

# Coastal Recreational Fishing License

## Sales Update



Date of Release: August 31, 2022

**Marine Resources Fund Balance:**

Revenue or Expense	Item	FY2007-2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	Total to Date
Gross Revenue	CRFL Only (Annual and 10-day)	\$ 19,384,640	\$ 4,163,310	\$ 4,035,390	\$ 4,298,860	\$ 4,200,560	\$ 4,187,145	\$ 4,112,975	\$ 3,970,860	\$ 3,819,010	\$ 3,843,402	\$ 4,504,684	\$ 4,289,529	\$ 1,009,765	\$ 65,840,230
	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	\$ 1,297,365	\$ 1,742,953	\$ 2,173,584	\$ 2,257,184	\$ 383,456	\$ 19,614,411
	Blanket For Hire CRFL	\$ 845,009	\$ 152,475	\$ 143,900	\$ 113,488	\$ 127,500	\$ 140,623	\$ 140,138	\$ 170,410	\$ 170,843	\$ 156,050	\$ 214,315	\$ 219,739	\$ 57,405	\$ 2,651,892
	Blanket for Hire CRFL Captain	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,013	\$ 32,750	\$ 27,988	\$ 25,113	\$ 28,838	\$ 38,305	\$ 30,772	\$ 40,459	\$ 40,855	\$ 7,250	\$ 288,341
	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	\$ 450	\$ 150	\$ 150	\$ 150	\$ -	\$ 6,680
	Interest	\$ 817,925	\$ 84,135	\$ 50,282	\$ 46,517	\$ 50,048	\$ 73,098	\$ 106,396	\$ 153,971	\$ 215,899	\$ 224,590	\$ 66,225	\$ 22,646	\$ 17,170	\$ 1,928,901
	Sales Commission	\$ 66,428	\$ 14,883	\$ 15,890	\$ 8,634	\$ (6)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 105,829
	Other Misc Rev-Program	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 56,924	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,227	\$ -	\$ 59,151
	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	\$ 5,541,872	\$ 5,997,917	\$ 6,999,417	\$ 6,832,330	\$ 1,475,046	\$ 90,864,168
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	\$ 773,422	\$ 815,688	\$ 943,004	\$ 917,940	\$ 207,664	\$ 12,546,800
	Subtotal (Expense)	\$ (4,981,586)	\$ (1,138,830)	\$ (1,043,454)	\$ (997,201)	\$ (754,741)	\$ (782,161)	\$ (767,728)	\$ (751,170)	\$ (773,422)	\$ (815,688)	\$ (943,004)	\$ (917,940)	\$ (207,664)	\$ (14,874,590)
Total Net		\$ 20,093,975	\$ 4,378,884	\$ 4,308,349	\$ 4,656,610	\$ 4,817,270	\$ 4,898,526	\$ 4,835,688	\$ 4,811,413	\$ 4,768,449	\$ 5,182,229	\$ 6,056,413	\$ 5,914,390	\$ 1,267,382	\$ 75,989,578

**Marine Resources Endowment Fund Balance**

Revenue or Expense	Item	FY2007-2011	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	Total to Date
Gross Revenue	Lifetime CRFL	\$ 1,323,000	\$ 179,810	\$ 189,665	\$ 188,105	\$ 195,145	\$ 204,050	\$ 212,190	\$ 230,120	\$ 197,135	\$ 217,048	\$ 293,045	\$ 309,731	\$ 56,371	\$ 3,795,414
	Unified Lifetime CRFL	\$ 2,392,580	\$ 522,360	\$ 588,250	\$ 651,170	\$ 733,840	\$ 814,645	\$ 815,910	\$ 881,670	\$ 863,485	\$ 1,038,418	\$ 1,298,524	\$ 1,691,145	\$ 272,337	\$ 12,564,334
	Subtotal (Gross)	\$ 3,715,580	\$ 702,170	\$ 777,915	\$ 839,275	\$ 928,985	\$ 1,018,695	\$ 1,028,100	\$ 1,111,790	\$ 1,060,620	\$ 1,255,466	\$ 1,591,569	\$ 2,000,876	\$ 328,708	\$ 16,359,748
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	\$ 40,249	\$ 37,622	\$ 40,528	\$ 46,390	\$ 7,616	\$ 682,811
	Subtotal (Expense)	\$ (440,042)	\$ (81,296)	\$ (85,393)	\$ (70,782)	\$ (41,361)	\$ (44,704)	\$ (44,285)	\$ (44,967)	\$ (40,249)	\$ (37,622)	\$ (40,528)	\$ (46,390)	\$ (7,616)	\$ (1,025,236)
Non Capital Gifts	From Sales and WRC Transfers	\$ 512,717	\$ 55,521	\$ 37,257	\$ 38,925	\$ 46,440	\$ 74,769	\$ 113,530	\$ 169,001	\$ 266,930	\$ 303,574	\$ 89,648	\$ 32,339	\$ 25,742	\$ 1,766,393
Subtotal Net		\$ 3,788,256	\$ 676,395	\$ 729,779	\$ 807,418	\$ 934,064	\$ 1,048,760	\$ 1,097,345	\$ 1,235,823	\$ 1,287,300	\$ 1,521,417	\$ 1,640,689	\$ 1,986,825	\$ 346,834	\$ 17,100,905
	Transfers from WRC March 2006-2010	\$ 5 transfers of \$680,000 each													
Total Net		\$ 4,248,512	\$ 1,352,790	\$ 1,459,558	\$ 1,615,886	\$ 1,978,124	\$ 2,093,520	\$ 2,210,685	\$ 2,521,643	\$ 2,574,600	\$ 3,042,834	\$ 3,381,378	\$ 4,013,654	\$ 381,568	\$ 18,881,810

