

NEW YORK STATE

Boat Launching Sites

**A DIRECTORY OF PUBLIC ACCESS
AND LAUNCHING AREAS**



**Department of
Environmental
Conservation**

**Parks, Recreation
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Preservation**

**Canal
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Protect Your Waters

Help Stop the Spread of Aquatic Invasive Species and Fish Diseases

Follow these simple guidelines to properly clean boats and fishing equipment.

1



INSPECT your boat, trailer and other fishing and boating equipment and remove all plant and animal material clinging to it.

2



DRAIN AND DRY everything that came into contact with water. Dry equipment for at least 5 days before using it in another water body. Be sure to completely drain your boat, including baitwells and livewells.

3



DISINFECT the boat's bilge area, all water-holding compartments, and other equipment with hot water at least 140°F or steam for at least 30 seconds if they can't be dried before launching into another water body.

IF YOU CAN'T DRY OR DISINFECT YOUR BOAT, thoroughly flush all water-holding compartments with water before launching. Don't let rinse water run into a water body.

Looking for a place to wash your boat? Go to www.dec.ny.gov/animals/104777.html for a listing of vendors that provide this service.

This guide provides information to help you use and enjoy the more than 500 public boating access sites in New York State. It is organized by county. Large waters that reside in more than one county are listed separately at the end of the county listings.

Each listing contains the following information:

Name of Water body- (SW) indicates a site in the marine district.

Operating Agency

- (P) NYS Office of Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation
- (D) NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
- (C) NYS Canal Corporation
- (M) City, Town, Village or other municipality
- (USCG) United States Coast Guard
- (NYPA) New York Power Authority
- (DOT) Department of Transportation
- (B) Brookfield Power Company
- (ORDA) Olympic Regional Development Authority
- (NPS) National Park Service

County

Driving directions

Ramp type

- Hard surface/concrete ramp - float-off and float-on launching/retrieving for most trailered boats.
- Unimproved trailer launch- informal trailered boat launching/retrieving designed for small, light boats. Site may be too shallow for boat to be floated off trailer.
- Hand launch - no trailer capacity. Boats must be hand carried to the water.

Other amenities

Fees or restrictions

Parking capacity

Contact information (if available)

How to Trailer and Launch your Boat

Check the following to ensure a safe and proper tow:

- Make sure your boat and trailer are properly registered, inspected and insured.
- Properly load and balance the boat on the trailer.
- Check to see that all tie downs are in place and tight.
- Place outboard or outdrive in trailering position and make sure transom is properly supported on the trailer (use a motor support, if necessary).

- Distribute the weight of gear in the boat evenly over the axle(s) with heavier gear down low. Secure it from shifting.
- Ensure the hitch is the right weight class for the boat and trailer and that the hitch ball diameter matches the trailer coupler.
- Hitch the trailer to the tow vehicle.
- Make sure that the coupler is properly engaged and secured on the hitch ball.
- Connect trailer safety chains in a crisscross pattern to the hitch on the vehicle.
- Plug in the electrical connector and test all lights.
- Check tires for wear and correct pressure.
- Make sure the wheel bearings are freshly greased.
- Test the trailer brakes (if available).

Choosing the Right Trailer:

Generally the size and type of trailer is determined by the length, beam and weight of the boat. Some trailers have rollers that allow for the boat to be easily winched onto the trailer. Others have bunks designed for the boat to be floated or driven onto the trailer. The data plate or sticker, usually located on the tongue of the trailer, will display its load capacity and what size tires the trailer uses. Make sure that the combined weight of the boat, motor and equipment never exceeds the rated trailer capacity.

Launching a Boat:

These launching procedures are designed for improved ramps with the appropriate slope and boarding docks necessary for the safe launching of boats. Procedures will need to be modified for other launching situations. Always be aware of the capabilities of your tow vehicle and do not put it in a situation that will result in difficulties hauling the boat and trailer back out of the water.

1. Preparation (away from ramp, use staging area if available)

- Remove any plant and animal material from the boat and trailer and place in a receptacle or upland location away from the water.
- Load boat.
- Remove all tie downs, but make sure winch cable remains attached.
- Unplug the trailer electrical connection.
- Make sure drain plug is in and secure.
- Attach a line to the bow and stern (if necessary).
- Perform applicable checks from boat operation checklist.
- For an inboard or I/O, turn on the blower to evacuate any gas vapors.

2. Approaching the ramp

- Ensure the ramp area is clear
- Back trailer into water until boat is almost able to float off trailer. Rear tires of trailering vehicle should just be entering the water.
- Put the transmission in “Park” and set the parking brake. If necessary, put chocks behind the rear wheels of the vehicle.

3. Launching Your Boat (2 people)

- Lower the engine or outdrive.
- With one person on the boat and one at the winch, start releasing the winch.
- If the blower on inboards or I/O's has been running for at least 4 minutes, double check for vapors and start the engine.
- Ensure that water is passing through the cooling system.
- Continue releasing the winch and let the boat roll off the trailer or back the boat into the water.
- Secure the boat to the boarding dock.

(1 person)

One person launching typically requires an individual to step into the water. Appropriate footwear (waders/ hip-boots, or water shoes & shorts are recommended). Be aware that ramps can be slippery.

- Grab hold of the bow line and release the winch cable.
- Push the boat off of the trailer.
- Secure the boat to the boarding dock.
- Clear your vehicle from the ramp as soon as the boat is secure.

4. Retrieving Your Boat

- Secure your boat to the boarding dock.
- Get tow vehicle and back trailer to the approximate depth used to launch boat. Particularly for one person retrieval efforts, having the trailer close to the boarding dock makes retrieval simpler.
- Guide boat onto trailer and either drive or winch boat onto it. Be aware of depth at ramp and raise motor if necessary.
- Winch boat onto trailer until bow is tight to the bow stop. Secure winch cable and attach safety chain.
- Move boat away from ramp to staging area or other available space.
- Check trailer, boat and motor for any clinging plants or other organisms and debris and dispose of in a designated receptacle or upland area.
- Remove boat plug and drain boat.
- Load tow vehicle, reconnect trailer lights and secure all tie down straps.

Ramp Courtesy

Busy launch ramps can be a source of aggravation and friction between boaters, as everyone wants to get on or off the water as soon as possible to begin or end their boating excursion. Most problems at the ramp can be resolved if boaters are courteous to others. Prepare your boat for launching before pulling into the ramp area, loading as much of your gear as possible at home or before you launch your boat. Clear the ramp as quickly as possible when launching or retrieving your boat, so the next boater can approach. Be careful not to block others from launching if the ramp is designed to launch more than one boat at a time. The launch site is not the place to learn how to back your trailer. Practice before you ever get to the launch ramp. If there is a line, wait your turn, patiently and cheerfully. Offer to help the boater ahead of you if it appears they need and want the help.

Be a Safe and Courteous Boater

Safe and courteous boaters are aware that their boat can be as dangerous as the car they drive. They also understand that their actions can impact others using the body of water they are boating on. Always maintain a safe speed and be conscious of the impact your boat's wake can have on other boaters. If passing a small boat, canoe or kayak, SLOW DOWN, to avoid a wake that can capsize such a vessel. If you come upon a boat with people fishing, avoid disturbing the water they are fishing by slowing down, giving them a wide berth and, if possible, avoid passing between their boat and the shoreline they are fishing.

ATTENTION BOATERS

New regulations protect the waters you enjoy from aquatic invasive species

All boaters in New York State must:

- **Inspect floating docks, watercraft, trailers and equipment, and remove visible plant and animal material.**
- **Drain, and if possible, flush your boat's bilge, live well, bait well and other water-holding compartments after use.**

For more information visit:

www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/98240.html

Albany County

Hudson River - See large waters listing.


Mohawk River - See large waters listing.

Normans Kill - In small urban park off New Scotland Road, 0.4 miles east of Maher Road exit off Route 85. ADA parking and picnic tables. Hand launch. 5 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)


Partridge Run WMA - Becker, Tubbs and Waxwing Ponds, Fawn and White Birch Lakes. About 3.4 miles north of Rensselaerville between Bradt Hollow Road and Gifford Hollow Roads. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Various small parking lots. 607-652-7367 (D)

Thompson's Lake - South of the state park off Route 157, 0.3 miles north of Route 157A and Beaver Dam Road. Unimproved trailer launch. 35 hp limit on launch from May 1 - September 1. 2 cars and trailers, 5 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Allegany County

Allen Lake - In Allen Lake State Forest, northeast of the Village of Belfast, off Muckle Road. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. Accessible fishing platform. 25 cars. (D) 

Alma Pond - 3 miles east of Hamlet of Alma on County Road 38, southwest of Village of Wellsville. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Cuba Lake - At northern tip of lake, off West Shore Road near Rawson Creek inlet, north of Village of Cuba. Hard surface ramp. 24 cars and trailers, 10 cars. (D) 

Broome County


Chenango River - In Chenango Bridge at Route 12A DOT Park and Ride. Hand launch. 25 cars. (M)

Nanticoke Lake - On Squedunk Road, 4 miles south of Center Lisle. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 0.3 mile carry from parking area. 15 cars. (D)

Susquehanna River - See large waters listing.

Tioughnioga River - Itaska - On Route 79 in Itaska. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Tioughnioga River - Chenango Forks - At Route 12 bridge in Chenango Forks. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Whitney Point Reservoir - Off Route 26, 1 mile north of the Whitney Point Reservoir Dam in Dorchester Park. Hard surface ramp. 25 hp limit. 40 cars and trailers. (D) 

Whitney Point Reservoir - North end of reservoir on Route 152 at the Upper Lisle bridge. Unimproved trailer launch. 25 hp limit, 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Cattaraugus County

Allegheny Reservoir - Allegany State Park (Quaker area) Friends Boat Launch. Off Route 280, 3.6 miles south of I-86 Exit 18. Seneca Nation license required to fish majority of reservoir. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. 716-354-2182 (P)

Allegheny Reservoir - Onoville Marina- Off W. Bank Perimeter Road approx. 14.8 miles from I-86 Exit 17, west side of reservoir. Seneca Nation license needed to fish reservoir, PA license for over state line. Hard surface ramp. 100 cars and trailers, 50 cars. (M)

Allegheny River - Off S. Nine Mile Road (under I-86 bridge), south of the Village of Allegheny. Hand launch. 8 cars. (D)

Allegheny River - Allegheny River Park - in Village of Allegheny at intersection of S. 1st Street and W. Union Street. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Allegheny River - In City of Olean off W. Riverside Drive, 200 feet west of junction with S. Union Street. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Allegheny River - Off Steam Valley Road, across bridge from Olean-Portville Road, south side of river. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Case Lake - Off County Road 24, 1½ miles east of the Village of Franklinville. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 35 cars. (D)

Cattaraugus Creek - Zoar Valley- Off N. Otto Road/County Road 11, on south side of bridge over creek. Hand launch. 250' carry to water. No motors (canoes & shallow drift boats only). 20 cars. (D)

Harwood Lake - Off Route 98, 2 miles south of the Hamlet of Farmersville Station. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 24 cars. (D)

Lime Lake - Off Route 16 in Village of Machias on east side of lake off Potter Avenue. Hand launch. 12 cars. (D)

New Albion Lake - Located 1½ miles northwest of Hamlet of New Albion on Mosher Hollow Road. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 30 cars. (D)

Olean Creek - Off Gile Hollow Road, approx. 1000 feet from junction with Route 16, 6 miles north of City of Olean. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Quaker Lake - In Allegheny State Park at north end of lake, off Route 280, 4 miles from I-86 Exit 18. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. 716-354-2182 (P)

Red House Lake - In Allegheny State Park at northern tip of lake, off ASP Route 1, 2 miles from I-86 Exit 19 (via ASP Route 2). Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. 716-354-9121 (P)

Cayuga County

Cayuga Lake - See large waters listing.

Lake Ontario - See large waters listing.

Owasco Lake - Emerson Park- Off Route 38A/East Lake Road in Auburn. Parking & launch fee. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (M)

Seneca River - See large waters listing.

Chautauqua County

Bear Lake - Just north of Hamlet of Stockton off Bear Lake Rd. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Cassadaga Lake - On Middle Cassadaga Lake. From Route 60 in Village of Cassadaga, turn onto Dale Drive, left on Glasglow Road. Hard surface ramp. Accessible fishing platform. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

Chautauqua Lake - In Long Point State Park- off Route 430 between Bemus Point and Maple Springs. Hard surface ramps (5). Marina and pumpout. 56 cars and trailers and 70 cars. 716-386-2722 (P)

Chautauqua Lake - Bemus Point - from Rte 430 (Main St) in Village of Bemus Point, turn onto Alburtus Ave, left on Lakeside Ave. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (D)

Chautauqua Lake - Prendergast Point -off Route 394 on Prendergast Blvd. in the Village of Chautauqua. On Chautauqua Fish Hatchery grounds. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (D)

Chautauqua Lake - Mayville Lakeside Park- From W. Lake Rd. (Route 394) in Village of Mayville. Turn onto Park Road. Launch at far end of loop. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (M)

Chautauqua Lake - Lakewood Community Park- 531 E. Terrace Ave.,Lakewood. Launch on north side of street, parking lot on south side of street. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (M)

Chautauqua Lake - Lucille Ball Memorial Park- on Dunham Avenue in Jamestown. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (M)

Chautauqua Lake - Jamestown Municipal Boat Landing/McCrea Point Park- From Route 394 in Jamestown, turn north on W. 8th St, left on Fairmount Avenue, cross Chadakoin River, launch on right. Hard surface ramp. Fishing pier. 30 cars and trailers. (M)

Findley Lake - North end of lake, off Route 426/430 in Village of Findley Lake. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Lake Erie - See large waters listing.

Chemung County

Chemung River - Fitches Bridge- At intersection of Routes 352 and 225/Hendy Creek Road, 2 miles west of City of Elmira. Unimproved trailer launch. 12 cars and trailers. (D/M)

Chemung River - Adjacent to Dunn Field Stadium, at the end of Luce Street, ½ mile east of Maple Street in the City of Elmira. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (D/M)

Chemung River - Bottcher's Landing- On Route 10, ½ mile south of Route 352 in the Town of Big Flats. Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers. (D/M)

Chemung River - Toll Bridge Park- On Lowman Crossover, ½ mile south of Interstate 86 (Lowman Exit). Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers. (D/M)

Chemung River - Minier's Field- On Route 352, 2½ miles southeast of Steuben County line. Hard surface ramp. 12 cars and trailers. (D/M)

Chemung River - At the end of Grove Street, south of Route 352 and 0.6 miles west of Route 14 in the City of Elmira. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (D/M)

Chemung River - End of County Road 56 (White Wagon Road), 0.4 miles north of Interstate 86 (Exit 59A) in the Town of Chemung. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (M)

Park Station - Off Laurel Hill Road/Route 38, 3 miles north of Route 223 in Town of Erin. Hard surface ramp. No motors allowed. (M)

Chenango County

Balsam Pond - On Balsam Tyler Road, off Route 7, approximately 4 miles north of the Hamlet of McDonough. Accessible fishing pier. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Chenango River - Off Route 12 at North Norwich. Hand launch. 16 cars. (D)

Chenango River - Off Route 12 on County Route 32B in Norwich. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Chenango River - At the corner of Route 12 and 32C in the Hamlet of Brisben. Hand launch. 8 cars. (D)

Chenango River - Off Route 80 just west of the Village of Sherburne. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Chenango River - In City of Norwich at the Hale Street bridge. Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers. (M)

Chenango River - In the Village of Greene at the Route 41 bridge. Hand launch. 6 cars. (M)

Chenango River - At sewage treatment plant on Route 12 in Oxford. Unimproved trailer launch. Rough gravel ramp suitable for small trailer launching with 4-wheel drive. 4 cars and trailers. (M)

Guilford Lake - Near lake outlet along County Route 35 in Hamlet of Guilford. Hand launch. 12 cars. (D)

Hunts Pond - On Hunts Pond Road via Buttermilk Falls Road off Route 8 between New Berlin and South New Berlin. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Long Pond - Off Route 41, 3 miles northwest of the Hamlet of Smithville Flats. Hard surface ramp. 25 hp restriction. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Mill Brook Reservoir - On County Route 29, 1.9 miles west of Village of New Berlin. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

Round Pond - West of Smithville Flats on Round Pond Road. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. (D)

Sangerfield River - 2.6 miles north of Sherburne on Route 12B, to Route 23. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Susquehanna River - See large waters listing.

