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2007 SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES

SB 2332

2007 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

Bill/Resolution No. SB 2332

Senate Natural Resources Committee

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Hearing Date: February 1, 2007

Recorder Job Number: # 2569

Committee Clerk Signature



Minutes:

Senator Stanley Lyson, Chairman of the Senate Natural Resources Committee opened the hearing SB 2332 relating to nonresident fishing license fees.

All members of the committee were present.

Senator Dwight Cook of District 34 prime sponsor of SB 2332 introduced the bill stating he brought the bill before the committee on behalf of a constituent. He proclaimed himself as not being a fisherman. The bill is not to fix a problem but to introduce an opportunity for the state of North Dakota to have a justified way of adjusting the out of state fishing licenses. It is assumed to generate money that could be used to access the state's rivers and lakes. He presented a handout to the committee consisting of a spread sheet developed by the constituent (See attachment # 1). The bill is not intended to keep any fisherman out of our state. The fiscal note does not reflect the revenue expected by the constituent.

Senator Joel Heitkamp asked about the bookkeeping for the small license vendors and if this will present an added burden for them.

Senator Cook responded he assumes there will an added administrative burden and that the North Dakota Game and Fish Department will explain that issue.

Senator Heitkamp asked if North Dakota could not develop that same kind of handout listing the reciprocal license fees to be distributed to the license vendors.

Senator Cook felt that could be done but he is not the person selling the licenses.

Senator Lyson asked for opposing testimony.

Duane Ash representing the North Dakota Sportsfishing Congress testified in opposition to SB 2332 (See attachment # 2).

Kyle Blanchfield, President of the North Dakota Professional Guides and Outfitters Association testified in opposition to SB 2332 (See attachment # 3).

Leslie Korgel, McLean County Auditor testified in opposition to SB 2332 (See attachment # 4).

Additional written testimony opposing SB 2332 from **Foster Hager** of the Cass County Wildlife Club was distributed to the committee (See attachment # 5)

Senator Lyson asked for neutral testimony of SB 2332 and hearing none closed the hearing on SB 2332.

Senator Heitkamp made a motion for a Do Not Pass of SB 2332.

Senator Ben Tollefson second the motion.

A roll call vote for a Do Not Pass of SB 2332 was taken indicating 7 Yeas, 0 Nays and 0 absent or not present.

Senator Tollefson will carry SB 2332.

FISCAL NOTE
 Requested by Legislative Council
 01/19/2007

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 2332

1A. **State fiscal effect:** *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

	2005-2007 Biennium		2007-2009 Biennium		2009-2011 Biennium	
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds
Revenues				\$10,000		\$20,000
Expenditures				\$5,000		\$2,000
Appropriations						

1B. **County, city, and school district fiscal effect:** *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

2005-2007 Biennium			2007-2009 Biennium			2009-2011 Biennium		
Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts	Counties	Cities	School Districts

2A. **Bill and fiscal impact summary:** *Provide a brief summary of the measure, including description of the provisions having fiscal impact (limited to 300 characters).*

Nonresident fishing license fees would be changed from one set fee to the same fee as in the home state of the nonresident license buyer. The home state fee would be used if it is higher than the North Dakota fee. It is anticipated that this would result in a small increase in annual revenue.

B. **Fiscal impact sections:** *Identify and provide a brief description of the sections of the measure which have fiscal impact. Include any assumptions and comments relevant to the analysis.*

Some states do have higher fishing license fees than North Dakota, so there would be a small increase in revenue from nonresident fishing licenses.

3. **State fiscal effect detail:** *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

A. **Revenues:** *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

About 45% of nonresident fishing license sales are to Minnesotans. Their individual fishing license costs \$35, the same as ND, so there would be no change in revenue there. There would be a small increase in revenue from licenses sold to nonresidents from other states. It is difficult to estimate this, but it could be up to \$10,000 per year.

B. **Expenditures:** *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*

Initially it would cost about \$5000 to set up the computer software to implement this license fee system. License fees change regularly in other states, so this will have to be monitored and system changes made as needed. There will be ongoing costs for this.

