

## PRIVATE FISH DEALER LIST

Pond and lake owners may desire to purchase their own fish for stocking purposes from a private source. There are numerous Illinois private dealers and out-of-state private dealers that raise and supply fish for stocking purposes. Their prices vary according to the species, size, availability, and delivery method. Refer to the [Aquatic Life Approved Species List](#) for a complete list of species that are approved for stocking in private waters in Illinois.

The Illinois Department of Natural Resources does not assume any responsibility, recommend, or endorse the following listings, but provides this for the convenience of those who may desire a private source of fish for stocking purposes. It is recommended that those who desire to purchase fish consult with their county [IDNR Fisheries Biologist](#) or the [Natural Resources Conservation Service Office](#).

It is unlawful for any person(s) to transport, ship, or convey within the State, any live Grass Carp or White Amur *Ctenopharyngodon idella*, Bighead Carp *Hypophthalmichthys nobilis*, Silver Carp *Hypophthalmichthys molitrix*, or hybrid of any of these species, Tilapia spp., and other species not on the Aquatic Life Approved Species List, unless that person possesses a "Restricted Species Transportation/Stocking Permit" issued by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. With a bill of sale, pond owners may legally possess and/or transport live, triploid (sterile) Grass Carp (over 4" in length) purchased from an aquaculture permit holder or licensed fish dealer.

It is unlawful for any person(s) to stock Tilapia species in Illinois waters. Tilapia are not on the Aquatic Life Approved Species List, but are allowed for aquaculture with an Aquaculture Permit and a Letter of Authorization to possess Tilapia. Aquatic Life Dealers may keep live Tilapia for sale at a market so long as all fish are dead upon sale. For more information about Restricted Species Transportation/Stocking Permits, Aquaculture Permits, or related questions please contact:

*Aquaculture Specialist, Illinois Department of Natural Resources, Aquatic Nuisance Species and Aquaculture Program, One Natural Resources Way, Springfield, IL 62702 - (217) 785-8772 – [dnr.aquaculture@illinois.gov](mailto:dnr.aquaculture@illinois.gov)*

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Office of Civil Rights  
U.S. Department of the Interior  
1849 C Street, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20240***

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**ILLINOIS PRIVATE FISH DEALERS**

<p><b>AquaVerde Aquaponics</b>          Julie Zamudio          2815 S Justen Road          McHenry, IL 60050          Phone: 847-274-7111          Fax: 815-455-9414          Email: <a href="mailto:jzamudio7111@aol.com">jzamudio7111@aol.com</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.aquaverdefarms.com">www.aquaverdefarms.com</a></p>	<p>Tilapia <i>spp.</i></p>	
<p><b>Brown Jug Fisheries</b>          Monica &amp; Randy Childers          4814 N. Thownhouse Road          Hanna City, IL 61536          Phone: 309-565-3288          Email: <a href="mailto:randycl@earthlink.net">randycl@earthlink.net</a></p>	<p>Albino Catfish</p>	<p>Channel Catfish</p>
<p><b>Chicago High School for Ag Science</b>          W.E. Hook          3857 W. 111th Street          Chicago, IL 60655          Phone: 773-535-2500          Fax: 773-535-2504          Email: <a href="mailto:wehook@cps.edu">wehook@cps.edu</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.chicagoagr.org">www.chicagoagr.org</a></p>	<p>Tilapia <i>spp.</i></p>	
<p><b>Dan Jones Fish Farm</b>          Daniel Jones          209 Pine Hill Lane          Desoto, IL 62924          Phone: 618-521-9705          Email: <a href="mailto:danjonesfishfarm@yahoo.com">danjonesfishfarm@yahoo.com</a></p>	<p>Hybrid Striped Bass</p>	
<p><b>Fountain Bluff Fish Farm</b>          Kevin Shields          112 White Lane          Gorham, IL 62940          Phone: 618-763-4387          Fax: 618-763-4456          Email: <a href="mailto:fishfarm@fountainbluff.com">fishfarm@fountainbluff.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie          Hybrid Sunfish          Largemouth Bass</p>	<p>Bluegill          Triploid Grass Carp          Redear Sunfish</p>
<p><b>Frank's Real Bait Shop &amp; Trading Post</b>          John Wanless          94 Fish Road          Gorham, IL 62940          Phone: 618-763-4217          Website: <a href="mailto:statistics04@yahoo.com">statistics04@yahoo.com</a></p>	<p>Common Shiner          Gizzard Shad          Rosy Red</p>	<p>Fathead Minnow          Green Sunfish</p>
<p><b>Giant Goose Ranch</b>          Nate Herman          25369 Goose Ranch Road          Canton, IL 61520          Phone: 309-303-5691          Email: <a href="http://www.hblakemanagement.com">www.hblakemanagement.com</a>          Website: <a href="mailto:nate@hblakemanagement.com">nate@hblakemanagement.com</a></p>	<p>Channel Catfish          Fathead Minnow          Hybrid Bluegill          Largemouth Bass          Rainbow Trout          Smallmouth Bass          Walleye          Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Black Crappie          Golden Shiners          Hybrid Striped Bass          Northern Pike          Redear Sunfish          Tiger Muskie          White Crappie</p>

