

# Coastal Recreational Fishing License

## Sales Update



Data as of April 30, 2008 at 11:59 p.m.

**Table 1. Marine Resources Fund balance as of April 30, 2008.**

Revenue or Expense	Item	No. of Licenses Sold FY 2007/08	Revenue (\$) FY2007	Revenue (\$) FY2008	Revenue (\$) Total To Date
Gross Revenue	CRFL Only (Annual and 10-day)	419,377	\$2,639,910	\$2,799,645	\$5,439,555
	Unified CRFL (Annual)	55,468	\$299,985	\$501,225	\$801,210
	Blanket For Hire CRFL	889	\$168,005	\$111,100	\$279,105
	Blanket Ocean Fishing Pier CRFL	28	\$55,188	\$45,944	\$101,132
	Interest		\$13,919	\$171,479	\$185,398
	Subtotal (Gross)		\$3,177,007	\$3,629,393	\$6,806,400
Expense	Agent Commission		\$187,977	\$218,805	\$406,782
	Transaction Fee		\$404,482	\$519,932	\$924,414
	Subtotal (Expense)		(\$592,459)	(\$738,737)	(\$1,331,196)
<b>Total Net</b>			\$2,584,548	\$2,890,656	\$5,475,204

**Table 2. Marine Resources Endowment Fund balance as of April 30, 2008.**

Revenue or Expense	Item	No. of Licenses Sold FY 2007/08	Revenue (\$) FY2007	Revenue (\$) FY2008	Revenue (\$) Total To Date
Gross Revenue	Lifetime CRFL	26,656	\$430,430	\$231,405	\$559,130
	Unified Lifetime CRFL	21,775	\$393,265	\$493,125	\$621,835
	Sutotal (Gross)		\$823,695	\$724,530	\$1,180,965
Endowment Fund Interest	From Sales and WRC Transfers		\$44,960	\$109,384	\$81,927
Expense	Agent Commission		\$49,111	\$43,794	\$70,802
	Transaction Fee		\$49,572	\$44,270	\$74,760
	Sutotal (Expense)		(\$98,683)	(\$88,064)	(\$145,562)
<b>Subtotal Net</b>			\$769,972	\$745,850	\$1,117,330
Transfers from WRC	2 transfers of \$680,000				\$1,360,000
<b>Total Net</b>					\$2,477,330

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

**OBLIGATIONS: Projects Approved for Funding**

**Marine Resources Fund (No obligations from Endowment Fund)**

Chowan River Bridge	\$200,000
Coastal Angler's Guide	\$100,000
CRFL Sales and Data Support	\$485,979
Fisheries Independent Assessment Program	\$344,217
CRFL Implementation	\$381,908
Senior Stock Assessment Scientist	\$109,420
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,621,524</b>

**SUMMARY**

Net Revenue from Marine Resources Fund	\$5,475,204
Hold For Payback to WRC	(\$333,000)
Obligations for Approved Projects	(\$1,621,524)
<b>UNOBLIGATED BALANCE IN FUND (Jan. 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008)</b>	<b>\$3,520,680</b>

Table 3. Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by type, January 1, 2007 through April 30, 2008.

<b>LicenseType</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>	<b>Percent Sold</b>
Annual Resident CRFL	208,505	39%
Annual Nonresident CRFL	28,338	5%
Resident 10-Day CRFL	42,901	8%
Nonresident 10-Day CRFL	139,633	26%
Infant Lifetime CRFL	161	0%
Youth Lifetime CRFL	107	0%
Resident Adult Lifetime CRFL	1,062	0%
Nonresident Adult Lifetime CRFL	36	0%
Resident Age 65 Lifetime CRFL	22,840	4%
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime CRFL	834	0%
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime CRFL	1,616	0%
Annual Resident Unified Sportsman/CRFL	27,799	5%
Annual Resident Unified Inland/CRFL	27,669	5%
Infant Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	3,795	1%
Youth Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	583	0%
Resident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	1,273	0%
Nonresident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	24	0%
Resident Age 65 Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	14,537	3%
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	432	0%
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	530	0%
Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	601	0%
Resident Legally Blind Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	206	0%
Resident Adult Care Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	955	0%
Resident Subsistence Unified Inland/CRFL Waiver	8,046	2%
<b>Total (Non-Blanket CRFLs)</b>	<b>532,483</b>	<b>100%</b>
For Hire Blanket CRFL	1,080	0%
Ocean Fishing Pier Blanket CRFL	38	0%
<b>Total (Blanket CRFLs)</b>	<b>1,118</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Total CRFLs</b>	<b>533,601</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Percentage of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses Sold  
January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008**

