MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND PARKS FISHERIES DIVISION JOB PROGRESS REPORT

STATE: Montana PROJECT NO. F-46-R-5

PROJECT TITLE: Statewide Fisheries Investigations JOB NO. VI-c

STUDY TITLE: <u>Statewide Survey and Investigations</u>
JOB TITLE: <u>General Population Fishing Survey</u>

PERIOD COVERED: July 1, 1991 through June 30, 1992

OBJECTIVES AND DEGREE OF ATTAINMENT

1. To develop information about general population attitudes about sport fishing in Montana and assess factors contributing to the quality of cold and warm water fishing. This information will be used in federal, state and department level planning.

A survey plan and survey form was developed to assess the attitudes of the general population. The actual survey was delayed to allow its integration into the overall department strategic planning process. The survey is scheduled to take place in the fall of 1992.

Experienced survey personnel will conduct a telephone survey on a statewide basis. A final analysis and report of the data will be prepared following the survey.

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