<p><b>Gorham Fish Farm</b>  Larry Brown  112 White Lane  Gorham, IL 62940  Phone: 618-763-4387  Fax: 618-763-4456  Email: <a href="mailto:fishfarm@fountainbluff.com">fishfarm@fountainbluff.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie  Channel Catfish  Hybrid Sunfish  Redear Sunfish</p>	<p>Bluegill  Triploid Grass Carp  Largemouth Bass</p>
<p><b>Green Garden Aquaculture</b>  Steve Molter  25740 S. 80th Ave.  Monee, IL 60449  Phone: 708-927-7324  Email: <a href="mailto:stevemolter@aol.com">stevemolter@aol.com</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.green-garden-farms.com">www.green-garden-farms.com</a></p>	<p>Rainbow Trout</p>	
<p><b>Keystone Hatcheries</b>  11409 Keystone Road  Richmond, IL 60071  Phone: 815-678-2537  Fax: 815-678-2437  Email: <a href="mailto:info@keystonehatcheries.com">info@keystonehatcheries.com</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.keystonehatcheries.com">www.keystonehatcheries.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie  Brook Trout  Channel Catfish  Largemouth Bass  Northern Pike  Rainbow Trout  Smallmouth Bass  Triploid Grass Carp  Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Bluegill  Brown Trout  Hybrid Bluegill  Muskellunge  Pumpkinseed  Redear Sunfish  Tiger Muskie  Walleye</p>
<p><b>Logan Hollow Fish Farm</b>  Pete Reiff  824 Stave Mill Road  Murphysboro, IL 62966  Phone: 618-684-4004  Email: <a href="mailto:loganhollowfishfarm@gmail.com">loganhollowfishfarm@gmail.com</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.loganhollow.com">www.loganhollow.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie  Channel Catfish  Hybrid Striped Bass  Largemouth Bass  Smallmouth Bass  Walleye</p>	<p>Bluegill  Fathead Minnow  Hybrid Sunfish  Redear Sunfish  Triploid Grass Carp</p>
<p><b>McLane Farms, LLC</b>  Mitchell McLane  50 Ware-Wolf Lake Rd  Jonesboro, IL 62952  Email: <a href="mailto:macfarms@hotmail.com">macfarms@hotmail.com</a></p>	<p>Largemouth Bass</p>	
<p><b>Millers Fish Farm</b>  Gary Miller  1500 E 2900N  Ramsey, IL 62080  Phone: 618-423-2152  Email: <a href="mailto:millersfishfarm@yahoo.com">millersfishfarm@yahoo.com</a></p>	<p>Channel Catfish</p>	
<p><b>Neal Hummitsch</b>  Neal Hummitsch  7551 W. 175th St.  Tinley Park, IL 60477  Phone: 708-269-8585  Email: <a href="mailto:jealhummitsch@gmail.com">jealhummitsch@gmail.com</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.ilaquaponics.com">www.ilaquaponics.com</a></p>	<p>Tiliapia spp.</p>	<p>Yellow Perch</p>