C. **Appropriations:** *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency and fund affected. Explain the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations. Indicate whether the appropriation is also included in the executive budget or relates to a continuing appropriation.*

Name:	Paul T. Schadewald	Agency:	ND Game and Fish Department
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Phone Number: 328-6328

Date Prepared: 01/19/2007

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410)
February 1, 2007 1:54 p.m.

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2332: Natural Resources Committee (Sen. Lyson, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (7 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2332 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

2007 TESTIMONY

SB 2332

Non-Resident State Fishing fees. As of 13 January 2007 Attachment #1

State	Annual	1 day	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Alabama	\$31							\$11								
Alaska	\$145	\$20		\$35		\$55									\$80	
Arkansas	\$40			\$11				\$17							\$22	
Arizona *1	\$70.25					\$32										
California	\$100	\$12.10	\$1865								\$37.50					
Colorado	\$55					\$20										
Connecticut	\$40			\$16												
Delaware	\$15							\$5.20								
Florida	\$31.50							\$16.50								
Georgia	\$24	\$3.50						\$7								
Hawaii	NA															
Idaho	\$82	\$11.50														
Illinois	\$24.50	\$5.50									\$13					
Kansas	\$42.15	\$7.15				\$22.15										
Iowa	\$39.50	\$9		\$16				\$30.50								
Louisiana	\$60	\$5			\$15											\$25
Kentucky	\$35	\$7	\$14	\$21												
Maryland *2																
Maine	\$35	\$11		\$23.50												
Michigan	\$42	\$7														
Massachusetts	\$37.50			\$23.50												
Mississippi	\$50	\$8		\$15												
Minnesota *3	\$35	\$9.50	\$21					\$25								
Montana	\$60										\$43.50					
Missouri	\$35															
Nevada	\$69	\$18+7 each add. day														
Nebraska	\$50	\$8		\$19												
New Hampshire	\$53	\$15		\$15				\$35								
New Jersey	\$34		\$9					\$19								
New Mexico	\$56	\$12				\$24										
New York	\$40	\$15						\$25								
N. Dakota *4	\$37			\$17							\$27					
N. Carolina	\$30	\$10														
Ohio	\$41	\$12	\$20													
Oklahoma	\$37					\$18.50										
Oregon	\$61.50	\$12	\$22.50	\$33	\$43.50			\$43.75								
Pennsylvania	\$52			\$26				\$34								
Rhode Island	\$35			\$16												
S. Carolina	\$35							\$11								
S. Dakota *5	\$60	\$14		\$32												
Tennessee	\$41			\$16.50							\$25.50					
Texas	\$55	\$17+ 8 ea. add. day														
Utah	\$70	\$12						\$32								
Vermont	\$41															
State	Annual	1 day	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Virginia	\$35					\$15										
Washington	\$43	\$14	\$20	\$26	\$30	\$34										
W. Virginia	\$47	\$15														
Wisconsin	\$50				\$24											
Wyoming	\$75 *6	\$10														

- *1. Arizona: 4 months \$39.75
- *2. Maryland: License fees for non-resident vary by state. See additional attachment.
- *3. Minnesota: Married couple, \$36. Family \$47 includes children under 16
- *4. N. Dakota: Husband-Wife \$47
- *5. S. Dakota: \$60 is either Husband-Wife or Single.

Fishing in Maryland

Non-Resident License Fees



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Non-Resident Freshwater Fishing License Fees