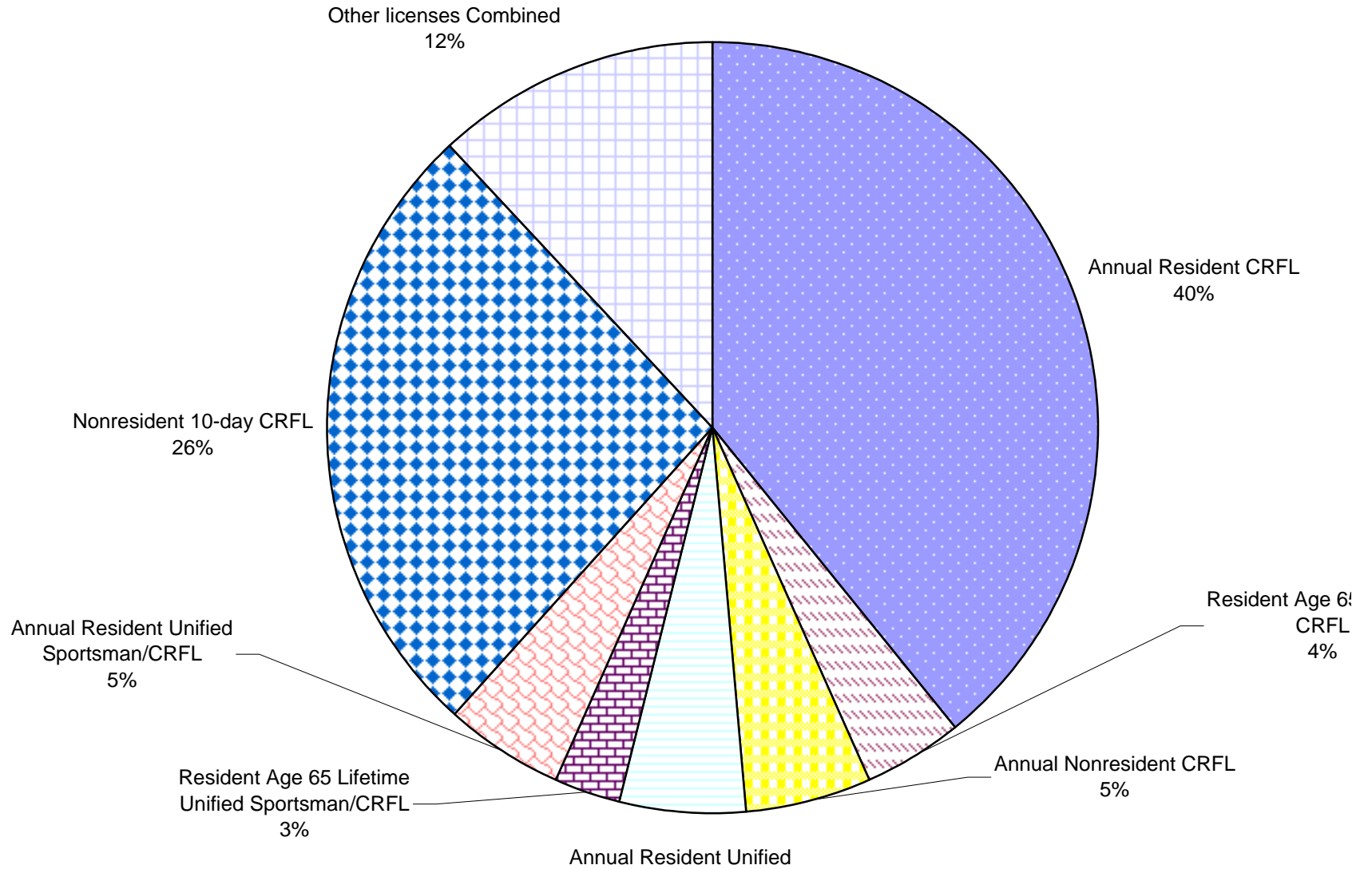


Table 4. Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by type and vessel size, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<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>
6 or Fewer Passengers	29	556	197	185	967	90%
More than 6 Passengers	0	12	48	53	113	10%
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>1080</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Percentage of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses  
Sold by Type, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008**

