

Chapter NR 10

GAME AND HUNTING

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(ss. 29.085 and 29.174, Stats.)

NR 10.001 Definitions. (1) "Antlerless deer" means any deer without antlers or with an antler less than 3 inches in length.

(2) For the purposes of this chapter, "bait" means honey and any solid or nonliquid material attractive to wildlife.

(3) "Bearded turkey" means a turkey with a bristle-like appendage protruding from the upper part of the breast.

(4) "Bow" means any bow, drawn and held by and through the effort of the person releasing it, but does not include crossbow.

(5) "Buck deer" means any deer with an antler not less than 3 inches in length.

(6) "Crossbow" means any device using a bow which, once drawn, is held solely by means other than the effort of the person firing it.

(7) "Daily bag limit" means the maximum number of a game species which may be reduced to a person's possession in one day.

(8) "Department" means the department of natural resources.

(9) For the purposes of ss. 29.224 (2), 29.56, 29.565 (2), 29.57 (4) and 350.06, Stats., "enclosed within a carrying case" for firearms means completely contained in a gun case expressly made for that purpose which is fully enclosed by being zipped, snapped, buckled, tied, or otherwise fastened, with no portion of the firearm exposed.

Note: Subsection (9) does not remove the requirement of ss. 29.224 and 350.06, Stats., to enclose bows or crossbows in carrying cases. The rule does not apply to bows or crossbows only because the natural resources board recognizes that certain designed bow cases may allow portions of the bow, for instance the handle, to be exposed and yet still render the bow inoperable.

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(10) "Firearm season" means an open season for hunting with any of the following firearms loaded with a single slug or ball: rifle, muzzle-loader, shotgun or handgun for deer hunting described in s. NR 10.09 (1) (c) 1. c..

(11) "Goose zones and areas" means those established in s. NR 10.01 (1) (i) through (t).

(12) For the purpose of hunting bear:

(a) "Hunter" means any person shooting, shooting at, taking, catching, killing or pursuing a bear and any person who aids, assists, abets or acts in concert with such a person in the pursuit of the bear whether or not such person possesses a weapon or other means capable of reducing a bear to possession.

(b) "Pursuit" means the activity by a person or persons in concert designed or for the purpose of overtaking and reducing a bear to possession.

(13) "Liquid" means a substance, neither solid or gaseous, that flows freely and takes the shape of its container at a temperature of 70°F.

(14) "Liquid scent" means any nonsolid material except honey.

(15) "Migratory game birds" means any bird which is migratory and on which an open season has been prescribed in this chapter and belonging to one of the following families:

(a) *Anatidae* (wild ducks, geese and brant),

(b) *Rallidae* (rails, coots and gallinules),

(c) *Scelopacidae* (woodcock and Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)).

(16) "Molest" means any activity which results in physical damage or destruction of an object.

(17) For the purpose of hunting deer and bear, "muzzle-loader" means any smoothbore muzzle-loading firearm of not less than .45 caliber and any rifled muzzle-loading firearm of not less than .40 caliber, discharged from the shoulder.

(18) For the purpose of hunting wild animals other than deer and bear, "muzzle-loader" means any caliber of any muzzle-loading firearm discharged from the shoulder.

(19) "Non-toxic shot" means steel shot.

(20) "Open water" means any water beyond a natural growth of vegetation rooted to the bottom and extending above the water surface of such height as to offer whole or partial concealment for the hunter. Dead stumps and dead trees in water do not constitute a natural growth of vegetation.

(21) "Permanent abode" means a person's principal or ordinary home or dwelling place as distinguished from a temporary abode.

(22) "Possession limit" means the maximum number of a game species which may be reduced to a person's possession in 2 days or more.

(23) "Preservation facility" means any permanent abode, cold storage facility, locker plant, taxidermy establishment, hunting club or place of business which receives or possesses any game belonging to another person for the purposes of picking, cleaning, freezing, processing, storage or shipment.

(24) "Shotgun season" means an open season for hunting with either of the following firearms loaded with a single slug or ball: muzzle-loader or shotgun.