Unadilla River - Mount Upton- On Batterson Road off Route 8, 2½ miles south of Mount Upton. Hand launch. 8 cars. (D)

Unadilla River - Adjacent to Route 23 bridge crossing in South New Berlin. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Unadilla River - Off Route 8, 2 miles north of South New Berlin. Hand launch. 8 cars. (D)

Clinton County

Chazy Lake - Off Route 374, 5 miles west of the Village of Dannemora. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers, 8 cars. (D) ♿

Lake Champlain - See large waters listing.

Taylor Pond - In DEC Taylor Pond Campground. Silver Lake Road, 9 miles northwest of Ausable Forks. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

Upper Chateaugay Lake - On Route 374, ½ mile north of the Hamlet of Merrill. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers, 3 cars. (D) ♿

Columbia County

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Lake Taghkanic - Hand launch on west shore by the beach and trailer ramp on east shore off Lake Taghkanic Road, 0.6 miles west of Route 82. Unimproved trailer launch. Permit required- available from park manager. Electric motors only. Day use fee in season. Boat rentals available. 10 cars and trailers, 50 cars. 518-851-3631 (P)

Queechey Lake - On the northeast shore off Route 30, 0.2 miles west of NY Route 22. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 12 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Cortland County

Casterline Pond - Off Route 281, ½ mile north of the Village of Homer. Fishing platform. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. (D)

Little York Lake - South of Preble in Dwyer Memorial Park, off Route 281. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 cars. (M)

Otselic River - Route 41 in Town of Willet. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Otselic River - Landers Corners- On Landers Corners Road, approximately ½ mile west of Route 26. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Papish Pond - Off Beach Road, 6 miles southwest of the Village of Cincinnatus. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 6 cars. (D)

Skaneateles Lake - On Glen Haven Road in Town of Scott (south end of lake). Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (M)

Toughnioga River - On Route 392 off NY Route 11 in Messengerville. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Toughnioga River - Downstream of Route 221 bridge in Marathon. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars. (M)

Toughnioga River (East Branch) - City of Cortland in Yaman Park on Kennedy Parkway. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Tully Lake - Off Route 281, 2½ miles south of the Village of Tully, west on Song Lake Crossing, first right after crossing I-81 to Saulsbury Road, left on Friendly Shores Road. Hand launch. 7½ hp motor limit. 15 cars. (D)

Delaware County

Big Pond - Off Big Pond Road, north of Route 54, 2¼ miles northwest of Turnwood. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 6 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Delaware River - See large waters listing.

Delaware River (East Branch) - See large waters listing.

Delaware River (West Branch) - See large waters listing.

Launt Pond - In DEC Bear Spring Mountain Campground. Off East Trout Brook Road, 0.8 miles south of Route 206. Hand launch. Day use fee in season. No motors allowed. Boat rentals available. Accessible fishing platform. Open after April 1 to end of campground season. 6 cars. 607-865-6989 (D)

Little Pond - In DEC Little Pond Campground. Off Big Pond Road just north of County Route 54, about 2.4 miles northwest of Turnwood. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. No motors allowed. Boat rentals available. Open when campground is operating. 20 cars. 845-439-5480 (D)

Russ Gray Pond - Bear Spring Mountain Wildlife Management Area. At the east end of Beers Brook Road, 1.4 miles south of NY Route 206. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Electric motors only. 4 cars. 607-865-6989 (D)

Susquehanna River - See large waters listing.

Dutchess County

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Rudd Pond - Route 62, 2 miles north of the Village of Millerton. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. Permit required, available from park manager. 10 cars. 845-889-4200 (P)

Sylvan Lake - On Route 10/Sylvan Lake Road in Hopewell Junction. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 3 cars. (D)

Erie County

Buffalo River - Off Ohio Street at junction with South Street in City of Buffalo. Hand launch. 15 cars. (D)

Buffalo River - Off Harlem Road approx. 0.3 miles south of junction with Clinton Street, near I-90 Exit 53 in West Seneca. Hand launch. 40 cars. (D)

Erie Canal - See large waters listing.

Lake Erie - See large waters listing.

Upper Niagara River - See large waters listing.

Essex County

Cascade Lakes (Upper and Lower) - On Route 73, 6 miles northwest of Keene. Hand launch. No motors. 15 cars. (D)

Cheney Pond - Seasonal access off Blue Ridge Road, 10½ miles east of Newcomb. 100' carry. Hand launch. 2 cars. (D)

Eagle Lake - On Route 74, 1 mile west of Hamlet of Eagle Lake. Unimproved trailer launch. Access to main lake limited by 3'-4' clearance from overpass depending on water level. 6 cars and trailers. (D)

Franklin Falls Flow - Off Route 3 on Route 18, 5 miles east of Bloomingdale. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Lake Champlain - See large waters listing.

Lake George - See large waters listing.

Lake Harris - In DEC Lake Harris Campground. Off Route 28N, 3 miles north of Newcomb. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Lake Placid - Off Route 86, in Village of Lake Placid on Mirror Lake Drive. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (D) 

Lincoln Pond - In DEC Campground. 6 miles south of Elizabethtown on County Route 7. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 6 cars and trailers. (D)

Mirror Lake - Off Route 86 in Village of Lake Placid, on Mirror Lake Drive. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 25 cars; 50 yd carry. (D)


Moose Pond - From Route 3 in the Village of Bloomingdale, off Franklin Falls Road/River Road to the dead end on Moose Pond Road. Hand launch. 28 cars. (D)

Paradox Lake - In DEC Paradox Lake Campground. On Route 74, 2 miles east of the Hamlet of Severence. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 25 cars and trailers. (D)


Putnam Pond - In DEC Putnam Pond Campground. Off Route 74, 6 miles west of the Village of Ticonderoga. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Schroon Lake - On Dock Street in Village of Schroon Lake. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers, 6 cars. (M)


Franklin County

Black Pond - On Keese Mill Road, 2½ miles west of intersection of Route 30 and Keese Mill Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D) 

Buck Pond - In DEC Buck Pond Campground. On County Route 60, off Route 30, 12 miles east of the Hamlet of Paul Smiths. Hand launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. Electric motors only. 20 cars and trailers. (D)


East Pine Pond - Off Floodwood Road, 5 miles west of Route 30 in Saranac Lake. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D) 

Fish Creek Pond - In DEC Fish Creek Campground. On Route 30, 12 miles east of the Village of Tupper Lake. Accessible fishing pier. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Follensby Clear Pond - On Route 30, 3 miles south of Saranac Inn. Hand launch. 10 cars (D) 

Follensby Clear Pond - On Route 30, 2 miles south of Saranac Inn. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Hoel Pond - On Hoel Pond Road, off Floodwood Road (off Route 30) in Saranac Inn. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Lake Colby - On Route 86, 2 miles north of the Village of Saranac Lake. Hand launch. 10 hp motor restriction. 20 cars. (D) 


Lake Flower - On Route 86 in Village of Saranac Lake. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (D) 

Lake Kushaqua - Located in DEC Buck Pond Campground. Off Route 30, 12 miles east of the Hamlet of Paul Smiths. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. (D)

Little Clear Pond - Off Route 30, 3½ miles southwest of Hamlet of Lake Clear Junction. Hand launch. No motors/no fishing. 20 cars. (D)


Little Green Pond - Off Route 30, 3½ miles southwest of Hamlet of Lake Clear Junction. Hand launch. No motors/no fishing. 20 cars. (D)

Meacham Lake - In DEC Meacham Lake Campground. On Route 30, 19 miles north of the Hamlet of Lake Clear Junction. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 50 cars and trailers. Hand launch (no fee). (D)

Raquette River - On Routes 3 & 30, 4 miles east of the Village of Tupper Lake. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (D) 


Rollins Pond - In DEC Rollins Pond Campground. On Route 30, 12 miles northeast of the Village of Tupper Lake. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 25 hp limit. 10 cars and trailers. (D)


Santa Clara Flow/St. Regis River - Off Route 458 in the Hamlet of Santa Clara. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (D)


Saranac Lake (Lower) - On Route 3, 3½ miles southwest of the Village of Saranac Lake. Hard surface ramp. 75 cars and trailers. (D) 


Saranac Lake (Lower) - On Route 3 to Edgewood Road (½ mile west of the Village of Saranac Lake) for ¼ mile north, then west on Bayside Drive for .2 miles to launch. Hand launch. 12 cars. (M)

Saranac Lake (Middle) - South Creek - On Route 3, 10 miles west of the Village of Saranac Lake. Hand launch. 20 cars. (D)


Saranac Lake (Upper) - On Indian Carry Road, off Route 3, 8 miles east of the Village of Tupper Lake. Hand launch. 18 cars. (D) 

Saranac Lake (Upper) - At Saranac Inn, ½ mile from Route 30. Hard surface ramp. 26 cars and trailers, 12 cars. (D) 

Tupper Lake - On Route 30 in the Hamlet of Moody, 2 miles south of the Village of Tupper Lake. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. (D) 

Why Pond - In DEC Rollins Pond Campground. On Route 30, 12 miles northeast of the Village of Tupper Lake. Hand launch. 16 cars. (D) 

Fulton County

Canada/West Lake - Off Route 10, 1 mile south of the intersection of Routes 29A & 10 on Point Breeze Road. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. (D) 

Caroga Lake - In DEC Caroga Lake Campground. On Route 29A, 9 miles northwest of the City of Gloversville. Hard surface. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating. 15 cars and trailers. (D)


Great Sacandaga Lake - See large waters listing.

Genesee County

Oak Orchard River - On Knowesville Road, 1½ miles north of Wheatville. Hand launch. 3 cars. (M)

Greene County

Colgate Lake - Near the end of Route 78 (East Kill Road), off Route 23C, east of East Jewett. Hand launch. No motors. 6 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Green Lake - Off Valley Road, off Route 49, 2.4 miles north of Leeds. Unimproved trailer launch. Accessible fishing platform. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D) 

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

North/South Lakes - In DEC North-South Lake Campground. 2 miles east of Haines Falls at the end of Route 18. (Located at the far east end of North Lake by the beach.) No motors allowed. Hard surface ramp. Park day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating. Boat rentals available. 40 cars, 20 cars. 518-589-5058 (D)


Hamilton County

Brown Tract Pond - In DEC Brown Tract Pond Campground. Off Route 28, on Uncas Road, 7 miles east of the Hamlet of Eagle Bay. Hand launch. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating. No motors permitted. 10 cars. (D)


Cedar River Flow (Moose River Plains Wild Forest) - From Hamlet of Indian Lake, turn left on Cedar River Road and proceed for 14 miles. Located at the outlet. Hand launch. (D) 

Eighth Lake - In DEC Eighth Lake Campground. Route 28, 5 miles west of Raquette Lake. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Access available until first snowfall. Access to Seventh Lake gated after Columbus Day. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Forked Lake - In DEC Campground. Off Route 30, 3 miles west Hamlet of Deerland. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Small boats recommended. Access available until first snowfall. 40 cars and trailers. (D)

Fourth Lake - On Route 28, in Hamlet of Inlet. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (D) 

Helldiver Pond (Moose River Plains Wild Forest) - From Hamlet of Indian Lake, turn left on Cedar River Road and proceed for 27 miles. Located on a short entrance road off of Limekiln Lake-Cedar River Road. 0.8 miles east of Otter Brook Road intersection. Hand launch. (D) 

Icehouse Pond (Moose River Plains Wild Forest) - From Hamlet of Indian Lake, turn left on Cedar River Road and proceed for 28 miles. Located on a short entrance road off of Otter Brook Road. 0.9 miles from Limekiln Lake-Cedar River Rd. Hand launch. (D) 

Indian Lake - In DEC Indian Lake Campground. Access from Route 30, 14 miles north of the Village of Speculator. Access available until first snowfall. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (D)

Lake Abanakee - On Chain of Lakes Road, off Route 28 in Town of Indian Lake. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 cars and trailers. (M)

Lake Adirondack - Byron Park Public Dock. On Route 28 in Town of Indian Lake. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

Lake Durant - In DEC Lake Durant Campground. On Route 28, 3 miles east of the Hamlet of Blue Mountain Lake. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Small boats recommended. Access available until first snowfall. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Lake Eaton - In DEC Lake Eaton Campground. On Route 30, 2 miles west of Village of Long Lake. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 12 cars and trailers. (D)

Lewey Lake - In DEC Lewey Lake Campground. Off Route 30, 14 miles north of the Village of Speculator. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Limekiln Lake - In DEC Limekiln Lake Campground. Off Route 28, 3 miles southeast of Hamlet of Inlet. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Access available until first snowfall. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Long Lake - Off Route 30 on the east shore of Long Lake. Hard surface ramp. 60 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Piseco Lake - In DEC Poplar Point Campground. Access via Route 8, 2 miles west of Piseco. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Piseco Lake - In DEC Little Sand Point Campground. Access via Route 8, 3 miles west of Piseco. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating and December-March. 6 cars and trailers. (D)

Piseco Lake - In DEC Point Comfort Campground. Access via Route 8, 4 miles west of Piseco. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating and December-March. 6 cars and trailers. (D)

Sacandaga Lake - In DEC Moffitt Beach Campground. Page Street off Route 8, 4 miles west of the Village of Speculator. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 30 cars and trailers. (D)

Seventh Lake - On Route 28, 3 miles east of the Hamlet of Inlet. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

Herkimer County

Beardslee Reservoir (aka East Canada Lake)- In Little Falls, from Route 5 to Route 60 (Old State Road), north on Route 59 (Clay Hill Road) for 1.77 miles, left on Beardslee Road. Hand launch. 10 hp limit. 6 cars.

Erie Canal/Mohawk River - See large waters listing.

Fourth Lake - Fourth Lake Day Use Area (Access to DEC Alger Island Campground). 6½ miles northeast of Old Forge off South Shore Road on Petrie Road. Hand launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 25 cars. (D)

Moshier Reservoir - From Lowville, east on Number Four Road for 28 miles to Stillwater Road. Take Stillwater Road to Necessary Dam Road for 1¼ miles. Site is southwest of Stillwater Dam. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Nicks Lake - In DEC Nicks Lake Campground. Off Route 28, 1½ miles southwest of the Hamlet of Old Forge on Bisby Road. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating. No motors permitted. 20 cars. (D) ♿

North Lake - On South Lake Road, off North Lake Road in Village of Atwell. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (C)

Quiver Pond - On South Shore Road (Route 118) between Inlet and Old Forge. Hand launch. Accessible fishing dock. 5 cars. (D) ♿

South Lake - On South Lake Road, 1 mile from Village of Atwell in the Town of Ohio. Hand launch. 5 cars and trailers. (C)

Stillwater Reservoir - Off Number Four Road at the end of Stillwater Road, 28 miles east of Lowville. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Twitchell Lake - From Route 28 in Eagle Bay north to Route 1/Big Moose Road to Twitchell Road on Razorback Pond - Silver Lake Trail. Hand launch. 8 cars. (D)

Weaver Lake - On Route 20, just west of Ostrander Road in Warren. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (D)

Jefferson County

Black River - Fish Island Park (above dam), from Route 3 off Route 180 on Canal Street in Dexter. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (M) ♿

Black River - (below dam), from Route 3 off Route 180 to Water Street on Liberty Street in Dexter. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (M)

Butterfield Lake - Off Route 37 to Stine Road, on Butterfield Lake Road in Redwood. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (D)

Hyde Lake - From Route 37/26 in Theresa, to Route 26 to Funda Road to the end. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 hp limit. 8 cars and trailers. (D)

Indian River - Indian Lake WMA- In Theresa, from Route 26 to Bridge Street; second left onto Red Lake Road, after ¾ miles continue onto Nelson Road. Unimproved trailer launch. 6 cars and trailers. (D)

Lake Ontario - See large waters listing.