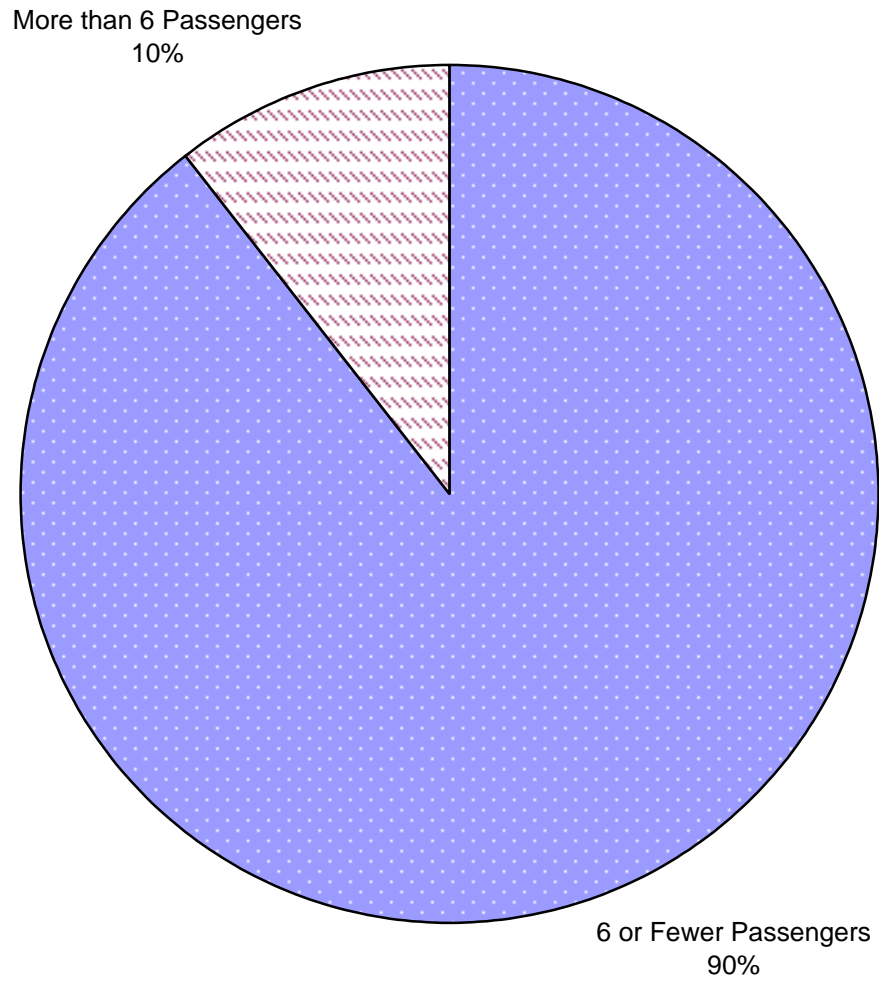


Table 5. Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses by state of residence, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<b>State</b>	<b>6 or Fewer Passengers</b>	<b>6 or More Passengers</b>	<b>Total</b>
Delaware	4	0	4
Florida	6	1	7
Massachusetts	2	0	2
Maryland	16	10	26
North Carolina	838	67	905
New Jersey	7	0	7
New York	3	0	3
Pennsylvania	2	0	2
South Carolina	23	18	41
Virginia	66	17	83
<b>Total</b>	<b>967</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>1080</b>

Table 6. Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by sales outlet, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<b>SalesOutlet</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>	<b>Percent Sold</b>
License Agents	436,694	81.84%
Online	64,331	12.06%
WRC Helpdesk (Telephone)	16,103	3.02%
DSS	8,046	1.51%
DMF Agent	6,044	1.13%
WRC Front Counter	1,879	0.35%
WRC Education Center	504	0.09%
<b>Total</b>	<b>533,601</b>	<b>100.00%</b>



**Percentage of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses Sold by Sales Outlet  
January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008**