STATE	ANNUAL	5-DAY	3-DAY
Alabama	\$31.00	\$8.00	\$5.00
Alaska	\$100.00	\$21.50	\$20.00
Arizona	\$51.50	\$21.00	\$13.00
Arkansas	\$32.00	\$14.00	\$11.00
California	\$88.20	\$25.20	\$23.00
Colorado	\$40.25	\$18.25	\$11.00
Connecticut	\$40.00	\$27.00	\$16.00
Delaware	\$20.50	\$7.50	\$5.00
Florida	\$31.50	\$12.00	\$5.00
Georgia	\$24.00	\$17.50	\$10.50
Hawaii	\$25.00	\$7.50	\$5.00
Idaho	\$74.50	\$26.50	\$18.50
Indiana	\$24.75	\$9.00	\$5.00
Iowa	\$39.50	\$22.00	\$15.50
Illinois	\$24.50	\$9.50	\$7.50
Kansas	\$43.25	\$21.75	\$13.00
Kentucky	\$35.00	\$25.00	\$21.00
Louisiana	\$60.00	\$19.00	\$11.50
Maine	\$53.00	\$27.00	\$24.00
Massachusetts	\$37.50	\$30.00	\$23.50
Michigan	\$41.00	\$28.00	\$21.00
Minnesota	\$36.00	\$18.00	\$11.00
Mississippi	\$33.00	\$28.00	\$17.00
Missouri	\$35.00	\$25.00	\$15.00
Montana	\$69.25	\$32.90	\$23.50
Nebraska	\$45.00	\$28.00	\$14.00
Nevada	\$69.00	\$46.00	\$32.00
New Hampshire	\$53.00	\$31.50	\$28.00
New Jersey	\$34.00	\$14.00	\$8.50
New Mexico	\$44.00	\$21.00	\$13.00
New York	\$40.00	\$18.00	\$11.00

North Carolina	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$15.00
North Dakota	\$37.00	\$25.00	\$17.00
Ohio	\$40.00	\$31.00	\$19.00
Oklahoma	\$37.00	\$18.50	\$11.50
Oregon	\$61.50	\$43.50	\$33.00
Pennsylvania	\$51.00	\$43.50	\$26.00
Rhode Island	\$35.00	\$27.00	\$16.00
South Carolina	\$35.00	\$8.00	\$5.00
South Dakota	\$59.00	\$50.00	\$30.00
Tennessee	\$51.00	\$34.00	\$20.50
Texas	\$55.00	\$49.00	\$33.00
Utah	\$70.00	\$23.00	\$14.00
Vermont	\$41.00	\$33.50	\$20.00
Virginia	\$30.00	\$7.50	\$5.00
Washington	\$43.80	\$16.50	\$10.00
West Virginia	\$40.00	\$25.00	\$15.00
Wisconsin	\$40.00	\$22.50	\$13.50
Wyoming	\$75.00	\$50.00	\$30.00
Washington D.C	\$20.50	\$7.50	\$5.00

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TESTIMONY OF DUAINE ASH, LOBBYIST #465
PRESENTED TO THE SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES

ON

SB 2332
FEB 1, 2007

Chairman and members of the Senate Natural Resource Committee:

The North Dakota Sportfishing Congress is opposed to the passage of SB 2332 for the following reasons:

1. It would be a logistical nightmare to ^{ask w/ time} enforce. The only way to be enforceable would be if each licensing issuer would have a computerized system to enter the information.
2. Many of the shops that sell licenses had employees that might be inclined to making mistakes in filling out the licenses due to the lack of interest or being to busy. Who would be responsible for the errors when filling out the licenses (owners, employees or NDG&F)?
3. According to the NDG&F fiscal note on this bill it wouldn't be a great revenue generator.

Please oppose SB 2332

Thank you for your time.

**Senate Natural Resource Committee
February 1, 2007**

**Testimony of Kyle Blanchfield
Senate Bill 2332**

Mr. Chairman and members of the Senate Natural Resource Committee. My name is Kyle Blanchfield. I am the President of the North Dakota Professional Guides and Outfitters Association and owner of Woodland Resort, a lakeside hunting and fishing resort on Devils Lake, ND.

I am here today to urge you to not support SB 2332 and ask for a DO NOT PASS recommendation.

This bill has some serious negative ramifications. I understand the spirit of reciprocity this bill is trying to address. In reality this bill will hurt North Dakotan's and business that depend on nonresident anglers. Here is a list of concerns that you need to understand.

