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SENECA NATION OF INDIANS



COMPREHENSIVE CONSERVATION LAW

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SECTION 1. PURPOSE & DEFINITIONS

(a) Purpose.

The purpose of this Comprehensive Conservation Law, being adopted on the 8th day of March, 2025, is to set forth rules and regulations that control land use, hunting, fishing, and trapping within the Territories of the Seneca Nation of Indians (“Seneca Nation”) to protect the interests of the Seneca People and to ensure that the natural resources of the Seneca Nation are available for future generations of Senecas.

Upon enactment of this Law, any and all prior laws of the Seneca Nation in conflict herewith shall be repealed, provided that offenses occurring prior to the effective date of this Law shall be adjudicated in accordance with the law or custom in effect at the time of the offense.

The Seneca Nation’s Conservation Department, Marshals’ Department, and Game Wardens are responsible and hereby authorized to enforce the provisions of this Law. Conservation Officers are further authorized to assist the Marshals’ Department in enforcing generally applicable Seneca Nation laws and regulations.

(b) Definitions.

For purposes of this Law:

- (1) “Angling”** shall mean the taking of fish by hook and line, including bait and fly fishing, casting, trolling.
- (2) “Bird of Prey”** means a carnivorous bird such as a hawk, eagle, vulture, or owl that feeds wholly or chiefly on meat taken by hunting or on carrion.
- (3) “Black Bass”** shall mean both largemouth and smallmouth bass.

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- (4) **“Blind Snatching”** shall mean the taking of fish by snatching when the fish is not visible to the fisherman.
- (5) **“Clerk”** shall mean the Clerk of the Seneca Nation.
- (6) **“Community”** shall mean the following counties: Niagara, Erie, Genesee, Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, Allegany County in New York State and Warren, and Erie County in Pennsylvania.
- (7) **“Conservation Officer”** shall mean an employee of the Seneca Nation’s Conservation Department.
- (8) **“Court”** shall mean the Peacemakers’ Court.
- (9) **“Firearm”** shall mean any weapon which will or is designed to or may readily be converted to expel a projectile by the action of an explosive.
- (10) **“Fishing”** shall mean taking, killing, netting, capturing or withdrawal of fish by any means; this includes every attempt to take fish, as well as assisting another person in taking or attempting to take fish.
- (11) **“Foul-hooked”** means not hooked in the mouth.
- (12) **“Game Warden”** shall mean a person appointed by Council and empowered to enforce Seneca Nation law when expressly authorized by Council or by law.
- (13) **“Immediate Attendance”** shall mean within visible line-of-sight but no more than 40 yards away regardless of line-of-sight.
- (14) **“Law Enforcement Officer”** shall mean the Conservation Officers, Marshals, and Game Wardens of the Seneca Nation of Indians.
- (15) **“Licensee”** shall mean a person possessing a valid Nation fishing license.

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- (16) **“Minimum Length”** shall mean the greatest possible length measured from the tip of the fish’s snout to the tip of the tail. The mouth may be open or closed and the tail may be spread or compressed in order to achieve the greatest length.
- (17) **“Non-Seneca”** shall mean any person that is not an enrolled member of the Seneca Nation of Indians.
- (18) **“Nation Lands”** shall mean Private Lands and Public Lands, as those terms are defined herein, and any land subject to the sovereign jurisdiction of the Seneca Nation.
- (19) **“Nation Waters”** shall mean any stream, brook, creek, lake, river, reservoir, or other body of water running through, located on or adjacent to Nation Lands.
- (20) **“Netting”** shall mean use of any seines, traps, cast nets, and gill nets.
- (21) **“Night”** shall mean ½ hour after sunset to ½ hour before sunrise.
- (22) **“Person”** shall mean a natural person whether a Seneca or Non-Seneca.
- (23) **“Private Lands”** shall mean Seneca Nation lands which are either allotted or leased to individual Senecas pursuant to Seneca Nation law or are leased to Non-Senecas or other entities pursuant to Seneca Nation law.
- (24) **“Public Lands”** shall mean Seneca Nation lands which are held solely by the Seneca Nation and not allotted or leased to individual Senecas or which are not leased to Non-Senecas or other entities pursuant to Seneca Nation law.
- (25) **“Seneca”** shall mean an enrolled member of the Seneca Nation of Indians.
- (26) **“Seneca Nation”** shall mean the Seneca Nation of Indians.
- (27) **“Snatching/Snagging”** shall mean the taking of fish that have not taken or attempted to take bait or artificial lure into their mouth, by either lifting, or by

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impaling the fish with one or more hooks or similar devices into any part of their body.