(25) "Sight exposed bait" means any bait which can be seen from above the bait.

(26) "Temporary abode" means a transient place of abode or dwelling such as a hunting club, or any clubhouse, cabin, tent, or trailer used as a hunting club, or any hotel, motel or roominghouse used during a hunting trip.

(27) "Unforked antler" means a polished antler consisting of a single spike without branches or tines.

(28) "Water" in non-toxic shot zones means lakes, ponds, marshes, swamps, rivers, streams, and drainage ditches except for temporary sheet water. All county boundary waters and lakes partially within a non-toxic shot zone are totally included except the open water of Green Bay and Lake Michigan and the Wisconsin river outside Columbia county.

(29) "Water set" means any trap which is set or staked in such a manner as to permit the trap or trapped animal to reach water at any point.

(30) "Waterfowl" means any migratory game bird of the family *Anatidae* including wild ducks, geese and brant.

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NR 10.01 Open and closed seasons. A closed season is established year-round for each species of wild animal named in this section, except during the specified open season. Seasons open to legal hunting and trapping apply to the entire locality described, except as otherwise provided in chs. NR 11 and 15. Whenever open and closed season areas are defined by highways, the boundary shall be the highway center line.

## (1) MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS.

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
(a) <i>Canvasback duck</i>	All that part of the state lying west of the Burlington Northern railway and extending north from lock and dam 9 in Crawford county to the center line of the Chippewa river	None	None	None
(b) <i>All species of wild duck except as provided in par. (a)</i>	1. Entire state	As established by zone	The daily bag limit is reached when the last bird taken plus the total value of birds already taken during that day equals or exceeds 100 points	Double the daily bag limit through the entire open season, except opening day when it is the same as the daily bag limit.
	2. North zone - All that part of Wisconsin lying north of a line beginning at the junction of the center line of the western state boundary on the Mississippi river and the center line of the Chippewa river, then north on the center line of the Chippewa river to its junction with state highway 35, then east on highway 35 to its junction with state highway 25, then north on highway 25 to its junction with U.S. highway 10, then east on U.S. highway 10 to its junction with the Manitowoc harbor in the city of Manitowoc, then east to the eastern state boundary in Lake Michigan	Oct. 1 at 12:00 noon - Oct. 7	Point values - 100 points: canvasback, black duck and hen mallard  70 points: red-head, wood duck, hooded merganser and drake mallard  25 points: ring-neck, ruddy duck, goldeneye, bufflehead, pintail, gadwall, shoveler, all other mergansers, and all other ducks not specifically listed  10 points: scaup, blue-winged teal, green-winged teal and wigeon	
		Oct. 8 - Nov. 19	Point values - 100 points: canvasback and black duck  70 points: red-head, hen mallard, wood duck and hooded merganser	

2. Permit application procedures. Application forms supplied by the department shall be completed and submitted by the applicant. Applications shall be postmarked no later than September 15 of each year.

a. It shall be unlawful for any person to submit more than one application per year or an application containing false information.

b. In the Horicon and Central zones, applicants may indicate preference for the following seasons as established in par. (g):

1) Horicon zone Oct. 13-Oct. 25, or;

2) Horicon zone Oct. 26-Nov. 6, or;

3) Central zone Oct. 13-Nov. 6.

c. If 2 or more persons wish to hunt together, each must fill out an application form and submit them together in one envelope clearly marked "group application" on the outside. A group application will be considered one application.

3. Permit and tag issuance procedures. a. Permits and tags are not transferable or replaceable and shall not be reused, altered or defaced.

b. If applications for permits postmarked no later than September 15 exceed the number of permits available, successful applicants will be randomly selected and priority given to persons who applied for a permit but were unsuccessful the previous year under s. 29.174, Stats.

5. Permit quota. The department shall issue the following numbers of Canada goose permits for the 1984 hunting season:

a. Horicon zone—13,300.

b. Central zone—16,800.

