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MDMR certifies youth fish record for January

BILOXI, Miss. – The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources certified a youth state fishing record using conventional tackle for the month of January.

Margaret Schindler, 14, of Diamondhead set the record for Silver Perch (*Bairdiella chrysoura*) with a fish weighing 3.2 ounces.

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Margaret Schindler with Silver Perch

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