

# Coastal Recreational Fishing License

## Sales Update



Date of Release: July 31, 2017

**Marine Resources Fund Balance**

Revenue or Expense	Item	FY2007-2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	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	\$ 538,665	\$ 44,941,645
	Unified CRFL (Annual)	\$ 3,694,085	\$ 1,034,025	\$ 1,052,481	\$ 1,168,410	\$ 1,160,460	\$ 1,194,160	\$ 1,218,045	\$ 95,160	\$ 10,616,826
	Blanket For Hire CRFL	\$ 845,009	\$ 152,475	\$ 143,900	\$ 113,488	\$ 127,500	\$ 140,623	\$ 140,138	\$ 28,463	\$ 1,691,594
	Blanket for Hire CRFL Captain	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,013	\$ 32,750	\$ 27,988	\$ 25,113	\$ 5,250	\$ 107,113
	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	\$ -	\$ 5,480
	Interest	\$ 817,925	\$ 84,135	\$ 50,282	\$ 46,517	\$ 50,048	\$ 73,098	\$ 106,396	\$ 10,325	\$ 1,238,726
	Sales Commission	\$ 66,429	\$ 14,883	\$ 15,890	\$ 8,634	\$ (6)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 105,829
	Other Misc Rev-Program	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 56,924	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 56,924
	Subtotal (Gross)	\$ 25,075,563	\$ 5,517,714	\$ 5,351,803	\$ 5,653,811	\$ 5,572,012	\$ 5,680,687	\$ 5,603,416	\$ 677,863	\$ 59,132,868
Expense	Agent Commission	\$ 1,463,224	\$ 325,722	\$ 331,381	\$ 207,761	\$ (299)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,327,789
	WRC Transaction Fee	\$ 3,518,362	\$ 813,108	\$ 712,073	\$ 789,439	\$ 755,041	\$ 782,161	\$ 767,728	\$ 96,562	\$ 8,234,473
	Subtotal (Expense)	\$ (4,981,586)	\$ (1,138,830)	\$ (1,043,454)	\$ (997,201)	\$ (754,741)	\$ (782,161)	\$ (767,728)	\$ (96,562)	\$ (10,562,263)
<b>Total Net</b>		\$ 20,093,977	\$ 4,378,884	\$ 4,308,349	\$ 4,656,610	\$ 4,817,270	\$ 4,898,526	\$ 4,835,688	\$ 581,301	\$ 48,570,605

**Marine Resources Endowment Fund Balance**

Revenue or Expense	Item	FY2007-2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	Total to Date
Gross Revenue	Lifetime CRFL	\$ 1,323,000	\$ 179,810	\$ 189,665	\$ 188,105	\$ 195,145	\$ 204,050	\$ 212,190	\$ 21,605	\$ 2,513,570
	Unified Lifetime CRFL	\$ 2,392,580	\$ 522,360	\$ 588,250	\$ 651,170	\$ 733,840	\$ 814,645	\$ 815,910	\$ 59,060	\$ 6,577,815
	Subtotal (Gross)	\$ 3,715,580	\$ 702,170	\$ 777,915	\$ 839,275	\$ 928,985	\$ 1,018,695	\$ 1,028,100	\$ 80,665	\$ 9,091,385
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	\$ 3,657	\$ 469,095
	Subtotal (Expense)	\$ (440,042)	\$ (81,296)	\$ (85,393)	\$ (70,782)	\$ (41,361)	\$ (44,704)	\$ (44,285)	\$ (3,657)	\$ (811,520)
Non Capital Gifts		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Interest	From Sales and WRC Transfers	\$ 512,717	\$ 55,521	\$ 37,257	\$ 38,925	\$ 46,440	\$ 74,769	\$ 113,530	\$ 11,581	\$ 890,740
Subtotal Net		\$ 3,788,256	\$ 676,395	\$ 729,779	\$ 807,418	\$ 934,064	\$ 1,048,760	\$ 1,097,345	\$ 88,590	\$ 9,170,606
	Transfers from WRC March 2006-2010	5 transfers of \$680,000 each								
<b>Total Net</b>										\$ 12,570,606