6. Tagging requirements. When a Canada goose is killed, captured or taken in any lawful manner and before it is carried by hand or transported in any manner the hunter shall:

a. Completely attach and seal the paper tag, utilizing its own adhesive, to the neck of the goose.

b. Validate the permit by tearing or cutting out notches on the tag designating the month, day and time of kill. Failure to follow the validation procedure in this manner invalidates the permit.

c. No person may possess or transport a Canada goose unless it is tagged with a validated tag.

7. Transportation restrictions. The hunter shall:

a. Transport the goose in a motor vehicle in such a manner that the tag attached to the goose cannot be handled or manipulated by any occupant of the vehicle.

b. Keep the tag attached to the goose until it reaches the personal abode of the person taking it.

8. Reporting requirements. Permit holders may be required to provide the department a goose hunting report. Such report forms will be mailed

only to certain hunters. The selected hunter shall be required to complete the report and mail such report within 24 hours of receipt.

(m) The following described area is established as the Burnett county zone:

All that part of Burnett county lying northerly and westerly of a line beginning at the junction with state highway 70 with the west boundary of said county, thence easterly along said highway to its junction with county highway N, thence northerly along said highway to its junction with county highway D, thence northerly along said highway and continuing northerly along a town road to the south line of section 16, township 39 north, range 17 west, town of Lincoln, thence westerly along a town road to the southwest corner of said section, thence northerly along a town road on the west line of said section and continuing northerly along the west line of section 9, township 39 north, range 17 west to the west bank of the Clam river, thence westerly along the west bank of said river to its intersection with the west boundary of said county.

(n) The following described area is established as the Brown county zone: The Brown county portion of Green Bay waters lying east of the ship channel and all that part of Brown county lying south and east of a line formed by state highway 29 in western Brown county and the center line of the Fox river.

(o) The following described area is established as the New Auburn zone: All those parts of Chippewa, Barron and Rusk counties enclosed by a line beginning at the intersection of state highway 40 and state highway 64 in Chippewa county, thence westerly on said highway 64 to its intersection with U.S. highway 53, thence northerly on said highway 53 to its intersection with county highway D in Barron county, thence easterly on said highway D to its intersection with state highway 40 in Rusk county, thence southerly on said highway 40 to the point of beginning.

(p) The following described area is established as the Rock Prairie zone: All those part of Rock and Walworth counties enclosed by a line beginning at the intersection of interstate 90 and the Illinois state line in Rock county, thence northerly on said interstate 90 to its intersection with county highway A, thence easterly on said highway A to the intersection with U.S. highway 12, thence southerly on said highway 12 to its intersection with state highway 50, thence southwesterly on said highway 50 to its intersection with state highway 120, thence southerly on said highway 120 to its intersection with the Illinois state line, thence westerly to the point of beginning.

(q) The following described area is established as the MVP (Mississippi valley population) goose management area: Adams, Calumet, Dane, Jefferson, Juneau, Manitowoc, Rock, Sauk, Sheboygan, Walworth, Washington, except that portion described in par. (j), Waukesha, Waushara, and Wood counties and the waters of Lake Winnebago in Fond du Lac and Winnebago counties.

(r) MVP goose management area restrictions. 1. Canada goose permit requirement. It is unlawful to hunt or possess Canada geese without being in possession of a Canada goose hunting permit and valid state hunting license.

2. Permit application procedures. The application portion of the form supplied by the department shall be completed and submitted to the department by the applicant prior to hunting Canada geese. The self-completed permit portion of the application shall be retained by the applicant.

3. Permit procedures. The self-completed permit is not transferable and may not be altered or defaced.

4. Reporting requirements. Permit holders may be required to provide to the department a goose hunting report. Such report forms will be mailed only to selected hunters. The selected hunter shall be required to complete and mail the report within 24 hours of receipt.

(s) The following described area is established as the Mississippi river zone: All that part of the state lying west of the Burlington Northern railway and extending southerly from Prescott in Pierce county to the state line.

