

Spillway Rules

From Public Notice F9-3428

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2. Be it further ordered that legal sport fishing trotlines and/or throwlines, set hooks, limblines, FFFDs, and yo-yos may not be fished in the waters listed in 2B-2M.
 - 2B. Sardis Lower Lake from the outlet structure to Spaulding Creek (Barrow Lake) ;however, FFFDs are permitted in the Barrow Lake area.
 - 2C. Bay Springs Lock from outlet downstream to Mississippi Hwy 4 overpass.
 - 2D. Lock "E" from spillway outlet downstream to Mile Marker 406.
 - 2E. Lock "D" from spillway outlet downstream to Mile Marker 398.
 - 2F. Lock "C" from spillway outlet downstream to Hwy 78 overpass.
 - 2G. Lock "B" from spillway outlet downstream to Mile Marker 375.
 - 2H. Lock "A" from spillway outlet downstream to Hwy 6 overpass.
 - 2I. Aberdeen Lake from spillway outlet downstream to U.S. highway 45 overpass, including the auxiliary spillway and associated bank fishing access area in the Tombigbee River cutoff below the dam.
 - 2J. Columbus Lake from spillway outlet downstream to Mile Marker 334, including the auxiliary spillway and associated bank fishing access area in the Tombigbee River Cutoff below the dam.
 - 2K. Spillways of Ross Barnett and Okatibbee Reservoirs, Grenada, Enid, Sardis and Arkabutla Lakes from spillway outlets to the end of rip rap.
 - 2L. Bluff Lake spillway in Noxubee County
 - 2M. Lowhead dam on Ross Barnett Reservoir from the dam to the end of the Idle Speed Only/No Wake Zone area downstream of the dam.
3. Be it further ordered that the following regulations apply in the waters listed in 3A-3C:
 - i. Anglers fishing these waters may use no more than one (1) pole or rod per person except for those persons fishing in 3C.

ii. December 1 until the last day of February, anglers may use no more than two (2) single hooks no larger than #2. No bare or baited treble hooks are allowed.

iii. From March 1 until November 30, anglers may use no more than two (2) single hooks of any size. No bare or baited treble hooks are allowed.

iv. Hooks must be secured at least one inch apart.

v. Artificial lures with no more than three (3) treble hooks no larger than # 2 may be fished year around.

3A. Spillways of Ross Barnett and Okatibbee Reservoirs, Grenada, Enid, Sardis and Arkabutla Lakes from spillway outlets to the end of rip rap.

3B. Bluff Lake spillway in Noxubee County

3C. Lowhead dam on Ross Barnett Reservoir from the dam to the end of the Idle Speed Only/No Wake Zone area downstream of the dam.

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