

Lifetime fishing licenses for permanently disabled persons.

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FISCAL NOTE

No significant fiscal or personnel impact to the Game and Fish Department.

Assumptions:

To effectively administer the proposal, it is assumed the Wyoming Game and Fish Commission would promulgate rules and regulations that defined permanent and totally disabled as identified in W.S. 27-14-102(a)(xvi), "Permanent total disability" means the loss of use of the body as a whole or any permanent injury certified under W.S. 27-14-406, which permanently incapacitates the employee from performing work at any gainful occupation for which he is reasonably suited by experience or training. All qualifying persons or court appointed guardians will be required to provide documentation and certification of their disability status.

Complimentary licenses and conservations stamps that are provided to permanently and totally disabled residents will be recouped under the free and reduced-price license revenue recoupment program. However, until baseline information from the first-year complimentary lifetime fishing and conservation stamp licenses are issued to permanently and totally disabled residents, the Game and Fish Department is unable to estimate the amount that will be requested for recoupment.

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