

Mozingo Lake

About This Area

Mozingo Lake is located in Nodaway County, 3 miles east of Maryville on US 136 (follow the signs). The area is owned and maintained by the city of Maryville, and is used as a drinking water supply for the city. The fishery is managed by the Missouri Department of Conservation. Construction of the lake began in 1991, and was completed in 1992. Ponds in the lake basin were initially stocked with bluegill and channel catfish in 1993, and the lake received its main initial stocking of largemouth bass and bluegill in 1994. Channel catfish are stocked annually to maintain the fishery. In 1996, walleye were introduced into the lake, and are currently stocked every other year.

Mozingo Lake is a long, narrow lake covering 1,006 acres, with a maximum depth of over 40 feet, and 26 miles of shoreline. Excellent facilities maintained by the city of Maryville include 3 concrete boat ramps, a disabled accessible floating fishing dock, privies, 2 fish cleaning stations, primitive camping, RV camping, cabin rental, swimming beach, walking trails, horse trails, shelters for rent, and an 18-hole golf course.

Things to Do

- Fishing
- Boating
- Camping
- Hiking
- Picnicking
- Outdoor Photography
- Nature Study and Birdwatching
- Limited Hunting Opportunities

Rules and Regulations

Vehicles on roadways and parking areas only. Camping, fishing, launching and landing boats are permitted at any time when authorized. Watercraft in excess of 28' in length are prohibited. City boat pass required for all watercraft.

Fishing

| Species | Daily Limit | Length Limit |
|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Black bass | 6 | 12-15" slot |
| Channel catfish | 4 | None |
| Crappie | 30 | Only 15 over 9" |
| Walleye | 4 | 15" minimum |
| All other fish combined | 20 | None |

- Only pole and line fishing (3 per person).
- Seining or trapping live bait is prohibited.
- Bullfrogs and green frogs may be taken during the statewide season by hand, handnet, gig, long-bow, and hook and line.

The Community Assistance Program sponsored by the Missouri Conservation Department provides fisheries management and assistance to local communities for developing or upgrading facilities. In return, local communities maintain the area and facilities and open their lakes to the public. This program provides fishing and improved facilities at lakes close to home. Everyone benefits.

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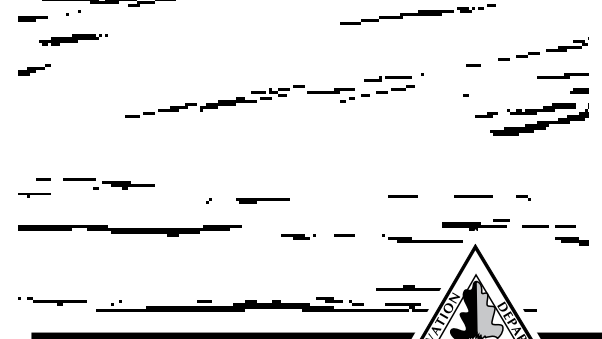
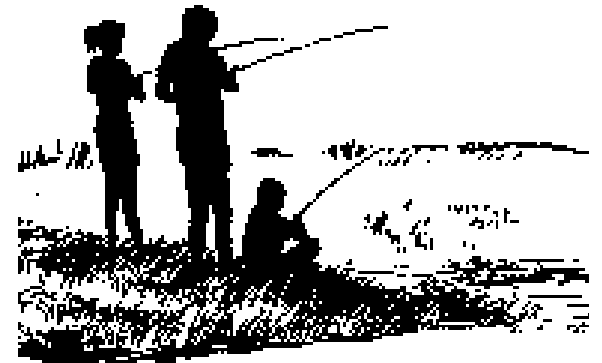
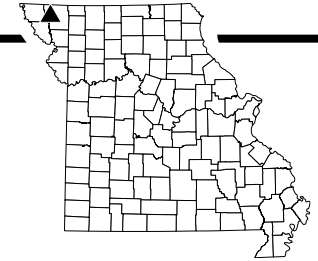


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(Regulations are from the Wildlife Code of Missouri and selected statutes of the State of Missouri. Special regulations for areas owned by other entities are in Chapter 12 of the Wildlife Code. A free printed copy of the Wildlife Code is available from the Conservation Department. Chapter 12 in its entirety is available at www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/csr/current/3csr/3csr.asp.) Equal opportunity to participate in and benefit from programs of the Missouri Department of Conservation is available to all individuals without regard to their race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability. Questions should be directed to the Department of Conservation, P.O. Box 180, Jefferson City, MO 65102, (573) 751-4115 (voice) or 800-735-2966 (TTY), or to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Division of Federal Assistance, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Mail Stop: MBSP-4020, Arlington, VA 22203.

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