



Green Light Fisheries

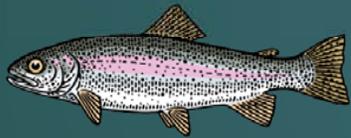


AZGFD's Community Fishing Program continues to expand its locations and fish count –



466.8 total acres of water

in FY17:



101,890 trout
70,357 pounds of fish



155,748 catfish
237,360 pounds of fish

These Green Light Fisheries also include channel catfish supplied for the AZGFD Community Fishing Program.
azgfd.com/fishing/community/



As a lean, low-calorie source of protein, fish are an important part of a healthy diet.



Fish contain high-quality protein and other essential nutrients, are low in saturated fat and contain omega-3 fatty acids.



A well-balanced diet that includes a variety of fish can contribute to heart health and children's proper growth and development.

To learn more and see ADEQ's interactive eMap, visit azdeq.gov/fca

Fish Consumption Advisories

To develop and share health guidance about eating both wild and stocked fish caught in popular fishing spots in Arizona, the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) and the Arizona Game and Fish Department (AZGFD) work together to sample fish from about 20 lakes and streams each year, as well as AZGFD hatcheries.

ADEQ and AZGFD are pleased to encourage Arizona residents and visitors to catch and eat unlimited amounts of "Green Light" fish species statewide.



AZGFD manages...

-  220 waters for trout
-  40,000 surface acres of lakes
-  1,000 miles of rivers or streams