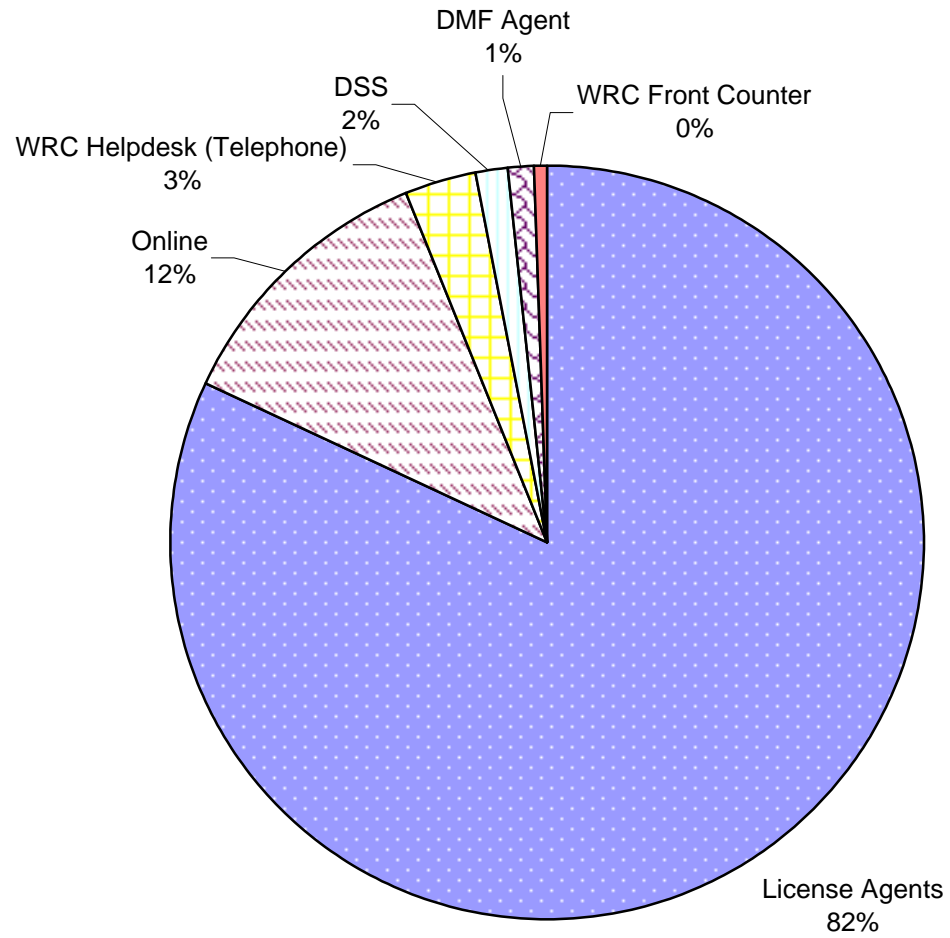


Table 7. Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by Division of Marine Fisheries Offices, excluding blanket CRFL, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<b>DMFSalesOffice</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>	<b>Percent Sold</b>
Morehead City	2,545	52%
Wanchese	819	17%
Wilmington	697	14%
Columbia	339	7%
Washington	267	5%
Elizabeth City	259	5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,926</b>	<b>100%</b>

Note: All blanket licenses (1,118) are issued only at DMF offices. Sales by DMF office not available.

**Percentage of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses Sold by  
Division of Marine Fisheries License Office,  
Excluding Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses,  
January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008**