Lake-of-the-Woods - From Route 37 in Redwood, off Cottage Hill Road to Burns Road to Fauteau Road. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 hp limit. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Lakeview Pond - Lakeview WMA- Off Route 3 on Pierrepont Place Road in Ellisburg. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 hp limit. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Millsite Lake - From Route 37 in Redwood, off Cottage Hill Road to access road. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 hp limit. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Moon Lake - From Theresa, Route 26/Mill Street to Bridge Street, to Red Lake Road, to Moon Lake Road/Muskellunge Lake Road, right on Boat Launch Lane. Hand launch. 10 hp limit. 10 cars. (D)

Oswegatchie River - From Oxbow, approximately ½ miles east on Route 25 to the entrance of the access site. Hand launch. 25 cars. (D)

Payne Lake - From Route 26 in Theresa north to Oxbow Road, continue on Route 22 for 8 miles, left on Payne Lake Road to end. Hard surface ramp. 10 hp limit. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

Red Lake - From Route 26 in Theresa to Bridge Street then north onto Red Lake Road for 4¾ miles. Unimproved trailer launch. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

Sixberry Lake - From Route 26 in Theresa to Route 193 for 0.18 miles, to English Settlement Road/Route 21 for 4½ miles, to Sears Road for 0.39 miles. Hard surface ramp. 10 hp limit. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Sixtown Pond (Crystal Lake) - Off Route 178 to State Boat Landing Road, 4 miles east of Henderson. Hand launch. 25 cars. (D)

South Colwell Pond - On Montario Point Road, off Route 3 in Ellisburg. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

South Sandy Creek - Off Route 3, 10½ miles south of the Village of Henderson on Route 3, north of Nash Road. Hand launch. Accessible fishing dock. 32 cars. (D)

St. Lawrence River - See large waters listing.

Lewis County

Beaver River Canoe Route - There are a numerous sites designed for canoe/kayak launching from the Town of Croghan, east to the Town of Webb (Moshier Reservoir).

Black River - On Route 410, ½ miles northeast of Castorland. Hard surface ramp. 22 cars and trailers. (D)

Black River (Beech's Bridge) - From River Street in Lowville to Number Four Road for 1.7 miles. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

Black River - In Glenfield off Route 12, on Route 40/Greig Road, .13 miles east of Blue Street. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Black River - South of Glenfield, off Route 12, on Burdick's Crossing Road. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

There are numerous sites designed for canoe/kayak launching on the Black River from Port Leyden, north to Carthage.

Clear Pond - From Hamlet of Belfort, off Route 10/Belfort Road to Long Pond Road for 7.3 miles to Clear Pond Road. Hand launch. Site provided via FWMA agreement with private landowners. No motors. 3 cars. (D)

Francis Lake - From Lowville, take Number Four Road/Route 26 northeast for 28 miles, then right on Stillwater Road for .9 miles. Hand launch. 3 cars. (D) ♿

Indian Lake (Fort Drum Military Installation) - NYS Rte. 3 just east of Natural Bridge, NY turn onto Fort Drum at Lewisburg Rd., travel 1.6 miles and turn right (northeast) onto Fusa Boulevard. Travel 6.5 miles and turn left (southwest) onto Alpina Road leading to Ranges 51-52. Travel 0.9 miles and keep left to the launch site and parking area. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers.


**Requires a Recreation Access Permit (obtained through <https://fortdrum.isportsman.net/contact-us>) and check-in/check-out through the Fort Drum's Sportsman's Hotline.*

Indian River - Onjebonge State Forest- From Carthage, take Route 3 north 9.4 miles to Natural Bridge, turn left on Lime Street then go 0.2 miles and turn left on Lewisburg Road. Go 0.3 miles to Arnoldville Road. Turn left on Lime Quarry Road, stay to right and continue on Lime Quarry Road Extension until the end. Hand launch. Accessible fishing platform. 5 cars. (D)


Lake Bonaparte - In Harrisville, from Route 3, north on North Bonaparte Road for 0.4 miles, west onto North Shore Road/North Bonaparte Road for 3.2 miles. The access site is in Sand Bay State Forest. Hard surface ramp. 14 cars and trailers. (D)

Long Pond - From Main Street (Route 812) in Croghan, northeast on Route 10/Belfort Road for 3.6 miles, to Long Pond Road for 4.3 miles, to Prentice Road for 4.3 miles. Hand launch. 10 hp limit. DEC/FAA by FWMA agreement. 5 cars. (D)

Oswegatchie River (West Branch) - From Main Street (Route 812) in Croghan, northeast on Route 10/Belfort Road for 3.6 miles, to Long Pond Road for 8 miles, just after Buckhorn Road/Yousey Lane and above Mud Pond. Hand launch. 10 hp limit. 3 cars. (D)

Payne Lake - From River Street in Lowville to Number Four Road. After 8.6 miles, turn right on Erie Canal Road. After 2.7 miles, turn left on Beach Mill Road. Take for 1 mile then turn right on Cleveland Lake Road. In .6 miles turn left on access road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D) 

Rock Pond/Trout Lake - From Hamlet of Belfort, turn right/east onto Long Pond Road for 8.8 miles. Turn left/north onto Bald Mountain Road and travel for 0.2 miles. The hand launch is on the north side of the bridge across the West Branch of the Oswegatchie River. Hand launch. 3 cars. (D)

Soft Maple Reservoir - From Main Street (Route 812) in Croghan, follow north to Old State Road. Turn right onto Old State Road and continue to Belfort, where the road turns into Long Pond Road. Stay straight to continue on Fish Creek Road. Site is on right after bridge on Fish Creek Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D) 

Whetstone Marsh Pond - Whetstone Gulf State Park - From the Village of Lowville, take Route 26 south 7.8 miles and turn right onto Houseville Gulf Road for 3.6 miles, then turn left onto the gravel road (dead end). Unimproved trailer launch. 3 cars and trailers. (P)

Livingston County

Conesus Inlet - Wildlife Management Area. At south end of Conesus Lake, off Route 256 (West Lake Road). Hand launch. 40 cars. (D)

Conesus Lake - From Route 390, Exit 8, 3 miles east on Route 20A, 4 miles south on East Lake Road. Hard surface ramp. 45 cars and trailers, 25 cars. 585-346-6373 (P)

Conesus Lake - On Pebble Beach Road, ¼ mile south of Route 20A in the Hamlet of Lakeville. Closed 10pm-4am. Hand launch. 120 cars. (D)

Genesee River - On Routes 5 & 20, in Village of Avon. Hand launch. 13 cars. (D)

Genesee River - Village of Geneseo at wastewater treatment plant on Riverside Drive. Hand launch. 6 cars. (M)

Hemlock Lake - Northeast corner of lake off East Lake Road within Hemlock-Canadice State Forest. Unimproved trailer launch. 17 foot boat/10 hp motor restriction. 8 cars and trailers, parallel parking on shoulder of East Lake Road. (D)

Hemlock Lake - Southeast corner of lake along gravel access road, off Route 15A in Town of Springwater. Unimproved trailer launch. 17 foot boat/10 hp motor restriction. 12 cars and trailers. (D)

Madison County

Cazenovia Lake - On Route 20 at the south end of the lake. Hand carry over perimeter boulders. Hand launch. 15 cars. (DOT)

Cazenovia Lake - Off Forman Street in Lakeside Park in Cazenovia. Launch permit required. Call 315-655-3041 for hours of operation. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (M)

Cazenovia Lake - McNitt State Park off East Lake Road in Cazenovia. Open 5am-9pm. Hand launch. 75 yard carry. 10 cars. (P)

Eaton Brook Reservoir - Off Eaton Brook Road (Route 52), 2 miles west of the Hamlet of West Eaton. Hard surface ramp. 13 cars and trailers. (D)

Lebanon Reservoir - On Reservoir Road, about 4 miles west of the Village of Hamilton. Hard surface ramp. 14 cars and trailers. (D)

Madison Reservoir (Lake Moraine) - On Route 87/East Lake Road, 3 miles south of Madison. Hard surface ramp. 13 cars and trailers. (D)

Oneida Lake - See large waters listing.

Stony Pond - In Stony Pond State Forest on Jones Road in the Town of Nelson. Hand launch. No motors permitted. 10 cars. (D)

Upper Leland Pond - On Route 26, approximately 1 mile southwest of the Hamlet of Bouckville. Hard surface ramp. Fishing pier. 10 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Monroe County

Black Creek - On Black Creek Road, off Route 252, ¼ mile west of Route 383 in the Town of Chili. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers, 10 cars. (D) ♿

Erie Canal - See large waters listing.

Genesee River - Quaker Road- On Route 251, 2 miles southeast of Scottsville. Hand launch. 7 cars. (D)

Genesee River - Brown's Bridge- On Route 253, 2 miles east of the Hamlet of Scottsville. Hand launch. 12 cars. (D)

Genesee River - On River Street about ¼ mile north of intersection of Lake Avenue and Lake Ontario State Parkway in the City of Rochester. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. (M)

Honeoye Creek - On Fishell Road, off Route 15 at Route 390 overpass, 1 mile south of Route 251 in the Town of Rush. Hand launch. 12 cars. (D)

Lake Ontario - See large waters listing.

Mendon Ponds - Off Route 65, 1 mile south of NYS Thruway in the Town of Mendon. Four launches on three ponds. Hand launch. Electric motors only. (M)

Oatka Creek - Just east of intersection of Route 36 & Route 383 in the Hamlet of Mumford. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Montgomery County

Erie Canal/Mohawk River - See large waters listing.

Schoharie Creek - At the dead end of Dufel Road, off Route 5S, just west of Fort Hunter. Hard surface. 30 cars and trailers. 518-829-7516 (P)

Schoharie Creek - At the end of the Burtonville Road/Route 160 bridge in Burtonville. Hand launch. 5 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Nassau County

Hempstead Lake - Hempstead Lake State Park, Exit 18 Southern State Parkway. Hand launch. Annual \$50 Launch Fee - Car top boats only. No trailers. Inflatables only with NMMA Certification. No gas motors. State Parks permit required. Trail to water's edge. (516) 766-1029 (P)

Middle Bay (SW) - Albany Avenue, Freeport. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. (516) 377-2314 (M)

Jones Inlet (SW) - Jones Beach State Park- Ocean Parkway - Boat Basin - east of picnic area. Beach launch. Kayaks & canoes only. 50 cars. (516) 785-1600 (P)

Jones Inlet (SW) - Jones Beach State Park- Ocean Parkway - Field 10 - east of picnic area. Beach launch. Kayaks & canoes only. 340 cars. (516) 785-1600 (P)

Jones Inlet/Middle Bay (SW) - Hempstead Town Marina West- Lido Blvd. off Loop Parkway, Point Lookout. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 21 ft. limit. (516) 431-9200 (M)

Long Island Sound (SW) - See large waters listing.

Reynolds Channel (SW) - Long Beach Ramp- West Bay Drive, Long Beach. Non-motorized and personal watercraft are prohibited. Hard surface ramp. (516) 431-1000 (M)

South Oyster Bay (SW) - John J. Burns Town Park- Merrick Road, Massapequa. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. (516) 797-7980 (M)

Niagara County

Lower Niagara River - Village of Lewiston Launch- Off N. Water Street just north of junction with foot of Center Street. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers (M)

Lower Niagara River - Village of Youngstown Launch- Off Water Street in village. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (P)

Erie Canal - See large waters listing.

Lake Ontario - See large waters listing.

Tonawanda Creek - Off Rapids Road approx. 0.3 miles west of junction with Kelkenberg Road, 3 miles southeast of Hamlet of Rapids. Hand launch. 8 cars. (D)

Upper Niagara River - See large waters listing.

Oneida County

Chittning Pond - Located on Route 20, 4.3 miles west of Bridgewater. Unimproved trailer launch. 20 cars and trailers, 5 cars. (D)

Delta Lake - On Route 46, 6 miles north of Rome in Delta Lake State Park. Hard surface ramp. 70 cars and trailers. (315) 337-4670 (P)

Fish Creek (West Branch) - From Route 13 in Westdale to Cemetery Road. Access site is before bridge. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Forestport Reservoir - From Alder Creek, follow Route 28 north for 2¼ miles. Turn left on River Road and access site is .12 miles on the right. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Little Long Lake - From Alder Creek, follow Route 28 north for 11 miles. Turn left on Bentliff Road, then left on Round Lake Road/Route 63. After ½ mile, take right on Long Lake Road. After 1 mile, access is located at the intersection of Long Lake Road & Capron Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D) ♿

Mohawk River/Erie Canal - See large waters listing.

Oneida Lake - See large waters listing.

Onondaga County

Jamesville Reservoir - One mile south of Jamesville, off Route 91, near the County Highway Garage. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Labrador Pond - Labrador Hollow Unique Area located off Labrador Cross Road on Markham Hollow Road in the Town of Fabius. Hand launch with accessible fishing pier. No motors allowed. 5 cars. (D) ♿

Oneida River - On Bonstead Road approximately 3½ miles southeast of Village of Phoenix (under I-481 bridge). Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

Onondaga Lake - Onondaga Lake Park in Liverpool off Onondaga Lake Parkway. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (315) 453-6721 (M)

Otisco Lake - On West Valley Road, 2 miles north of Saw Mill Road. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Seneca River- See large waters listing.

Skaneateles Lake - Off Route 41A, 2½ miles south of the Village of Skaneateles. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Spruce Pond - Off Herlighy Road, 8 miles east of the Village of Tully. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 6 cars. (D)

Ontario County

Canadice Lake - On Canadice Lake Road, 0.7 miles south of intersection with Burch Hill Road in Town of Canadice. Unimproved trailer launch. Permit required from City of Rochester. 17 foot boat/10 hp motor restriction. Parallel parking on wide shoulder of Canadice Lake Road. (M)

Canandaigua Lake - Off South Main Street, 300 feet south of intersection with Route 5/20 in the City of Canandaigua. Hard surface ramp. 110 cars and trailers. 315-536-3666 (P)

Canandaigua Lake - Woodville - Adjacent to Route 21, 3 miles north of the Village of Naples. Hard surface ramp. 86 cars and trailers. (D)

Canandaigua Lake - On West Lake Road, 6½ miles south of the City of Canandaigua. Hard surface ramp. Restricted to winter launching and then only when state park site at north end is unusable. 25 cars and trailers. (D)/(M)

Canandaigua Outlet - On Pioneer Road, ¼ mile north of County Road 19, ½ mile south of Village of Shortsville. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Honeoye Lake - 4 miles south of the Hamlet of Honeoye, off East Lake Road. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. 585-335-8111 (P)

Honeoye Lake - On Route 36, 0.4 miles south of Route 20A. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (M)

Seneca Lake - See large waters listing.

Orange County

Blue Lake (Sterling Forest State Park) - 200 ft. north of IBM off Long Meadow Road on Blue Lake Road. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Permit and sticker required, available from park manager. 10 cars. 845-351-5907 (P)

Delaware River - See large waters listing.

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Island Pond - Harriman State Park- On Arden Valley Road, 8 miles north of Sloatsburg. Hand launch. Must have a valid NYS fishing license. Permit and key required from park manager at Tiorati Beach. Electric motors only. 10 cars. 845-429-8257 (P)

Lake Kanawauke - Harriman State Park- Route 210, 1500 ft. west of Seven Lakes Drive. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Permit required from park manager at Tiorati Beach. 10 cars. 845-429-8257 (P)

Lake Silvermine - Harriman State Park- On Seven Lakes Drive, 4 miles south of Route 6. Hand launch. Permit required from park manager at Tiorati Beach. Electric motors only. 100 cars. 845-429-8257 (P)

Lake Skannatati - Harriman State Park- Seven Lakes Drive, 8 miles north of Sloatsburg. Hand launch. Permit required from park manager at Tiorati Beach. Electric motors only. 10 cars. 845-429-8257 (P)

Lake Stahahe - Harriman State Park- Route 106, 1 mile east of NYS Thruway. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 8 cars. 845-429-8257 (P) No boating until further notice.

Lake Tiorati - Harriman State Park- On Tiorati Brook Road, 4 miles west of Palisades Interstate Parkway. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Permit and key required, available from park manager. 10 cars. 845-429-8257 (P)

Walton Lake - On Lakes Road (Route 5), 2 miles southwest of the Village of Monroe. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Trailer launching prohibited. 10 cars. (D)

Orleans County

Glenwood Lake - On Route 63, 2.3 miles south of Route 104 in the Village of Medina. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)

Erie Canal - See large waters listing.

Lake Ontario - See large waters listing.

Waterport Reservoir (Lake Alice) - On Waterport Road (Route 279), 4 miles north of Route 104 in Town of Carlton. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (M)

Oswego County

Lake Ontario - See large waters listing.

Lake Neatawanta - North Bay Campground on Route 3 in Fulton. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)

Oneida Lake - See large waters listing.