Note: Includes revenue generated from licenses sold through the Wildlife Resources Commissi

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 FY22
CRFL Sales and Data Support	\$ 472,381
Fisheries Independent Assessment Program	\$ 644,779
Coastal Angling Program	\$ 1,058,544
Minimizing Habitat Impacts	\$ 163,806
Full Time Law Enforcement Officers and Temp Communication	\$ 1,302,743
Fisheries Management CRFL Implementation and Suppo	\$ 298,899
North Carolina Saltwater Fishing Tournament	\$ 22,500
Artificial Reef Program	\$ 500,000
Marine Patrol Education Team / Operation	\$ 217,500
CRFL Division Infrastructure Support	\$ 602,104
Senior Stock Assessment Scientist	\$ 142,220
DMF No Cost Extensions and Multi-Yea	\$ 203,703
WRC Boating Access Projects on NCE	\$ 39,134
CRFL Funds No Cost Extensions from Previous RFP Project	\$ 1,622,882
Subsequent Multi-Year Approved Fundin	\$ 59,623
Total	\$ 7,350,798

**SUMMARY**

Net Revenue from Marine Resources Fund	\$ 74,722,197
Spent Funds from Approved FY22 Obligation:	\$ (5,295,947)
Spent Funds from Approved FY21 Obligation:	\$ (5,119,599)
Spent Funds from Approved FY20 Obligation:	\$ (4,523,671)
Spent Funds from Approved FY19 Obligation:	\$ (5,451,438)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 18 Obligation:	\$ (4,509,224)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 17 Obligation:	\$ (4,126,303)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 16 Obligation:	\$ (4,445,115)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 15 Obligation:	\$ (5,012,727)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 14 Obligation:	\$ (6,160,705)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 13 Obligation:	\$ (4,091,363)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 12 Obligation:	\$ (4,381,767)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 11 Obligation:	\$ (4,773,350)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 10 Obligation:	\$ (1,740,114)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 09 Obligation:	\$ (1,264,239)
Spent Funds from Approved FY 08 Obligation:	\$ (608,751)
Payback to WRC	\$ (821,516)
<b>BALANCE IN FUND July 30, 2022:</b>	<b>\$ 5,045,569</b>

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

	2019	2020	2021	2022
Annual CRFL - Resident - Fire Fighter	3	11	10	0
Annual Nonresident CRFL	22,488	25,740	27,161	18,388
Annual Resident CRFL	114,589	109,869	92,897	53,250
Annual Resident Unified Inland/CRFL	47,821	87,059	92,925	70,452
Annual Resident Unified Sportsman/CRFL	43,877	47,300	48,034	16,795
Annual Unified Sportsman with CRFL - Fire Fighter	355	518	287	78
Annual Unified Totally Disabled Sportsman with CRFL	0	1	0	0
Infant Lifetime CRFL	91	106	112	76
Infant Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	5,631	5,313	6,137	3,896
Lifetime Unified Inland Fishing/CRFL - Fire Fighter	11	26	34	12
Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	660	1,179	1,593	1,039
Nonresident 10-Day CRFL	134,368	140,063	160,879	103,595
Nonresident Adult Lifetime CRFL	10	25	47	27
Nonresident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	22	24	29	17
Resident 10-Day CRFL	44,724	48,879	45,931	27,447
Resident Adult Care Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	207	82	189	79
Resident Adult Lifetime CRFL	365	546	691	462
Resident Adult Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	1,402	1,598	1,886	772
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime CRFL	894	863	901	760
Resident Disabled Veteran Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	1,072	1,207	1,507	1,013
Resident Legally Blind Lifetime Unified Inland/CRFL	56	33	41	16
Resident Subsistence Unified Inland/CRFL Waiver	30,479	20,189	23,208	22,191
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime CRFL	535	439	482	333
Resident Totally Disabled Lifetime Sportsman/CRFL	336	388	366	238
Resident Unified Sportsman with CRFL - 50 & older	0	0	2,177	2,465
Senior CRFL	4,658	3,803	3,412	1,483
Unified Senior Sportsman CRFL	3,220	1,926	1,611	806
Youth Lifetime CRFL	91	110	136	71
Youth Lifetime Unified Sportsman/CRFL	635	806	979	542
<b>Total</b>	458,600	498,103	513,662	326,303

