







# Wisconsin and Walleye



*a great combination just got better*

## The Wisconsin Walleye Initiative

-  \$8.2 million in existing unencumbered bonding authority to expand hatchery capacities.
-  \$1.8 million for operating costs over the biennium.
-  \$2 million over the biennium for a competitive grant program for private organizations to expand walleye production and to cover operational costs.
-  \$160,000 in one-time funds for the UW Extension to continue their work with private aquaculture through the end of Fiscal Year 2014.
-  \$500,000 annually beginning in Fiscal Year 2015 to contract with organizations to acquire additional walleye fingerlings.
-  \$250,000 annually to expand the summer Tribal Youth Program. The program is a state-tribal partnership giving high school-aged tribal youth the opportunity to work on natural resource-related projects.



For more details, go to [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov)  
and search "walleye"