- Variable fees are very confusing for everyone, especially the vender.
- New systems will need to be created and will be costly. Current on site computers aren't working effectively or efficiently. Asking vendors to shoulder the costs for equipment needed to administer this bill is unfair and will actually diminish the number of retail or vendor locations willing to sell licenses. The fee that vendors charge will need to be increased.
- Reciprocity issues are understandable, but in the end ND tourism will be the one hurt most.
- Nonresident anglers are an important market for many areas in ND. We don't need any negative issues to deter them, again local business that cater to nonresident anglers will be hurt.
- Other states have lower fees for hunting, fishing or other activities, reciprocity works both ways and could cost ND anglers and hunters more when they travel out-of-state.
- Tourism is one of the fastest growing sectors of North Dakota's economy. Tit for tat battle hurt everyone.
- If Game and Fish needs additional revenue, across the board license fee increases are understandable. Resident license fees for fishing have not seen a rate increase for nearly 20 years. Most states that charge a higher fee for nonresident anglers than the rate North Dakota charges, also have a much higher rate for their own residents than the rate North Dakota charges our own residents.

Simply put, this bill causes more harm than good and will be difficult to administer. Please consider a DO NOT PASS recommendation.

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- **Walleye:** The Missouri River, including Lakes Sakakawea and Oahe, and Devils Lake produce good catches of walleye.
- **Perch:** Devils Lake's perch fishery commonly produces catches of 1 pound-plus fish.
- **Paddlefish:** The Missouri and Yellowstone rivers' confluence provides the best paddle fishing in the state. A special tag is required to fish for paddlefish.
- **Chinook Salmon:** Lake Sakakawea is best for chinook salmon in spring and fall.
- **Catfish:** Best catfishing is found on the Red River, Garrison Dam Tailrace, directly below Lake Sakakawea, and Lake Tschida in southwestern part of the state.
- **Northern Pike** are common in many lakes and rivers.
- **Bass, bluegill, crappie, muskellunge, sauger, and trout** are found in many waters, too numerous to list here.

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Fishing Licenses

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- Resident Fishing, Hunting, and Furbearer Certificate - \$1. Prerequisite for all licenses.
- Resident Individual Season Fishing (Age 16 and older) - \$10. Under 16 - no license required, except to take paddlefish.
- Resident Husband and Wife Season Fishing - \$14.
- Resident 65 Years and Older Season Fishing - \$3.
- Resident Combination License - Includes fishing, general game and habitat, small game, and furbearer licenses - \$32.
- Resident Paddlefish tag - \$3.
- Nonresident Fishing, Hunting and Furbearer Certificate - \$2. Prerequisite for all licenses.
- Nonresident Individual Season Fishing (Age 16 and older) - \$35. Under 16 - no license required if accompanied by a licensed adult, except to take paddlefish.
- Nonresident Husband and Wife Season Fishing - \$45.

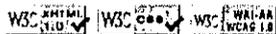
- Nonresident 3 Day Fishing - \$15.
- Nonresident 10 Day Fishing - \$25.
- Nonresident Paddlefish tag - \$7.50.

Fishing season begins April 1st of each year, although not all species and waters open at the same time. See the [North Dakota Fishing Guide](#) for detailed regulations.

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Boaters will find many North Dakota waters are open to them, whether they are fishing or pleasure boating. [Go here for more information on boating in North Dakota.](#)

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701.328.6300 General Inquiries

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- Snowmobiles **Note:** if you are a nonresident attending high school or a university in Wisconsin, or you are a nonresident who is an active member of armed forces stationed in Wisconsin, please contact your nearest DNR Service Center for
- Validation Stations
- Online Renewals information on licenses that may be available to you.

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Select a license and click Go!



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Non-Resident Combination	\$	DNR	Agents & Phone	Buy Online	Online Delivery
Conservation Patron (more information)	600.00	X	X	X	
Conservation Patron Junior (issued to 12 - 17 year olds) (more information)	77.00	X	X	X	
Sports (Fishing, Small Game, & Deer Gun Hunting)	275.00	X	X	X	
Sports Junior (issued to 12 - 17 year olds) (Fishing, Small Game, & Deer Gun Hunting)	36.00	X	X	X	

