

**Economic Impact Statement**

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**IC 4-22-2.1-5 Statement Concerning Rules Affecting Small Businesses**

**Estimated Number of Small Business Subject to This Rule**

The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) estimates that no small businesses would be directly affected by any of the proposed rule changes. The amendments are essentially housekeeping measures intended to provide better consistency with statutory changes, existing regulatory programs, and a change in ownership associated with the former Bass Lake State Beach. Bass Lake is a public freshwater lake, and its waters are managed by the DNR in support of the public trust established by [IC 14-26-2](#). As a practical matter, these changes will likely have no discernable effect upon the use of Bass Lake by the public or by adjacent property owners.

**Estimated Average Annual Administrative Costs That Small Businesses will Incur**

The DNR estimates that there will be no administrative costs to small businesses as a result of compliance with these rule amendments.

**Estimated Total Annual Economic Impact on Small Businesses**

The DNR estimates there will be no impact on small businesses as a result of compliance with these rule amendments.

**Regulatory Flexibility Analysis of Alternative Methods**

The DNR does not propose an alternative regulatory method since the amendments have no impact on small businesses. The DNR did not rely on any studies in its decision not to employ alternatives to the proposed rule amendments.

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