Oswego River - In Phoenix, off Culvert Street in Lock Island Park. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers, 20 cars. (M)

Oswego River - On Route 57 north of Crescent Road in Volney. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers, 10 cars. (M)

Oswego River - Off Route 481/N 2nd Street in Fulton. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers, 10 cars. (M)

Oswego River - Riverview Memorial Park- Off Route 48, south of Lock 5 in Minetto. Suitable for small boats. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars (M)

Oswego River - Lock O8- Off NY Route 481/E. 1st Street on Canal View Drive in Oswego. Hard surface ramp. 2 cars and trailers, 5 cars. (M)

Oswego River - On N. 1st Street off Route 481 in the City of Fulton. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars, 9 cars and trailers. (M)

Oswego River - Wright's Landing Marina- On Lake Street off W. 1st Street in Oswego. 50 cars, 50 cars and trailers. (315) 343-8430 (M)

Salmon River - In Selkirk Shores State Park on Pine Grove Road, off Route 3. (½ mile south of Route 13 at Port Ontario.) Unimproved trailer launch ramp. Access to Lake Ontario. 120 cars and trailers. 315-298-7784 (P)

Salmon River Reservoir - Little America - At the end of CCC Drive, off Orwell-Redfield Road/Route 2, 4½ miles west of the Hamlet of Redfield. Hand launch. 16 cars. (D)

Salmon River Reservoir - Jackson Road- At the end of Jackson Road, off Orwell-Redfield Road/Route 2. 5½ miles west of the Hamlet of Redfield. Hard surface ramp. 22 cars and trailers. (D)

Salmon River Reservoir - Route 17 in the Hamlet of Redfield, near intersection of Waterbury Road and Route 27. Unimproved trailer launch. 6 cars and trailers. (D)

Salmon River Reservoir - Redfield Island- Route 17 in the Hamlet of Redfield, across from Hayes Drive. Accessible fishing platform. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (D)

Otsego County

Basswood Pond - Off County Route 16. Take Basswood Road to Conservation Road north to Day Use Area. Accessible fishing platform. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Bear Swamp Pond - Gravel road entrance off Buttermilk Hill Road, ¾ miles south of Route 165, just east of South Valley. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Canadarago Lake - Off Route 28, 3 miles south of Route 20 in Richfield Springs. Turn east onto Dennison Road and go to the end. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. 40 cars and trailers, 5 cars. 315-858-9719 (P)

Gilbert Lake - Main gate located at 18 CCC Road in Laurens. Take Exit 13 off Route 205, then north on Route 12 to the park. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Electric motors only. Boating permit required, see park office. Boat rentals available. 10 cars. 607-432-2114 (P)

Goodyear Lake - Off Route 35, at end of Silliman Cove Road, 1.3 miles north of Route 7. Hand launch. Accessible kayak launch. 15 cars. 607-652-7366 (D) ♿

Otsego Lake - Off Route 31, 4 miles south of Route 20 in Springfield (Glimmerglass State Park). Hand launch. 10 cars. 607-547-8662 (P)

Susquehanna River - See large waters listing.

Unadilla River - Off Route 51, south of the bridge. Hand launch. 4 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Putnam County

Canopus Lake - Clarence Fahnestock State Park. Off Route 301, 9 miles east of the Village of Cold Springs. Hand launch. Electric motors. Permit required, available from park manager. 10 cars. 845-889-4200 (P)

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Stillwater Lake - Clarence Fahnestock State Park. Off Taconic Parkway, southbound, 1 mile south of Route 301. Hand launch. Permit required from park manager. Electric motors only. 10 cars. 845-889-4200 (P)

Waywayanda Lake - California Hill State Forest - on Waywayanda Court in the Town of Kent. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 6 cars. (D)

White Pond - Off Route 301 on Farmers Mill Rd (Route 42) to White Pond Road. Accessible fishing pier. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Rensselaer County

Black River Pond - Off Miller Road/County Route 35 in Cherry Plains State Park, about 2 miles west of Route 22. Hand launch. Day use fee in season. No motors permitted. Boat rentals available. 10 cars and trailers. 518-733-5400, 518-279-1155 (P)

Dunham Reservoir (Grafton Lakes State Park) - Access points off Johnson Road at north end, and Dunham Road at south end off NY Route 2. Unimproved trailer launch ramp. Park day use fee in season. Electric motors only. 5 cars and trailers. 518-279-1155 (P)

Hoosic River - On Route 103 next to the Buskirk covered bridge, 0.3 miles north of Route 67 in Buskirk. Hand launch. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Hoosic River - On Route 67 near Beck Road in Eagle Bridge. Hand launch. 15 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Long Pond (Grafton Lakes State Park) - Access points off N. Long Pond Road and the main Parkway Road near beach. Hand launch. Park day use fee in season. Electric motors only. Boat rentals available. 25 cars and trailers. 518-279-1155 (P)

Mill Pond (Grafton Lakes State Park) - On southwest shore along N. Long Pond Road, north of Route 2. Hand launch. No motors permitted. 10 cars and trailers. 518-279-1155 (P)

Second Pond (Grafton Lakes State Park) - Route 2 off N. Long Pond Road in Grafton. Unimproved trailer launch. Park Day use fee in season. Electric motors only. Boat rentals available. 5 cars and trailers. 518-279-1155 (P)

Shaver Pond (Grafton Lakes State Park) - Multiple walk in access trails with parking off the main Parkway Road and off Shaver Pond Road. Hand launch Park Day use fee in season. No motors permitted. Boat rentals available. 5 cars and trailers. 518-279-1155 (P)

Rockland County

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Lake Sebago - Harriman State Park- On Seven Lakes Drive, 4 miles north of Sloatsburg. Unimproved trailer launch. Permit required from park manager. Electric motors only. 50 cars. 845-429-8257 (P)

Lake Welch - Harriman State Park- On Route 106, 6 miles west of Stony Point. Hard surface ramp. Electric motors only. Permit and key required, available from park manager at Beaver Pond Campground. 10 cars and trailers. 845-947-2792 (P)

Minisceonga Creek - Off 9W east on Railroad Avenue/Route 94 becomes Grassy Point Road/Route 108. Hand launch. No gas motors. 8 cars. (M)

Rockland Lake - Rockland Lake State Park- Route 9W, 3 miles west of Route 59. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 845-268-3020 (P)

Saratoga County


Ballston Lake - Off Route 50 on Outlet Road in Ballston Lake. Accessible fishing pier. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)

Great Sacandaga Lake - See large waters listing.

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Erie Canal/Mohawk River - See large waters listing.

Moreau Lake - Moreau Lake State Park- 1 mile south of Exit 17S of the Northway (I-87). Hand launch. No motors permitted. 10 cars and trailers. 518-793-0511 (P)

Round Lake - On Route 9 in Village of Round Lake. Hard surface ramp. 9 cars and trailers, 11 cars. (M/D) 

Saratoga Lake - Adjacent to Route 9P, at the north end of Saratoga Lake. Hard surface ramp. Overflow parking available. 40 cars and trailers. 518-584-2000 (P)

Schenectady County

Featherstonaugh Lake - Off Judith Lane, just north of Route 88/Lake Road in Mariaville. Hand launch. Walk-in access. 4 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Erie Canal/Mohawk River - See large waters listing.

Schoharie County

Blazer and Travis Ponds - Utsayantha Park- Off Route 10, 2.2 miles north of Route 23 in Stamford. Hand launch. 4 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Franklinton Vlaie Pond - Franklinton Vlaie WMA- On the south shore off Route 145 in Franklinton. Turn west onto Gates Hill Road. Unimproved trailer launch. No gas motors. 3 cars and trailers. 607-652-7367 (D)

Looking Glass Pond - Off Route 20. Go 5 miles east from Route 10 in Summit, turn south on Looking Glass Road, then left on Rossman Hill Road. Hand launch. Accessible fishing platforms. 8 cars. 607-652-7366 (D) ♿

Lower Blenheim-Gilboa Reservoir - Off Route 30, 3½ miles south of North Blenheim. Turn east onto Mine Kill State Park Road. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. 65 cars and trailers. Park 518-827-6111, NYPA 518-827-6121 (P)

Rossman Fly Pond - Off Route 20. Go 3.6 miles east from Route 10 in Summit and turn north on Rossman Valley Road then right on Rossman Fly (gravel) Road. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Schoharie Creek - At the mouth of Cripplebush Creek, off Route 30A, 1¼ miles north of Central Bridge. Unimproved trailer launch. 500' carry. 15 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Schoharie Creek - At the end of the Route 7 Bridge, ¾ miles northwest of I-88, Exit 23. Hand launch. 8 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Schoharie Creek - Off Route 30, 2.2 miles north of the covered bridge in North Blenheim. Hand launch. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Upper Blenheim-Gilboa Reservoir - On the east shore, off Kingsley Road near Cross Road, 2 miles northeast of Flat Creek. Unimproved trailer launch. Walk-in access. No motors or sailboats allowed. Must call 1-800-724-0309 before visiting site. 4 cars. (NYPA)

Schuyler County

Seneca Lake - See large waters listing.

Cayuta Lake - On Lock Heid Road, off Cayutaville Road, ¼ mile east of Route 228 in Town of Catharine. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Lamoka Lake - On Route 23, 2 miles west of the Hamlet of Tyrone. Hard surface ramp. 12 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Waneta Lake - On Route 23, 2 miles west of the Hamlet of Tyrone. Hard surface ramp. Parking available at Lamoka Lake. (D)

Seneca County

Cayuga Lake- See large waters listing.

Cayuga-Seneca Canal - Along Lock Road, just off Route 90 in Mudlock. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (C)

Cayuga-Seneca Canal - Routes 5 and 20 just over Freebridge S-1 on the west side. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (C)

Cayuga-Seneca Canal - At the end of Oak Street, 0.2 miles south of Routes 5 & 20 in Village of Waterloo. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

Seneca Lake - See large waters listing.

Seneca River - In the Montezuma National Wildlife Refuge off Route 5/20 (Auburn Road), on the Barge Canal, just south of Freebridge in the Town of Tyre. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (D)

St. Lawrence County


Black Lake - In Hammond, take Lake Street/Route 6 north for 6 miles. Hard surface ramp. 55 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

Bog River Flow - From Tupper Lake, travel 8 miles south on Route 30, turn right on Route 421. After 6 miles turn left on Lows Lower Dam access road. Hand launch. No motors permitted on the river. 8 cars. (D)

Cranberry Lake - From Route 3 in Cranberry Lake to S. Columbian Road for 0.4 miles. Hard surface ramp. 55 cars and trailers. (D)

Cranberry Lake - In DEC Cranberry Lake Campground. Off Route 3 in Cranberry Lake off Lone Pine Road. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. Accessible fishing pier. 10 cars. (D)

Fish Creek - (Access to Black Lake) On Route 58, ¼ mile south of intersection of Route 58 and Route 184 in Pope Mills. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Fish Creek - From the intersection of Routes 58 and 184 in the Hamlet of Pope Mills, turn southeast on to Route 184 and travel 0.2 miles to the gravel access road on the north side of Route 184. 0.8 mile hand carry. Hand launch. 5 cars. 

Grass Lake - From Route 37 in Redwood, follow Cottage Hill Road east for 3 miles then turn left on Burns Road. After 2.8 miles (Burns Road turns into Butler Road) turn right on access road. 10 hp limit. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Grass River - On Route 68, 3 miles northwest of Canton. Hard surface ramp. Suitable for canoes & small motor boats. 14 cars and trailers. (D)

Higley Flow - Higley Flow State Park- From intersection of Route 56 and Cold Brook Drive in South Colton, follow Cold Brook Drive for 1 mile and turn right on Campbell Point Road. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (P)

Horseshoe Lake - From Village of Tupper Lake follow Route 30 south for 9 miles, take right onto Route 421 and follow to end. Accessible fishing platform. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Indian River - Off Route 3, on Hall Road in Rossie. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Lake Ozonia - From Route 11B in Hopkinton, go south on Route 72 for 0.2 miles. Turn left on Lake Ozonia Road and travel 7.6 miles, then turn right on Old Road. Hand launch. 10 hp limit. 30 cars. (D)

Oswegatchie River - From Main Street in Edwards, south on Maple Avenue. Turn right at intersection with Route 58. Site is located on right before bridge. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Oswegatchie River - Village of Edwards - Near intersection of Route 24/New Street and Main Street in Edwards. Site is on south side of New Street bridge and east side of river. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Oswegatchie River - From Star Lake, travel ¾ miles east on Route 3. Turn right on Sunny Lake Road, then left on Inlet Road to the end, 3.15 miles. Hand launch. No motors permitted. 25 cars. (D)

Oswegatchie River - Wegatchie- Off Route 12, on Chisholm Road in Antwerp. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D) ♿

Oswegatchie River - On Horseshoe Road, 0.32 miles from the intersection of Route 812 and Lisbon Street in Heuvelton. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars. (P)

Oswegatchie River - Eel Weir State Park- Off Rte. 812, 7 miles south of Ogdensburg. Hard surface ramp. 55 cars and trailers. 315-393-1138 (P)

Raquette River - Carry Falls Reservoir- Follow Route 56 in South Colton south for 7 miles. Turn left on Stark Road. After 1½ mile, turn right on Carry Falls Road and follow for 1½ miles to access site (on left). Hard surface ramp. (B)

Raquette River - Blake Reservoir- Follow Route 56 in South Colton south for 7 miles. Turn left on Stark Road. After 1 mile, turn left on River Road/Raquette River Road and follow for 1.6 miles to access site (on right). 5 cars and trailers. (B)

Raquette River - Five Falls Reservoir- From intersection of Route 56 and Snell Road in South Colton, take Snell Road .05 miles and turn left on Raquette River Road. After 2.6 miles, the access site is on the left. Hard surface ramp. (B)

Raquette River - Higley Pond Picnic Area- From Route 56 in South Colton, follow north for 4 miles and turn left on East Higley Road and follow to end. Hand launch. (B)

Raquette River - Rainbow Falls Reservoir- From intersection of Route 56 and Snell Road in South Colton, take Snell Road 0.05 miles and turn left on Raquette River Road. After 4 miles, the access site is on the left. Hard surface ramp. (B)

Raquette River - South Colton Reservoir- From intersection of Route 56 and Snell Road in South Colton, take Snell Road 0.05 miles and turn left on Raquette River Road. After .6 miles, the access site is on the left. Hand launch. (B)

Raquette River - Stark Reservoir- Follow Route 56 in South Colton south for 7 miles. Turn left on Stark Road. After 1½ miles, veer onto Joe Indian Road. In ½ mile turn right onto an unnamed road. In 0.05 miles, turn right on another unnamed road for 0.11 miles to ramp. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (B)

*There are other numerous sites designed for canoe/kayak launching on the Raquette River from Massena, south to Piercefield.

St. Lawrence River - See large waters listing.

