

DOCKS

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) allows docks on property you own if it meets the following criteria.

The structure:

- Is no more than 8 feet wide,
- Is no longer than needed to reach navigable waters,
- Is not a hazard to navigation, health or safety,
- Will allow free flowing water beneath it,
- Is not intended to be used as a marina, and
- Is consistent with local zoning regulations.

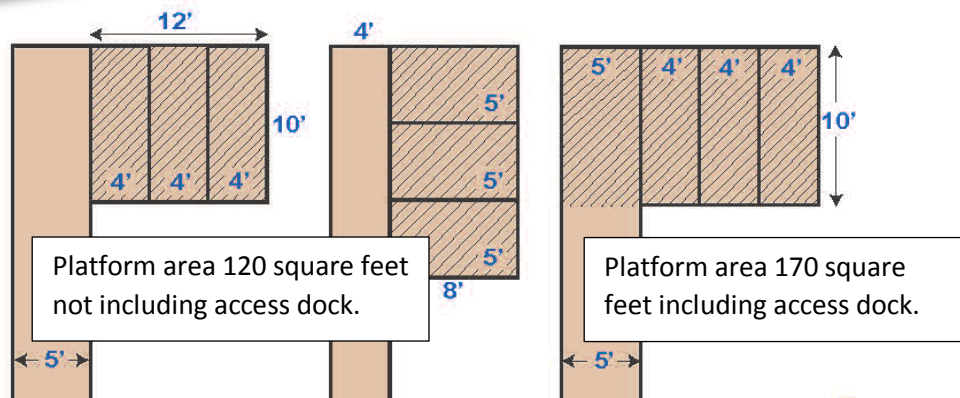
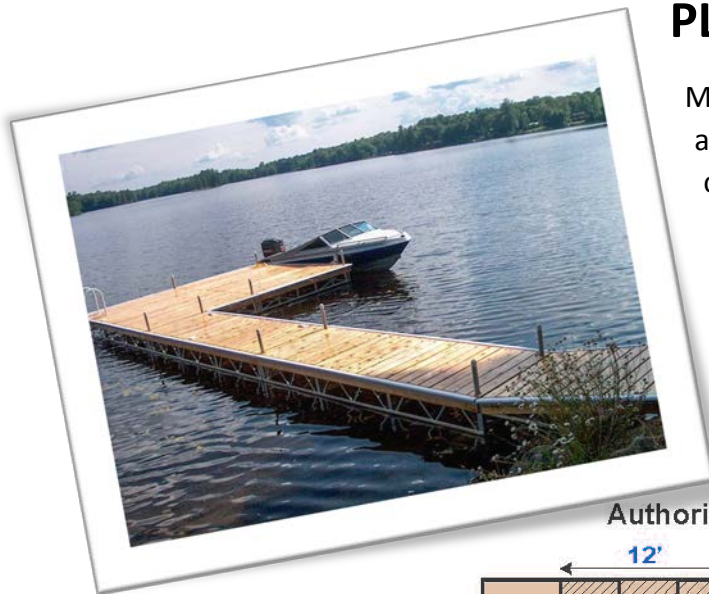


PLATFORMS

Modest platforms at the lake-end of a dock are allowed under certain conditions. The platform cannot be more than 120 square feet measured separately from the access dock or 170 square feet including the adjacent access dock.

Oversized dock platforms will be subject enforcement action by the DNR. You will be required to reconfigure your dock to meet regulations and you may face fines.

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