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I use the foam preformed popper bodies they sell anywhere you buy tying stuff. I use the same straight shaft hooks I tie my clousers and other saltwater flies with. Just put the hook in the groove and zap a gap (super glue) it. I found (at the chick junk jewelry store in the mall) some dollar a bottle nail polishes and clear coat. Some are cool like the black with glitter and the white pearly stuff. I use stick on eyes and sharpies for spot and gills or whatever. Some I tie with the popper part backwards and they become "sliders". They don;t make the big splash and pop regular ones do but then shoot under the surface and then float to the top...instead of snort pops they travel a little further before they come back up...these are deadly. I use whatever saddles I have or the fat parts of hackle capes (stuff I wouldn't use for anything else. I'll see if I can get you some picks in the next day or two. I had fun tying mine. The bass seem to love them...I wanted to get something on them at the beach last summer (I tied them in july for an august trip) but no luck. I'd like to try them this spring for pike.