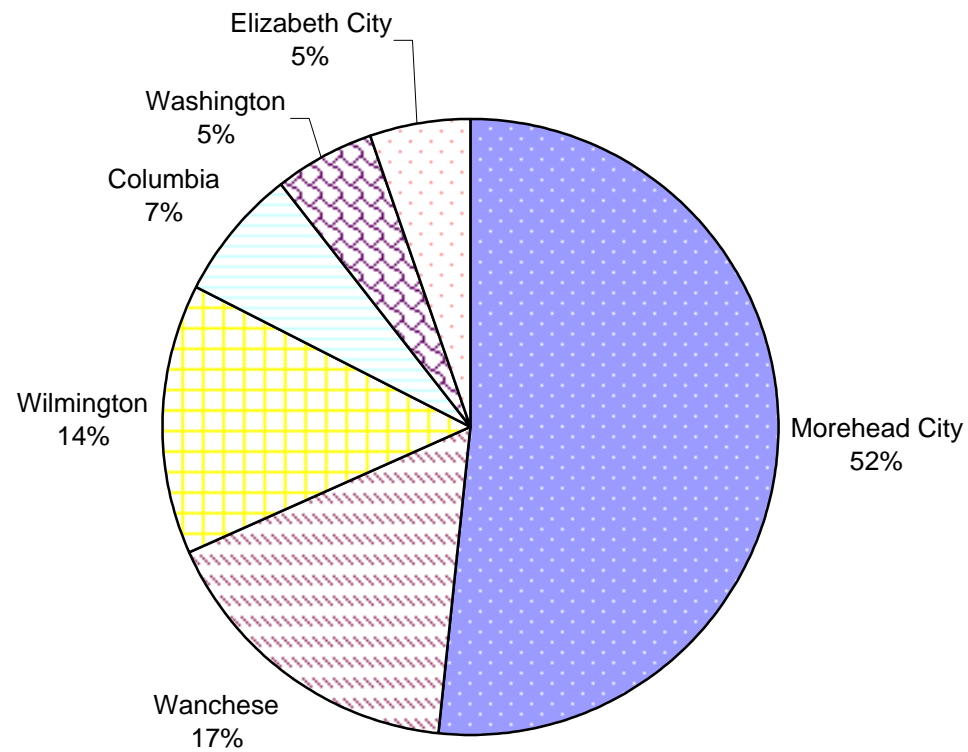


Table 8. Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by North Carolina county of sale (location where license sales agent resides), excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<b>AgentCounty</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>AgentCounty</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>
Alamance	2,749	1	Dare	100,341
Alexander	242	2	Wake	94,053
Alleghany	141	3	Carteret	52,114
Anson	393	4	Brunswick	42,942
Ashe	311	5	New Hanover	39,133
Avery	88	6	Onslow	19,154
Beaufort	11,110	7	Pender	19,083
Bertie	1,289	8	Lenoir	11,791
Bladen	993	9	Beaufort	11,110
Brunswick	42,942	10	Craven	10,728
Buncombe	652	11	Pitt	8,087
Burke	562	12	Hyde	6,963
Cabarrus	3,073	13	Cumberland	6,558
Caldwell	678	14	Johnston	5,418
Camden	703	15	Wayne	5,391
Carteret	52,114	16	Forsyth	4,711
Caswell	155	17	Guilford	4,391
Catawba	1,181	18	Robeson	3,733
Chatham	913	19	Martin	3,558
Cherokee	90	20	Pasquotank	3,479
Chowan	1,705	21	Wilson	3,338
Clay	52	22	Pamlico	3,195
Cleveland	505	23	Cabarrus	3,073
Columbus	2,953	24	Duplin	2,996
Craven	10,728	25	Columbus	2,953
Cumberland	6,558	26	Nash	2,937
Currituck	2,934	27	Currituck	2,934
Dare	100,341	28	Alamance	2,749
Davidson	2,531	29	Sampson	2,662
Davie	674	30	Harnett	2,653
Duplin	2,996	31	Davidson	2,531
Durham	1,836	32	Mecklenburg	2,440
Edgecombe	2,127	33	Rowan	2,129
Forsyth	4,711	34	Edgecombe	2,127
Franklin	561	35	Durham	1,836
Gaston	1,431	36	Chowan	1,705
Gates	303	37	Randolph	1,659
Graham	62	38	Hertford	1,594
Granville	490	39	Iredell	1,529
Greene	405	40	Tyrrell	1,486
Guilford	4,391	41	Gaston	1,431
Halifax	830	42	Stanly	1,318
Harnett	2,653	43	Bertie	1,289
Haywood	186	44	Lee	1,217
Henderson	183	45	Moore	1,217
Hertford	1,594	46	Catawba	1,181
Hoke	372	47	Union	1,060