- (28) “**Spear-fishing**” or “**Spear**” shall mean a hand-propelled, single or multiple pronged, spike, blade or harpoon. It does *not* include the mechanically propelled device commonly called a spear-gun.

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SECTION 2. GENERAL CONSERVATION

(a) General Conservation.

- (1)** The Seneca Nation has the exclusive right to authorize and issue licenses for hunting, fishing, gathering, and trapping on Nation Lands. Senecas are not required to obtain a license for fishing, hunting, trapping, or gathering on Nation Lands or in Nation Waters.
- (2)** Non-Senecas shall not operate an all-terrain vehicle, snowmobile, motorcycle, dirt bike, or any other type of motorized vehicle off road on or through Nation Lands unless sanctioned by the Seneca Nation, except:
 - (A)** First descendants of a Seneca father residing on either the Cattaraugus or Allegany Territory may operate an all-terrain vehicle, snowmobile, motorcycle, dirt bike, or any other type of motorized vehicle off road on or through Nation Lands subject to the registration requirements of § 2(a)(3) of this Law.
- (3)** Any all-terrain vehicle, snowmobile, motorcycle, dirt bike, or other motorized vehicle that is primarily intended to be operated off road on Nation Lands shall be registered with the Seneca Nation. The operator of any such motorized vehicle shall be required to wear a three-quarter or full-face helmet that meets U.S. Department of Transportation or American National Standards Institute standards.
 - (A)** The Clerk's Office is hereby authorized to issue registration stickers for all-terrain vehicles, snowmobiles, motorcycles, dirt bikes, and any other motorized vehicles that are operated on Nation Lands.

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- (B) The form, process, and fee for obtaining a registration sticker shall be as determined by the Clerk.
- (C) Any Seneca seeking to register an all-terrain vehicle, snowmobile, motorcycle, dirt bike, or other motorized vehicle pursuant to this section shall be required to agree that such vehicle will not be used for illegal activity.
- (4) No person shall litter or dump waste or garbage on Nation Lands, in Nation Waters, or on highways, roads, paths, trails, or private property located within Seneca Nation territory.
- (5) Non-Senecas shall not enter upon Private Lands for the purpose of fishing without the express written permission of the landowner.
- (6) No person shall drain or divert any Nation Waters unless written permission is granted by the Seneca Nation.
- (7) Gravel digging, gravel mining, sand digging, sand mining, or direct digging for gravel or sand on Nation Lands or in Nation Waters is strictly prohibited without the express written permission of the Seneca Nation's Council.
- (8) No person shall allow dogs to go unleashed, except Senecas may allow dogs to go unleashed for the hunting of small game animals and birds.
- (9) Non-Senecas may not train dogs for hunting, or hunt with dogs, on Nation Lands or in Nation Waters.
- (10) Non-Senecas shall not camp on Nation Lands without the written permission of the Seneca Nation or the landowner.

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- (11) Non-Senecas shall not remove artifacts, wild roots, plants, or any vegetation from Nation Lands or Nation Waters.
- (12) Non-Senecas shall not use or attempt to use Nation Lands, Nation Waters, or any Seneca Nation resources for commercial purposes. Senecas may use Nation Lands, Nation Waters, or Seneca Nation resources for a commercial purpose only after obtaining an appropriate permit from the Seneca Nation's Clerk's Office.
- (13) Non-Senecas shall not take or remove topsoil from Nation Lands.
- (14) No Person shall use artificial means of light or night vision equipment while in possession of a Firearm, cross-bow, long-bow, compound bow, rifle, pistol, or black powder devices to pursue, harass, or take any wildlife within Nation Lands.
- (15) Only Senecas may possess wild animals or birds within Nation Lands.
- (16) No person shall enter upon or disturb exposed lakebed, streambed, or riverbed except by foot for angling purposes.
- (17) No person shall kill any Bird of Prey.

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SECTION 3. HUNTING, POSSESSION OF FIREARMS, AND TRAPPING

(a) Hunting.

(1) Non-Senecas shall not hunt on Nation Lands , except as provided in this Law.

(A) First descendants of a Seneca father residing in the Community may hunt on Nation Lands by obtaining a permit or license from the Clerk's Office upon proof of such status as a first descendant.

