

LIMERICK TWP, YORK CO., MAINE

46 ACRES

## PICKEREL POND Limerick TWP., York Co. U.S.G.S. Limerick, Me. (7.5')

Fishes

Largemouth bass Yellow perch Chain pickerel Minnows Golden shiner Hornpout (bullhead) Pumpkinseed sunfish

Physical Characteristics

Area - 46 acres

Temperatures: Surface - 72°F 16 feet - 78°F

Maximum depth - 16 feet

Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass, yellow perch, and chain pickerel

Water quality is considered very good for resident warmwater fisheries, but unsuitable for coldwater fish. The pond does not thermally stratify in the summer, providing little or no coldwater habitat for trout. Competition and predation from existing populations of warmwater fish further diminish the opportunity to manage for coldwater fish. Pickerel Pond is best managed for existing warmwater fisheries.

Public boat access exists off Route 11, within the MDOT right-of-way. A small gravel ramp provides access for small trailered watercraft. Limited parking will only accommodate a few vehicles.

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