BERRY AND DEXTER PONDS

Winthrop and Wayne Twps., Kennebec County U.S.G.S. Wayne, Maine

Fishes

Smallmouth bass	Minnows
Largemouth bass	White sucker
White perch	Hornpout (bullhead)
Yellow perch	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Chain pickerel	American eel

Physical Characteristics

Temperatures
Berry Pond
Surface - 72° F.
25 feet - 55° F.
Dexter Pond
Surface - 72° F.
23 feet - 53°F.

Maximum depth Berry Pond - 25 feet Dexter Pond - 25 feet

Principal Fishery: Largemouth bass, Smallmouth bass, White perch, Chain pickerel

Berry and Dexter Ponds should continue to be managed for their warm water species. Oxygen deficiencies occur in the cool water below 15 feet. This lack of dissolved oxygen and the abundant populations competitory species make the ponds unsuitable for trout management.

Although not confirmed, it is believed that northern pike have found their way into these ponds. The habitat of these ponds will support a self-sustaining pike population once spawning occurs.

A state owned carry-in access site is located off state route 133 on the north shore of Berry Pond.

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