(B) Enrolled members of the Tonawanda Seneca, Cayuga, Tuscarora, Oneida, Onondaga, or Mohawk Nations or Tribes may hunt on Nation Lands by obtaining a permit or license from the Clerk's Office upon proof of their enrollment status.

(C) A license or permit authorized by this section shall be valid only for one (1) day or three (3) days and shall only be available from October 1 to December 8 of each year. Every person who obtains such license or permit shall be provided three tags and all deer taken shall display such tag at all times.

(D) The form and process for obtaining such license or permit shall be as prescribed by the Clerk's Office.

(E) A person who obtains a license or permit under Section 3(a)(1)(A) or (B) of this Law shall be limited to three deer per year.

(b) Possession of Firearms.

(1) Non-Senecas shall not carry or possess a Firearm on Nation Lands, except in the following circumstances:

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- (A) Outside law enforcement officers may carry a Firearm while in the line of duty; and
 - (B) Security firm personnel contracted by the Seneca Nation, or an entity thereof, may carry a Firearm while acting within the scope of their employment as security.
 - (2) No person shall discharge or intend to discharge a Firearm, crossbow, or bow:
 - (A) Over any part of a public highway or road;
 - (B) Within five hundred (500) feet of any school, playground, public building, or occupied church; or
 - (C) Within five hundred (500) feet of a residence or place of business unless permission is obtained from the landowner and resident.
 - (3) Notwithstanding Section 3(2)(B) & (C), a bow may be discharged within one hundred and fifty (150) feet of any school, playground, public building, occupied church, residence, or place of business.
 - (4) Notwithstanding Section 3(2)(C), a Firearm may be discharged within five hundred (500) feet of a residence or place of business to protect life or property.
- (c) Trapping.
- (1) Non-Senecas are prohibited from trapping animals on Nation Lands except:
 - (A) Non-Senecas employed by the City of Salamanca may trap nuisance animals within the City limits while in the course of their employment. The City shall regularly report the number of animals trapped within City limits to the Seneca Nation's Conservation Department.

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- (2) Any Seneca that desires to trap on Nation Lands shall place an identification tag on each trap. Identification tags shall include the name and phone number of the Seneca placing the trap. When possible, Senecas should alert the Conservation Department of the location of traps and the type of trap being used.
- (3) No person shall remove or disturb a trap that has been set or placed by another person.

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SECTION 4. FISHING AND ICE FISHING

(a) Nation Fishing Licensure.

- (1)** Non-Senecas seeking to fish in Nation Waters shall first obtain a Nation fishing license at the Clerk's Office during normal business hours. The Clerk, the Seneca One Stops, and Highbanks Campground are hereby authorized to issue a Nation fishing license to any individual requesting such license in person subject to the terms and conditions imposed by this Law.

 - (A)** The Clerk shall have sole discretion to determine how many Nation fishing licenses are available for purchase at the One Stops and Highbanks Campground.
- (2)** Non-Senecas may not take fish, or attempt to take fish, from Nation Waters except in compliance with this Law.
- (3)** Notwithstanding Section 4(a)(2) of this Law, first descendants of a Seneca father and enrolled members of the Tonawanda Seneca, Cayuga, Tuscarora, Oneida, Onondaga, or Mohawk Nations or Tribes may fish in Nation Waters without a fee, subject to all other provisions of this Law, and as provided by this Law.

 - (A)** First descendants of a Seneca father may fish in Nation Waters by obtaining a permit or license from the Clerk's Office upon proof of such status as a first descendant.
 - (B)** Enrolled members of the Tonawanda Seneca, Cayuga, Tuscarora, Oneida, Onondaga, or Mohawk Nations or Tribes may fish in Nation Waters by obtaining a permit or license from the Clerk's Office upon proof of their enrollment status.

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- (C) The form and process for obtaining such license or permit shall be as prescribed by the Clerk's Office.
- (D) Any license or permit issued by the Clerk pursuant to Section 4(a)(3)(A) or 4(a)(3)(B) of this Law shall not count against the fishing license cap contained in Section 4(b)(3).
- (4) There shall be two Nation fishing licenses, one each for the Allegany and Cattaraugus Territories. A Nation fishing license shall be valid only for the territory for which such license is issued except a Nation fishing license issued for the Allegany Territory shall also entitle the Licensee to fish on the Oil Spring Territory.
- (5) Non-Senecas seeking to fish in Nation Waters shall, upon payment of the Nation fishing license fee, submission of required information, and providing proper identification, receive a Nation fishing license from the Clerk's Office, or at a location designated by the Clerk's Office. A Nation fishing license shall entitle the Licensee to fish in Nation Waters in accordance with Seneca Nation fishing regulations contained in this Law and all other applicable laws of the Seneca Nation.
- (6) A Nation fishing license shall be valid only for the calendar year in which it was issued except for permanently issued Senior Citizen Licenses.
- (7) Every Non-Seneca issued a Nation fishing license shall carry the license on their person at all times while fishing and must produce such license upon request by any Law Enforcement Officer or any Seneca.

