

**Resident Live Fish Transport/Import Permit Fee \$23.50**  
**Nonresident Live Fish Transport/Import Permit Fee \$28.00**  
Payable upon application  
**Allow 3 weeks for processing**



State of Idaho  
Department of Fish and Game

## APPLICATION FOR LIVE FISH TRANSPORT / IMPORT PERMIT

You do not need a live fish transport permit if you have a valid Private Pond Permit and a commercial fish hatchery licensed in the State of Idaho is going to haul the fish to your pond (exception for grass carp). If you do not meet the above criteria, please fill out the application and return it to an Idaho Fish and Game regional office nearest you.

FOR:

\_\_\_\_\_ Import fish/eggs into the State of Idaho

\_\_\_\_\_ Transport fish/eggs within the State of Idaho

Application (Please type or print):

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SSN (Required):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Drivers License #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Issue Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tele. #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Height:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Eye Color:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DOB:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fax #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **e-mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_

# of Fish/eggs	Species	Source/Supplier Body of water, Name, Address, Tele. #	Destination Name, Address

Additional Stipulations:

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This transportation permit is issued in conjunction with the Permittee's Private Pond Permit Number \_\_\_\_\_, and is not transferable. Please issue the permit for the following time period:

\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

(month/day/year)

(month/day/year)

**STIPULATIONS OF THE LIVE TRANSPORTATION PERMIT**

1. A private pond permit is required before stocking of fish is allowed, even if the fish are purchased from and transported by a commercial fish facility. Fish species must be approved on your private pond permit prior to stocking.
2. No permit is required to:
  - . Transport fish between licensed commercial fish facilities,
  - . Transport fish by a commercial fish facility operator to a permitted private pond,
  - . Import rainbow trout (all color phases), blue and channel catfish, or Coho salmon to a licensed commercial fish facility. A permit is required, however, to transport these fish live within the state unless a commercial operator is doing the hauling.
3. Only warm water species (bass, bluegill, catfish, crappie) may be taken from the wild for transport and release into a private pond.
4. Collection methods are limited to legal sport fishing methods and all regulations and rules (bag limits, minimum size, gear, etc.) must be complied with. A valid Idaho fishing license is required. Other anglers may assist in collecting fish with the permittee, however, the transport permit must be in possession and legally licensed anglers in the transport vehicle or following close by, or a signed proxy transport statement from each angler with the transport permit.
5. Grass carp (white amur) must be certified triploid by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service and the fish must be certified free of the Asian Tapeworm. Ponds receiving grass carp must be screened to prevent loss of fish, or have no outlet. An inspection of the pond by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game is required before a permit will be issued.

**Approval is required by the Eagle Fish Health Lab, Region, and Fisheries Bureau.**

6. Illegal release of live fish has serious adverse effect on existing fish populations and on fishing. If you suspect an illegal fish release has occurred or may occur, report it to the nearest Department representative or call the CAP toll-free number 1-800-632-5999.

I the undersigned applicant agree and accept  
all provisions and stipulations listed above

Virgil Moore, Director  
Department of Fish and Game

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Signature of Applicant                      Date

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief, Fisheries Bureau or Reg. Sup. Date

**For Department of Fish and Game Use Only**

Transport/Import Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_

Private Pond Permit No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_ Issued By: \_\_\_\_\_

Regional Approval: Y / N Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

Fisheries Bureau Approval: Y / N Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

Eagle Fish Health Lab Approval: Y / N Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send to:**

**Eagle Fish Health Laboratory  
1800 Trout Rd.  
Eagle, Idaho 83616  
(208) 939-2413  
Fax: (208) 939 2415**