St. Regis River - From Helena, travel 4 miles southwest on Route 53/Brasher Falls-Helena. Access road is on left. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Star Lake - Near intersection of Route 3 and Youngs Road in Star Lake. Electric motors only. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Streeter Lake - From NYS Rte. 3 in the Hamlet of Lower Oswegatchie, turn west on to Brown Falls Road for 0.2 miles and turn left onto Oswegatchie Trail Road. Travel for 0.8 miles and turn right onto Coffin Mills Road and travel for 3.4 miles and turn left onto Streeter Lake Road. Streeter Lake Road is a seasonal use road and may be closed at times. Travel 4.6 miles to the launch/parking area. Hand launch. 3 cars. (D)

Sucker Lake - From Pitcairn, take Route 3 east for 9 miles. Turn right on Ridge Road, follow to end and turn right on Sucker Lake Road. After .8 miles, turn left on gravel access road. Electric motors only. Hand launch. 3 cars. (D)

Sylvia Lake - From intersection of Route 11 (Main Street) and Route 58 in Gouverneur, take Route 58/812 south for 6 miles into Fowler. Turn right on Route 812 (Balmat-Fowler Road) and follow for 1½ miles. Turn right on Pumphouse Road. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

Tooley Pond - On Tooley Pond Road, 6 miles northwest of Route 3 in Cranberry Lake. Electric motors only. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D) ♿

Yellow Lake - Off Route 10 on Liscum/Hall Road in Gouverneur. Hand launch. Upper lot- 2000' carry -10 cars, Lower lot (open during summer only) 200' carry- 4 cars. (D)

Steuben County

Almond Reservoir - Kanacadea County Park- Off Route 66, 2 miles west of Route 36 in Hornellsville. Hard surface ramp. No motors. 20 cars and trailers. (M)

Chemung River - At the end of Conhocton Street, north of Route 352 in the City of Corning. Hand launch. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

Cohocton River - Kinsella Park off of Canada Road, 3 miles southeast of Campbell. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars. (M)

Chemung River - Off River Road/Route 44, 4 miles east of the City of Corning. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

Sanford Lake - Birdseye Hollow State Forest- entrance off Round Lake Road, 1.1 miles north of intersection of Round Lake Road and State Route 226 in Bath. Electric motors only. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

Tioga River - On Lindley Road near the Village of Lindley. Hand launch. 15 cars. (D)

Tioga River - Off State Route 417 at Mulholland Road bridge in Painted Post. Hand launch. 7 cars. (D)

Suffolk County

Artist Lake - Route 25/Middle Country Road in Middle Island. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (M)

Belmont Lake - Belmont Lake State Park- Exit 38 Southern State Parkway. Car top boats only. No gas motors. Hand launch. 631-667-5055 (P)

Block Island Sound/Lake Montauk (SW) - West Lake Drive, off Route 27, Montauk. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 25 cars and trailers. (631) 324-4142 (M)

Carmans River (SW) - Off Montauk Highway, approximately 1 mile west of William Floyd Parkway. Hand launch. 300 yard carry required. Electric motors only. 10 cars. (D)

Deep Pond - Wading River Road, between Routes 25 and 25A. Hand launch. 300 yard carry required. Free access permit required- visit www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/7815.html. Open for fishing weekdays, Sept. 15-June 15 only. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (631) 444-0280 (D)

Forge Pond (Peconic River) - On South River Road in Calverton, ½ mile east of Nugent Drive/Route 24, LIE/Route 495, Exit 71. Hard surface ramp. Electric motors only. 5 cars, 10 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Fort Pond - Off Edgemere Street in the Village of Montauk. Hard surface ramp. Electric motors only. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

Fresh Pond - Hither Hills State Park - Unpaved road off Montauk Highway in Hither Hills State Park, just west of overlook, right at "T," then left across LIRR tracks, then first left. 4x4 recommended. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (D/P)

Great South Bay (SW) - Captree State Park- Just east of intersection of Ocean Parkway and Robert Moses Causeway. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout and wash down area. 67 cars and trailers. Entrance fee. (631) 669-0449 (P)

Great South Bay (SW) - On Heckscher Parkway, off Southern State Parkway. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout and wash down area. 90 cars and trailers. (631) 581-2100 (P)

Great South Bay (SW) - Tanner Marine Park- On Kerrigan Road, off Jervis Avenue off Route 27A, Copiague. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. Pumpout. 38 cars and trailers. (631) 893-2100 (M)

Great South Bay (SW) - Venetian Shores- Off Route 27A, on Grenada Parkway in Lindenhurst. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 34 cars and trailers. (631) 893-2100 (M)

Great South Bay (SW) - Corey Avenue Ramp and Marina- Corey Avenue off Atlantic Avenue, Blue Point. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. Pumpout. 30 cars and trailers. (631) 451-6100 (M)

Great South Bay (SW) - Pine Neck Avenue Ramp. Pine Neck Avenue off S. Country Road/Route 36, Patchogue. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 24 cars and trailers. (631) 451-6100 (M)

Great South Bay (SW) - East Islip Marina- Bayview Avenue, off Route 27A, East Islip. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. Pumpout. 30 cars and trailers. (631) 224-5648 (M)

Great South Bay (SW) - Smith Point County Marina- Southern end of William Floyd Parkway, Smith Point, East Concourse Drive, Shirley. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 50 cars and trailers. (631) 852-1315 Suffolk Co. Parks

- Lake Ronkonkoma** - On Victory Drive off Rosevale Avenue, in Town of Islip. LIE/Route 495, Exit 59. Hard surface ramp. Electric motors only. 15 cars and trailers. (D) ♿
- Laurel Lake** - In Laurel, off Route 25. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 200 yd. carry. 5 cars. (D)
- Long Beach Bay/Orient Harbor (SW)** - Narrow River Road Ramp. Narrow River Road, off Main Street/Route 25, Orient. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. (631) 765-1800 (M)
- Long Island Sound (SW)** - See large waters listing.
- Lower Yaphank (Lily) Lake** - Located off LIE/Route 495, Exit 67, on Route 21, north then west on Long Island Avenue. Hard surface ramp. Electric motors only. 6 cars and trailers. (D)
- Mattituck Creek (SW)** - Middle Road/Route 48, Mattituck. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. (631) 765-1800 (M)
- Mattituck Creek (SW)** - Naugles Road off Breakwater Road, Mattituck. Hard surface ramp. Fishing pier. 22 cars and trailers. (631) 444-0439 (D) ♿
- Moriches Bay (SW)** - Forge River Ramp and Marina- Riviera Drive off Mastic Road, Mastic. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. Small boats recommended. 25 cars and trailers. (631) 451-6100 (M)
- Moriches Bay (SW)** - Moriches Bay Waterway Access Site- Moriches Island Road, off Atlantic Avenue, on Toledo Avenue, East Moriches. Hard surface ramp. Launch and recover at high tides. Small boats only. 12 cars and trailers. (631) 444-0439 (D)
- Moriches Bay (SW)** - Seatuck Creek Ramp- Seatuck Avenue, Eastport. Hard surface ramp. Limited parking. (631) 451-6100 (M)
- Moriches Bay (SW)** - Forge River Ramp and Marina- Riviera Drive at Wills Drive, Mastic. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 25 cars and trailers. (631) 451-6100 (M)
- Moriches Bay (SW)** - Maple Avenue Ramp- Maple Avenue, East Moriches. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. Limited parking. (631) 451-6100 (M)
- Nissequoque River** - Nissequoque River State Park- Kings Park. Hand launch. Kayaks & canoes only. (631) 269-4927 (P)
- Nissequoque River** - Gov. A.E. Smith/Sunken Meadow State Park- Sunken Meadow Pkwy. - Southeast corner of Field 3. Hand launch. Kayaks & canoes only. (631) 269-4333 (P)
- Nissequoque River** - Paul T. Givens County Park- South side of Route 25/25A, immediately east of Route 25/25A intersection. Hand launch. 35 cars. Kayaks & canoes only. Suffolk County Parks.
- Northwest Harbor/Gardiners Bay** - Northwest Landing Road, East Hampton. Small boats only (<20ft.). Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. Suffolk County Parks. (631) 854-4980.
- Orient Harbor (SW)** - Norman Klipp Marine Park- Manhasset Avenue, off Main Road/Route 25, Greenport. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. (631) 765-1800 (M)

Otis Pike Preserve - Access to 7 small ponds and the headwaters of the Peconic River from multiple parking areas. Hand launch (Variable carry to the water). Electric motors only. Free access permit required- www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/7815.html. Location map available with permit. (631) 444-0280 (D)

Peconic Bay (SW) - South Jamesport Ramp- Peconic Bay Boulevard off Bay Avenue, South Jamesport. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 45 cars and trailers. (631) 727-5744 (M)

Peconic Bay (SW) - Cedar Beach Ramp- Cedar Beach Road off Jacobs Lane/ Bayview Road, Southold. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. Launch and recover at high tides. (631) 765-1800 (M)

Peconic Bay (SW) - New Suffolk Ramp- 1st Street and Jackson Street, New Suffolk. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 20 ft. limit. (631) 765-1800 (M)

Peconic River (River Road East) - River Road between Edwards Avenue (LIE Exit 71) and Connecticut Avenue. Hand carry to water (75 yards). Electric motors only. Free access permit required- visit www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/7815.html. 3 cars. Includes ADA accessible duck blind. (D)


Peconic River (River Road West) - River Road between Edwards Avenue (LIE Exit 71) and Connecticut Avenue. Hand carry to water (100 yards). Electric motors only. Free access permit required- visit www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/7815.html. 3 cars. (D)

Peconic River (Lower) - Off Route 25 (West Main Street) in Riverhead. (LIE- Exit 72.) East of Mill Road. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (D)

Peconic River (Lower) - County Park Canoe Launch. Off State Highway 25/West Main Street in Riverhead (LIE- Exit 72.) East of Forge Road. Hand launch. 50 yard carry to the water. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (M)

Peconic River (Lower) - Weeping Willow Launch off State Highway 25/West Main Street in Riverhead, west of Raynor Avenue. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (M)

Peconic River (Upper) - ½ miles west of Edwards Avenue, on Mill Road (LIE- Exit 71) in Manorville. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Free access permit required- visit www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/7815.html. 4 cars. (631) 444-0280 (D)

Peconic River (Upper) - Mill Road at Edwards Avenue (LIE- Exit 71) in Calverton. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. (D) 

Prestons Pond - On Grumman Blvd. between Wading River Road (LIE- Exit 69) and Line Road. Hand carry to water (100 yards). Electric motors only. Free access permit required- visit www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/7815.html. 3 cars (D)

Randall Pond - Randall Road off Route 25, Middle Country Road, ¼ mile west of the William Floyd Parkway in Ridge. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Fishing piers. 5 cars. (D)

Shinnecock Bay (SW) - Edward Warner Marine Park- Ponquogue Bridge Ramp. Foster Avenue and Dune Road. Fee/permit required. (631) 728-8585 (M)

Shinnecock Bay (SW) - Seaplane Ramp- Little Neck Road, off Montauk Highway, Southampton. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 15 cars and trailers. (631) 728-8585 (M)

Swan Pond - River Road, south of Grumman Boulevard in Calverton. Hand launch. 3 cars. Suffolk County Parks.

Wildwood Lake - Off Lakeview, Old Westhampton Road, ¼ mile south of Riverhead Moriches Road. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. Fishing for Southampton Town residents only. 4 cars and trailers, 2 cars. (D)

Sullivan County

Bashakill Marsh - In Bashakill WMA- 4 miles south of Wurtsboro, two on Route 209, one on Haven Road and one accessible fishing platform on South Road. Hand launch (5). Electric motors only. 8-20 cars per site. (D)

Cliff Lake - In Mongaup Valley WMA- Walk-in access 0.6 miles from parking lot. From east end of Mongaup River bridge, off County Route 43. Go north on rough access road and follow signs to parking. Electric motors only. Open May 1- November 30. Hand launch (carry to lake). 8 cars. (D)

Crystal Lake - Off Tennenah Lake Road on Crystal Lake Road, 8 miles southwest of Hamlet of Roscoe. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 30 cars 0.1 mi from lake; 5 cars lakeside. (D)

Delaware River - See large waters listing.

Lake Huntington - On Route 52/113 (Narrowsburg Road), just north of Lake Huntington Road in Town of Cohecton. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

Lake Superior - In Lake Superior State Park. On Dr. Duggan Road, 1½ miles south of the Hamlet of Bethel. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Fee/permit required. (845) 794-3000 ext. 5002. 120 cars. (P)

Loch Sheldrake - In Hamlet of Loch Sheldrake, Town of Fallsburg. Junction Route 52 and Hasbrouck Road. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)

Mongaup Falls Reservoir - In Mongaup Valley WMA- Off Route 42 on Forestburgh Road (Route 43), in the Town of Forestburgh. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Open April 1- November 30. 10 cars. (D)

Mongaup Pond - In DEC Mongaup Pond Campground. In Town of Rockland, Exit 96 off Route 17, 6 miles west on DeBruce Road (Route 81& 82) to the Hamlet of DeBruce, 3 miles north of Mongaup Pond Road. Hand launch. Day use fee in season. Access available year round, when conditions allow. Electric motors only. 20 cars. (D)

Rio Reservoir - In Mongaup Valley WMA- Old Plank Road/Griffin Road, off Route 42, 2¼ miles southwest of the Hamlet of Forestburgh, at north end of reservoir. Hard surface ramp. Electric motors only. Open April 1- Nov. 30. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Rio Reservoir - In Mongaup Valley WMA- Just west of dam on Rio Dam Road at south end of reservoir. Open April 1 - Nov. 30. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars (D)

Swinging Bridge Reservoir - Off Starlight Road in Monticello. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. Eagle Creek Renewable Energy.

Toronto Reservoir - Off Moscoe Road in White Lake. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. Eagle Creek Renewable Energy.

Waneta Lake - Willowemoc Wild Forest - 687 Beaverkill Road (County Route 151), 5 miles north of Livingston Manor. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (D)

White Lake - Off Route 17B, to Route 55 (Swan Lake Road) on Lake Street, in Kauneonga Lake. Hard surface ramp. 24 cars and trailers. (D)

Tioga County

Susquehanna River - See large waters listing.

Tompkins County

Cayuga Lake - See large waters listing.

Dryden Lake - Off West Lake Road, 1 mile south of Dryden. Hard surface ramp. Electric motors only. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

Ulster County

Alder Lake - Off Route 54, 2½ miles northeast of Hamlet of Turnwood, in Town of Hardenburgh. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. (D)

Chodiikee Lake - 5 miles east of New Paltz, off Route 299, north on Chodiikee Lake Road 1 mile, bear left on North Chodiikee Lake Road about 1 mile. Hand launch. No sailboats. Electric motors only. 20 cars. (D)

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Lake Minnewaska - In Minnewaska State Park - Routes 44/55 in Gardiner. Hand launch. No motors permitted. Permit required from park manager. 200 cars. 845-255-0753 (P)

Lower Esopus Creek - On Sandy Road in Kingston. Accessible fishing platform and accessible canoe/kayak slide. Hand launch. 12 cars. (D) ♿

Lower Esopus Creek - On South Partition Street in Saugerties. Permit required from Village of Saugerties. Non-resident fee. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (M)

Onteora Lake - Off Route 28, 4 miles north of Kingston. Accessible fishing platform. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. (D) ♿

Pine Hill Lake - Belleayre Mountain Ski Center - 33 Friendship Manor Road in Pine Hill. Day use fee. Hand launch. Steam cleaning receipt required. 60 cars. 845-254-5600 (ORDA)

Rondout Creek - On Creek Locks Road, off Route 213, ¾ miles south of Eddyville. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

Tillson Lake - In Minnewaska State Park - 27 Lake Road in Gardiner. Hand launch. Electric motors only. Permit required from park manager. 10 cars. (845) 255-0753 (P)

Upper Pond - In DEC Kenneth L. Wilson Campground. Off Route 28, 4 miles east of Mt. Tremper on Route 40/Wittenberg Road. Hand launch. Accessible fishing platform. Day use fee in season. Access available year round, when conditions allow. No motors permitted. 50 cars. 845-679-7020 (D)

Wallkill River - Springtown Road/Route 7, Town of Rosendale, 4½ miles north of New Paltz. Hand launch. 15 cars. (D)

Wallkill River - Ulster County Fairgrounds. Off Route 299, 1 mile west of New Paltz, 2 miles south on Libertyville Road/Route 7. Located on south side of fairgrounds. Hand launch. 3 cars. (M)

Wallkill River - Village of New Paltz, off Route 299 on Plains Road. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 5 cars. (M)

Warren County

Brant Lake - On Route 8, 1 mile northeast of the Hamlet of Brant Lake. Hard surface ramp. 11 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Fourth Lake - In DEC Luzerne Campground. On Route 9N, 8 miles southwest of Lake George on left. Hand launch. No motors permitted. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating. 3 cars. 518-696-2031 (D)

Garnet Lake - Off Route 8, south of Johnsbury on Garnet Lake Road. Bear left at fork. Parking at end of road at trailhead. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Glen Lake - On Glen Lake Road, off Route 9 in Queensbury. Launching of motorized boats is prohibited. No trailers. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Jabe Pond - Seasonal access off Split Rock Road in Hague. 200' carry. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Lake George - See large waters listing.