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 FY16
CRFL Sales and Data Support	\$ 448,516
Fisheries Independent Assessment Program	\$ 651,785
Coastal Angling Program	\$ 755,874
Minimizing Habitat Impacts	\$ 146,884
Full Time Law Enforcement Officers and Temp Communications	\$ 384,558
CRFL Division Infrastructure Support	\$ 411,845
Senior Stock Assessment Scientist	\$ 117,740
DMF No Cost Extensions and Multi-Year	\$ 675,268
WRC Boating Access Projects on NCE	\$ 360,109
CRFL Funds No Cost Extensions from Previous RFP Projects	\$ 721,850
Subsequent Multi-Year Approved Funding	\$ 957,192
CRFL Funded Projects FY2017 - 18	\$ 2,434,375
<b>Total</b>	\$ 8,065,996

**SUMMARY**

<b>Net Revenue from Marine Resources Fund</b>	\$ 48,570,605
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 17 Obligations</b>	\$ (4,126,303)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 16 Obligations</b>	\$ (4,445,115)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 15 Obligations</b>	\$ (5,012,727)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 14 Obligations</b>	\$ (6,160,705)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 13 Obligations</b>	\$ (4,091,363)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 12 Obligations</b>	\$ (4,381,767)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 11 Obligations</b>	\$ (4,773,350)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 10 Obligations</b>	\$ (1,740,114)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 09 Obligations</b>	\$ (1,281,245)
<b>Spent Funds from Approved FY 08 Obligations</b>	\$ (608,751)
<b>Payback to WRC</b>	\$ (821,516)
<b>Commission Approved Projects for FY2017-18</b>	\$ (8,065,996)
<b>BALANCE IN FUND JULY 31, 2017</b>	\$ 3,061,653

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<b>BALANCE IN FUND AUGUST 31, 2017</b>	<b>\$ 3,670,050</b>

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

	2014	2015	2016	2017
Annual Nonresident CRFL	19,872	20,449	20,374	13,929
Annual Resident CRFL	130,988	125,011	120,417	73,005
Annual Resident Unified Inland/CRFL	32,626	34,112	36,305	27,702
Annual Resident Unified Sportsman/CRFL	44,873	43,692	42,807	10,418
Infant Lifetime CRFL	79	61	81	45
Infant Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	4,119	4,559	4,795	2,537
Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	272	375	418	293
Nonresident 10-Day CRFL	145,717	143,999	138,428	78,533
Nonresident Adult Lifetime CRFL	13	10	10	10
Nonresident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	21	12	15	6
Resident 10-Day CRFL	50,438	48,670	46,973	24,767
Resident Adult Care Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	365	262	322	151
Resident Adult Lifetime CRFL	195	215	281	152
Resident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	1,016	1,070	1,104	417
Resident Age 65 Lifetime CRFL	3,985	0	0	0
Resident Age 65 Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	3,106	0	0	0
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime CRFL	760	870	775	519
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	810	907	834	497
Resident Legally Blind Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	81	103	48	33
Resident Subsistence Unified Inland/CRFL Waiver	38,895	41,309	38,544	25,532
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime CRFL	651	596	598	399
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	412	449	383	168
Senior CRFL	3,224	6,849	6,670	4,269
Unified Senior Sportsman CRFL	3,184	6,656	6,912	3,643
Youth Lifetime CRFL	56	70	69	55
Youth Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	527	541	545	278
<b>Total</b>	486,285	480,847	467,708	267,358

