

CLEAN, DRAIN, AND DRY

STOP

INVASIVE AQUATIC MUSSELS



QUAGGA MUSSEL



ZEBRA MUSSEL

Unwanted plants and animals can ruin our favorite fishing and boating waters.

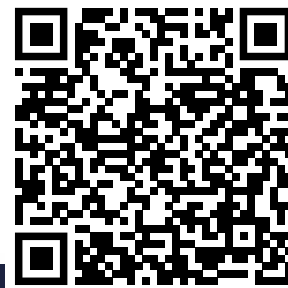


UPDATE:

Harmful quagga mussels have been found in Lake Skinner, Lake Mead, Lake Havasu, Castaic Lake and Pyramid Lake. Take appropriate steps to prevent aquatic hitchhikers.

- Remove any visible mud, plants, fish or animals.
- Drain water from your boat, trailer, tackle and gear before leaving the area.
- Clean and dry anything that came in contact with water (boats, trailers, equipment, clothing).
- Never release plants, fish or animals into a body of water unless they came out of that body of water.
- Consider more aggressive cleaning of your boat if it has been at a lake with known nuisance species.

Check the status of a lake at the CA Dept. of Fish and Wildlife at <https://bit.ly/3Yex9ce> Or scan the QR code.



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