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

County	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Alamance	4,572	19	4,950	19	4,836	21	2,980	20
Alexander	841	74	879	75	972	74	623	74
Alleghany	281	90	274	91	277	93	189	93
Anson	586	84	576	83	581	86	447	85
Ashe	602	83	558	86	620	83	443	83
Avery	267	91	291	90	346	90	251	89
Beaufort	5,624	16	5,741	18	5,438	18	3,453	17
Bertie	1,518	56	1,515	59	1,558	59	1,029	59
Bladen	1,613	53	1,683	56	1,663	57	963	55
Brunswick	11,504	5	12,300	5	12,138	5	7,294	5
Buncombe	2,074	42	2,344	39	2,501	39	1,756	39
Burke	1,796	49	1,928	49	1,930	49	1,367	48
Cabarrus	3,515	30	3,975	28	4,042	28	2,460	29
Caldwell	2,374	38	2,191	45	2,360	41	1,771	40
Camden	799	76	1,020	71	908	77	568	75
Carteret	10,542	6	11,023	6	10,696	6	6,468	6
Caswell	719	81	763	81	721	81	474	79
Catawba	3,106	33	3,513	34	3,560	34	2,442	30
Chatham	1,991	45	2,205	42	2,239	44	1,341	46
Cherokee	212	96	181	97	238	97	214	94
Chowan	1,342	62	1,348	62	1,455	62	1,014	62
Clay	231	94	151	99	133	99	100	100
Cleveland	1,669	51	1,689	55	1,810	53	1,272	50
Columbus	2,916	35	2,853	36	2,985	35	1,609	35
Craven	8,954	8	9,698	9	9,078	8	5,987	8
Cumberland	6,952	12	7,383	13	7,466	12	4,858	12
Currituck	2,176	39	2,596	38	2,617	38	1,670	38
Dare	6,061	14	6,858	14	6,328	15	3,733	15
Davidson	5,420	17	5,802	17	6,005	16	3,526	16
Davie	1,369	61	1,535	57	1,608	58	903	61
Duplin	3,591	29	3,702	32	3,645	30	1,796	34
Durham	3,929	26	4,496	23	4,100	27	2,807	26
Edgecombe	2,067	43	2,234	41	2,140	45	1,424	44
Forsyth	6,504	13	7,459	12	7,168	13	4,430	13
Franklin	2,118	40	2,334	40	2,347	42	1,501	41
Gaston	4,350	23	4,045	27	4,234	26	2,833	22
Gates	533	86	626	82	587	85	399	86
Graham	92	101	69	101	63	101	66	101
Granville	1,510	57	1,722	54	1,733	55	1,061	58
Greene	1,189	65	1,266	65	1,170	66	621	69
Guilford	8,067	10	8,629	11	8,574	11	5,566	11
Halifax	1,472	60	1,454	61	1,529	60	1,134	56
Harnett	4,179	24	4,478	24	4,397	23	2,677	23
Haywood	489	87	564	84	648	82	469	84
Henderson	810	75	949	73	1,005	72	737	71

