

PROTECT MANITOBA'S WATERS AND RESOURCES

# STOP AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES

**CLEAN, DRAIN, DRY AND DISPOSE.  
IT'S THE LAW!**

Examples of offences and set fine amounts for individuals are below:

<b>AIS Offences Under The Water Protection Act</b>	<b>Fine amount</b>
Failure to remove the drain plug or valve when transporting watercraft overland (with the exception of plugs used in onboard kitchen or washroom facilities)	\$237
Failure to drain the water from water-related equipment before leaving the shore of the water body	
Failure to be free of AIS (Zebra Mussels), aquatic plant and water prior to launching into a water body	\$486
Failure to stop at a manned Watercraft Inspection Station	\$672
Failure to put remaining bait that was used in an AIS Control Zone in the trash before leaving the shore of the water body (e.g. The Saskatchewan River)	\$672
Possessing an aquatic invasive species in Manitoba	\$1,296
Failure to ensure water-related equipment is dried completely (or decontaminated) before placing into another water body	
Depositing or releasing an aquatic invasive species into Manitoba	\$2,542
Failure to decontaminate watercraft or water-related equipment used in an AIS Control Zone prior to placing the equipment into another water body	

\*Modified from Manitoba Government Website