Hyde	6,963	48 Rockingham	999
Iredell	1,529	49 Bladen	993
Jackson	128	50 Surry	961
Johnston	5,418	51 Chatham	913
Jones	193	52 Perquimans	884
Lee	1,217	53 Halifax	830
Lenoir	11,791	54 Orange	788
Lincoln	632	55 Vance	786
Macon	105	56 Scotland	732
Madison	37	57 Camden	703
Martin	3,558	58 Stokes	683
McDowell	261	59 Caldwell	678
Mecklenburg	2,440	60 Davie	674
Mitchell	118	61 Buncombe	652
Montgomery	462	62 Lincoln	632
Moore	1,217	63 Richmond	629
Nash	2,937	64 Person	578
New Hanover	39,133	65 Burke	562
Northampton	412	66 Franklin	561
Onslow	19,154	67 Wilkes	539
Orange	788	68 Washington	533
Pamlico	3,195	69 Cleveland	505
Pasquotank	3,479	70 Granville	490
Pender	19,083	71 Montgomery	462
Perquimans	884	72 Northampton	412
Person	578	73 Greene	405
Pitt	8,087	74 Anson	393
Polk	43	75 Hoke	372
Randolph	1,659	76 Rutherford	334
Richmond	629	77 Watauga	321
Robeson	3,733	78 Ashe	311
Rockingham	999	79 Gates	303
Rowan	2,129	80 McDowell	261
Rutherford	334	81 Alexander	242
Sampson	2,662	82 Yadkin	234
Scotland	732	83 Transylvania	200
Stanly	1,318	84 Warren	200
Stokes	683	85 Jones	193
Surry	961	86 Haywood	186
Swain	149	87 Henderson	183
Transylvania	200	88 Caswell	155
Tyrrell	1,486	89 Swain	149
Union	1,060	90 Alleghany	141
Vance	786	91 Jackson	128
Wake	94,053	92 Mitchell	118
Warren	200	93 Macon	105
Washington	533	94 Cherokee	90
Watauga	321	95 Avery	88
Wayne	5,391	96 Graham	62
Wilkes	539	97 Clay	52
Wilson	3,338	98 Polk	43
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Table 9. Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by country of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<b>Country</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>
United States	531,501
Canada	569
United Kingdom	107
Mexico	52
Germany	45
Japan	18
Other	14
Unknown	14
Honduras	11
Australia	10
Netherlands	10
Costa Rica	8
Ireland	8
South Africa	7
France	6
Russian Federation	6
Sweden	6
Switzerland	6
China	5
New Zealand	4
Belize	3
El Salvador	3
Finland	3
Norway	3
Spain	3
Venezuela	3
Belarus	2
Chile	2
Denmark	2
Egypt	2
Guatemala	2
Korea, Republic Of	2
Morocco	2
Philippines	2
Poland	2
Puerto Rico	2
Slovakia	2
Thailand	2
Ukraine	2
United States Minor Outly	2
Viet Nam	2
Virgin Islands, U.s.	2
Angola	1
Bahamas	1
Bermuda	1
Bosnia And Herzegovina	1
Brazil	1

British Indian Ocean Terr	1
Cayman Islands	1
Georgia	1
Hong Kong	1
Hungary	1
Iceland	1
Iran, Islamic Republic Of	1
Israel	1
Italy	1
Jamaica	1
Kuwait	1
Lao People's Democratic R	1
Namibia	1
Nicaragua	1
Panama	1
Peru	1
Sri Lanka	1
Turkey	1
Turks And Caicos Islands	1
United Arab Emirates	1
Zimbabwe	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>532,483</b>