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County	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Hertford	1,046	70	1,095	68	1,042	70	763	70
Hoke	1,501	58	1,458	60	1,516	61	1,002	60
Hyde	732	80	780	79	775	80	453	81
Iredell	3,019	34	3,583	33	3,643	31	2,286	31
Jackson	263	92	267	92	299	91	210	92
Johnston	9,106	7	10,467	7	10,216	7	6,322	7
Jones	972	71	1,051	70	1,018	71	578	73
Lee	1,532	55	1,909	50	1,892	51	1,042	53
Lenoir	3,487	31	3,721	30	3,631	33	2,043	32
Lincoln	1,980	46	2,141	46	2,256	43	1,454	42
Macon	236	93	231	94	289	92	187	97
Madison	225	95	185	96	250	95	192	96
Martin	1,904	48	2,081	47	1,997	48	1,252	49
McDowell	783	78	772	80	980	73	547	78
Mecklenburg	7,414	11	9,206	10	8,702	10	5,825	10
Mitchell	166	99	238	93	241	96	175	95
Montgomery	794	77	782	78	791	79	432	80
Moore	2,413	37	2,716	37	2,911	37	1,711	36
Nash	3,615	28	3,925	29	3,919	29	2,518	28
New Hanover	14,091	4	16,165	4	14,752	4	8,987	4
Northampton	675	82	562	85	617	84	475	82
Onslow	17,108	3	19,548	3	17,429	3	11,189	3
Orange	2,664	36	3,007	35	2,954	36	1,801	37
OUT OF STATE	160,192	1	169,642	1	192,595	1	125,846	1
Pamlico	1,699	50	1,907	51	1,911	50	1,166	51
Pasquotank	1,945	47	2,199	44	2,116	47	1,375	45
Pender	6,055	15	6,803	15	6,540	14	3,826	14
Perquimans	1,093	68	1,244	66	1,222	65	811	65
Person	1,082	69	1,158	67	1,146	67	741	66
Pitt	8,623	9	9,721	8	9,052	9	5,502	9
Polk	172	98	179	98	204	98	151	98
Randolph	4,503	21	4,739	21	4,895	19	2,986	19
Richmond	1,205	64	945	74	1,116	68	757	68
Robeson	4,514	20	4,353	26	4,536	22	2,737	24
Rockingham	2,041	44	2,203	43	2,424	40	1,343	43
Rowan	4,435	22	4,886	20	4,872	20	2,618	21
Rutherford	847	73	796	77	966	75	717	72
Sampson	3,313	32	3,716	31	3,635	32	1,929	33
Scotland	946	72	990	72	916	76	574	76
Stanly	2,096	41	1,953	48	2,118	46	1,327	47
Stokes	1,660	52	1,812	52	1,839	52	923	57
Surry	1,573	54	1,733	53	1,794	54	1,095	52
Swain	130	100	139	100	124	100	122	99
Transylvania	301	89	314	89	367	89	244	90
Tyrrell	472	88	554	87	547	87	298	88

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Union	3,709	27	4,354	25	4,289	24	2,643	25
Vance	1,153	67	1,053	69	1,087	69	792	67
Wake	21,749	2	26,729	2	24,876	2	15,968	2
Warren	553	85	468	88	492	88	343	87
Washington	1,308	63	1,324	63	1,249	64	860	63
Watauga	753	79	822	76	907	78	584	77
Wayne	5,377	18	5,989	16	5,606	17	3,276	18
Wilkes	1,499	59	1,534	58	1,675	56	1,063	54
Wilson	3,985	25	4,562	22	4,285	25	2,577	27
Yadkin	1,170	66	1,321	64	1,430	63	748	64
Yancey	195	97	221	95	262	94	191	91
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Avery	267	91	291	90	346	90	251	89
Beaufort	5,624	16	5,741	18	5,438	18	3,453	17
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Bladen	1,613	53	1,683	56	1,663	57	963	55
Brunswick	11,504	5	12,300	5	12,138	5	7,294	5
Buncombe	2,074	42	2,344	39	2,501	39	1,756	39
Burke	1,796	49	1,928	49	1,930	49	1,367	48
Cabarrus	3,515	30	3,975	28	4,042	28	2,460	29
Caldwell	2,374	38	2,191	45	2,360	41	1,771	40
Camden	799	76	1,020	71	908	77	568	75
Carteret	10,542	6	11,023	6	10,696	6	6,468	6
Caswell	719	81	763	81	721	81	474	79
Catawba	3,106	33	3,513	34	3,560	34	2,442	30
Chatham	1,991	45	2,205	42	2,239	44	1,341	46
Cherokee	212	96	181	97	238	97	214	94
Chowan	1,342	62	1,348	62	1,455	62	1,014	62
Clay	231	94	151	99	133	99	100	100
Cleveland	1,669	51	1,689	55	1,810	53	1,272	50
Columbus	2,916	35	2,853	36	2,985	35	1,609	35
Craven	8,954	8	9,698	9	9,078	8	5,987	8
Cumberland	6,952	12	7,383	13	7,466	12	4,858	12
Currituck	2,176	39	2,596	38	2,617	38	1,670	38
Dare	6,061	14	6,858	14	6,328	15	3,733	15
Davidson	5,420	17	5,802	17	6,005	16	3,526	16
Davie	1,369	61	1,535	57	1,608	58	903	61
Duplin	3,591	29	3,702	32	3,645	30	1,796	34
Durham	3,929	26	4,496	23	4,100	27	2,807	26
Edgecombe	2,067	43	2,234	41	2,140	45	1,424	44
Forsyth	6,504	13	7,459	12	7,168	13	4,430	13
Franklin	2,118	40	2,334	40	2,347	42	1,501	41
Gaston	4,350	23	4,045	27	4,234	26	2,833	22
Gates	533	86	626	82	587	85	399	86
Graham	92	101	69	101	63	101	66	101
Granville	1,510	57	1,722	54	1,733	55	1,061	58
Greene	1,189	65	1,266	65	1,170	66	621	69
Guilford	8,067	10	8,629	11	8,574	11	5,566	11
Halifax	1,472	60	1,454	61	1,529	60	1,134	56
Harnett	4,179	24	4,478	24	4,397	23	2,677	23
Haywood	489	87	564	84	648	82	469	84
Henderson	810	75	949	73	1,005	72	737	71