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	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Alamance	3,044	19	3,044	18	2,837	19	1,741	16
Alexander	481	74	396	77	352	77	249	76
Alleghany	80	98	89	96	76	97	48	96
Anson	545	68	560	67	552	71	356	66
Ashe	283	82	256	83	276	81	177	80
Avery	79	99	51	99	76	98	35	97
Beaufort	6,835	10	6,223	10	5,900	10	3,360	10
Bertie	943	53	872	57	779	58	482	60
Bladen	1,150	45	1,015	52	982	51	478	55
Brunswick	33,440	4	30,889	4	30,485	4	18,059	4
Buncombe	927	55	1,059	48	996	50	672	48
Burke	977	50	1,092	47	1,098	45	625	47
Cabarrus	2,118	27	2,160	28	2,145	26	1,092	25
Caldwell	1,875	33	1,952	33	2,059	29	1,298	27
Camden	357	79	302	80	249	82	143	83
Carteret	38,176	3	36,964	3	35,224	3	18,444	3
Caswell	182	86	236	85	228	85	118	85
Catawba	1,785	37	1,754	36	1,595	39	935	38
Chatham	819	59	747	61	749	61	459	58
Cherokee	155	90	191	88	189	88	124	88
Chowan	955	52	877	56	851	57	397	63
Clay	82	97	160	91	220	86	126	87
Cleveland	961	51	933	55	904	55	523	54
Columbus	2,414	23	2,398	25	2,204	24	1,063	28
Craven	10,001	8	9,590	8	9,176	8	5,569	8
Cumberland	4,928	13	4,993	13	4,753	13	2,713	13
Currituck	2,066	31	1,975	31	1,630	36	954	33
Dare	78,874	2	80,702	2	77,509	2	41,442	2
Davidson	2,120	26	2,183	27	2,151	25	1,178	24
Davie	613	65	633	64	631	63	281	68
Duplin	2,656	21	2,486	23	2,468	22	1,039	26
Durham	1,240	44	1,046	50	924	54	602	49
Edgecombe	1,875	34	1,896	34	1,755	34	1,032	36
Forsyth	3,332	17	3,315	17	3,141	17	1,450	19
Franklin	662	63	663	63	683	62	386	62
Gaston	2,104	30	2,765	21	2,140	27	1,339	23
Gates	290	81	332	79	329	78	182	78
Graham	97	93	105	95	79	96	49	98
Granville	523	71	573	66	581	68	274	69
Greene	415	76	403	76	435	74	216	75
Guilford	3,627	16	3,662	15	3,760	15	2,104	15
Halifax	1,377	41	1,341	40	1,370	40	762	41
Harnett	1,644	39	1,730	37	1,633	35	871	35
Haywood	306	80	349	78	310	79	202	79
Henderson	244	84	287	81	296	80	167	81
Hertford	1,397	40	1,339	41	1,312	42	796	40
Hoke	720	62	760	60	752	60	392	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	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Hyde	5,581	12	5,476	12	4,854	12	2,555	12
Iredell	1,376	42	1,317	43	1,336	41	605	42
Jackson	179	87	208	87	193	87	136	86
Johnston	3,066	18	2,902	20	2,688	20	1,396	20
Jones	271	83	222	86	236	84	155	82
Lee	1,137	46	1,163	44	1,024	49	513	46
Lenoir	8,084	9	7,644	9	6,901	9	3,630	9
Lincoln	924	56	990	54	1,035	48	654	43
Macon	174	88	161	90	158	91	79	91
Madison	78	100	66	98	84	95	58	95
Martin	2,107	29	2,156	29	2,005	32	1,145	31
McDowell	466	75	469	74	407	76	222	77
Mecklenburg	2,138	25	2,136	30	2,053	30	1,188	30
Mitchell	101	92	135	93	169	90	93	90
Montgomery	567	67	541	69	539	72	281	70
Moore	924	57	992	53	979	52	484	50
Nash	2,293	24	2,244	26	2,140	28	1,138	29
New Hanover	28,649	5	26,991	5	25,694	5	14,643	5
Northampton	627	64	530	71	593	66	328	71
Onslow	19,435	6	19,531	6	18,399	6	10,812	6
Orange	722	61	688	62	599	65	316	65
Pamlico	2,028	32	2,403	24	2,265	23	1,202	22
Pasquotank	2,944	20	2,917	19	2,890	18	1,545	18
Pender	16,429	7	15,760	7	15,958	7	8,176	7
Perquimans	241	85	269	82	245	83	150	84
Person	525	70	560	68	560	70	297	67
Pitt	5,865	11	5,720	11	5,451	11	3,165	11
