

# Exotic Species Advisory

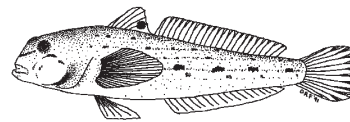
## These Waters Contain the Following Harmful Exotic Species:



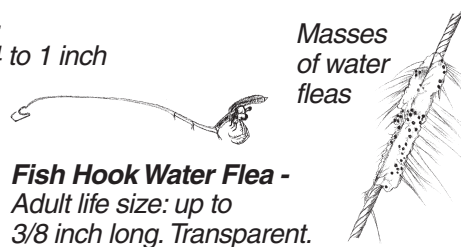
**Eurasian Watermilfoil -**  
12-21 pairs of leaflets



**Zebra Mussels -**  
Adult life size: 1/4 to 1 inch

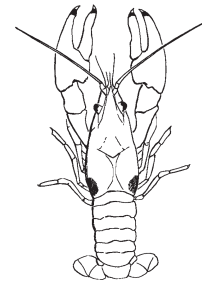


**Round Goby -**  
Adult life size: 4 - 10 inches.



**Fish Hook Water Flea -**  
Adult life size: up to  
3/8 inch long. Transparent.

**Masses  
of water  
fleas**



**Rusty Crayfish**  
Adult life size:  
6 inches long,  
including claws.  
Rust colored  
spots on sides.

## Help prevent the spread of harmful, exotic (non-native) plants and animals:

- ✓ **Remove** aquatic plants and animals from all parts of your boat, trailer and accessory equipment. Dispose of the removed material in the garbage either at the water access area (if cans are available) or at home.
- ✓ **Drain** all water from your boat including your bilges, live wells and other water containers **before** leaving the water access area.
- ✓ **Do NOT** transfer water from one water body to another or release live bait into any waters.
- ✓ **Wash** your boat and trailer thoroughly with regular tap water when you get home. Flush water through your motor's cooling system, live wells and other areas that hold water. (Preferably, dry your boat and equipment for 5 days in a sunny location before transferring it to a new body of water.)

**Wisconsin laws prohibit launching a boat or placing a trailer or boating equipment in navigable waters if it has aquatic plants or zebra mussels attached.**



**Remember . . . Clean Boats, Clean Waters**  
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