Non-Resident Fishing	\$	DNR	Agents & Phone	Buy Online	Online Delivery
Fishing, Annual	<u>50.00</u>	X	X	X	
Fishing, Family Annual (primary) (includes children 16 & 17 years of age)	65.00	X	X	X	
Fishing, Family Annual (secondary)	0.00	X	X	X	
Fishing, 4 day	<u>24.00</u>	X	X	X	
Fishing, 15 day	<u>28.00</u>	X	X	X	
Fishing, 15 day Family	40.00	X	X	X	
Inland Trout Stamp	10.00	X	X	X	
Great Lake Salmon/Trout Stamp	10.00	X	X	X	
Great Lake Fishing, 2 day (includes Great Lake Salmon/Trout Stamp)	14.00	X	X	X	

Non-Resident Fishing, Sturgeon	\$	DNR	Agents & Phone	Buy Online	Online Delivery
Sturgeon Spearing Lake Winnebago (Deadline to purchase October 31)	65.00	X	X	X	
Upriver Sturgeon Spearing (Deadline to purchase October 31)	65.00	X	X	X	
Sturgeon Hook & Line Inland	50.00	X	X	X	



Please print

Date of Birth: MM / DD / YYYY		ALS# _____ (see reverse side of application)	
Nonresidents born after January 1, 1985 must submit, with all hunting license applications, a certificate (or a copy of the certificate) verifying that he/she has completed a Hunter Education Course from any state or province.		Social Security Number: _____ (Required only if you do not have an ALS number)	
Name First	MI	Last	Jr. Sr.
Home Phone () - () -		Work Phone () - () -	
Mailing Address (Your application cannot be processed if you list only a PO Box Number)		Physical Address	
City	State	Zip Code	Country <input type="checkbox"/> USA <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Female	Weight	Height	Hair
<input type="checkbox"/> Male	Eyes	Occupation	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes FWP receives requests for mailing lists. Do you want your name included on lists provided by FWP to requestors? (see reverse side)
All statements on this form are true and correct. I have not made more than one application per license and species. I understand that if I subscribe to any false statement in this application that I am subject to criminal prosecution. MCA 87-2-104.		X _____ SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT - DO NOT PRINT Original Signature Required Facsimile or photocopied signature not acceptable	
License Type Applied For		Prerequisite	Special Limitations
<input type="checkbox"/> Nonresident Conservation License - required to purchase any hunting or fishing license			See ALS on reverse side.
<input type="checkbox"/> Fishing, 2-day Must specify consecutive dates (e.g., 6/18 & 6/19) 1 _____ 2 _____ 1 _____ 2 _____ 1 _____ 2 _____		2006 Conservation	You may purchase more than one 2-day license.
<input type="checkbox"/> Fishing, 10-day Must specify consecutive dates (e.g., 7/10 - 7/19) start date _____ end date _____		2006 Conservation	
<input type="checkbox"/> Season Fishing		2006 Conservation	
<input type="checkbox"/> Warm Water Game Fish License (see reverse side)		2006 Conservation 2006 Fishing License	5.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Upland Game Bird		2006 Conservation See HAEF below	110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey - Spring General or Region 7 Fall (see reverse side)		2006 Conservation	115.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey - Fall General or Region 7 Spring		See HAEF below	115.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey - Spring General or Region 7 Fall (see reverse side)		2006 Conservation	55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey - Fall General or Region 7 Spring		2006 Upland Bird See HAEF below	55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Spring Black Bear (see reverse side) <input type="checkbox"/> License Validation for Spring Black Bear, BMU 103, 106, 107		2006 Conservation See HAEF below	DEADLINE — April 14 350.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fall Black Bear (see reverse side)			DEADLINE — August 31
<input type="checkbox"/> Bow and Arrow (see reverse side)		2006 Conservation	10.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Hunting Access Enhancement Fee (HAEF) (see reverse side)			Required when purchasing first hunting license each year. This is an annual fee. 10.00
		APPLICATION TOTAL	

For additional information or to purchase your licenses ONLINE - Visit our website at www.fwp.mt.gov

Please Remember:

- All licenses are nontransferable.
- All licenses are valid through 2006 season.
- Invalid or incomplete applications will be returned.
- Applications received by Fish, Wildlife & Parks are considered final and cannot be withdrawn.
- Questions ??? - call 406-444-2535.

