



## Northern Pike Reward Program Rules

Anglers participating in the Northern Pike Reward Program must adhere to the following rules:

1. Adhere to all applicable state/tribal fishing regulations for the area in which you fish. Contact your local state or tribal fishery agency for license requirements and current fishing regulations.
2. Provide true and accurate information to authorized program representatives regarding the taking, possession, delivery, transportation, or any other use of fish caught while participating in the Northern Pike Reward Program.
3. Comply with the directions of authorized program personnel related to the collection of sampling data and angler participation in the Northern Pike Reward Program.
4. Anglers must completely fill out the Pike Head tag information at the designated drop off area. Fish heads must be placed in a freezer bag, with the head label and dropped into the freezer. **Or brought to a CCT Fish and Wildlife Office.**
5. Fish must have been caught in the main stem Columbia River from **Wells Dam** upstream to the Canadian border, the Spokane River upstream to Little Falls, the Kettle River, or the **Okanogan River**. A random number of heads will be selected for microchemistry analysis to confirm the fish's origin.
6. There are no size restrictions on Northern Pike that are eligible for the reward.
7. Participants may receive \$10 for every Northern Pike head deposited into the designated **location**, up to an individual maximum of \$590 per calendar year.
8. All participants must be 17 years or older to receive the reward.
9. All fish to be redeemed for the reward must have been personally caught solely by the angler submitting them for the reward.
10. Fish head must be in good condition and clearly identifiable. Unidentifiable heads will not be accepted or awarded.
11. Violations of any of the above rules may result in participant disqualification from the Northern Pike Reward Program.
12. The Northern Pike Reward Program can be suspended or terminated at any time at the discretion of the Colville Tribes Fish and Wildlife program.