(t) The following described area is established as the Theresa zone: All that part of Dodge, Fond du Lac and Washington counties enclosed by a line beginning at the intersection of U.S. highway 45 and state highway 67, then south on U.S. highway 45 to its intersection with state highway 33, then west on state highway 33 to its intersection with state highway 175, then north on state highway 175 to its intersection with state highway 67, then west on state highway 67 to its intersection with county highway AY, then north on county highway AY and continuing north on county highway Y to its intersection with county highway H, then east on county highway H and continuing east on state highway 67 to the point of beginning.

(tm) Theresa goose management zone restrictions. 1. Canada goose permit and tag requirement. No person may hunt or possess Canada geese without possessing a Canada goose hunting permit, Canada goose carcass tags and valid state hunting license. Permits and tags are valid only in the zone of issue.

2. Permit application procedures. Application forms supplied by the department shall be completed in person by each applicant at the department station located adjoining the village of Theresa Station. Department station hours are 9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M., October 8-12 and 5:30 A.M.-3:00 P.M. October 13 through season close. Persons receiving a Horicon or Central zone permit are not eligible for a Theresa zone permit.

3. Permit issuance procedures. All eligible applicants shall receive a Theresa zone hunting permit and 2 carcass tags. Upon killing and tagging 2 geese in the Theresa zone, each hunter may receive 2 additional carcass tags from the department station located adjoining the village of Theresa station. Permits and tags are not transferable or replaceable and shall not be reused, altered or defaced.

4. Tagging, transportation and reporting requirements. As established by par. (k)6. through 8.

5. Registration requirements. Each Canada goose killed in the Theresa zone shall be registered at the department station adjoining Theresa Station no later than 3:00 p.m. of the day killed.

(u) *Falconry special season.* Any person possessing a valid falconry permit and hunting license shall be restricted to the following migratory game bird seasons:

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
1. All species of wild duck except as provided in par. (a), mergansers and coots	Entire state	Oct. 1 at 12:00 noon — Jan. 15	3	6
2. Gallinules, Sora rail, Virginia rail, common snipe and woodcock	Entire state	Sept. 1 — Dec. 16	3	6

## (2) GAME BIRDS

### (a) Ruffed grouse (partridge)

1. All that part of Wisconsin lying south of a line beginning at the junction of state highway 64 and the west boundary of St. Croix county, then east on highway 64 to its intersection with U.S. highway 45, then southeasterly on highway 45 to its intersection with U.S. highway 10, then east on highway 10 and continuing east to the junction with the east boundary of the state.
 

	Beginning on the Saturday nearest September 15 and continuing through January 31	Daily bag 5; possession 10
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2. Remainder of the state
 

	Beginning on the Saturday nearest September 15 and continuing through December 31	Daily bag 5; possession 10
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### (b) Sharp-tailed grouse

1. All that part of Wisconsin lying north of a line beginning at the junction of state highway 64 and the west boundary of the state, then east along highway 64 to its junction with state highway 13, then south along highway 13 to its junction with state highway 29, then east along highway 29 ending in the city of Green Bay, except in the areas described in subds. 2. and 3.
 

	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 and continuing for 23 consecutive days	Daily bag 3; possession 6
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2. Florence, Langlade and Marinette counties through 1987
 

	None	None
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3. All that part of Price county enclosed by a line beginning at the intersection of state highway 70 and county highway F, then south on county highway F to its junction with Fleming's Rapids Road, then south on Fleming's Rapids Road to its junction with county highway W, then west on county highway W to its junction with Price Lakes Road, then north on Price Lakes Road to its junction with state highway 70, then east on state highway 70 to the point of beginning
 

	None	None
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4. Remainder of the state
 