Return completed application to:

Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks
ATTN: Fulfillment Unit
1420 East 6th Avenue
PO Box 200701
Helena, MT 59620-0701

LICENSES issued through the mail may take two weeks from time of receipt to process. Please allow adequate time.

Thank You For Your Support Through Your License Purchase
Enclosed is my payment in the form of a:
International Draft in U.S. Dollars - Cashier's Check - Money Order
Number _____ Amount \$ _____
Please make payable to MT FWP
PERSONAL OR COMPANY CHECKS NOT ACCEPTED



Purchasing a Fishing License (Adult)

Purchasing Instructions

Please completely fill in the following forms. If a mandatory field is omitted you will be directed back to this page to complete it. Upon acceptance of your credit card, your Freshwater Game Fishing License will be displayed on your monitor. Please print out the page and sign the printed form. This will constitute your official Freshwater Game Fishing License. No other license will be mailed to you.



All transactions are final. No refunds will be given. Duplicate licenses can be purchased for two dollars by contacting eHawaiiGov at 808-587-4220 or by e-mail at info@ehawaii.gov.

There will be a \$1 convenience fee added to the license prices below. If you prefer not to pay the convenience fee you may purchase your license at any fishing supply store or at the offices of the Division of Aquatic Resources located at 1151 Punchbowl St., Rm. 330, Honolulu, HI.

Select a license to purchase

- | | |
|---|----------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Resident (includes U.S. Armed Forces) | \$5.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Resident | \$25.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7-day Tourist | \$10.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 30-day Tourist | \$20.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Citizen
(65 years of age or older) | Convenience Fee only |

Tourist License Activation Date

If purchasing a tourist license, please select the date that the license will become active

Start Date Month / Day / Year

License Information

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Resident Licenses	License Cost	Nonresident Licenses	License Cost
1-Day Fishing	\$7	1-Day Fishing	\$14
Annual Fishing	\$25	3-Day Fishing	\$32
Senior Fishing (age 65 and older)	\$10	Annual Fishing	\$60
Combination (Small game + Fishing)	\$49	Family Annual Fishing	\$60
Small Game (pheasant/grouse/quail/cottontail/partridge/dove/squirrel/common snipe)	\$29	Small Game (10-day-pheasant/grouse/quail/cottontail/partridge/dove/squirrel/common snipe)	\$110
Youth Small Game (ages 12-15)	\$5	Youth Small Game (ages 12-15)	\$25
1-Day Small Game	\$10	Spring Turkey Single Tag	\$85
Junior Combination (Ages 16-18)	\$25	Spring Turkey-Double Tag	\$100
Deer/Antelope-1-tag	\$35	Fall Turkey-Single Tag	\$75
Deer/Antelope-2-tag	\$45	Fall Turkey-Double Tag	\$85
Special Buck	\$155	Waterfowl Units 100A, 100B-33, 100D.	\$110
Youth Deer	\$5	Tundra swan (need 100B, X or Y license, apply separately using waterfowl applic.)	\$10
Landowner deer/antelope on Own Land (Landowner application)	\$15, \$20, or \$25	Waterfowl Unit 100C-33 (Sept Goose)	\$45
Antlerless Deer/Antelope 1-tag	\$15	Waterfowl Unit 100X-33 (3-day, private land)	\$75
Antlerless Deer/Antelope 2-tag (Some units)	\$25	Waterfowl Unit 100Y-33 (3-day northeast)	\$75
Spring Turkey 1-tag	\$20	Spring Light Goose - Adult/Youth	\$45/\$25
Spring Turkey 2-tag	\$25	Any-deer/antelope - 1-tag	\$195
Fall Turkey 1-tag	\$10	Any-deer/antelope - 2-tag (Some firearms units, see application)	\$245
Fall Turkey 2-tag	\$15	Antlerless deer/antelope - 1 - tag	\$55
Any Elk (Black Hills & prairie)	\$155	Antlerless deer/antelope - 2 - tag	\$80
Antlerless elk (Black Hills & prairie)	\$105		
Elk (Custer State Park)	\$305/ \$205	Special Buck (firearms, West River only)	\$505
Mountain Goat	\$105	Predator/varmint	\$40

