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Re: Who owns the trout?

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pcray1231 wrote:

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No one owns the wild natural reproducing fish, they are free just like we are.

We as the people have agreed to give the government (state, local, commonwealth, federal) the ability to govern how the fish (and we) are treated.

This doesn't make any sense whatsoever. If we don't own them, then we have no authority to annoint anyone the power to manage them.

We arent giving government the power to manage them, we are giving the government the power to manage **US**.

No law that is ever written will change what a fish does in the water. it simply follows the rules of nature - it swims, it eats, it poops, it reproduces and it dies. We as "intelligent" social beings have created our own laws beyond that of nature. The law of nature says we have to eat, our law says we can't eat certain fish under a certain size in a certain time of the year from a certain body of water.

Why? because as a society we chose to be governed by a group of people to make decisions for us and we obey those decisions through choice or force.

The laws influence us, and we in turn influence the fish.