Lake Luzerne - Luzerne Public Beach. On Lake Avenue/Route 9N in Lake Luzerne. 10 hp limit. Trailer parking not available when school is in session. (Parking shared with school.) Unimproved trailer launch. (M)

Lake Luzerne - Off Route 9N on Read Park Road just past inlet stream in Lake Luzerne. 10 hp limit. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 cars. (M)

Loon Lake - On the corner of Routes 9 & 8 in Chestertown. Hand launch. 6 cars. (DOT)

Schroon Lake - In DEC Eagle Point Campground. On Route 9, 2 miles north of the Hamlet of Pottersville. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating. 4 cars. 518-494-2220 (D)

Schroon Lake - Horicon. Off Route 9, just north of Pottersville, on Route 62 (Glendale Road). Hard surface ramp. 45 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Schroon Lake - Off Route 9 on Dock Street in the Village of Schroon Lake. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. Accessible fishing dock. (M)

Schroon River - On East Schroon River Road, below Middletown Bridge, Warrensburg. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

Schroon River - South Horicon Bridge, Route 30 in Chestertown. Hand launch. (M)

Schroon River - Starbuckville Dam, Route 53 in Chestertown. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

Thirteenth Lake - Thirteenth Lake Road, off Route 28, southwest of North River. Hand launch. 100 yard carry. Electric motors only. 20 cars. (M)

Washington County

Carters Pond - On Route 49, 2 miles south of the Hamlet of Cossayuna. Hand launch. Electric motors only. 10 cars. (D)

Cossayuna Lake - Off Route 40 at the Hamlet of South Argyle, east on Route 49 to East Lake Road. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Dead Lake - On Route 22 in Cambridge. No motors. Hand launch. 3 cars. (D)

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Lake Champlain - See large waters listing.

Lake Lauderdale - In Lake Lauderdale County Park, off Route 22 in Jackson. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

Wayne County

Black Creek - Lake Shores Marshes Wildlife Management Area- Off Karat Road, 1.3 miles west of Blind Sodus Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

Crusoe Creek - On Route 89, 1½ miles north of Savannah. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Erie/Barge Canal - See large waters listing.

Lake Ontario - See large waters listing.

Westchester County

Hudson River - See large waters listing.

Mohansic Lake - Franklin D. Roosevelt State Park- On Route 202 at the Village of Yorktown. Unimproved trailer launch. Electric motors only. Permit required- available from park manager. 20 cars. 914-245-4434 (P)

Wyoming County

Silver Lake - Silver Lake State Park- South end of lake on west side. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. 585-237-3740 (P)

Yates County

Keuka Lake - Keuka Lake State Park- Route 54A, 6 miles southwest of the Village of Penn Yan. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 50 cars and trailers. 315-536-3555 (P)

Keuka Lake - Off Keuka Street, 400 feet west of Route 14A, in Village of Penn Yan. Hard surface ramps (2). Parking fee. 30 cars. 315-536-3015 (M)

Seneca Lake - See large waters listing.

Sugar Creek - On Route 54A, in Hamlet of Branchport. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)

West River - Hi-Tor WMA- Off Route 245, 6 miles south of the Village of Middlesex on Sunnyside Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

West River - Hi-Tor WMA- Off Route 245, 7 miles south of the Village of Middlesex. Hard surface ramp. 12 cars and trailers. (D)

Large Waters

Cayuga Lake

Cayuga County

- In Long Point State Park- off Route 90, 1 mile southwest of Aurora. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. 315-497-0130 (P)
- Mud Lock- Off Route 90 on River Road, just south of Mud Lock at Lake Outlet. Hard surface ramp. 19 cars and trailers, 7 cars. (D) ♿
- Off Route 90 in the Village of Union Springs. Hard surface ramps. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
- Frontenac Park - At the end of Chapel Street off Creamery Road in Union Springs. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars, 10 cars and trailers. (M)

Seneca County

- In Cayuga Lake State Park- Route 89, 3 miles east of the Village of Seneca Falls. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 50 cars and trailers. 315-568-5163 (P)
- On Route 89, 24 miles north of Ithaca. Hard surface ramp. 48 cars and trailers. 315-568-5163 (P)

Tompkins County

- Taughannock Falls State Park- Route 89, 8 miles north of the City of Ithaca. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 16 cars and trailers. 607-387-6739 (P)
- Allen H. Treman Marine Park (formerly Ithaca State Marine Park). Route 89, 1 mile north of the City of Ithaca. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 141 cars and trailers. 607-273-3440 (P)
- Myers Park on Lansing Road off Route 34B in Lansing. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. (M)
- Salt Point on Myers Road off Route 34B in Lansing, adjacent to Myers Park. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Champlain Canal

Saratoga County

- Hudson Crossing- Off Route 4/Route 32, on Route 42 in Schuylerville. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Washington County

- Lock C7 – Off Route 4 in the Town of Fort Edward, 3½ miles south of the Town of Hudson Falls. Hand launch. 7 cars. (C)
- On Route 4 in the Town of Greenwich, 5 miles north of the Town of Schuylerville. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)
- On Broadway/Route 4 in the Town of Fort Edward, 3 miles south of the Town of Hudson Falls. Hand launch. 12 cars. (M)
- Lock C9 – Off Route 149, 2½ miles south of Route 4, on access road in Town of Kingsbury (Smiths Basin). Hand launch. 5 cars. (C)
- Off Route 4/George Street on Route 149/Ann Street in Fort Ann. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)
- Off Route 22 on N. Old Route 4 in Comstock, 4 miles north of Fort Ann. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

- Off Route 4/Poultney Street on Skenesborough Drive in Whitehall. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars, 5 cars and trailers. (M)

Delaware River

Delaware County

- Behind the Wastewater Plant in Hancock, off Route 97, turn west onto Maple Street, then left and go to the end of La Barre Street. Hand launch. 15 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

- Under the Lordville bridge at the end of Lordville Road, 3 miles south of Route 97. Hand launch. 6 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Orange County

- On Hook Road, off Route 97, just north of Route 42 intersection in Sparrow Bush. Unimproved trailer launch. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

Sullivan County

- Town of Highland - Off Route 97, 1½miles west of Barryville. Hand launch. 40 cars. (D)

- In Hamlet of Barryville, adjacent to the Barryville Bridge at the intersection of Route 97 and Route 55. Hand launch. 50 yard carry. 10 cars. (D)

- Mongaup Valley WMA - Off Route 97, just west of County Route 31 in Mongaup. Hand launch. 30 cars. (D/NPS)

- Narrowsburg- Off Route 97, Bridge Street/Route 24 to DeMauro Lane (adjacent to town hall) in Narrowsburg. Hard surface ramp. 24 cars and trailers. (D)

- Ten Mile River - Off Route 97 on Crawford Road in Tusten. Hand launch. 15 cars. (NPS)

- Skinners Falls- Off Route 97, on Skinners Falls Road, 6½ miles north of Narrowsburg adjacent to Milan, PA bridge. Hand launch. 50 cars. (D)

- Callicoon- Off Route 97, in the Hamlet of Callicoon, Town of Delaware. Hand launch. 40 cars. (D)

Delaware River (East Branch)

Delaware County

- Fish's Eddy - Off Route 28, just south of NY Route 17 (I-86) Fish's Eddy, Exit 89. Hand launch. 5 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

- Off Route 30, 0.4 miles north of NY Route 17 (I-86) eastbound Exit 90. Hand launch. 6 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Delaware River (West Branch)

Delaware County

- Off Airport Road, ¾ miles south of the Route 17 (I-86) overpass. Hand launch. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

- At the end of the County Route 56 Bridge, just south of the Route 17 (I-86) Hale Eddy Exit. Hand launch. 6 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

- Off Airport Road Extension, 1.6 miles south of the Route 17 (I-86) overpass. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 cars and trailers. 607-652-7366 (D)

- Route 10 in Walton to Bridge Street to Water Street/Route 206- next to cell tower. Hand launch. 5 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)
- Off Kingston Street/NYS Route 10, Hoyt's Park in Village of Delhi. Hand launch. 30 cars.
- Off Basin Clove Road, ¼ north of Hamlet of Hamden at the covered bridge. Hand launch. 4 cars.
- Off NYS Route 10 at NYS DOT pull-off, 8½ miles north of Village of Walton. Hand launch. 10 cars.

Erie Canal/Mohawk River

Albany County

- Mohawk River- Freddie's Park – Parking area just before the bridge on the right when heading north on Route 9/Loudon Road in Waterford. 6½ miles north of Latham. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- Colonie Town Park- From Route 9/Loudon Road, off Old Loudon Road, on Schermerhorn Road. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars/10 cars with trailers. (M)

Erie County

- Tonawanda Creek- Amherst Veterans Canal Park- Off Brenon Road approx. 0.3 mile from junction with Bear Ridge Road. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers, 20 cars. (M)

Herkimer County



- Mohawk River- Frankfort Marina- At the end of Fox Street, off Railroad Street in the Village of Frankfort. Hard surface ramp. Accessible fishing dock. 15 cars and trailers, 15 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- From Route 5 in the Village of Little Falls, take Elizabeth Street/ Industrial Park to the end, approximately 1 mile. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (M)
- Mohawk River- In Village of Mohawk, off West Main Street to sewage treatment gravel road. Continue under Route 5S to end. Located at the mouth of Fulmer Creek. Hand launch. Accessible fishing dock. 20 cars. (D)
- Mohawk River- Capt. Samuel J. Maytan site- Off S. Washington Street in Herkimer. Accessible fishing platform. Hand launch. 40 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- On Southern Avenue in Village of Little Falls. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- Gems Along the Mohawk – West of Mohawk Street in Herkimer on Canal Access Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- Ilion Marina – North of Route 5S off Central Avenue/Route 51 in Ilion. Parking area is on the right, just before the bridge. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars/6 cars with trailers. (M)

Monroe County

- Lower side of Lock 32 by the Clover Street Bridge, next to Pittsford Rowing Club. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (C)
- 1 mile east of Holley, off Route 31 in San Soucie Park. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (C)

- Route 250 to Ayrault Rd. Located just before Ayrault Road bridge on right. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (M)
- Off Route 250 on Liftbridge Lane E. in Fairport. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)
- Henpeck Park- Off Ridgeway Avenue/Route 111 in Greece. Hand launch. 40 cars. (M)
- Arrowhead Golf Course- Off Gallup Road in Ogden. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars/10 cars and trailers. (M)

Montgomery County

- Mohawk River- Port Jackson- Off Bridge Street on Gilliland Avenue in Amsterdam. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars/5 cars with trailers. (M)
- Mohawk River- Old Erie Lock 28- Off Route 5S on Queen Anne Road in Amsterdam. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- Lock E12 (Upper End) – Off Main Street in Tribes Hill. Hand launch. 10 cars/5 cars with trailers. (M)
- Mohawk River- Old Erie Lock 33 – North of Fort Plain in the Town of Minden, off Bridge Street on Dump Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- St. Johnsville Municipal Marina – On Marina Drive off Bridge Street in St. Johnsville. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars. (M)
- Mohawk River- In the Village of Fort Plain, turn left on Otsuago Club Road heading north before going over the Route 80 (River Street) bridge. Unimproved trailer launch. 20 cars. 518-993-4161 (C)
- Mohawk River- Nelliston- On the east shore off Route 80 in Nelliston. Take Old Station Road south 0.14 miles towards the Wastewater Plant. Open sunrise to sunset. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. 607-652-7366 (D) 
- Mohawk River- Amsterdam - On the north shore, off Route 5N, east of Amsterdam. Head south over railroad tracks 0.22 miles on Quist Road before the Wastewater Plant. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. 607-652-7366 (D) 
- Mohawk River- Off Route 5S, 2½ miles east of Amsterdam, Lock 10. Hard surface ramp. 2 cars and trailers. 607-652-7366 (D)
- Mohawk River- On the south shore just west of the Route 10 (Church Street) bridge in Canajoharie. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. 607-652-7366 (D)

Niagara County

- Located at junction of Telegraph Road and Bolton Road in Village of Gasport. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (C)
- Lockport Upper Terminal Launch. Off Prospect Street just north of junction with Stevens Street in City of Lockport. Hard surface (steep) ramp. 10 cars and trailers, 20 cars. (C)
- West Canal Marina. North side of canal on Tonawanda Creek Road, 1/4 mile east of Route 62. Hard surface ramp. 60 cars and trailers. (M)
- Nelson C. Goehle Public Marina. Off Market Street just west of junction with Cold Springs Road in City of Lockport. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars/15 cars with trailers. (M)

- Tonawanda Creek- North Tonawanda Service Drive Launch. At junction of Sweeney Street and Service Drive in City of N. Tonawanda. Hard surface ramp. Suitable for small trailered boats. 4 cars and trailers. (M)

- Tonawanda Creek - North Tonawanda Botanical Gardens. Off Sweeney Street just north of junction with E. Robinson Street. Trailer permit issued by City of N. Tonawanda Rec. Dept. required. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (M)

- Tonawanda Creek- Off Sweeney Street in Mayor's Park in North Tonawanda. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

- Tonawanda Creek- Tonawanda Wall- At the end of E. Niagara Street under Delaware Street bridge. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

- Tonawanda Creek- Niagara Street Kayak Launch. At junction of Sweeney and Niagara Streets in City of North Tonawanda. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Oneida County

- Lock 20 State Canal Park- East of Route 291 on River Road in Town of Marcy. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

- Bellamy Harbor Park – Off E. Whitesboro Street, south of E. Dominick Street in City of Rome. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

- On Muck Road, off South James Street in City of Rome. Hard surface ramp. Accessible fishing dock. 30 cars and trailers. (M)

- Take Wurz Avenue off Genesee Street, turn right on Sewage Plant Road to end at Sewage Treatment Plant. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

- Oriskany Flats Wildlife Management Area. Off River St., between State Route 49 and 69. Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

Orleans County

- Located at the Middleport Guard Gate, 1 mile East of Middleport on Route 31E. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (C)

- East on County Hwy. 2, past Lattins Farm Dr. Bridge, west of the Village of Albion. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (C)

- North side of Canal, just west of the Bates Rd. Bridge (E-208). Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (C)

- Canal Park- Off Geddes Street in Holley. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)

Saratoga County

- Mohawk River- Halfmoon Crescent Park – From Route 9/Loudon Road in Clifton Park, to Vischer Ferry Road and a slight left onto Old Canal Road. Hand launch. 8 cars. (M)


- Mohawk River- From Route 9/Loudon Road in Clifton Park, to Vischer Ferry Road and a slight left onto Old Canal Road. Continue onto Towpath Road. Just before junction at Clamsteam Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

-Mohawk River- Off Riverview Road, south of Droms Road in Clifton Park- part of Mohawk Landing Nature Preserve. Hand launch. 10 cars/2 cars with trailers. (M)

- Mohawk River- (Access also to Hudson River) Battery Park, below Lock 2 at the end of First Street in Waterford. Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers, 15 cars. 518-584-2000 (P)

- Mohawk River- Alcathy's Boat Launch- At end of Flightlock Road, just after Lock 6 heading west from Route 97/Fonda Road. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (C)

Schenectady County

- Mohawk River- Freeman's Bridge - On Freeman's Bridge Road, off Route 50 south in Glenville. Hard surface ramp. Accessible canoe/kayak launch. 16 cars and trailers, 8 cars. 607-652-7366 (D) 

- Mohawk River- On the south shore, off Route 7 in Vischer Ferry. Take Lock Seven Road to the end. Hard surface ramp. 12 cars and trailers. 518-374-7912 (M)

- Mohawk River- On the west shore at the end of Old Rice Road in Rotterdam, 1 mile north of I-890, Exit 2 or 2A. Hand launch. Access at end of breakwall below lock. 8 cars. 518-346-3382 (C)

- Mohawk River- Lock 9 State Canal Park- On the north shore, off Route 5 at the north end of Route 103 bridge in Rotterdam Junction. Hand launch. 9 cars. 518-887-2401 (C)

- Mohawk River- Off Rosendale Road in Niskayuna in Lyons Park. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)

- Mohawk River- Aqueduct Park- Off Route 146/Balltown Road on Aqueduct Road in Niskayuna. Hand launch. 15 cars/5 cars with trailers. (M)

- Mohawk River- Gateway Landing Park – Off Route 5/State Street in Schenectady. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)

- Mohawk River- Rotterdam Kiwanis Park – Off Route 5S/River Road in Rotterdam. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars/10 cars with trailers. (M)

Wayne County

- On Route 31, 0.7 miles west of Route 21 in Palmyra at Palmyra Macedon Aqueduct Park. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)

- On Route 31, 2 miles west of Route 88 in Newark at Widewaters Canal Park. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. (M)

- On Water Street in Lyons at Abbey Park. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (M)

- At the end of Cayuga Street, 0.8 miles east of Route 414 in Clyde. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

- Lock E26 - Off Route 372 at the end of Lock Road in Town of Galen. Hand launch. 5 cars. (C)