Polk	86	94	50	100	65	100	24	100
Randolph	1,811	35	1,764	35	1,782	33	1,017	34
Richmond	995	49	1,039	51	957	53	563	53
Robeson	3,656	15	3,525	16	3,183	16	1,765	17
Rockingham	780	60	767	59	768	59	451	56
Rowan	2,117	28	1,968	32	2,016	31	1,129	32
Rutherford	582	66	541	70	568	69	289	72
Sampson	1,794	36	1,677	39	1,629	37	749	39
Scotland	909	58	853	58	875	56	485	57
Stanly	1,666	38	1,678	38	1,627	38	885	37
Stokes	523	72	524	72	582	67	357	59
Surry	935	54	1,099	46	1,062	47	518	52
Swain	83	96	110	94	108	93	53	94
Transylvania	174	89	189	89	171	89	110	89
Tyrrell	376	78	243	84	96	94	48	99
Union	1,127	47	1,052	49	1,078	46	525	51
Vance	1,090	48	1,137	45	1,103	44	654	45
Wake	130,842	1	130,882	1	132,075	1	82,489	1
Warren	538	69	585	65	421	75	286	73
Washington	1,335	43	1,318	42	1,278	43	663	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>2014</b>		<b>2015</b>		<b>2016</b>		<b>2017</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	384	77	420	75	456	73	260	74
Wayne	4,442	14	4,478	14	4,087	14	2,104	14
Wilkes	516	73	506	73	603	64	364	64
Wilson	2,623	22	2,678	22	2,607	21	1,447	21
Yadkin	112	91	148	92	138	92	81	92
Yancey	84	95	77	97	74	99	72	93
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	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Hoke	1,537	59	1,578	58	1,526	58	833	58
Hyde	984	73	900	74	844	75	441	78
Iredell	2,845	36	2,849	34	2,889	33	1,619	33
Jackson	259	90	292	90	293	89	187	92
Johnston	8,811	9	8,708	9	8,582	10	4,669	9
Jones	1,131	70	1,074	70	1,021	72	524	72
Lee	1,966	47	2,038	47	2,032	42	1,059	50
Lenoir	3,914	27	3,895	27	3,741	27	1,906	29
Lincoln	1,853	52	1,894	50	1,941	49	1,172	49
Macon	246	92	247	91	224	96	135	95
Madison	224	94	191	96	236	95	136	96
Martin	2,049	45	2,052	46	1,967	48	1,167	51
McDowell	850	77	826	76	818	78	490	76
Mecklenburg	8,063	11	8,003	11	8,095	11	4,737	11
Mitchell	153	98	190	97	189	98	124	98
Montgomery	783	79	729	80	748	81	380	80
Moore	2,319	39	2,336	40	2,360	40	1,237	38
Nash	3,731	29	3,715	28	3,607	29	2,064	27
New Hanover	16,411	4	15,991	4	14,997	4	8,768	4
Northampton	899	75	813	79	876	74	505	79
Onslow	18,760	3	18,496	3	17,630	3	10,627	3
Orange	2,854	35	2,839	35	2,769	34	1,438	35
OUT OF STATE	15	102	7	102	25	102	3	102
Pamlico	1,936	50	1,777	54	1,788	51	867	54
Pasquotank	2,274	41	2,197	41	2,057	41	1,261	42
Pender	6,014	16	5,955	15	5,734	14	3,001	16
Perquimans	1,272	64	1,178	67	1,156	68	646	66
Person	1,000	72	1,005	72	1,079	69	559	71
Pitt	9,131	8	8,991	8	8,600	9	5,171	8
Polk	205	95	173	99	163	99	87	99
Randolph	4,660	21	4,580	22	4,575	20	2,622	19
Richmond	1,414	62	1,397	62	1,354	64	781	63
Robeson	4,912	20	4,688	21	4,455	23	2,544	22
Rockingham	2,095	43	2,014	48	1,989	46	1,097	45
Rowan	4,951	19	4,790	20	4,728	19	2,368	24
Rutherford	951	74	956	73	938	73	492	75
Sampson	2,963	33	2,795	36	2,655	37	1,257	37
Scotland	1,186	67	1,087	69	1,159	67	619	70
Stanly	2,044	46	2,071	42	2,017	45	1,175	44
Stokes	2,314	40	2,459	39	2,563	38	1,222	41
Surry	1,533	60	1,642	56	1,674	56	842	59
Swain	125	99	131	100	131	100	71	100
Transylvania	315	89	295	89	271	90	171	89
Tyrrell	584	85	513	87	497	87	208	88
Union	3,739	28	3,584	30	3,683	28	1,944	28
UNKNOWN	168,685	1	167,799	1	162,840	1	95,116	1

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

County	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Vance	1,210	66	1,259	64	1,263	65	743	65
Wake	24,331	2	23,848	2	23,900	2	14,271	2
Warren	631	84	678	84	555	85	343	85
Washington	1,635	57	1,567	59	1,484	61	801	61
Watauga	668	81	680	83	751	80	406	81
Wayne	5,790	17	5,601	17	5,206	18	2,916	18
Wilkes	1,254	65	1,254	65	1,394	63	809	60
Wilson	4,381	25	4,450	23	4,310	24	2,377	25
Yadkin	1,178	68	1,206	66	1,198	66	599	68
Yancey	189	97	201	95	213	97	151	93
	486,285		480,847		467,708		267,358	

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

State	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Alabama	545	26	516	26	551	26	349	26
Alaska	110	47	126	48	110	49	59	47
Arizona	362	29	415	27	353	29	239	29
Arkansas	265	34	248	37	244	35	132	38
California	1,074	22	992	22	975	22	587	22
Colorado	771	23	774	23	794	23	540	23
Connecticut	1,310	19	1,329	19	1,396	18	679	18
Delaware	2,385	13	2,468	13	2,202	13	1,164	13
District of Columbia	337	31	316	31	270	33	136	32
Florida	3,259	12	3,093	12	3,026	12	1,952	11
Georgia	3,260	11	3,276	11	3,167	11	1,985	12
Hawaii	66	51	53	52	63	51	41	51
Idaho	109	48	103	49	123	46	61	46
Illinois	1,119	21	1,126	20	1,069	21	789	20
Indiana	1,485	17	1,550	16	1,460	17	984	17
Iowa	250	37	236	39	240	36	126	37
Kansas	222	38	257	35	207	38	169	35
Kentucky	2,032	14	2,002	14	1,780	14	1,308	14
Louisiana	265	35	249	36	218	37	153	36
Maine	292	33	301	33	285	32	213	31
Marshall Islands	0		0		1	59	0	61
Maryland	13,273	4	13,029	4	12,448	4	6,577	4
Massachusetts	1,161	20	1,121	21	1,079	20	734	19
Michigan	1,548	16	1,491	17	1,596	16	1,026	15
Minnesota	397	28	370	29	369	28	265	28
Mississippi	182	39	153	41	172	41	101	40
Missouri	695	24	691	24	641	24	441	24
Montana	103	49	136	44	112	48	82	45
Nebraska	140	43	133	46	141	43	111	39
Nevada	123	46	133	47	120	47	95	44
New Hampshire	406	27	378	28	386	27	294	27
New Jersey	6,249	8	5,860	8	5,687	9	2,511	9
New Mexico	130	45	136	45	133	44	63	48
New York	5,859	9	5,776	9	5,863	8	3,292	8
North Carolina	318,989	1	314,308	1	306,288	1	172,702	1
North Dakota	32	53	37	53	45	53	28	52
Ohio	10,968	5	11,036	5	10,597	5	7,076	5
Oklahoma	253	36	237	38	255	34	162	34
Oregon	135	44	141	43	161	42	74	43
Pennsylvania	25,778	3	26,269	3	25,275	3	13,730	3
Rhode Island	171	40	152	42	127	45	90	42
South Carolina	9,018	6	9,047	6	9,123	6	5,757	6
South Dakota	62	52	73	51	55	52	43	50
Tennessee	3,330	10	3,362	10	3,410	10	2,047	10
Texas	1,666	15	1,615	15	1,646	15	992	16
Utah	155	42	158	40	183	40	79	41

