b>	0%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	25	83	5	3	<b>116</b>	15%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	0	0	<b>1</b>	0%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	1	0	0	<b>1</b>	0%
	29	431	86	132	<b>789</b>	100%
	<b>2018</b>					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
<b>Blanket For-Hire Captain's CRFL</b>						
Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>119</b>	14%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>2</b>	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	10	327	74	95	<b>506</b>	61%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	2	4	26	<b>32</b>	4%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	32	13	17	<b>62</b>	7%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	1	2	2	<b>5</b>	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	20	79	0	1	<b>100</b>	12%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	2	0	0	<b>2</b>	0%
	30	443	93	141	<b>828</b>	100%

**Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by type and vessel size, by fiscal year. (Continued)**

	2019					
	0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
<b>Blanket For-Hire Captain's CRFL</b>						
Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	<b>41</b>	15%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	3	104	12	26	<b>145</b>	53%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	0	0	4	<b>4</b>	1%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	15	6	5	<b>26</b>	10%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	2	2	<b>4</b>	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	8	40	2	1	<b>51</b>	19%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	1	0	0	<b>1</b>	0%
	11	160	22	38	<b>272</b>	100%

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Number of For Hire Blanket and Non-blanket Vessel licenses by number of authorized passengers and by state of residency by fiscal year. The For-Hire Blanket Captains licenses are excluded from this table since it is not issued for specific passenger sizes

State	2015		2016		2017		2018		2019	
	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers
Connecticut	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Delaware	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	1	0
Florida	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1
Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massachusetts	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0
Maryland	2	1	3	1	4	1	5	0	6	0
North Carolina	464	21	537	21	564	22	577	29	552	27
North Dakota	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nebraska	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Hampshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Jersey	1	0	3	0	3	0	3	0	4	0
New York	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	2	0
Ohio	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pennsylvania	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	0
South Carolina	16	3	18	1	25	1	23	2	23	3
Tennessee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Virginia	20	1	21	0	15	0	20	0	17	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>638</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>31</b>

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Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by sales outlet by calendar year.

Sales Outlet	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold
License Agents	306,554	65.54	300,900	64.08	263,052	61.33	6,302	49.59
Online	106,676	22.81	119,333	25.41	123,035	28.68	3,251	25.58
WRC Helpdesk (Telephone)	12,987	2.78	12,360	2.63	10,229	2.38	751	5.91
DSS *	38,544	8.24	33,972	7.23	29,987	6.99	2,226	17.52
DMF Agent	1,661	0.36	1,677	0.36	1,433	0.33	61	0.48
WRC Front Counter	1,134	0.24	1,045	0.22	1,060	0.25	116	0.91
WRC Education Center	150	0.03	284	0.06	128	0.03	1	0.01
	<b>467,706</b>		<b>469,571</b>		<b>428,928</b>		<b>12,708</b>	

\* DSS - Department of Social Services issues free subsistence waivers.

Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by Division of Marine Fisheries offices excluding blanket CRFL, by calendar year.

DMF Sales Office	2016		2017		2018		2019	
	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold
Morehead City	759	45.70	785	46.81	686	47.87	33	54.10
Manteo	364	21.91	373	22.24	318	22.19	10	16.39
Wilmington	208	12.52	234	13.95	184	12.84	11	18.03
Columbia	0	0.00	0	0.00	0		0	
Washington	86	5.18	102	6.08	98	6.84	6	9.84
Elizabeth City	244	14.69	183	10.91	147	10.26	1	1.64
	<b>1,661</b>		<b>1,677</b>		<b>1,433</b>		<b>61</b>	

Note: Blanket licenses are only sold at DMF offices. Blanket license sales by office are not available.