

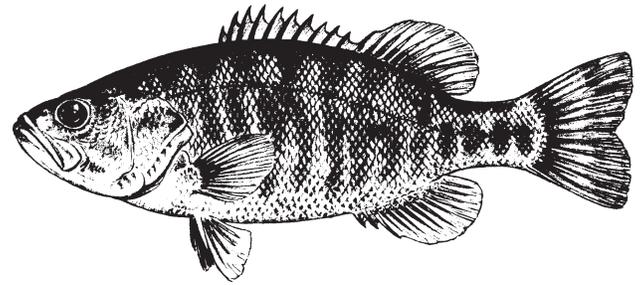


TWRA: THE COST Of Managing Wildlife And Habitat



Across the Board, Expenses Have Exploded Over the Last 10 Years

2004	2014	INCREASE
Fish Food (crumbled) 60¢ per pound	\$1 per pound	67%
Fish Food (pellet) 35¢ per pound	63¢ per pound	80%
Fertilizer (10-10-10) \$8.50 per 50 lbs.	\$15 per 50 lbs.	76%
Seed Corn \$78 per 50 lbs.	\$172 per 50 lbs.	121%
Grain Sorghum Seed \$20 per 50 lbs.	\$50 per 50 lbs.	150%
Clover Seed \$150 per 50 lbs.	\$216 per 50 lbs.	44%
Wheat Seed (feed grade) \$4.30 per 50 lbs.	\$7 per 50 lbs.	63%
Farm Diesel \$1.60 per gallon	\$2.77 per gallon	58%
Outboard Motors (200 HP, 2-stroke) \$9,000	\$11,000	22%
Fully-rigged patrol boat \$35,000	\$68,000	94%
Fully-rigged LE Vehicle \$25,750	\$39,200	52%
Basic law enforcement training \$2,000	\$3,000	50%



Consumer Products Prices Have Increased Over the Last 10 Years

2004	2014	INCREASE
Average cost of new car \$21,000	\$31,350	49%
Loaf of bread \$1.05	\$1.98	89%
Pound of hamburger meat \$2.03	\$4.68	131%
Dozen eggs 93¢	\$2.00	115%
Gallon of milk \$3.00	\$3.44	15%
Gallon of gas \$1.98	\$3.30	60%