- North of Route 31/E. Main St. on Division Street in Palmyra. Hand launch. 30 cars. (M)

- Lock 30 Canal Park- Off Route 350/31F on Canal Park in Macedon. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars/15 cars and trailers. (M)

Glens Falls Feeder Canal

Warren County


- Off Route 32 on Shermantown Road in the Town of Queensbury. Hand launch. 4 cars. (M)


Washington County

- Martindale Boat Basin – Off Route 4/Main Street on Martindale Avenue in the Town of Hudson Falls. Hand launch. 8 cars. (M)


Great Sacandaga Lake**Fulton County**

- In DEC Northampton Campground. Off Route 30, 1½ miles south of Northville. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Open when campground is operating and winter months to the end of March. 100 cars and trailers. (D)

- On Route 30 in the Village of Northville. Accessible fishing pier. Hard surface ramp. 60 cars and trailers. (D) 


- Off County Route 110, 3 miles northeast of the Village of Broadalbin. Hard surface ramp. 60 cars and trailers. (D) 

Saratoga County

- 3½ miles south of Day Center on County Route 4/North Shore Road. Hard surface ramp. 44 cars and trailers. (D) 

Hudson River**Albany County**


- Corning Preserve, City of Albany. On Colonie Street, off Route 787. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. (M)

- Henry Hudson Park - From Route 144, ½ miles north of Cedar Hill, turn east onto Lyons Road in and go to the end. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. 518-439-4131 (M) 

- Coeymans Landing - Off Route 144/Main Street in Coeymans. Turn east onto Westerlo Street. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. 518-756-6366 (M)

Columbia County

- Henry Hudson Riverfront Park - On east shore, south off Route 9G, in City of Hudson. Take Allen Street to Ferry Street, then Water Street to the end. Hard surface ramp. 46 cars and trailers. 845-889-4200 (P)

- Germantown - Ernest Lasher Memorial Park- From Route 9G in North Germantown, turn left on Northern Boulevard, then left on Anchorage Road. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. 607-652-7366 (D) 

- Nutten Hook- Off Route 9J. Take either north or south entrance west past the railroad gate, off Ferry Road to the river. Hand launch. 15 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

- Stockport Flats - Off Route 9 in Stockport. Turn west and go to the end of Station Road/Route 22. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers, 20 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Dutchess County

- Margaret Lewis Norrie State Park. Located in the Village of Staatsburg, 9 miles north of Poughkeepsie. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 40 cars, 10 cars and trailers. 845-889-4200 (P)

- Tivoli North Bay WMA, Town of Red Hook. Route 9G, west on Kidd Lane (¾ mile south of Village of Tivoli). Hand launch. No motors permitted. 5 cars. 845-758-7010 (D)

- Waryas Park in City of Poughkeepsie, Route 9, west on Main Street. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
- Wappingers Falls, Village of Chelsea. Route 9D, west on Chelsea Road. Hard surface ramp. 4 cars and trailers. 845-297-0720 (M)
- Town of Rhinebeck Town Landing- off Hutton Street on Dutchess Terrace in Kingston. Hard surface ramp. 4 cars and trailers, 7 cars. (M)

Greene County

- Coxsackie Riverside Park- Off Route 385, take Mansion Street south, east on Reed Street, north on S. River Street. Hard surface ramp. 18 cars and trailers, 8 cars. 518-584-2000 (P)
- Athens - Off Route 385, just north of Athens. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers, 4 cars. 518-732-0187 (P)
- Dutchman's Landing Park - In the Village of Catskill. Take Main Street east to the end and left into the park. Hard surface ramps. 50 cars and trailers, 30 cars. 518-943-2141 (M)

Orange County

- Newburgh - Off Route 9W, east on Washington Street in Newburgh. Hard surface ramp. 36 cars and trailers. 845-569-7300 (M) ♿
- Kowawese State Unique Area. Off Route 9W on Plum Point Lane in New Windsor. Hand launch. 45 cars. 845-615-3830 (M)

Putnam County

- Foundry Dock Park, On Market Street in Village of Coldspring. Hand launch. 20 hp limit, permit required for trailer launching. 4 cars. 845-265-3611 (M)

Rensselaer County

- Off Forbes Avenue, just north of the train station in the City of Rensselaer. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers, 10 cars. 518-462-5488 (M)
- Off Route 4 in Lansingburgh, at the far west end of 123rd Street. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. 518-235-7761 (M)
- Off Route 127/River Road at the corner of Marion Avenue and River Bend Road, 1 mile north of the 126th Street Bridge in Schaghticoke. Unimproved trailer launch. Limited parking. 518-237-8566 (DOT)
- Schodack Island State Park- Off Route 9J, over the bridge on Schodack Landing Way to the park. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. 65 cars and trailers, 30 cars. 518-732-0187 (P)
- Off Stillwater Bridge Road, turn south at the east end of the bridge towards the mouth of the Hoosic River in Schaghticoke. Hand launch. 10 cars. 518-664-5261 (C)

Rockland County

- Nyack Beach State Park- Northern Broadway, Upper Nyack. Hand launch. Permit required, available from Park Manager. 25 cars. 845-268-3020 (P)
- Haverstraw Bay County Park- Off 9W, east on Railroad Avenue/Route 94 becomes Grassy Point Road/Route 108, right on Gagan Road/Route 109. Hard surface ramp. Accessible fishing pier. 50 cars and trailers. (M)

- Parelli Park, off Piermont Avenue/Route 1, just north of pier. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)

Saratoga County

- Spier Falls Road, Town of Corinth. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. 518-793-0511 (P)

- Peebles Island State Park- Delaware Avenue, Waterford. Hand launch. 50 cars. 518-237-8643 ext. 3295 (P)

- Lock C1- On Route 4/Route 32 in Town of Waterford. 7 miles north of the City of Troy. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars, 20 cars and trailers. (C)

- Lighthouse Park- On Route 4/Route 32 in the Town of Waterford. 8 miles north of the City of Troy. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)

- Lock C2 – Off Route 4/Route 32, on NYS Bicycle Route 9 in the Town of Mechanicville, 2½ miles south of Route 63. Hand launch. 5 cars. (C)

- Off North Main Street, on Terminal Street in Mechanicville. Hand launch. 15 cars, 5 cars with trailers. (M)

- On Route 4 (south of Hanehan Road), 4½ miles south of Schuylerville. Hand launch. 5 cars, 2 cars and trailers. (M)

- Fort Hardy Park- On Route 29/ Ferry Street, 0.2 miles east of Route 4/Route 32 in Schuylerville. Hand launch. 15 cars. (M)

- Fort Hardy Park- Off Saratoga Street on Tow Road in Schuylerville. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars, 5 cars and trailers. (M)

- Rogers Island Pool - Off Reynolds Road/Route 197 on Route 29 (West River Road) in Town of Moreau. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

- (Access also to Mohawk River) Battery Park, below Lock 2 in Waterford. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars. 518-584-2000 (P)

Ulster County

- Charles Rider Park- Ulster Landing Rd (Route 37), 1 mile south of Kingston-Rhinecliff Bridge. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (M) ♿

- Village of Glasco- Off 9W, on Glasco Turnpike (Route 34) at wastewater treatment facility. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

- Sleightsburg Park- Off 9W, east on N. Broadway to First Ave, left on Everson. Park at end of ½ mile narrow access road. Hard surface ramp. 19 cars and trailers. 845-331-0676 (M)

- Village of Malden- Off 9W, east on Malden Turnpike (Route 34) at wastewater treatment facility. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

- Tina Chorvas Memorial Waterfront Park- Village of Saugerties. Off 9W, east on E. Bridge Street. Permit required from Village of Saugerties. Non-resident fee. Hand launch. No motors permitted. 10 cars. (M)

- Sojourner Truth Ulster Landing County Park - Off Route 32 on Ulster Landing Road in Saugerties. 3 cars and trailers, 15 cars. Hard surface ramp. 845-336-8484 (M)

- Kingston Point Beach - Off Delaware Avenue in Kingston. Hand launch. 90 cars. 845-331-0080 (M)

Warren County

- Upper Hudson - On Route 16 (East River Drive), 2½ miles south of the Village of Luzerne. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (D)
 - Bridge at Riparius on Route 8, west of Chestertown. Hand launch. (M)
 - Hudson River Park, on Big Boom Road, Queensbury. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
 - Gay Pond Road - From Mill Street in Lake Luzerne, 8½ miles north on River Road. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)
 - From Route 9/Route 32, off Murray Street on Glens Falls Feeder Canal Trail in the Town of Glens Falls. Hand launch. 10 cars. (M)
- * There are numerous sites designed for canoe/kayak launching on the Hudson River from Riparius to North River in the Town of Johnsburg.

Washington County

- Route 4 to Bridge Street/Route 197 to Bradley Avenue in Fort Edward. Hand launch. 20 cars. (M)

Westchester County

- (SW) JFK Memorial Park- City of Yonkers, Warburton Ave. (next to Route 9). Hard surface ramp. 44 cars and trailers. 914-377-6425 (M)
- Oscawana Island Nature Preserve. Off 9A, to Furnace Dock Road. 0.1 mile walk-in access. Hand launch. No gas motors. 6 cars. (M)
- Irvington - From Route 287, south on Route 9. After 1.6 miles turn right on Main Street. At end turn right on North Astor Street, left on Bridge Street. Cross railroad tracks. Follow Bridge Street to the left. Park is on right, past Bridge Street Properties. Hand launch. No motors. 74 cars. 914-591-7736 (M)
- Peekskill Municipal Launch- Riverfront Green Park. Hudson Avenue, off Route 9, adjacent to Peekskill Train Station. Hard surface ramp. \$15 daily launch fee. 50 cars and trailers. 914-734-7275 (M)
- George's Island Park, Village of Montrose. 9W west on Dutch Street. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. 914-737-7530 (M)

Lake Champlain

Clinton County


- Plattsburgh - On Dock Street in downtown Plattsburgh. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers, auxiliary parking available. (M) ♿
- Off Route 9, north of Plattsburgh in Point Au Roche State Park. Hard surface ramp. 21 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Off Route 9, 6 miles north of the City of Plattsburgh, on Point Au Roche Road. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Peru Dock- On Route 9, 1½ miles north of the Hamlet of Valcour. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 50 cars and trailers. (D) ♿
- In DEC Ausable Point Campground. Off Route 9, 12 miles south of Plattsburgh. Hand launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. (D)
- Off Route 9B, ¼ mile south of Coopersville at mouth of Great Chazy River. Hard surface ramp. 66 cars and trailers. (P)

- Off Route 9, in the City of Plattsburgh at Wilcox Dock. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. (M)


Essex County


- In DEC Crown Point Campground. On Bridge Road off Route 9N, 9 miles north of the Hamlet of Crown Point. Unimproved trailer launch. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 10 cars and trailers. (D)

- Port Henry - Off Route 9N (South Main Street) in the Village of Port Henry. Hard surface ramp. 45 cars and trailers. (D)

- Ticonderoga - On Route 74 at Ticonderoga Ferry. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 52 cars and trailers. (D) 

- Westport - On Route 22 in the Village of Westport. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. (D) 

- Willsboro - 3 miles north of the Village of Willsboro, off Route 22, take right on Farrell Road/Route 27B, bear left on Point Road/Route 27. Left on Boat Launch Road. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 100 cars and trailers. (D) 

- Port Douglas - From Village of Keeseville, take Routes 9/22 (Front St.) east to Clinton Street. Stay straight to continue on Port Douglas Road/Route 16 to end. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (D) 

Washington County

- South Bay- On Route 22, 2½ miles northwest of the Village of Whitehall. Hard surface ramp. 48 cars and trailers. (D) 


Lake Erie

Chautauqua County

- Barcelona Harbor- Adjacent to Route 5 in the Hamlet of Barcelona. Hard surface ramp. 85 cars and trailers, 36 cars. 716-792-9214 (M)

- Dunkirk Harbor- Off Route 5 in the City of Dunkirk. Hard surface ramps (2). 50 cars and trailers. 716-792-9214 (M)

- Cattaraugus Creek (Sunset Bay)- Off Routes 5 and 20, approximately 2 miles west of Silver Creek Thruway interchange in the Hamlet of Sunset Bay, right on Ann Street. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers and 20 cars. (M)

- Cattaraugus Creek (Sunset Bay)- Off Routes 5 and 20, approximately 2 miles west of Silver Creek Thruway interchange in the Hamlet of Sunset Bay, at end of road on right. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (P) 

Erie County

- Sturgeon Point Marina. At west end of Sturgeon Point Road, approx. 4 miles north of the Village of Angola. Hard surface ramp. 100 cars and trailers, 167 cars. 716-549-0970 (M)


- Buffalo Harbor State Park. Off Fuhrmann Blvd., ½ mile north of junction with Tiftt Street in City of Buffalo. Hard surface ramp. Seasonal-May 15-October 15. 1000 cars and trailers. 716-825-3754 (P)

- Erie Basin Marina- Erie Basin Marina. Off Erie Street in City of Buffalo. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. (M)

Lake George

Attention Lake George Boaters: Regulations require the registration of all watercraft via day use or seasonal permit. All trailered boats must also be certified free of aquatic invasive species. Contact the Lake George Park Commission at 518-668-934 or visit www.lgpc.state.ny.us.


Essex County

- Mossy Point- On Black Point Road, 2 miles south of the Village of Ticonderoga on east shore of Lake George. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 100 cars and trailers. (D) 

Warren County

- In DEC Rogers Rock Campground. On Route 9N, 3 miles north of the Hamlet of Hague on right. Hard surface ramp. Day use fee in season. Launch open year round. 24 cars and trailers. 518-585-6746 (D)

- Northwest Bay Brook. On Route 9N, 4 miles north of the Village of Bolton Landing. Hand launch. 15 cars. (D)

- Million Dollar Beach. On Beach Road, in the Village of Lake George. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers from Memorial Day through Labor Day. Additional parking remainder of the year. (D) 


- Hague Town Beach. Hard surface ramp. Fee/permit required. 3 cars and trailers, 15 cars. (M)

Lake Ontario

Cayuga County

- Fair Haven Beach State Park- ¼ mile north of Fair Haven on Route 104A. Hard surface ramp. 150 cars and trailers. 315-947-5205 (P)

Jefferson County

- Three Mile Bay- Off Route 12E in Hamlet of Three Mile Bay. Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers, 8 cars. (D) 


- Stony Creek - Off Route 3, south of Henderson Harbor on Nutting Street Road. Hard surface ramp. 84 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- Westcott Beach State Park- On Route 3, 4 miles south of the Village of Sackets Harbor. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- Adjacent to Route 178, 1 mile west of Hamlet of Henderson Harbor. Hard surface ramp. 80 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (M)

- Off Route 12E, 2 miles west of Chaumont. Hard surface ramp. 100 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- Long Point State Park - 14 miles from the Village of Three Mile Bay. Unimproved trailer launch. 20 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- Lake Ontario at the Isthmus- Off Route 57 in Lyme. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers, 10 cars. (D) 

- Sackets Harbor - Market Square Park, off W. Main Street in Sackets Harbor. Hard surface ramp. 9 cars and trailers. (M)

- Black River Bay, Lloyd's Landing- On Military Road, 2 miles northeast of Sackets Harbor. Unimproved trailer launch. 20 cars and trailers. (D)

- At Perch River (Dexter Marsh) - On Doane Road, 1½ miles west of Village of Dexter. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

- Black River Bay, Muskellunge Creek- On Route 180, 1¼ miles south of the Village of Dexter. Unimproved trailer launch. 15 cars and trailers. (D)

- Mud Bay- Off Route 6 on Bates Road in Town of Lyme. Unimproved trailer launch. 5 cars and trailers. (D)

Monroe County

- Irondequoit Bay State Marine Park- At the intersection of Route 590 & Culver Road. Hard surface ramp. 28 cars and trailers. 585-256-4950 (P)

- Irondequoit Bay - On Empire Blvd. at the southern end of the bay. Hand launch. 6 cars. (M)

- Braddock Bay State Park- 10 miles west of Rochester, off Lake Ontario State Parkway. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers, 50 cars. 585-225-2000 (P)

- Genesee River - On River Street about ¼ mile north of intersection of Lake Avenue and Lake Ontario State Parkway in the City of Rochester. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. (M)

