

## **Rules for Submitting a State Record Fish Application**

- ✦ To be considered, a fish must be taken with rod, reel and line or pole in compliance with all Wyoming Game and Fish Department Regulations.
- ✦ To be considered, a fish must be caught from a water open to the public for angling. Fish from private clubs, hatcheries, and ponds or otherwise not accessible for angling to the public, are ineligible.
- ✦ The fish must be weighed on a scale certified for legal trade. Scales in post offices or places of commerce are typically certified. Tackle box and home scales are not.
- ✦ Two witnesses other than the applicant must observe and certify the weighing.
- ✦ The species must be verified by a Game and Fish Department fisheries biologist.
- ✦ Hybrids not stocked by the Wyoming Game and Fish Department will not be recorded as records. The department currently stocks Tiger Muskie, Tiger Trout and Splake.
- ✦ Small-bodied nongame fish that are not typically pursued by hook and line in Wyoming will not be recorded.
- ✦ The Wyoming Game and Fish Department does not record catch and release, archery, or spearfishing records.