How To Use Your Passport

This passport is your personal record of the finfish and shellfish you've caught in California. The passport gives you a place to record catches of the most popular species in California, and any others you may catch along the way (see page 56).

Follow the instructions below to properly record your landings of each species. To qualify for angler recognition awards, be sure to have a witness sign your passport (or take a photo of the catch), and have a stamping agent stamp each species entry.

Check the 'yes' box if you released the fish alive and in good health. Check the 'no' box if you kept the fish.

After you have filled out all of the information and a witness has signed the entry (or the fish has been identified through a photo or first-hand examination), the stamping agent will stamp your passport here.

Spotted Bass

Catch-and-release?

Yes ☐ *No* ☐

Date of catch _____

Location of catch _____

Witness signature _____

_____

place stamp here

Record any additional information here.

Have the person who witnessed your catch sign here.

Record the location where you caught the finfish or shellfish here.

Record the date you caught the finfish or shellfish here.