

Ballinrobe & District Trout Anglers Association

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Public Consultation - Pike Management in Brown Trout Fisheries

We in Ballinrobe & District Trout Anglers Assoc. have Cushlough on the shores of Lough Mask as our HQ and also fish Lough Carra, both of whom have a plentiful supply of wild brown trout. This is due in no small way to the policies of IFI especially the culling and transfer of pike to other lakes which are more associated with this species. As a club we host numerous national and international competitions under the auspices of the IFTA and other bodies and provide Guides for angling tourists. We are fully aware of the culling and predator control aspect of IFI work on both lakes and are fully in support of this policy. We strongly urge that this aspect of IFI operation be continued so that we may continue to have the best wild brown trout fly angling on offer.

Yours Sincerely, On behalf of 110 members,  
Kevin Beattie Chairman  
Ge -rry Moran Secretary