

STATE OF FLORIDA
FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

ORDER NO. EO 13-24

**Designation of Additional License-Free Fishing
Days for 2013**

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, acting under the authority of 379.354(15), Florida Statutes, and Art. IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution, and acting through its Executive Director under Delegation of Authority Paragraph 22, hereby establishes additional license-free fishing days for the entire state. This action is taken in order to encourage residents and visitors to enjoy the bountiful and healthy fishing opportunities available in Florida, "The Fishing Capital of the World." This action is authorized only as follows:

1. Notwithstanding anything in rule 68A-5.006, F.A.C., to the contrary, Freshwater Free Fishing Days are hereby declared for November 29, 2013, and December 28, 2013. On these days, any person may harvest freshwater fish for noncommercial purposes without obtaining or possessing a fishing license or paying a license fee as prescribed in Chapter 379.354, F.S.
2. In addition to the Saltwater Free Fishing Days previously established by Executive Order number 13-08, Saltwater Free Fishing Days are hereby declared for October 12, 2013, and November 30, 2013. On these days, any person may harvest saltwater fish for noncommercial purposes without obtaining or possessing a fishing license or permit or paying a license fee as prescribed in Chapter 379.354, F.S.
3. A person who takes freshwater fish on the Freshwater Free Fishing Days hereby declared or who takes a saltwater fish on the Saltwater Free Fishing Days hereby declared must comply with all laws, rules, and regulations governing the holders of a fishing license or permit and all other conditions and limitations regulating the taking of freshwater and saltwater fish as are imposed by rule or statute.
4. This order shall take effect upon execution and remain in effect through December 28, 2013.

Specific Authority: 379.354(15), Florida Statutes, and Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution
Implemented: 379.354(15), Florida Statutes, Article IV, Section 9, Florida Constitution

Given under my hand and seal of the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission on this 13th day of September, 2013.



Attest: _____
Agency Clerk

Nick Wiley
Executive Director