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## Ice fishing huts available to rent on Interior lakes

(Fairbanks, AK) – Chill out and catch fish at an Alaska State Parks-managed ice fishing hut this winter!

The Alaska State Parks Fairbanks area office has eight ice fishing huts available for rent. Five huts are at Birch Lake near mile 305.5 of the Richardson Highway and three huts are at Quartz Lake near mile 277.8 of the Richardson Highway. They rent for \$20 per day and can be reserved online at <a href="http://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/cabins/icehuts">http://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/cabins/icehuts</a>. To make reservations in person or phone, visit the DNR Public Information Center at 3700 Airport Way in Fairbanks or call the center at 451-2705.

The ice fishing huts, constructed by the Department of Fish and Game, measure eight feet by twelve feet. They each have a wood burning stove and four fishing holes. All other equipment and supplies must be provided by the user. Suggested items to bring include an ice auger and/or spud bar, stools or seats, a lantern or flashlight, a shovel, firewood (one-foot lengths), matches, fishing tackle and bait.

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