

Guide Service Rates For 2025

People	Full Day Trip	Half Day Trip	Shore Lunch	Fish Cleaning	Following Boat	Deposit
	<i>Approximately 8 Hours</i>	<i>Approximately 4 Hours</i>	<i>Approximately 2 Hours</i>	<i>Expertly Filleted</i>	<i>Per Boat</i>	<i>Per Date Reserved</i>
1 or 2 (base)	\$525	\$430	\$60 Group Total	*Free	\$300	\$150
3	\$635	\$515	\$60 Group Total	*Free	\$300	\$150
4	\$725	\$590	\$60 Group Total	* Free	\$300	\$150

Deposits and Cancellation Policy: Deposit of \$150.00 per trip is required to guarantee reservations. Deposits are non-refundable EXCEPT when cancelled by the fishing guide(s) in the interest of safety or extenuating circumstances, agreed to in advance.

Weather related cancellations are extremely rare. Fishing is an outdoor sport, and in Minnesota; it rains, snows, blows and gets hot. That means that unless the weather poses a threat to our safety, we will be fishing on our scheduled date, rain or shine. If you do not like fishing in inclement weather, then please be sure to talk with me before you book your trip. There are no refunds for last minute cancellations.

Customer cancelled trip(s), if successfully re-booked, may qualify for deposit(s) to be carried over to secure an alternate fishing date. Re-booking is subject to availability and may not always be an option. Please contact me as soon as possible for the availability of alternative dates.

I always do my best to re-book cancelled dates and I do have an "opt-in" newsletter for guests who would like to hear about last minute availabilities. If you can travel to the area on short notice and would like to receive occasional notices by email, please visit the website and sign up for "The Early Bird Fishing Guide's Insider News".

Items to bring along on your trip:

- Almost all of the fishing gear, live bait and tackle are provided as part of your fishing trip. There are a few items that you will need:
- Your own current Minnesota Fishing License.
- Layered clothing appropriate for Minnesota's changing weather.
- Rain gear suitable for the season; Totes or other "slip on" rain boots will protect your feet and are highly recommended.
- Cooler with plenty of ice, soft drinks, water and snacks.
- Zip Lock Freezer Bags, 1 Gallon Size
- Alcohol is allowed; please use it responsibly.

**Fish Cleaning provided free. Sadly, strict restrictions on transportation and on packaging requirements have forced the discontinuation of licensed fish packaging service.*