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

State	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Vermont	313	32	344	30	297	31	199	30
Virginia	55,386	2	54,889	2	53,003	2	30,538	2
Washington	344	30	306	32	329	30	172	33
West Virginia	7,717	7	7,646	7	7,573	7	5,225	7
Wisconsin	555	25	631	25	589	25	400	25
Wyoming	73	50	91	50	70	50	50	49
	484,729		479,179		466,307		266,622	

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

Country	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
AFGHANISTAN	1	45	0		0		0	
ALBANIA	2	33	0		1	51	1	43
ALGERIA	0		0		1	52	1	44
ANTARCTICA	0		0		0		0	
ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	0		0		0		1	45
ARGENTINA	3	25	6	15	0		3	23
ARMENIA	1	46	0		0		0	
ARUBA	1	47	2	38	1	53	0	
AUSTRALIA	27	8	15	9	19	9	4	11
AUSTRIA	3	26	1	50	1	54	0	
BAHAMAS	0		0		1	55	1	32
BELARUS	0		2	39	4	23	0	
BELGIUM	1	48	3	28	2	35	1	46
BELIZE	2	34	1	51	1	56	1	47
BENIN	0		0		0		1	48
BERMUDA	2	35	1	52	0		0	
BOLIVIA	0		0		1	57	0	24
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	0		0		1	58	0	
BRAZIL	4	21	3	29	1	59	4	18
BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERF	0		0		1	60	0	
BULGARIA	0		0		2	36	1	33
CANADA	720	2	696	2	508	2	275	2
CAYMAN ISLANDS	0		0		0		1	49
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	0		0		0		1	50
CHILE	0		6	16	2	37	4	21
CHINA	5	17	4	25	11	12	1	34
COLOMBIA	1	49	3	30	5	21	2	25
COSTA RICA	3	27	5	19	7	16	3	19
CUBA	1	50	0		1	61	2	35
CZECH REPUBLIC	4	22	5	20	0		0	
DENMARK	2	36	3	31	4	24	3	26
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	0		3	32	1	62	0	
ECUADOR	0		2	40	0		1	51
EGYPT	2	37	0		0		0	
EL SALVADOR	20	9	16	8	25	8	15	8
FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINA)	0		0		1	63	0	
FIJI	1	51	0		0		0	
FINLAND	1	52	1	53	3	28	1	52
FRANCE	6	15	5	21	8	15	6	13
GEORGIA	0		1	54	0		1	53
GERMANY	77	5	44	6	47	7	24	6
GREECE	0		0		0		0	
GUAM	0		1	55	0		0	54
GUATEMALA	11	11	10	12	16	10	10	9



