Wisconsin Baitfish and Sportfish

Wisconsin producers spend an estimated $2.6 million per year on regulatory compliance. This breaks down to an average cost of $379,629/farm, or $14,105/acre.

On average Wisconsin producers are faced with 17 permit and license renewals per year. Some report in excess of 35 annual renewals.

Regulations account for about 37% of farm costs.

Permits and licenses account for <1% of regulatory costs. Over 99% of costs are indirect costs of compliance.