Table 10. Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by state of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<b>State</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>
	1	1	North Carolina	364,119
Alabama	527	2	Virginia	62,030
Alaska	124	3	Pennsylvania	22,394
America Samoa	1	4	Maryland	13,403
Arizona	373	5	Ohio	9,121
Arkansas	235	6	South Carolina	8,583
Armed Forces Americas	2	7	New Jersey	7,223
Armed Forces Europe	5	8	West Virginia	6,443
California	1,072	9	New York	5,706
Colorado	684	10	Florida	3,956
Connecticut	1,296	11	Georgia	3,547
Delaware	3,015	12	Tennessee	3,309
District of Columbia	266	13	Delaware	3,015
Federated States of Micronesia	1	14	Kentucky	1,787
Florida	3,956	15	Texas	1,484
Georgia	3,547	16	Michigan	1,471
Guami	3	17	Indiana	1,422
Hawaii	71	18	Connecticut	1,296
Idaho	89	19	Massachusetts	1,106
Illinois	1,065	20	California	1,072
Indiana	1,422	21	Illinois	1,065
Iowa	227	22	Colorado	684
Kansas	219	23	Missouri	610
Kentucky	1,787	24	Alabama	527
Louisiana	276	25	New Hampshire	489
Maine	341	26	Wisconsin	483
Maryland	13,403	27	Vermont	398
Massachusetts	1,106	28	Arizona	373
Michigan	1,471	29	Minnesota	355
Minnesota	355	30	Washington	347
Mississippi	174	31	Maine	341
Missouri	610	32	Louisiana	276
Montana	114	33	District of Columbia	266
Nebraska	126	34	Oklahoma	250
Nevada	146	35	Arkansas	235
New Hampshire	489	36	Iowa	227
New Jersey	7,223	37	Kansas	219
New Mexico	121	38	Mississippi	174
New York	5,706	39	Oregon	172
North Carolina	364,119	40	Utah	148
North Dakota	44	41	Nevada	146
Ohio	9,121	42	Rhode Island	139
Oklahoma	250	43	Nebraska	126
Oregon	172	44	Out of Country	125
Out of Country	125	45	Alaska	124
Palau	1	46	New Mexico	121
Pennsylvania	22,394	47	Montana	114
Puerto Rico	6	48	Wyoming	99
Rhode Island	139	49	Idaho	89
South Carolina	8,583	50	Hawaii	71
South Dakota	69	51	South Dakota	69
Tennessee	3,309	52	UNKNOWN	50
Texas	1,484	53	North Dakota	44

<b>State</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>
UNKNOWN	50
Utah	148
Vermont	398
Virgin Islands	38
Virginia	62,030
Washington	347
West Virginia	6,443
Wisconsin	483
Wyoming	99
<b>Total</b>	<b>531,501</b>

<b>Rank</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>
54	Virgin Islands	38
55	Puerto Rico	6
56	Armed Forces Europe	5
57	Guami	3
58	Armed Forces Americas	2
59		1
60	America Samoa	1
61	Federated States of Micronesia	1
62	Palau	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>531,501</b>

Table 11. Number of Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by North Carolina county of residence, excluding blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses, January 1, 2007 - April 30, 2008.

<b>County</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>
Alamance	4,802	1	Wake	27,383
Alexander	647	2	New Hanover	20,993
Alleghany	249	3	Onslow	17,714
Anson	494	4	Carteret	15,985
Ashe	523	5	Brunswick	14,861
Avery	245	6	Craven	12,077
Beaufort	8,040	7	Pitt	11,636
Bertie	2,237	8	Johnston	10,793
Bladen	1,974	9	Guilford	10,010
Brunswick	14,861	10	Dare	9,440
Buncombe	2,078	11	Cumberland	9,348
Burke	1,572	12	Forsyth	8,454
Cabarrus	3,688	13	Mecklenburg	8,282
Caldwell	1,430	14	Wayne	8,179
Camden	1,098	15	Beaufort	8,040
Carteret	15,985	16	Pender	6,938
Caswell	638	17	Davidson	6,270
Catawba	2,658	18	Lenoir	5,635
Chatham	2,169	19	Rowan	5,615
Cherokee	112	20	Robeson	5,220
Chowan	2,042	21	Wilson	5,144
Clay	80	22	Harnett	5,114
Cleveland	1,288	23	Nash	4,824
Columbus	3,282	24	Alamance	4,802
Craven	12,077	25	Randolph	4,748
Cumberland	9,348	26	Sampson	4,629
Currituck	2,603	27	Duplin	4,316
Dare	9,440	28	Durham	4,291
Davidson	6,270	29	Gaston	3,866
Davie	1,508	30	Cabarrus	3,688
Duplin	4,316	31	Union	3,443
Durham	4,291	32	Columbus	3,282
Edgecombe	2,722	33	Orange	3,105
Forsyth	8,454	34	Iredell	3,052
Franklin	2,049	35	Pasquotank	2,934
Gaston	3,866	36	Martin	2,888
Gates	732	37	Pamlico	2,802
Graham	73	38	Edgecombe	2,722
Granville	1,491	39	Catawba	2,658
Greene	1,471	40	Moore	2,621
Guilford	10,010	41	Currituck	2,603
Halifax	1,392	42	Rockingham	2,344
Harnett	5,114	43	Bertie	2,237
Haywood	429	44	Chatham	2,169
Henderson	735	45	Lee	2,146
Hertford	1,284	46	Washington	2,140
Hoke	1,404	47	Buncombe	2,078
Hyde	1,217	48	Franklin	2,049
Iredell	3,052	49	Chowan	2,042
Jackson	264	50	Bladen	1,974
Johnston	10,793	51	Stanly	1,904
Jones	1,212	52	Stokes	1,865
Lee	2,146	53	Lincoln	1,693

