

# **Policy on Funding Research Publication**

**Primary responsibility** for reporting the results of research projects funded, in part or in full, by the Great Lakes Fishery Trust rests with the principal investigator(s). Investigators are encouraged to seek publication of project results in the relevant professional journals and in related media, such as trade journals, magazines, and newspapers.

### PROJECTS PREVIOUSLY FUNDED BY THE GLFT

For projects that have received GLFT funding, the GLFT will reimburse publications costs up to \$2,500. All publications resulting from GLFT funding must include the required acknowledgement of GLFT support.

#### Process for Reimbursement

The principal investigator must submit a request for publication costs prior to publication of the article for advance approval. The request must include:

- 1. The name of the publication(s)
- 2. The number of copies that will be made available for distribution
- 3. The costs of publication (e.g., reprint and page charges)

After publication, the principal investigator submits an invoice to the GLFT detailing the actual costs of publication. The invoice will be reimbursed by the GLFT up to the pre-approved amount.

## PROJECTS NOT PREVIOUSLY FUNDED BY THE GLFT

Projects that have not received GLFT funds are not eligible for publication funding support.

The Great Lakes Fishery Trust (GLFT) reserves the right to require policies more stringent than those outlined above on a case-by-case basis.

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