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Ketchum Switch Recreation Area (KSRA) Permit Rules and Regulations

Fishing Permits

- A government-issued form of identification is required to obtain a permit.
- Permits will be issued not more than 30 days prior to the permit period.
- Fishing permits will be issued by quadrant for one (1) week beginning on Saturday and ending on the following Friday, with a maximum of two consecutive permits allowed. Fishing permits available for Quadrant 1 only.
- A maximum of 2 persons will be allowed per quadrant. Each person is required to purchase a permit.
- Permits are \$15.00 per week.
- Under no conditions may a permit holder monetarily gain from the harvested resources of the area specified in the permit.
- All anglers must return their Harvest Report Form to the Henry County Conservation Department, regardless of a fish, or fishes, being harvested or not, within 15 days of the expiration of the permit. Failure to return your Harvest Report Form will result in forfeiture of all privileges at KSRA.
- Youth Anglers (Henry County Residents 15 years old and younger) are required to obtain a permit, but permit fees will be waived.
- All permits are **non-transferable**, and must be obtained **in-person** at the Conservation Department Offices.
- No motorized vehicles will be permitted outside the designated parking area.
- Anglers must park their vehicle directly in front of the "Quadrant Sign" corresponding to the Quadrant in which they are fishing.
- Permits must be displayed in a visible manner from the front windshield of the registered vehicle.
- All anglers subject to local, state, and federal laws.
- Failure to comply with any or all the rules and regulations will result in **forfeiture** of all permits.

It is strictly prohibited for any person(s) to disturb, desecrate, and/or remove any cultural and/or geological resource, *pursuant to Iowa Code Chapters 716, 523I, 263B and Iowa Administrative Code 685-11*, from the Ketchum Switch Recreation Area. Any person(s) found in violation will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of all state and federal statutes.

The Henry County Conservation Board and the Henry County Conservation Department reserves the right to deny access to Ketchum Switch Recreation Area to any and all person(s).