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- (A) Only Conservation Officers and Marshals shall have the authority to impound equipment, machinery, or any other personal property used in violation of this Law.
 - (B) Only Law Enforcement Officers are authorized to issue citations, where appropriate.
- (8) The Clerk shall prepare a form or application for a Nation fishing license, and such form shall require the applicant's name, address, age, and driver's license number.
- (9) The application for a Nation fishing license shall contain the following:
 - (A) a voluntary statement whereby the Licensee agrees to comply with all Seneca Nation laws;
 - (B) a waiver of liability in favor of the Seneca Nation for any injuries which may result while fishing on Nation Lands or in Nation Waters; and
 - (C) a statement that the Licensee knowingly and voluntarily consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Seneca Nation and the courts of the Seneca Nation.
- (10) The Clerk shall issue one copy of the Nation fishing license to the person requesting it and shall retain one copy of the license with the records of the Seneca Nation. Nation fishing licenses may be issued by the Clerk's Office, or by a designated agent of the Clerk, during normal business hours.
- (11) The Clerk is authorized to issue a New York State Fishing License to any Seneca, without charge, and except for providing identification information, without satisfying any other requirement.

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(12) Fees for a Seneca Nation fishing license shall be set according to an annual joint recommendation by the Seneca Nation's Conservation Department and Natural Resources Committee to the Council, subject to approval by the Clerk.

(A) The annual joint recommendation of the Conservation Department and the Natural Resources Committee shall be based upon data collected or analyzed regarding the health of the fish populations in the waterways of the Seneca Nation.

(13) A Seneca Nation fishing license does not give the Licensee the right to enter upon Private Lands without the written permission of the landowner.

(b) Nation Fishing License Fee and Limitations.

(1) The fee for a Nation fishing license shall be as follows:

	<u>Allegany</u>	<u>Cattaraugus</u>
Adult	\$100.00	\$175.00
11 and Under	Free	Free
Child (12-17) & Elder (60 and over)	\$30.00	\$30.00
Disabled	\$30.00	\$30.00
Three-Day License	\$45.00	\$80.00

(2) All fees collected from Nation fishing licenses shall be used to supplement the budget of the Conservation Department.

(3) No more than 400 Nation fishing licenses shall be available for purchase in any calendar year for the Cattaraugus Territory.

(A) Three-day fishing licenses shall not count against the annual cap on Nation fishing licenses available for the Cattaraugus Territory.

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- (4) The limitation on the number of Nation fishing licenses shall be reviewed annually by the Natural Resources Committee and the Conservation Department to ensure that the Seneca Nation's conservation and revenue goals are being met.

 - (A) In conducting such annual review, the Conservation Department and the Natural Resources Committee shall review available market data, Nation fishing license data, and any other relevant data.
- (5) Licensees are prohibited from taking fish except in areas designated by Council as shown in the maps attached as Appendix A (Allegany) and Appendix B (Cattaraugus) except:

 - (A) Licensees that are accompanied by a Seneca may take fish within the prohibited areas shown in Appendix A and Appendix B but shall otherwise be subject to all other provisions of this Law.
- (c) Fishing Regulations.

 - (1) Used fishing line must be properly discarded and all reasonable efforts must be made to retrieve broken fishing line for the benefit of local wildlife.
 - (2) Non-native species or bait shall not be released into Nation Waters.
 - (3) It shall be unlawful to discard any fish carcass, or parts thereof, into Nation Waters within one hundred (100) feet of shore, unless properly disposed into suitable garbage or refuse collection system..
 - (4) Set or trap lines, as well as use of floatation devices using set or trap lines, are strictly prohibited.
 - (5) The taking, harassing, pursuing, or disturbing of reptiles or amphibians is strictly prohibited.

