HORNE POND (PEQUAWKET LAKE)

Limington Twp., York Co. U.S.G.S. Steep Falls, Me. (7.5') Fishes

Brown trout	Minnov			
Brook trout	Gol			
Rainbow smelt	Fal			
Smallmouth bass	White			
White perch	Hornpo			
Yellow perch	Bandeo			
Chain pickerel	Pumkir			
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Minnows Golden shiner Fallfish White sucker Hornpout (bullhead) Banded killifish Pumkinseed sunfish Redbreast sunfish American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area -	1	66	acres			Temperatures:				
						Surface - 74°			74 [°] F	
Maximu	m	der	oth	-	58	feet	35	feet	-	41 [°] F

Principal fisheries: Brown trout, brook trout, smallmouth bass, chain pickerel

The shoreline of this pond is well developed with seasonal and year round homes, typical of ponds in York County. The pond thermally stratifies during the summer months, but areas below 30 feet deep are deficient in oxygen. Despite this limitation there is suitable water quality to support a coldwater fishery. Horne Pond is managed for cold and warmwater fisheries. Brown and brook trout fisheries are sustained through an annual maintenance stocking program. There is insufficient spawning and nursery habitat to allow either species of trout to become self-sustaining. The presence of competing warmwater fish and somewhat limited water quality compromise trout management efforts.

Boat access is available at a privately owned camp ground located off the North Road. Public access accommodations are tentative and could be terminated in the future. There is a need to secure permanent public access provisions to this pond.

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