	None	None
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Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
(c) Pheasants		
1. Cocks only — In all counties of the state except the properties specified in subd. 2 and s. NR 10.24	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing for 54 consecutive days	The bag limit for the first 14 days of the season is one each day with a possession limit of 2; thereafter the bag limit is 2 each day with a possession limit of 4
2. Cocks and hens — Within the following named properties as posted with department signs: a. Avoca (Iowa county) b. Blackhawk (Iowa county) c. Collins (Manitowoc county) d. Holland (Brown county)  e. Little Scarboro and Kewaunee (Kewaunee county) f. Mazomanie (Dane county) g. New Munster (Kenoshā county) h. Pine River (Richland county) i. Theresa (Dodge-Washington counties) j. Witwen (Sauk county) k. Yellowstone (Lafayette county)	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing for 54 consecutive days	The bag limit for the first 14 days of the season is one each day with a possession limit of 2; thereafter the bag limit is 2 each day with a possession limit of 4

3. Permit and tag requirement. No person may hunt cock or hen pheasants within the posted areas established in subd. 2, without possessing a current pheasant hunting permit decal, pheasant tags and valid Wisconsin hunting license. Permits and tags are valid only for the year of issue.

4. Permit application procedure. Application forms supplied by the department shall be completed and submitted by the applicant. No person may submit more than one application per year or an application containing false information.

5. Permit and tag issuance procedure. Permits and tags are not transferable or replaceable and may not be reused, altered or defaced. The department shall issue a numbered pheasant hunting permit and 10 tags to each applicant.

6. Permit validation. The numbered pheasant hunting permit decal shall be attached to the applicant's current year Wisconsin hunting license to be valid for use as described in this paragraph. Failure to follow the validation procedure invalidates the permit and tags.

7. Tagging requirement. When a cock or hen pheasant is killed on any lands described in subd. 2 and before it is carried by hand or transported in any manner, the hunter shall completely attach and seal the carcass tag, utilizing its own adhesive, around the leg of the pheasant.

Note: Special rules for the Bong state recreation area are established in s. NR 10.24.

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
(d) Hungarian partridge		
In all counties of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing for 54 consecutive days.	Daily bag 3; possession 6
(e) Bobwhite quail		
In all counties of the state	Beginning on Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing for 54 consecutive days	Daily bag 5; possession 10
(f) Wild turkey		
1. Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9 and 10 as described in s. NR 10.29 are open zones. Zones 6, 7 and 8 are closed zones.	Beginning on the Thursday nearest April 21 and continuing Thursday through Monday for 3 consecutive time periods shown in subd. 2.	One male or bearded turkey per season by permit.

2. Hunting zones and 1986 permits:

Hunting Zones	Permits for April 24-28	Permits for May 1-5	Permits for May 8-12
1	150	150	150
2	175	175	175
3	150	150	150
4	150	150	150
5	100	100	100
6	None	None	None
7	None	None	None
8	None	None	None
9	100	100	100
10	150	150	150
In all other parts of the state	None	None	None

(3) UPLAND GAME ANIMALS

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
(a) Gray and fox squirrels		
In all counties of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest September 15 and continuing through January 31	Daily bag (total of both species) 5; possession 10
(b) Raccoon (resident hunting and trapping)		
In all counties of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 and continuing through January 31.	None
(bm) Raccoon (nonresident hunting)		
In all counties of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest November 1 and continuing through January 31.	None

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
<b>(c) Cottontail, jackrabbit and snowshoe hare</b>		
1. Snowshoe hare in all counties of the state	All year	None
2. Cottontail		
a. All that part of Wisconsin lying north of U. S. highway 10 from Prescott to Waupaca and state highway 54 from Waupaca to Algoma	Beginning on the Saturday nearest September 15 and continuing through February 28	Daily bag 3; possession 6
b. In all other parts of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing through February 28	Daily bag 3; possession 6
c. In addition, there shall be an open season for hunting cottontails, except with the use of firearms, in Milwaukee county	All year	None
3. Jackrabbit		
In all counties of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing through November 15	Daily bag 3; possession 6
<b>(d) Bobcat (wildcat; hunting and trapping)</b>		
1. All that part of Wisconsin north of state highway 64	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 and continuing through December 31	One per season by permit
2. Remainder of the state	None	None
<b>(e) