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RESOLUTION TO BE PRESENTED AT THE 2008 CONSERVATION CONGRESS  
SPRING HEARING – APRIL 14, 2008

Title: Youth (16 years old and younger) fishing on Category 5 Trout Streams in Wisconsin under Category 4 Regulations.

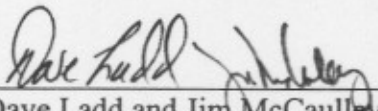
The Problem: Under the existing Wisconsin Trout Regulations, waters under Category 5 regulations do not make an exception for Youth Fishing Opportunities. Many young people are not experiencing the joy of fishing for many social reasons.

One of these reasons may be the restrictive nature of Category 5 regulations.

Furthermore, many Category 5 waters in the State have trout populations that could support youth fisherpersons to harvest under a Category 4 limits.

In addition, young people need every opportunity to be introduced to the "great outdoors".

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Conservation Congress at its annual meeting for 2008- Recommends that the Congress work to have youth be allowed to fish on Category 5 Trout Streams in Wisconsin under Category 4 Regulations.

  
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