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

Country	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
PUERTO RICO	4	24	3	33	4	25	2	22
QATAR	1	62	0		0		0	
ROMANIA	1	63	1	62	4	26	3	30
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	10	12	4	27	11	13	5	12
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRI	0		0		0		1	64
SAUDI ARABIA	0		0		0		0	
SENEGAL	0		0		0		0	
SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO	0		0		1	70	1	65
SEYCHELLES	0		1	63	0		0	
SINGAPORE	0		1	64	0		0	66
SLOVAKIA	0		0		0		2	40
SOUTH AFRICA	2	41	6	18	4	27	5	16
SPAIN	2	42	3	34	3	33	0	67
SWAZILAND	0		0		1	71	0	
SWEDEN	7	14	14	10	6	20	6	17
SWITZERLAND	10	13	7	14	5	22	3	31
TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHIN/	0		0		1	72	0	68
THAILAND	2	43	1	65	2	47	1	41
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	0		3	35	0		0	
TURKEY	0		1	66	0		0	42
UKRAINE	3	32	2	48	2	48	0	69
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	2	44	3	36	1	73	0	
UNITED KINGDOM	76	6	96	5	88	5	40	4
UNITED STATES	484,915	1	479,376	1	466,455	1	266,701	1
UNITED STATES MINOR OUTL	0		2	49	2	49	1	70
UNKNOWN	146	3	262	3	164	3	28	7
URUGUAY	0		1	67	1	74	0	
UZBEKISTAN	1	64	0		0		0	
VENEZUELA	1	65	3	37	0		0	
VIET NAM	1	66	0		2	50	0	
VIRGIN ISLANDS, BRITISH	0		0		0		0	
VIRGIN ISLANDS, U.S.	0		1	68	3	34	0	
ZIMBABWE	0		0		1	75	1	71
	486,285		480,847		467,708		267,358	

**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	106	14%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	4	298	68	88	458	59%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	5	22	28	4%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	42	8	15	65	8%
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	25	82	5	3	115	15%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	0	0	1	0%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	1	0	0	1	0%
	29	425	87	129	778	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	17	13%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	1	55	12	11	79	62%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	0	8	9	7%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	4	2	0	6	5%
Others					1	0%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	4	12	0	0	16	13%
	5	72	14	19	128	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	2014		2015		2016		2017		2018	
	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers
Delaware	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	0
Florida	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massachusetts	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maryland	1	0	2	1	3	1	4	1	1	0
North Carolina	153	7	464	21	537	21	563	22	453	28
North Dakota	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Nebraska	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Hampshire	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Jersey	2	0	1	0	3	0	4	0	1	0
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Ohio	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pennsylvania	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0
South Carolina	7	1	16	3	18	1	25	1	21	2
Tennessee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Virginia	11	0	20	1	21	0	15	0	14	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>494</b>	<b>30</b>

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

Sales Outlet	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold
License Agents	325,150	66.86	317,748	66.08	306,554	65.54	164,590	61.56
Online	103,264	21.24	104,805	21.80	106,677	22.81	68,560	25.64
WRC Helpdesk (Telephone)	15,560	3.20	13,798	2.87	12,988	2.78	6,972	2.61
DSS *	38,895	8.00	41,309	8.59	38,544	8.24	25,532	9.55
DMF Agent	1,861	0.38	1,757	0.37	1,661	0.36	979	0.37
WRC Front Counter	1,122	0.23	1,163	0.24	1,134	0.24	551	0.21
WRC Education Center	164	0.03	139	0.03	150	0.03	174	0.07
	<b>486,285</b>		<b>480,847</b>		<b>467,708</b>		<b>267,358</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	2014		2015		2016		2017	
	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold
Morehead City	844	45.35	805	45.82	759	45.70	495	50.56
Manteo	383	20.58	365	20.77	364	21.91	187	19.10
Wilmington	321	17.25	242	13.77	208	12.52	137	13.99
Columbia	0	0.00	0	0.00	0		0	
Washington	67	3.60	61	3.47	86	5.18	63	6.44
Elizabeth City	246	13.22	284	16.16	244	14.69	97	9.91
	<b>1,861</b>		<b>1,757</b>		<b>1,661</b>		<b>979</b>	

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