

**NOTICE OF EMERGENCY CHANGES  
TO THE 2021 UTAH FISHING GUIDEBOOK  
OF THE WILDLIFE BOARD FOR THE TAKING  
OF FISH AND CRAYFISH**

I, Rory Reynolds, by authority granted in Section 23-14-8 of the Wildlife Resources code of Utah declare an emergency amendment to the 2021 Utah Fishing guidebook. The following has been amended:

**THE POND at WILLARD BAY** (Box Elder County)

- Closed to fishing

This newly constructed pond requires time for a warm water fish community of Largemouth Bass and Bluegill to establish, grow, and reproduce. Any harvest during proposed closure period would negatively impact Largemouth Bass and Bluegill populations in this pond; reducing natural recruitment and extending the time required for the creation of a quality fishery.

It should be noted that this emergency closure is not associated with other drought-related closures in Utah.

These changes are effective immediately and will remain in effect through December 31, 2021. All other rules, established in the 2021 Utah Fishing Guidebook remain in effect.

UTAH DIVISION OF WILDLIFE RESOURCES

By *Rory Reynolds*  
Director

Date *May 27, 2021*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_ day of May 2021.

*PAIGE WIREN*  
Notary

My Commission Expires: *April 23, 2024*