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Hertford	1,046	70	1,095	68	1,042	70	763	70
Hoke	1,501	58	1,458	60	1,516	61	1,002	60
Hyde	732	80	780	79	775	80	453	81
Iredell	3,019	34	3,583	33	3,643	31	2,286	31
Jackson	263	92	267	92	299	91	210	92
Johnston	9,106	7	10,467	7	10,216	7	6,322	7
Jones	972	71	1,051	70	1,018	71	578	73
Lee	1,532	55	1,909	50	1,892	51	1,042	53
Lenoir	3,487	31	3,721	30	3,631	33	2,043	32
Lincoln	1,980	46	2,141	46	2,256	43	1,454	42
Macon	236	93	231	94	289	92	187	97
Madison	225	95	185	96	250	95	192	96
Martin	1,904	48	2,081	47	1,997	48	1,252	49
McDowell	783	78	772	80	980	73	547	78
Mecklenburg	7,414	11	9,206	10	8,702	10	5,825	10
Mitchell	166	99	238	93	241	96	175	95
Montgomery	794	77	782	78	791	79	432	80
Moore	2,413	37	2,716	37	2,911	37	1,711	36
Nash	3,615	28	3,925	29	3,919	29	2,518	28
New Hanover	14,091	4	16,165	4	14,752	4	8,987	4
Northampton	675	82	562	85	617	84	475	82
Onslow	17,108	3	19,548	3	17,429	3	11,189	3
Orange	2,664	36	3,007	35	2,954	36	1,801	37
OUT OF STATE	160,192	1	169,642	1	192,595	1	125,846	1
Pamlico	1,699	50	1,907	51	1,911	50	1,166	51
Pasquotank	1,945	47	2,199	44	2,116	47	1,375	45
Pender	6,055	15	6,803	15	6,540	14	3,826	14
Perquimans	1,093	68	1,244	66	1,222	65	811	65
Person	1,082	69	1,158	67	1,146	67	741	66
Pitt	8,623	9	9,721	8	9,052	9	5,502	9
Polk	172	98	179	98	204	98	151	98
Randolph	4,503	21	4,739	21	4,895	19	2,986	19
Richmond	1,205	64	945	74	1,116	68	757	68
Robeson	4,514	20	4,353	26	4,536	22	2,737	24
Rockingham	2,041	44	2,203	43	2,424	40	1,343	43
Rowan	4,435	22	4,886	20	4,872	20	2,618	21
Rutherford	847	73	796	77	966	75	717	72
Sampson	3,313	32	3,716	31	3,635	32	1,929	33
Scotland	946	72	990	72	916	76	574	76
Stanly	2,096	41	1,953	48	2,118	46	1,327	47
Stokes	1,660	52	1,812	52	1,839	52	923	57
Surry	1,573	54	1,733	53	1,794	54	1,095	52
Swain	130	100	139	100	124	100	122	99
Transylvania	301	89	314	89	367	89	244	90
Tyrrell	472	88	554	87	547	87	298	88



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

County	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Union	3,709	27	4,354	25	4,289	24	2,643	25
Vance	1,153	67	1,053	69	1,087	69	792	67
Wake	21,749	2	26,729	2	24,876	2	15,968	2
Warren	553	85	468	88	492	88	343	87
Washington	1,308	63	1,324	63	1,249	64	860	63
Watauga	753	79	822	76	907	78	584	77
Wayne	5,377	18	5,989	16	5,606	17	3,276	18
Wilkes	1,499	59	1,534	58	1,675	56	1,063	54
Wilson	3,985	25	4,562	22	4,285	25	2,577	27
Yadkin	1,170	66	1,321	64	1,430	63	748	64
Yancey	195	97	221	95	262	94	191	91
	458,600		498,103		513,662		326,303	

