

Statewide Boat Draining Rule Takes Effect Today

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Our lakes and rivers are under attack by invasive species. Do your part to stop them!

When you boat this summer, [invasive species](#) like [zebra mussels](#) could hide in your

It is [illegal](#) to possess or transport [And, beginning today, boats going out on the water](#)

Learn more about the new [statewide draining regulation](#) , including how it impacts the transportation of live



Don't Be a Carrier: Clean, Drain, Dry

The best way to prevent [always](#) spread of invasive species [following](#) these three simple steps:

CLEAN off any vegetation, mud or foreign objects on your boat, trailer and gear before you

DRAIN all water from your boat and gear. Small invasive species like zebra mussel larva

DRY your boat and trailer for a week or more before entering another water body.

Thank you for doing your part to stop the spread of these destructive invaders.