

	KRA POLICY #			
	Title / Subject TRESPASSING; FISHING ALLOWANCE; BOATING SAFETY		EFFECTIVE DATE	REVISION DATE 07/29/11
	REFERENCES KRS 151.700 - 730 KRS 511.070 - 080		DISTRIBUTION	
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POLICY

The Kentucky River Authority (KRA) supports the recreational use of the Kentucky River Basin and the sport of fishing in or along the Kentucky River Basin including fishing in proximity to or near KRA property.

It is the policy of KRA to prohibit trespassing on any KRA property; specifically, physical structures, locks, dams, land wall, or guide wall owned and operated by KRA and real property in general.

Enforcement of this policy is delegated to all law enforcement agencies having jurisdiction generally and the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources (KDFWR) specifically.

- KRA SHALL NOT ALLOW ANY boat access within 300 FEET ABOVE any lock and dam (whether buoyed or not) unless lock is operational and vessel is attempting to lock through.
- KRA RECOMMENDS watercraft stay at least 150 FEET BELOW any lock and dam unless lock is operational and vessel is attempting to lock through.
- PFD's (personal floatation devices) ARE REQUIRED TO BE WORN DURING ALL LOCKING OPERATIONS. This includes the approach to the lock , actual locking, and departure from the lock.
- THERE SHALL BE NO TRESPASSING on any LOCK WALL, GUIDE WALL, or CONCRETE STRUCTURE of any KRA lock and dam.
- FISHING IS NOT ALLOWED from the BANK on any KRA property on the UPSTREAM side of any lock and dam.
- FISHING IS ALLOWED (by licensed fishermen) on KRA property from the BANK on the DOWNSTREAM side of locks and dams as long as you are not on any concrete structure.
- FISHING IS ALLOWED by boat on the DOWNSTREAM side of any lock and dam provided SAFE WATER CONDITIONS EXIST and PFD'S ARE WORN.
- KDFWR, local SHERRIF, POLICE and STATE POLICE officers all have jurisdiction on KENTUCKY RIVER AUTHORITY properties.