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

State	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Alabama	499	26	575	25	640	25	362	27
Alaska	103	48	83	49	133	48	71	49
Arizona	358	29	325	31	516	28	320	28
Arkansas	211	38	236	33	315	34	184	39
California	1,006	21	908	20	1,202	21	718	23
Colorado	926	23	824	22	1,089	22	705	22
Connecticut	1,125	20	840	21	1,479	19	1,112	19
Delaware	2,203	13	2,213	13	2,812	13	1,569	13
District of Columbia	265	33	459	26	431	31	238	33
Florida	3,159	12	3,258	12	3,750	11	2,404	11
Georgia	3,161	11	3,439	11	3,710	12	2,292	12
Hawaii	49	51	37	52	56	52	37	51
Idaho	155	43	130	42	180	44	106	46
Illinois	997	22	1,035	18	1,219	20	810	20
Indiana	1,451	17	1,491	16	1,795	17	1,175	17
Iowa	259	34	204	36	291	36	203	35
Kansas	224	37	223	34	296	35	200	37
Kentucky	1,814	15	2,022	14	2,310	14	1,424	14
Louisiana	227	36	267	32	289	37	207	36
Maine	301	32	187	38	439	30	383	29
Marshall Islands	1	59	1	60	0		0	
Maryland	12,182	4	14,370	4	15,404	4	9,958	4
Massachusetts	1,175	19	971	19	1,582	18	1,172	18
Michigan	1,515	16	1,454	17	2,159	15	1,458	15
Minnesota	372	28	344	28	548	27	323	30
Mississippi	195	39	220	35	199	42	134	41
Missouri	704	24	653	23	810	24	572	25
Montana	153	44	108	45	210	41	140	42
Nebraska	162	42	102	46	179	45	91	47
Nevada	141	45	126	43	154	47	100	45
New Hampshire	446	27	338	29	619	26	537	26
New Jersey	4,914	9	4,364	8	5,594	9	3,966	9
New Mexico	128	46	92	48	163	46	129	44
New York	5,935	8	4,232	9	6,950	8	5,347	8
North Carolina	299,002	1	329,121	1	321,934	1	200,820	1
North Dakota	42	52	47	51	81	51	44	52
Ohio	9,949	5	10,185	6	12,244	5	8,100	5
Oklahoma	247	35	203	37	277	38	227	34
Oregon	188	40	139	41	197	43	142	40
Pennsylvania	24,036	3	25,695	3	30,046	3	19,937	3
Rhode Island	123	47	94	47	211	40	112	43
South Carolina	9,402	6	10,231	5	10,657	6	7,130	6
South Dakota	71	50	111	44	124	49	69	50
Tennessee	3,410	10	3,638	10	4,267	10	2,555	10
Texas	1,844	14	1,692	15	1,950	16	1,246	16

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

State	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
Utah	178	41	160	40	260	39	177	38
Vermont	324	31	171	39	420	33	327	31
Virginia	52,951	2	61,354	2	61,850	2	38,972	2
Washington	332	30	332	30	431	32	286	32
West Virginia	8,068	7	7,713	7	9,625	7	6,215	7
Wisconsin	557	25	589	24	898	23	629	24
Wyoming	103	49	81	50	117	50	79	48
	457,343		497,687		513,112		325,514	

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

Country	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
ALBANIA	1	47	0		2	2	2	29
ALGERIA	0		0		0		0	
AMERICAN SAMOA	0		0		1	2	0	
ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	0		0		0		0	
ARGENTINA	4	18	1	23	6		3	16
ARUBA	0		0		0		0	
AUSTRALIA	11	10	3	13	1	2	2	20
AUSTRIA	3	24	0		0		1	40
BAHAMAS	0		0		0		0	
BELARUS	1	48	1	24	0		0	
BELGIUM	3	25	0		0		3	11
BELIZE	1	49	0		0		0	
BENIN	0		0		0		0	
BERMUDA	0		0		1	2	0	
BOLIVIA	0		0		0		0	
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1	50	0		0		0	
BRAZIL	2	35	2	16	3	1	1	21
BULGARIA	0		0		1	3	0	
CANADA	535	2	42	5	66		313	2
CAYMAN ISLANDS	1	51	0		0		0	
CHILE	4	19	0		0		0	
CHINA	9	11	3	14	2	2	2	22
COLOMBIA	2	36	1	25	0		0	
COSTA RICA	3	26	1	26	4	1	0	
CUBA	3	27	0		1	3	0	23
CZECH REPUBLIC	2	37	0		3	1	1	41
DENMARK	5	17	0		0		3	17
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	1	52	0		4	1	4	18
ECUADOR	4	20	1	27	5	1	1	42
EL SALVADOR	46	6	44	4	49		48	6
ERITREA	0		2	17	0		0	
FINLAND	0		0		0		0	43
FRANCE	7	12	0		4	1	1	44
GEORGIA	0		1	28	3	1	2	30
GERMANY	39	7	2	18	12		21	7
GREECE	0		0		0		1	45
GUADELOUPE	1	53	0		0		0	
GUAM	0		0		0		0	
GUATEMALA	31	8	30	6	27		19	8
HAITI	0		0		0		0	
HONDURAS	56	5	47	3	71		53	4
HONG KONG	1	54	0		0		0	
HUNGARY	0		0		0		0	
ICELAND	2	38	0		0		0	