<p><b>Out Back Water Gardens</b>  Jeanne Owen  400 Santa Fe Trail  Metamora, IL 61548  Phone: 309-383-2173  Fax: 309-383-4960  Email: <a href="mailto:outback@mtco.com">outback@mtco.com</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.outbackwatergardens.com">www.outbackwatergardens.com</a></p>	<p>Goldfish</p>	<p>Koi</p>
<p><b>Richmond Fisheries</b>  Tom Werenski  8609 N. Clark Road  Richmond, IL 60071  Phone: 815-675-6545  Fax: 815-675-2019</p>	<p>Black Crappie  Channel Catfish  Golden Shinners  Hybrid Bluegill  Muskellunge  Redear Sunfish  Hybrid Striped Bass  Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Bluegill  Fathead Minnow  Triploid Grass Carp  Largemouth Bass  Northern Pike  Smallmouth Bass  Walleye</p>
<p><b>Scoville Fish Hatchery</b>  Margaret Scoville  21277 N Lake Zurich Road  Barrington, IL 60010  Phone: 847-381-2888  Email: <a href="mailto:sales@scovillefishhatchery.com">sales@scovillefishhatchery.com</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.scovillefishhatchery.com">www.scovillefishhatchery.com</a></p>	<p>Largemouth Bass</p>	<p>Northern Pike</p>
<p><b>Seven Spring's Fish Farm</b>  Robert Veath  7573 Veath Lane  Evansville, IL 62242  Phone: 618-201-5701  Fax: 618-85-4064  Email: <a href="mailto:prveath@frontier.com">prveath@frontier.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie  Largemouth Bass</p>	<p>Bluegill  Redear Sunfish</p>
<p><b>Sunnysset Fish Farm</b>  James Reed  19539 Highway 149  Gorham, IL 62940  Phone: 740-516-9152</p>	<p>Blue Catfish  Flathead Catfish</p>	<p>Channel Catfish</p>
<p><b>TEK Construction</b>  Todd Meyer  12120 Pioneer Road  Bartelso, IL 62218  Phone: 618-402-4216  Email: <a href="mailto:toddmeyerm@yahoo.com">toddmeyerm@yahoo.com</a></p>	<p>Largemouth Bass</p>	
<p><b>Webster's Fish Market and Restaurant</b>  Eunise Webster  610 Jefferson Street  Lovejoy, IL 62059  Phone: 314-448-2951  Email: <a href="mailto:bbbutterfly38@aol.com">bbbutterfly38@aol.com</a></p>	<p>Bluegill  Tilapia <i>spp.</i></p>	<p>Channel Catfish</p>

## OUT-OF-STATE PRIVATE FISH DEALERS

<p><b>10,000 Lakes Aquaculture, Inc.</b>          John Chalmers          14622 County Road 57          Osakis, MN 56360          Phone: 320-267-1626          Email: <a href="mailto:1000Lakes@midwestinfo.net">1000Lakes@midwestinfo.net</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.fish4stocking.com">www.fish4stocking.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie          Fathead Minnow          Largemouth Bass          Walleye</p>	<p>Bluegill          Hybrid Bluegill          Smallmouth Bass          Yellow Perch</p>
<p><b>Blyzo Fish Farm</b>          Michael Blizek          2328 Raccoon Road          Promise City, IA 52583          Phone: 641-874-5909          Fax: 641-874-5909          Email: <a href="mailto:blyzofishfarm@yahoo.com">blyzofishfarm@yahoo.com</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.blyzofishfarm.com">www.blyzofishfarm.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie          Channel Catfish          Hybrid Bluegill          Largemouth Bass          Northern Pike          Redear Sunfish          Tiger Muskie          Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Bluegill          Fathead Minnow          Hybrid Striped Bass          Muskellunge          Rainbow Trout          Smallmouth Bass          Walleye</p>
<p><b>Curryville Fisheries</b>          Ted Werenski          6333 Highway V          Curryville, MO 63339          Phone: 573-324-6490          Email: <a href="mailto:naturalfish@earthlink.net">naturalfish@earthlink.net</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.curryvillefisheries.com">www.curryvillefisheries.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie          Channel Catfish          Golden Shiner          Hybrid Sunfish          Muskellunge          Smallmouth Bass          Walleye          Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Bluegill          Fathead Minnow          Hybrid Striped Bass          Largemouth Bass          Redear Sunfish          Triploid Grass Carp          White Sucker</p>
<p><b>F &amp; L Anderson</b>          Larry Anderson          1252 Anderson Road          Lonoke , AR 72086          Phone: 501-676-2035          Fax: 501-676-0433</p>	<p>Bluegill          Channel Catfish          Koi          Redear Sunfish</p>	<p>Black Crappie          Fathead Minnow          Largemouth Bass</p>
<p><b>Gollon Bait &amp; Fish Farm</b>          David Gollon          5117 Highway 191          Dodgeville, WI 53533          Phone: 608-935-2098          Fax: 608-935-2633          Email: <a href="mailto:gollon@frontier.com">gollon@frontier.com</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.gollonbaitandfishfarm.com">www.gollonbaitandfishfarm.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie          Fathead Minnow          Hybrid Bluegill          Muskellunge          Perch          Walleye</p>	<p>Bluegill          Golden Shiners          Largemouth Bass          Northern Pike          Smallmouth Bass          White Suckers</p>
<p><b>Greenwater Fish Farm</b>          Dan &amp; Jenny Fagin          315 Salem Church Road          Milan, TN 38358          Phone: 731-662-7449          Fax: 731-662-7449          Email: <a href="mailto:greenh20@usit.net">greenh20@usit.net</a>          Website: <a href="http://www.greenwaterfishfarm.com">www.greenwaterfishfarm.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie          Channel Catfish          Golden Shiner          Hybrid Crappie          Redear Sunfish</p>	<p>Bluegill          Fathead Minnow          Hybrid Bluegill          Largemouth Bass          Triploid Grass Carp</p>
<p><b>Hartley Fish Farms</b>          Hartley Bill          PO Box 1          Kingman, KS 67068          Phone: 620-532-3093</p>	<p>Black Crappie          Channel Catfish          Green Sunfish          Largemouth Bass          Smallmouth Bass          White Crappie</p>	<p>Bluegill          Fathead Minnow          Hybrid Bluegill          Mosquitofish          Walleye</p>

