

# FINDING A FISHING SITE

## Using the Maps-

The maps and charts on the following pages are included to help anglers locate the various salt-water fishing spots within New York City. A chart that precedes the map on the left-hand side of the page will give details about each location and assign a number that corresponds to a label on the accompanying map.

### Example:

	Name	Ownership	Type	Boat Launch	Parking	Hours
1	Riverdale Park	City	SS	SL		
2	Roberto Clemente State Park 	State	B	S	4/1-10/31:8a-11p 11/1-3/31:8a-9p	



Legend	
	Fishing Access
	Water
	Streets
	Major Road
	Subway

## Getting to a Site-

While some of the areas listed have parking available nearby, many do not. Public transportation may often be the most convenient way to travel to fishing access. The subway lines shown on these maps are intended to be a general guide for subway locations. Detailed subway and bus information can be obtained from the Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA).

### More About Maps

The maps included give the general location for an access site. Reasonable efforts have been made to ensure the accuracy and completeness of each map. However, accuracy may vary. More detailed street maps can be obtained from the following sources:

#### MTA

<http://www.mta.info>  
Travel Information Center:  
(718) 330-1234

#### Department of Transportation

Map Information Unit  
NYS Department of Transportation  
State Campus Building 4, Room 105  
Albany, New York 12232

#### USGS

U.S. Geological Survey  
Washington, D.C. 20242

# Bronx Fishing Access

	Name	Ownership	Type	Boat Launch	Parking	Hours	Lighting Covered	Bathrooms	Location
1	Riverdale Park	City	SS		SL				Palisade Ave.
2	Roberto Clemente State Park	State	B		S			●	Parallel to the Major Deegan on McCracken Ave.
3	Tiffany Street Pier <i>Currently Unavailable</i>	City	P		SL	8:30am to 8:00pm		●	End of Tiffany Street
4	Farragut Street	City	B		S				End of Farragut Street at DEP outfall
5	Hunts Point Riverside Park	City	B		SL				End of Lafayette Avenue
6	Sound View Park	City	SS RB		S	D		●	Between Gildersleeve and Leland
7	Bronx River Avenue	City	J		S				Between Lafayette and Bronx River Avenues
8	Clason's Point Park	City	SS RB	HL	S				End of Sound View Avenue
9	Castle Hill Park	City	RB MS		S	D			Castle Hill Avenue
10	Ferry Point Park	City	RB		L				Hutchinson River Parkway Service Road
11	Evers Marina	Private		HS					End of Outlook Avenue
12	Bay Shore Avenue	City	RB J		S				All along Bayshore Road
13	Pelham Bay Park/South	City	RB		L			●	Bruckner Service Road to Watt Avenue
14	Lagoon/Turtle Cove/North Jetty	City	MS SS J	HL	L			●	City Island Avenue or Park Drive
15	City Island Bridge	City	SB	HL	S				West City Island Bridge
16	The Boat Livery	Public	B	HS \$	\$	Rent until 4:30 pm		●	City Island Avenue or Park Drive

**P**-Pier **SB**-Sandy Beach **RB**-Rocky Beach **J**-Jetty **B**-Bulkhead **M**-Marina **SS**-Steep Shoreline **MS**-Marshy Shoreline **HL**-Hand Launch **HS**-Hard Surface/Concrete Ramp **L**-Lot **SL**-Small Lot **S**-Street **LS**-Little Street **LP**-Lot with Permit **G**-Garage **D**-Daylight Hours (Sunrise to Sunset) **\$**-Fee Required **NPS**-National Park Service

**For More Information:** NYC Parks and Recreation: 1-800-201-PARK or [www.nyc.gov](http://www.nyc.gov)  
National Park Service (Gateway National Recreation Area) - [www.nps.gov/gate/](http://www.nps.gov/gate/)  
New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation - [www.nysparks.state.ny.us](http://www.nysparks.state.ny.us)

 **Orange locations are marinas**

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## FISH CONSUMPTION ADVISORY

**F**ish are nutritious and good to eat. When properly prepared, fish provide a diet high in protein and low in saturated fats. Some fish, however, absorb contaminants from the water in which they live and from the food they eat. Over time, some of these contaminants accumulate in the fish, and likewise in the people who eat these fish. These contaminants can harm you, so it is important to keep your exposure as low as possible. Guidelines prepared by government agencies are not intended to discourage people from eating fish, but anglers should consider them when preparing and eating legal fish taken from New York waters.

The federal government sets standards for chemicals in food sold commercially, including fish. The DEC routinely monitors contaminant levels in fish. The NYS Department of Health (NYSDOH) issues advisories when sportfish contaminant levels exceed federal standards. These advisories should guide you in making wise decisions on the type and amount of fish to eat to minimize your exposure to contaminants. NYSDOH issues both

general and specific health advisories for eating fish from New York waters. The health advisory for consumption of fish from New York City's surrounding marine waters is to eat no more than one meal (1/2 pound) per month. NYC's surrounding marine waters include the Hudson River, Arthur Kill, Kill Van Kull, East River, Harlem River, and the Upper Bay of NY Harbor (north of the Verrazano Narrows Bridge). Infants, children under the age of 15, and women of childbearing age are advised to eat **no fish** from NYC's surrounding marine waters.

NYSDOH also issues specific health advisories for many of New York State's waters outside of the city.

For more information on specific consumption advisories, please contact NYSDOH Environmental Health Information:

1-800-458-1158 ext 27815

or

[www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/fish/fish.htm](http://www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/fish/fish.htm)



Striped Bass