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

Country	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
INDIA	1	55	0		0		0	
IRELAND	4	21	1	29	0		2	31
ISRAEL	2	39	1	30	0		0	32
ITALY	3	28	0		0		5	12
JAMAICA	2	40	2	19	0		2	33
JAPAN	4	22	0		0		3	13
JORDAN	1	56	0		0		0	
KAZAKHSTAN	0		0		0		0	
KENYA	1	57	0		0		0	47
KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'	0		1	31	0		0	
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	6	14	2	20	1	3	3	24
LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC R	0		4	10	1	3	2	34
LATVIA	0		0		0		0	
LEBANON	0		0		1	3	0	
LITHUANIA	1	58	0		0		1	35
LUXEMBOURG	0		0		1	3	0	
MALAYSIA	0		0		0		0	
MAYOTTE	0		0		0		0	
MEXICO	175	3	119	2	160		106	3
MICRONESIA, FEDERATED STA	0		0		0		1	48
MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF	0		0		0		0	
MONACO	0		0		0		1	49
MOROCCO	0		0		0		0	
NETHERLANDS	3	29	1	32	1	3	3	14
NEW ZEALAND	6	15	1	33	1	3	1	50
NICARAGUA	1	59	2	21	2	2	2	25
NIGER	0		2	22	0		0	
NORFOLK ISLAND	1	60	0		0		0	
NORWAY	2	41	0		1	3	2	26
OMAN	0		0		0		0	
OTHER	13	9	6	9	2	2	1	15
PANAMA	0		0		0		1	51
PERU	0		1	34	1	3	2	27
PHILIPPINES	3	30	4	11	1	4	2	28
POLAND	3	31	4	12	0		3	10
PORTUGAL	0		0		5	1	2	36
PUERTO RICO	3	32	7	8	6	1	2	37
QATAR	1	61	0		0		0	
ROMANIA	2	42	1	35	0		1	52
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	7	13	0		2	2	0	
SAINT LUCIA	0		1	36	0		0	
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRE	0		0		0		0	

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

Country	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank	No. Sold	Rank
SAUDI ARABIA	1	62	0		0		0	
SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO	0		1	37	0		0	
SINGAPORE	0		0		0		0	
SLOVAKIA	0		1	38	0		0	53
SLOVENIA	0		0		1	4	0	
SOUTH AFRICA	6	16	1	39	1	4	6	9
SPAIN	3	33	0		3	1	2	38
SWEDEN	4	23	3	15	2	2	1	39
SWITZERLAND	2	43	0		2	2	4	19
TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA	3	34	0		0		0	
THAILAND	2	44	0		1	4	0	
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	0		0		0		1	54
TURKEY	0		0		0		0	
UKRAINE	2	45	0		0		1	55
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	0		0		1	4	0	
UNITED KINGDOM	62	4	12	7	17		42	5
UNITED STATES	457,486	1	497,740	1	513,181		325,615	1
UNITED STATES MINOR OUTLY	2	46	0		0		1	56
URUGUAY	0		0		1	4	0	
VENEZUELA	1	63	1	40	0		0	
VIET NAM	1	64	1	41	0		0	
VIRGIN ISLANDS, BRITISH	0		1	42	0		0	
VIRGIN ISLANDS, U.S.	0		1	43	0		0	57
ZIMBABWE	1	65	0		0		1	58
	458,600		498,103		513,662		326,303	

