

SPRING POND (MUDDY POND) Washington Twp., Knox County U.S.G.S Washington, Maine

Fishes

Brook trout Yellow perch Chain pickerel Minnows Golden shiner White sucker Pumpkinseed sunfish American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 18 acres

Maximum depth - 22 feet

Temperatures: Surface - 74⁰F 20 feet - 55⁰F

Principal fishery: Chain pickerel

Historically Spring Pond was noted for a good brook trout fishery. Since the introduction of warmwater species from an unknown source this fishery has nearly disappeared although an occasional trout may immigrate from the outlet stream.

Unfortunately, reclaimation is not an option due to the lack of a barrier downstream. The pond also has 'boggy' areas that make complete removal of undesirable species difficult.

Hand carried boats may be launched along Route 105.

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