<p><b>Jones Fish Hatcheries and Distribution, Inc.</b>  Chris Kirk  3433 Church Street  Newton, OH 45244  Phone: 513-561-2615  Fax: 513-561-6251  Email: <a href="mailto:chris@jonesfish.com">chris@jonesfish.com</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.jonesfish.com">www.jonesfish.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie  Channel Catfish  Golden Shiner  Hybrid Bluegill  Koi  Mosquitofish  Northern Pike  Smallmouth Bass  Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Bluegill Sunfish  Fathead Minnow  Goldfish  Hybrid Striped Bass  Largemouth Bass  Muskellunge  Redear Sunfish  Walleye</p>
<p><b>Keo Fish Farm</b>  Martha Melkovitz  PO Box 166  Keo, AR 72083  Phone: 501-842-2872  Fax: 501-842-2156  Email: <a href="mailto:kkeo@centurytel.net">kkeo@centurytel.net</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie  Bluegill  Fathead Minnow  Goldfish  Hybrid Striped Bass  Redear Sunfish  Tripliod Grass Carp</p>	<p>Blue Catfish  Channel Catfish  Golden Shiner  Hybrid Bluegill  Largemouth Bass  Striped Bass  White Bass</p>
<p><b>Laggis' Fish Farm, Inc.</b>  08988 35th Street  Gobles, MI 49055  Phone: 269-628-2056  Fax: 269-628-2056  Website: <a href="http://www.laggisfishfarm.com">www.laggisfishfarm.com</a></p>	<p>Channel Catfish  Hybrid Bluegill  Northern Pike  Walleye</p>	<p>Fathead Minnow  Largemouth Bass  Smallmouth Bass  Yellow Perch</p>
<p><b>Minnesota Muskie Farm, Inc.</b>  Rob Jost  5116 Co Rd 82 NW  Alexandria, MN 56308  Phone: 320-766-0498  Email: <a href="mailto:muskiefarm@gctel.net">muskiefarm@gctel.net</a>  Website: <a href="http://www.minnesotamuskiefarm.com">www.minnesotamuskiefarm.com</a></p>	<p>Black Crappie  Fathead Minnow  Northern Pike  Tiger Muskie  Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Bluegill  Muskellunge  Smallmouth Bass  Walleye</p>
<p><b>Zetts Fish Hatcheries</b>  Michael Zetts  PO Box 239  Drifting, PA 16834  Phone: 814-345-5357  Fax: 814-345-5937  Website: <a href="http://www.zettsfish.com">www.zettsfish.com</a></p>	<p>Bluegill  Brown Bullhead  Fathead Minnow  Goldfish  Common Carp  Largemouth Bass  Smallmouth Bass  White Crappie  Yellow Perch</p>	<p>Black Crappie  Channel Catfish  Golden Shiner  Hybrid Striped Bass  Koi  Rosy Red  Walleye  White Sucker</p>