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

		2007					
		0 to 18 Feet	> 18 to 38 Feet	> 38 to 50 Feet	> 50 Feet	Total Sold	% Sold
<b>For Hire Blanket Type</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>							
	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>							
	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>							
	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>							
	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	330	72	108	523	92%
More than 6 passengers	0	4	11	29	44	8%
	13	334	83	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%
Blanket For-Hire Captain's CRFL						
Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	71	13%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	0%
Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL						
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%
Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License						
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	135	18%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4	1%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	6	230	62	106	404	55%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	2	5	18	25	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	25	14	15	54	7%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	1	4	5	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	22	81	2	1	106	14%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	1	0	0	1	0%
	28	339	84	144	734	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	117	14%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	4	292	71	94	461	56%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	6	16	23	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	29	10	16	55	7%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	0	2	2	0%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	26	130	6	2	164	20%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	3	0	0	3	0%
	30	455	93	130	828	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	109	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	303	67	90	464	59%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	5	22	28	4%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	42	8	16	66	8%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	1	1	2	0%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	25	84	5	3	117	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	432	86	132	790	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	121	15%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	10	333	74	93	510	61%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	2	4	26	32	4%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	32	13	17	62	7%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	1	2	2	5	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	20	79	0	1	100	12%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	2	0	0	2	0%
	30	449	93	139	834	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	148	17%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	7	335	74	95	511	57%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	1	3	24	28	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	49	11	11	71	8%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	1	5	4	10	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	16	102	4	1	123	14%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	2	0	1	3	0%
	23	490	97	136	896	100%
	<b>2020</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	122	15%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	7	330	65	87	489	59%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	0	3	10	13	2%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	46	15	14	75	9%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	1	7	2	10	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	26	60	1	0	87	11%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	4	0	1	5	1%
Others	2	19	1	0	22	3%
	35	460	92	114	827	100%

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

	2021					
	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	168	15%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6	1%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	13	504	82	111	710	63%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	3	8	21	32	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	48	8	19	75	7%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	6	2	8	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	14	42	1	0	57	5%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	4	0	0	4	0%
Others	10	55	2	1	68	6%
	37	656	107	154	1,128	100%
	<b>2022</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	162	15%
Non-Resident	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4	0%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	18	495	84	113	710	64%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	3	7	19	29	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	48	11	12	71	6%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	4	4	8	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	7	26	0	0	33	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	2	0	0	2	0%
Others	15	73	1	2	91	8%
	40	647	107	150	1,110	100%

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

	2023					
	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	27	15%
<b>Blanket For-Hire Vessel CRFL</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	3	86	10	12	111	61%
More than 6 passengers Resident	0	0	1	4	5	3%
Six or fewer passengers Non-Resident	0	6	1	4	11	6%
More than 6 passengers Non-Resident	0	0	1	1	2	1%
<b>Non-Blanket For-Hire Vessel License</b>						
Six or fewer passengers Resident	2	4	0	0	6	3%
Others	4	15	0	0	19	10%
	9	111	13	21	181	100%

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Number of For Hire Blanket Coastal Recreational Fishing Licenses sold by state of residence by fiscal year.

State	2019		2020		2021		2022		2023	
	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers	<= 6 Passengers	> 6 Passengers
Connecticut	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delaware	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Florida	2	2	2	0	2	1	3	1	0	1
Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massachusetts	1	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	1	0
Maryland	4	0	6	0	9	0	5	0	0	0
Maine	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Missouri	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Carolina	505	29	497	16	721	35	715	32	111	5
North Dakota	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Hampshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Jersey	2	0	3	0	2	0	2	1	1	0
New York	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ohio	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pennsylvania	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
South Carolina	26	2	26	6	27	3	31	3	3	1
Tennessee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Texas	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Virginia	18	0	19	0	20	1	18	0	5	0
West Virginia	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>563</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>7</b>

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

Sales Outlet	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold
License Agents	276,527	60.30	249,536	50.10	247,989	48.28	140,538	43.07
Online	139,335	30.38	216,767	43.52	229,045	44.59	155,300	47.59
WRC Helpdesk (Telephone)	9,647	2.10	10,811	2.17	11,678	2.27	7,016	2.15
DSS *	30,479	6.65	20,189	4.05	23,208	4.52	22,191	6.80
DMF Agent	1,345	0.29	451	0.09	749	0.15	654	0.20
WRC Front Counter	1,102	0.24	340	0.07	903	0.18	604	0.19
WRC Education Center	165	0.04	9	0.00	90	0.02	0	0.00
	<b>458,600</b>		<b>498,103</b>		<b>513,662</b>		<b>326,303</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	2019		2020		2021		2022	
	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold	No. Sold	% Sold
Morehead City	662	49.22	133	29.49	336	44.86	314	58.91
Manteo	343	25.50	145	32.15	231	30.84	91	17.07
Wilmington	171	12.71	54	11.97	78	10.41	61	11.44
Washington	87	6.47	47	10.42	63	8.41	67	12.57
Elizabeth City	82	6.10	72	15.96	41	5.47	0	0.00
	<b>1,345</b>		<b>451</b>		<b>749</b>		<b>533</b>	

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