

Bryson City NC / Tuckasegee River Delayed Harvest Mountain Heritage Trout Water

Fishing Regulations

The 2.2-mile section of the Tuckasegee River from the U.S. 19 bridge to the Slope Street bridge is classified as the Bryson City Mountain Heritage Trout Water and is a Delayed-Harvest Trout Water with the following regulations:

Fishing regulations for Mountain Heritage Trout Waters, such as daily creel limits, minimum size limits and lure restrictions, are established by the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission.

From Oct. 1 until the first Saturday in June:

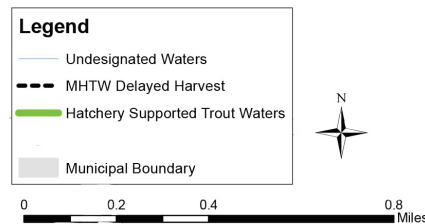
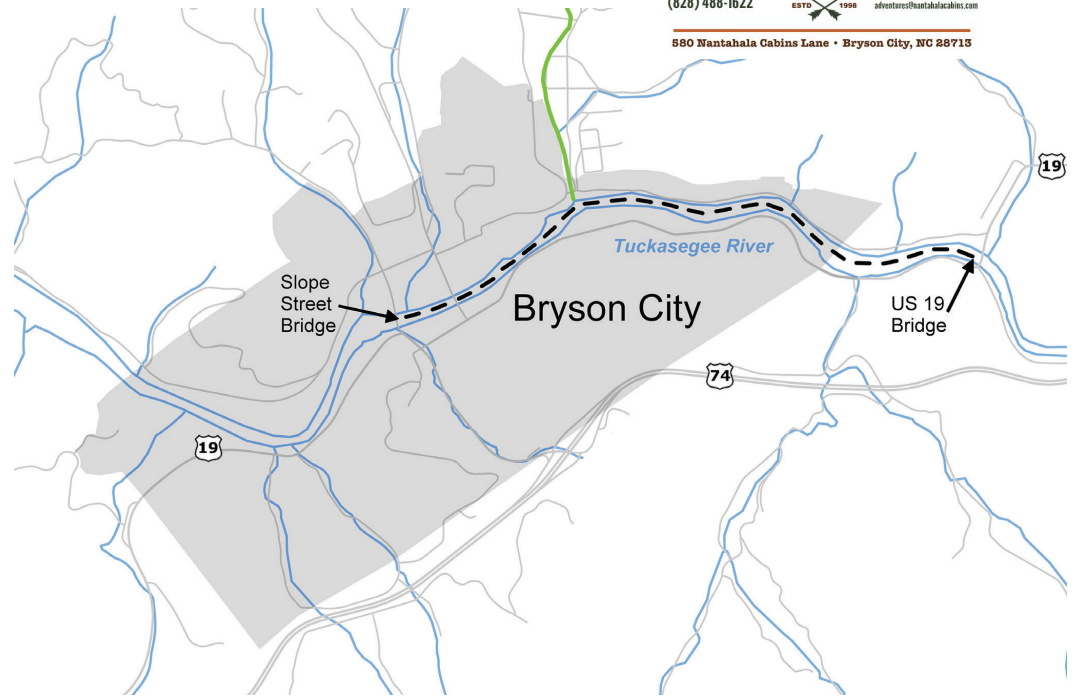
- No trout may be harvested or possessed;
- Fishing is restricted to artificial lures having one single hook;
- Natural bait may not be used or possessed.

From 6 a.m. until 12 p.m. (noon) on the first Saturday in June:

- Fishing is restricted to youths under 16 years old;
- No bait or lure restriction;
- No size limit restriction;
- Seven (7) trout per day creel limit.

From 12 p.m. (noon) on the first Saturday in June until Sept. 30:

- Fishing open to all anglers;
- No bait or lure restriction;
- No size limit restriction;
- Seven (7) trout per day creel limit.



For more information about fishing in Swain County, visit GreatSmokiesFishing.com