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- (6) The use of non-toxic sinkers or split shot weighing one-half ounce or less is prohibited.
- (7) Licensees are prohibited from Blind Snatching, Foul-Hooking, Netting, Snatching/Snagging, and Spear-fishing or Spearing.
- (8) Licensees are prohibited from taking any species of fish other than by Angling.
- (9) The use of a dip net to land a fish is authorized; all other forms of Netting are prohibited.
- (10) Disturbing black bass, walleye, trout, lake trout or salmon on spawning beds, or taking milt from such spawning beds, is prohibited.
- (11) Licensees shall not catch, kill, or possess more than the daily limit, except, a Licensee may possess up to twice the daily limit while traveling to the Licensee's residence from an overnight fishing trip of two or more consecutive days.
- (12) Licensees shall not use more than three (3) fishing poles (lines) at one time.
- (13) Licensees shall not use any instrument to harvest fish other than rod and reel unless authorized by this Law.
- (14) It shall be unlawful to assist another person to fish, or attempt to fish, in Nation Waters or from Nation Lands without a valid Nation fishing license.
- (15) It shall be unlawful to conduct an organized fishing tournament without a special Tournament Permit issued by the Clerk's Office.
- (16) It shall be unlawful to operate a fishing guide service without a valid business license or other form of authorization from the Seneca Nation. All fishing guides must be Seneca.

(d) Basic Ice Fishing Regulations.

- (1)** Use of a gaff hook is permitted for ice fishing only.
- (2)** Ice fishing holes shall be limited to eight (8) inches in diameter.
- (3)** A Licensee must be in Immediate Attendance when the Licensee's ice fishing lines are in the water. No ice fishing lines may be left unattended at any time.
- (4)** No more than seven (7) ice fishing lines may be used at one time. No person shall operate an ice fishing line that has more than five (5) lures or baits or a combination of both or has more than fifteen (15) hook points in any combination of single, double, or treble hooks.
- (5)** Licensees shall leave the area used to ice fish as it was found by the Licensee. Should the Licensee leave litter or debris, the Licensee shall be subject to citation, fine and confiscation of equipment, as provided in this Law.

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SECTION 5. GAME WARDENS

(a) Appointment and Duties.

- (1)** There shall be thirty-four (34) Game Wardens, with two (2) appointed by the President, sixteen (16) appointed by the Councillors from the Allegany Territory, and sixteen (16) appointed by the Councillors from the Cattaraugus Territory.
- (2)** Appointments for Game Wardens shall be accomplished by Council Resolution.
- (3)** Game Wardens shall be responsible for enforcing the provisions of this Law and all other Seneca Nation laws where expressly authorized and to the extent permitted by Seneca Nation law. Game Wardens may also support the Marshals or Conservation Officers in enforcing the laws of the Seneca Nation as permitted by Seneca Nation law and when requested by the Marshals or by Conservation Officers.
- (4)** Game Wardens shall have the authority to issue citations for violations of this Law.
- (5)** Game Wardens shall not impound, confiscate, seize, or otherwise take any personal property for an alleged violation of this Law. Game Wardens shall be required to call a Conservation Officer or Marshal for assistance in the event that a Game Warden believes there is ground for the confiscation or impoundment of personal property pursuant to this Law.
- (6)** Game Wardens shall return all Seneca Nation property including but not limited to badges and citation books upon the expiration of a Game Warden's appointment or upon removal by the Council.

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(b) Training Requirements.

- (1)** All Game Wardens shall be required to attend mandatory training provided by the Conservation Department before enforcing any Seneca Nation law.
- (2)** Game Wardens shall be trained in all applicable Seneca Nation laws, issuing citations, and any other relevant skills or duties determined by the Conservation Department as being necessary to the proper performance and execution of the Game Warden's duties.

(c) Removal.

- (1)** Game Wardens serve at the sufferance of Council and can be removed by Council action for any reason or no reason at all. Removal of a Game Warden shall be done by Council Resolution.

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SECTION 6. ENFORCEMENT

(a) Violations and Remedies.