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FRESHWATER FISHING LICENSES		
Resident		
	Annual	Five-Year
Annual	\$13.50	\$61.50
Freshwater/Saltwater Fishing Combo	\$25.50	
Freshwater Fishing/Hunting Combo	\$23.50	
Freshwater/Saltwater Fishing/Hunting Combo	\$35.50	
Resident 64 or Older Sportsman's License (includes Freshwater Fishing and Hunting licenses; and Wildlife Management Area, Archery, Muzzleloading Gun, Crossbow, Turkey, Florida Waterfowl permits, Snook Permit and Lobster Permit)	\$13.50	
Sportsman's License (includes Freshwater Fishing and Hunting Licenses; and Wildlife Management Area, Archery, Muzzleloading Gun, Crossbow, Turkey, Florida Waterfowl permits)	\$72.50	
Gold Sportsman's License (includes Hunting, Saltwater Fishing and Freshwater Fishing licenses; and Wildlife Management Area, Archery, Muzzleloading Gun, Crossbow, Turkey and Florida Waterfowl, Snook and Lobster Permits)	\$88.50	
Military Gold Sportsman's License (includes Hunting, Saltwater Fishing and Freshwater Fishing licenses; and Wildlife Management Area, Archery, Muzzleloading Gun, Crossbow, Turkey and Florida Waterfowl, Snook and Lobster Permits) (sold only at tax collector's office)	\$20.00	
Nonresident		
7-Day	\$16.50	
Annual	\$31.50	

- Other Freshwater License & Permit Information

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SALTWATER FISHING		
Resident		
	Annual	Five-Year

Testimony To

THE SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE

Wednesday, February 1, 2007 by

Leslie Korgel, Auditor

McLean County Government

REGARDING SENATE BILL 2332

Good morning Chairman Lyson and committee members, I am Leslie Korgel, McLean County Auditor and I am here today opposed to Senate Bill 2332.

Mechanics of the Bill:

Senate Bill 1332 purposes to make nonresident fishing licenses cost the same as what would be charged to a resident of North Dakota in the nonresident's home state or a set fee which ever is higher. For example, a seven day fishing license would be \$20.00 or the fee in the nonresident's home state for a North Dakota resident whichever is higher.

Problems of the Bill:

Logistically, this bill creates many headaches. Since many of the vendors do not have internet access where they sell their licenses, the Game and Fish Department will have to print a book listing the different out of state license fees. I have 21 vendors just in my county alone.

The second concern is who is responsible if the 16 year clerk forgets to look up the fee schedule and there is a difference. I do not think too many vendors are going to want to dig up extra cash for that mistake and the county isn't going to either.

A third concern is what if another state changes their fees mid year. Who is responsible for updating the vendors.

Finally, the biggest concern we have is additional amount of time it will take: #1 for the vendors to issue a license for the little fee that they are reimbursed for selling license and the extraordinary amount of time it will take the auditor's office to reconcile the

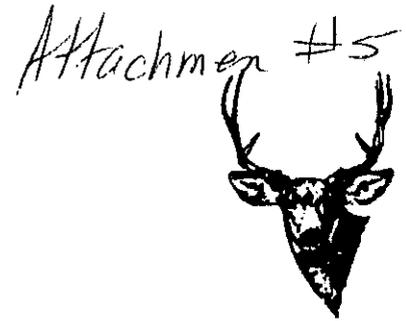
accounts. The auditor's office will have to look at every individual nonresident fishing licenses to see if it has the correct amount. You are talking thousands of licenses to look at state wide and thousands of additional hours of labor to reconcile the books. The counties are already subsidizing Game and Fish now with the work we do.

Thank you for your consideration and I would be happy to answer any questions you may have.



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TESTIMONY OF FOSTER HAGER
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PRESENTED TO THE SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE
ON

SB 2332

February 1, 2007

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee:

My name is Foster Hager representing the Cass County Wildlife Club.

It appears this bill would be a problem for the mom and pop business that sells fishing licenses.

The Game & Fish would have to supply a list of all state's non-resident fees. Appears to be a bookkeeping nightmare.

Please oppose SB 2332.