<b>County</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>NumberSold</b>
Lenoir	5,635	54	Perquimans	1,669
Lincoln	1,693	55	Burke	1,572
Macon	214	56	Surry	1,558
Madison	193	57	Davie	1,508
Martin	2,888	58	Granville	1,491
McDowell	678	59	Greene	1,471
Mecklenburg	8,282	60	Caldwell	1,430
Mitchell	214	61	Hoke	1,404
Montgomery	764	62	Halifax	1,392
Moore	2,621	63	Yadkin	1,328
Nash	4,824	64	Wilkes	1,311
New Hanover	20,993	65	Cleveland	1,288
Northampton	727	66	Hertford	1,284
Onslow	17,714	67	UNKNOWN	1,225
Orange	3,105	68	Hyde	1,217
Out of State	6	69	Richmond	1,217
Pamlico	2,802	70	Jones	1,212
Pasquotank	2,934	71	Camden	1,098
Pender	6,938	72	Scotland	1,020
Perquimans	1,669	73	Person	1,015
Person	1,015	74	Vance	955
Pitt	11,636	75	Watauga	793
Polk	169	76	Montgomery	764
Randolph	4,748	77	Henderson	735
Richmond	1,217	78	Gates	732
Robeson	5,220	79	Northampton	727
Rockingham	2,344	80	Tyrrell	726
Rowan	5,615	81	McDowell	678
Rutherford	667	82	Rutherford	667
Sampson	4,629	83	Alexander	647
Scotland	1,020	84	Caswell	638
Stanly	1,904	85	Ashe	523
Stokes	1,865	86	Anson	494
Surry	1,558	87	Haywood	429
Swain	165	88	Warren	427
Transylvania	300	89	Transylvania	300
Tyrrell	726	90	Jackson	264
Union	3,443	91	Alleghany	249
UNKNOWN	1,225	92	Avery	245
Vance	955	93	Macon	214
Wake	27,383	94	Mitchell	214
Warren	427	95	Madison	193
Washington	2,140	96	Polk	169
Watauga	793	97	Swain	165
Wayne	8,179	98	Yancey	144
Wilkes	1,311	99	Cherokee	112
Wilson	5,144	100	Clay	80
Yadkin	1,328	101	Graham	73
Yancey	144	102	Out of State	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>364,119</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>364,119</b>	

Table 12. Number of Wildlife Resources Commission lifetime licenses issued before January 1, 2006 that now include Coastal Recreational Fishing License fishing privileges (grandfathered licenses)

<b>License Type</b>	<b>Number of Licenses</b>
Lifetime Comprehensive Inland Fish w/ CRFL	12,000
Permanent Disabled State Fish w/ CRFL	11,508
Resident Sportsman Adult w/ CRFL	55,098
Sportsman Youth w/ CRFL	13,518
Sportsman Infant w/ CRFL	59,745
Nonresident Sportsman Adult w/ CRFL	1,683
Resident Lifetime Over 70 Sportsman w/ CRFL	69,447
Disabled Combination Hunt/Fish w/ CRFL Basic	7,177
Disabled Sportsman w/ CRFL	4,745
Lifetime Hunt/Fish/Trap w/CRFL Disabled Veteran	61
Fish for Adult Home Care w/ CRFL	708
Fish for Legally Blind w/ CRFL	3,152
Lifetime Comprehensive Over 70 Fish w/ CRFL	22,107
<b>Total</b>	<b>260,949</b>

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Note: Data includes all lifetime licenses purchased before January 1, 2006. There was no criteria set to exclude anyone since all lifetime licenses with fishing privileges had to be grandfathered for historical purposes, even those records flagged as deceased.