- (1)** The Seneca Nation may bring an action in Peacemakers' Court against any person for a violation of this Law. The action shall be initiated by the issuance of a citation by a Law Enforcement Officer.
- (2)** Any person found to have violated any provision of this Law, except as otherwise provided herein, shall be penalized by the Peacemakers' Court as follows:
 - (A)** First Offense – Minimum Fine of \$160.00 up to a Maximum Fine of \$500.00.
 - (B)** Second Offense – Minimum Fine of \$500.00 up to a Maximum Fine of \$1,000.00; permanent confiscation of fishing equipment, and; revocation of fishing privileges for one (1) year.
 - (C)** Third Offense – Minimum Fine of \$1,000.00 up to a Maximum Fine of \$2,000.00; permanent confiscation of fishing equipment, and; permanent loss of fishing privileges. The Court shall notify the Clerk in the event that an individual has been permanently denied fishing privileges.
- (3)** Any person found to have violated Section 2(a)(7) of this Law shall be penalized by the Peacemakers' Court as follows:
 - (A)** First Offense – Minimum Fine of \$2,000.00 up to a Maximum Fine of \$3,000.00; disgorgement of profits; and a referral may be made to the President of the Seneca Nation for the exclusion of a Non-Seneca.

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- (B) Second Offense – Minimum Fine of \$3,000.00 up to a Maximum Fine of \$4,000.00; disgorgement of profits; seizure and impoundment of machinery or equipment pursuant to Section 6(a)(4)&(5) of this Law; and a referral to the President of the Seneca Nation for the permanent exclusion of a Non-Seneca.
- (C) Third Offense – Minimum Fine of \$4,000.00 up to a Maximum Fine of \$5,000.00; disgorgement of profits; permanent confiscation of machinery or equipment; and a referral to the President of the Seneca Nation for the permanent exclusion of a Non-Seneca.
- (4) Any person found to have violated the provisions of this Law shall pay Court costs in addition to any fines, expenses for storage of equipment, vehicles, boats or watercraft, and any other expenses incurred by the Nation.
- (5) Conservation Officers and Marshals are hereby authorized to seize and impound any fishing equipment, vehicles, boats, machinery, heavy equipment, watercraft or other personal property used in violation of this Law. The Seneca Nation shall inventory and store the impounded items or have the impounded items stored at owner's expense until further order of the Court. Notice of the seizure and a date for the Court to determine the disposition of the impounded items shall be served upon the defendant simultaneously with the citation. The defendant from whom the items were seized may, at the Court's discretion, have the opportunity to redeem the impounded items by paying to the Court the maximum possible fine (to include court costs) that could be incurred for said violation, which the Court shall hold, pending final judgment.

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- (6) Upon final judgment, the Court shall dispose of such monies paid into the Court pursuant to Section 6(a)(5), above, by first paying to the Nation all or such part of the monies that may be necessary to satisfy the judgment as entered, and thereafter remitting any excess to the defendant. If the seized items shall not be redeemed pursuant to Section 6(a)(5), above, and the defendant does not satisfy the judgment as entered within five (5) days of its entry, the Court shall conduct a public auction of the seized items upon two (2) weeks public notice and shall dispose of the proceeds from the auction in accordance with the provisions of this Section, provided that the defendant shall be liable to the Nation for any deficiency between the proceeds from the auction and the amount of judgment. The Court may, in its discretion, order that the seized items be returned to the defendant if the judgment entered is satisfied within five (5) days of its entry.
- (7) Pursuant to Seneca Nation law, fines derived from citations issued by Game Wardens shall be divided as follows:
- (1) one-third (1/3) to the Game Warden that issued the citation;
 - (2) one-third (1/3) to the Peacemakers' Court; and
 - (3) one-third (1/3) to the General Fund of the Seneca Nation.

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SECTION 7. CATCH LIMITS

Walleye, Sauger, Saugeye (hybrid)	May 1st through March 8th	15" (no more than one 21" or larger)	5 (any combination)
Muskellunge/Tiger Muskellunge, Northern Pike	May 1st through March 8th	50" 15" (no more than one 36" or longer)	1 7
Large Mouth Bass, Small Mouth Bass White Bass, White Perch	May 1st through March 8th	15" Any Size	5 50
Sunfish, Yellow Perch, Bullhead any species not listed	May 1st through March 8th	Any Size	10
White Crappie, Black Crappie Channel Catfish	May 1st through March 8th	10" 24"	5 2

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Paddlefish, Sturgeon, Hellbenders, Freshwater Mussels (all)	Fishing for (including catch and release) or possession of any threatened or endangered species of any kind (be it listed on this document or not) is prohibited.		
Brook Trout	May 1st through March 8th (Allegany)	Any Size	Catch and release only. Barbless hooks only.
	April 1st through September 30th (Cattaraugus)		Catch and release only. Barbless hooks only.
Brown, Rainbow Lake Trout	All year (Cattaraugus)	9"	3 (any combination)
Coho, Pink, Chinook Salmon	May 1st through March 8th (Allegany)		