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A 10' 7 wt is ideal for steelhead fishing. The 10' rod gives you more reach and greater line control permitting longer drag free drifts. I would say any rod from 6-8 wt would work. You may feel under gunned with a 6 wt and a hot fish running for the lake, but it can be done. I would want at least a 9' rod. I use a 10' 7 wt when I fish a single hand rod for steelhead. I hope that helps.