- Hamlin Beach State Park- Route 19 and Lake Ontario State Parkway. Hand launch. 3 cars. 585-964-2462 (P)

- Sandy Creek - Along Lake Ontario State Parkway, near Route 19 intersection at Sandy Creek in Town of Hamlin. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. (D)

Niagara County

- Wilson Tuscarora State Park- Tuscarora Bay, off Route 18, west of Village of Wilson. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. 716-751-6361 (P)

- Wilson Tuscarora State Park- Twelvemile Creek, off Route 18, west of Village of Wilson. Hand launch. 20 cars. 716-751-6361 (P)

- Golden Hill State Park- Off Lower Lake Road approximately 1½ miles west of junction with County Line Road in Town of Somerset. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers, 15 cars. 716-795-3885 (P)

- Fort Niagara State Park- Off Route 18F just north of Village of Youngstown. Hard surface ramp. 44 cars and trailers. 716-745-7273 (P)

- Town of Newfane Marina (Olcott Harbor). Located off West Main Street in Village of Olcott. Hard surface ramp. 60 cars and trailers, 40 cars. (M)


- Wilson Launch Ramp- Town of Wilson Launch. Twelvemile Creek, off Riverview Drive, west of Village of Wilson. Hard surface ramp. Access not always possible due to shoaling (low water levels). 10 cars and trailers. (M)

Orleans County

- Oak Orchard Marine Park West. In the Town of Carlton, west side of creek off of Archbald Road. Hard surface ramps (4). 96 cars and trailers, 25 cars. 585-682-4888 (P)

- Oak Orchard Marine Park East. Town of Carlton, east side of creek at the end of Point Breeze Road. Hard surface ramps (3). 25 cars and trailers, 17 cars. 585-682-4366 (P)


Oswego County

- Mexico Point- Off Route 104B, one mile north of Texas. Hard surface ramps. (2). 105 cars and trailers, 29 cars. 315-963-3656 (P)
- Wright's Landing Marina- On Lake Street off W. 1st Street in Oswego. 50 cars and trailers, 50 cars. (315) 343-8430 (M)
- North Sandy Pond - Town of Sandy Creek From State Route 3, take Stanley Drive to Doreen Drive. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (D) 

Wayne County

- East Bay North Fishing Access Site on North Huron Road, 2 miles north of the Hamlet of North Huron. Hand launch. 8 cars. (D)
- East Bay South Fishing Access Site on Slaght Road, 1 mile east of the Hamlet of North Huron. Unimproved trailer ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (D)
- Port Bay South Fishing Access Site off West Port Bay Road, 3 miles north of the Village of Wolcott. Hard surface ramp. 28 cars and trailers. (D)
- Port Bay West Fishing Access Site off end of West Port Bay Road, 5 miles north of Village of Wolcott. Hard surface ramp. 35 cars and trailers. (D)
- Sodus Bay Fishing Access Site on the corner of Route 14 and Margaretta Road. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (M)
- End of Wickham Boulevard in Village of Sodus Point; Coast Guard Station. Open Labor Day through Memorial Day. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (USCG)
- Black Creek - Lake Shore Marshes Wildlife Management Area- 0.4 miles east of Fields Hill Road on Kakat Road in Red Creek. Hand launch. 5 cars. (D)

Long Island Sound (SW)**Nassau County**

- Glen Cove- Garvies Point Road, off Herb Hill Road. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. 516-671-4263 (M)
- Glenwood Landing- off Prospect Avenue, north of Glenwood Road. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. 516-674-7100 (M)
- Oyster Bay- Theodore Roosevelt Park- Larrabee Avenue, off West Main Street. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 90 cars and trailers. 516-624-6202 (M)
- Oyster Bay Western Waterfront Waterway Access Site- West End Avenue, off Bayside Avenue. Permit required. Hard surface ramp. Fishing pier. 20 cars and trailers. 631-444-0439 (D) 
- Port Washington- Manorhaven Beach Park- Manorhaven Boulevard. Fee/permit required. Launch and recover at high tides. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. 516-767-4622 (M)
- Port Washington- Bar Beach Park- West Shore Road. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars and trailers. 516-767-4622 (M)

Suffolk County

- Cold Spring Harbor- Route 25A, Cold Spring Harbor. Launch/recover at high tides. Hard surface ramp. 12 cars and trailers. 631-351-3100 (M)

- East Marion- Oysterponds Boat Launch- Main Road/Route 25. Hard surface ramp. Stops at high tide mark. Launch and recover at high tides. Exposed to strong wave action. 4x4 helpful. Small boats (<20ft.) only. 24 cars and trailers. 631-444-0439 (D)
- Eaton's Neck- Hobart Beach- Eaton's Neck Road. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. 65 cars and trailers. 631-351-3100 (M)
- Huntington- Mill Dam Road, off Route 110. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. 24 cars and trailers. 631-351-3089 (M)
- Mattituck Creek (SW)- Naugles Road off Breakwater Road, Mattituck. Hard surface ramp. Fishing pier. Boat rinsing station. 60 cars and trailers. (631) 444-0439 (D) ♿
- Mt. Sinai- Cedar Beach Park- Harbor Beach Road, off Landing Road. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. Fishing pier. 75 cars and trailers. 631-765-1800 (M)
- Northport- Asharoken Beach- Eaton's Neck Road. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. 54 cars and trailers. 631-351-3100. (M)
- Port Jefferson- Main Street/Route 25A. Fee/permit required. Hard surface ramp. 90 cars and trailers. 631-451-6100 (M)
- Riverhead- Iron Pier Beach- Pier Avenue, off Sound Avenue. Fee/permit required. Exposed to strong wave action. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. 631-727-5744 (M)
- Smithtown- Gov. A.E. Smith/Sunken Meadow State Park- Sunken Meadow Parkway - Northeast corner of Field 3. Beach launch. Kayaks & canoes only. 631-269-4333 (P)

Oneida Lake

Madison County

- South Shore - Off Route 31, 1 mile east of the Hamlet of Bridgeport. Hard surface ramps. 100 cars and trailers. (D) ♿

Oneida County

- Godfrey Point- off Route 49, 1 mile east of the Village of Cleveland. Hard surface ramp. 56 cars and trailers, 6 cars. (D) ♿
- Oneida Lake (Fish Creek) Verona Beach – In Canastota, take Route 13S to N Lakeshore Road; take immediate right onto Canal Main Street; continue straight on Willow Drive. Hand launch. 5 cars. (M)

Onondaga County

- Oneida Shores County Park- Off Bartel Road in Brewerton. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars/40 cars and trailers. (M)

Oswego County

- Toad Harbor- From Route 49 in West Monroe, south on Toad Harbor Road to end, to Shaw Road. Fishing platform. Hand launch. 20 cars. (D)
- Cleveland Dock- On Apps Landing off Route 49 in Cleveland. Hand launch. 20 cars. (D)
- South of NY Route 49, off Toad Harbor Road on McCloud Road. West of Constantia. Hand launch. 15 cars. (M)

Seneca Lake

Ontario County

- On Routes 5 & 20, ½ mile east of Route 14 in City of Geneva. Hard surface ramps (2). 20 cars and trailers. (M)

Schuyler County

- On Peach Orchard Road, 0.8 miles west of Route 414 in Town of Hector. Hard surface ramp. Steep dirt access road-small boats recommended. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

- On Route 414, 1 mile east of Route 14 in Watkins Glen. Hard surface ramps (2). 60 cars and trailers. (M)

Seneca County

- Sampson State Park- Route 96A, 12 miles south of the City of Geneva. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 64 cars and trailers. 315-585-6392 (P)

- Lodi Point State Park- Off Lodi Point Road, 5 miles west of the Village of Lodi. Hard surface ramp. 68 cars and trailers. 315-585-6392 (P)

- Seneca Lake State Park- Routes 5 & 20 & 96A, in the City of Geneva. Hard surface ramp. Pumpout. 30 cars and trailers. 315-789-2331 (P)

- Village Marina - Off Route 414/E. 4th Street at the end of N. Porter Street in Watkins Glen. Hard surface ramp. 40 cars/25 cars with trailers. (M)

Yates County

- On Severne Road, off Route 14, 8 miles south of Dresden. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. (D)

Seneca River

Cayuga County

- Seneca River- Route 31 to Bonta Bridge Road, (travel North, located just before bridge). Hand launch. 10 cars. (D)

- Seneca River- On Route 38 near bridge approximately 3 miles north of the Village of Port Byron. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (D)

Onondaga County

- Seneca River - Community Park - Off Route 48/Maple Road in Lions Parkway in Baldwinsville. 10 cars/5 cars and trailers. (M)

- Seneca River - Mercer Park - Off North Street/River Street in Baldwinsville. 10 cars/5 cars and trailers (M)

St. Lawrence River

Jefferson County

- Burnham Point State Park- Route 12E, 4.5 miles east of the Village of Cape Vincent. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- Kring Point State Park- Off Route 12, 10 miles northeast of the Village of Alexandria Bay. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- Keewaydin State Park- Route 12, 1 mile west of the Village of Alexandria Bay. Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- DeWolf Point State Park- Off Route 181, 4 miles north of the Thousand Islands bridge. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)

- Wellesley Island State Park- 2 miles north of the Thousand Island bridge. Hard surface ramps (2). 60 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Grass Point State Park- Route 12, 1 mile east of the Hamlet of Fisher's Landing. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Cedar Point State Park- Route 12E, 6 miles west of the Village of Clayton. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Off Route 12E, on the north end of the Village of Cape Vincent. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (M)

St. Lawrence County

- Off Route 131, via Old River Road, 1.5 miles northwest of the City of Massena. Hard surface ramp. 30 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (M)
- Robert Moses State Park- Barnhart Island- just north of the Village of Massena. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- 1 mile north of Route 37 on Route 131, between Louisville and Massena (Wilson Hill Wildlife Management Area). Hard surface ramp. 50 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- 3 miles north of Waddington on Route 37 (Brandy Brook). Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Jacques Cartier State Park- On River Road, 2 miles south of the Village of Morristown. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Coles Creek State Park- On Route 37, between the Villages of Massena and Waddington. Hard surface ramp. 15 cars and trailers. 315-482-2593 (P)
- Chippewa Bay - Denner Road, off Route 12, Town of Hammond. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
- Ogdensburg - Paterson Street. Hard surface ramp. 25 cars and trailers. (M)
- Ogdensburg - Greenbelt Park - Off North Water Street/Riverside Avenue. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)

Susquehanna River

Broome County

- Nineveh - At bridge on Route 26 (East Windsor Road) in Hamlet of Nineveh. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (D)
- Off Route 11 on Geiger (Riverside) Lane in Kirkwood (1 mile from Pennsylvania border). Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
- At end of Route 17 (East) ramp in Windsor, next to Village of Windsor DPW on Main Street. Hand launch. 6 cars. (D)
- Kirkwood River Park - off County Route 209 (Main Street) in Kirkwood. Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers. (M)
- Sullivan Park - off Route 7 in Conklin. Hand launch. 8 cars. (M)
- Sandy Beach Park - off Route 7 in Binghamton. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (M)
- Rock Bottom Dam - off Route 363, ½ mile above the confluence of Susquehanna and Chenango Rivers. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

- On Boland Drive at the end of Chrisfield Avenue (under Route 201 bridge) on north shore in Johnson City. Hand launch. 15 cars. (D)
- At Grippen Park, located off Route 17C. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
- At Harold Moore Park, located on Old Vestal Road. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
- Ouaquaga - Off Route 79 on Doolittle Road/Dutchtown Road on north side of river, Hamlet of Ouaquaga. Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers. (D)

Chenango County

- Afton - At Route 41 (Maple Street) bridge in Village of Afton. Unimproved trailer launch. 12 cars and trailers. (D)
- At Bainbridge Park, located downstream of the Route 206 bridge. Hard surface ramp. 5 cars and trailers. (M)

Delaware County

- Wells Bridge - Off Wells Bridge-Otego Road, 1¼ miles south of I-88, Exit 12. Hand launch. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)
- Unadilla Fishing Access Site- Below the bridge off River Road in Unadilla, 0.4 miles north of I-88, Exit 10. Hand launch. 30 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Otsego County

- Oneonta - Off Route 205, west of Oneonta just south of I-88, Exit 13. Hand launch. 15 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)
- Sidney - Off Route 7, just west of the Route 8 bridge, 1.7 miles from I-88, Exit 9. Hand launch. 30 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)
- Colliersville - At the Route 7 bridge, 0.2 miles west of Route 28 in Colliersville. Hand launch. 10 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)
- Emmons - On Stillwater Road off Route 47, just south of I-88, Exit 16. Hand launch. 20 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)
- Crumhorn - Susquehanna State Forest- Off Route 35, 2.8 miles north of Route 28 in Portlandville. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers, 6 cars. 607-652-7366 (D) ♿
- Portlandville - Across from School House Hill Road, ¼ mile south of Route 35A, on Route 28 in Portlandville. Hand launch. Accessible kayak launch. 5 cars. 607-652-7366 (D) ♿
- Compton Bridge - On Route 11C just east of NY Route 28 in Cooperstown. Hand launch. 4 cars. 607-652-7366 (D)

Tioga County

- Apalachin - Between Routes 17C and 434 in Apalachin on the south shore of the river. Hard surface ramp. 20 cars and trailers. (D)
- Nichols East - On East River Drive, 1 mile east of the Village of Nichols. Hard surface ramp. 12 cars and trailers. (D)
- On Marshland Road in Apalachin. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers. (M)
- At Hickories Park located off Route 17C. Hard surface ramp. 6 cars and trailers. (M)
- Nichols West - On West River Drive, approximately 4 miles west of the Village of Nichols. Hard surface ramp. 8 cars and trailers. (D)

- Cannon Hole- On Old Barton Road, 1½ miles west of intersection with Oak Hill Road in Hamlet of Barton. Unimproved trailer launch. 10 cars. (D)

Upper Niagara River

Erie County

- Black Rock Canal County Park - Off Niagara Street near foot of Ontario Street, City of Buffalo. Hard surface ramp. 10 cars and trailers, 15 cars. (M)

- Town of Tonawanda Small Boat Harbor. At the foot of Sheridan Drive (Route 325). Hard surface ramp. 43 cars and trailers. (M)

- Isle View Park- Off Niagara Street (Route 266) in City of Tonawanda. Hard surface ramp. 55 cars and trailers. (M)

- Niawanda Park- Off Niagara Street (Route 266) in City of Tonawanda. Hard surface ramp. 32 cars and trailers. (M)

- Big Six Mile Creek Marina State Park- Off Whitehaven Road just east of junction with W. River Pkwy. Hard surface ramp. 33 cars and trailers. (P)

- Whitehaven Overlook- Off W. River Pkwy approx. 0.4 miles south of junction with Whitehaven Road. 75' carry. Hand launch. 40 cars. (P)

- Eagle Overlook- Off W. River Pkwy approx. 1.3 miles north of junction with Bedell Road. 150' carry. Hand launch. 15 cars. (P)

- Fix Road Overlook- Off W. River Pkwy at junction with Fix Road. 200' carry. Hand launch. 30 cars. (P)

- Beaver Island State Park- Located in Area 1 near marina. Hand launch. 50 cars. (P)

- Beaver Island State Park- At southeast tip of park near River Lea Historic Farmhouse. Hand launch. 15 cars. (P)

- Beaver Island State Park- Located in northeast corner of park at south end of East River Road. Hand launch. 20 cars. (P)

Niagara County

- Gratwick Riverside Park- off River Road (Route 265/384), City of North Tonawanda. Permit required. Hard surface ramp. 24 cars and trailers. (M)

- Griffon Park - off Buffalo Avenue (Route 265/384), City of Niagara Falls. Hard surface ramp. 45 cars and trailers. (M)

For Additional Information

Boating safety and vessel registration information:

www.parks.ny.gov

Clean Vessel Assistance Program- Boat Pumpout Facilities:

www.efc.ny.gov

Fishing, hunting and water quality regulations and information:

www.dec.ny.gov

Invasive species and their control:

www.stopaquaticinvasives.org

New York State Canal System: www.canals.ny.gov

Purchasing a boat, owning and operating a boat, etc:

www.discoverboating.com

General fishing and boating information: www.takemefishing.org

United States Coast Guard: www.uscgboating.org

United States Fish & Wildlife Service- Sportfish Restoration:

www.fws.gov/r5fedaid/



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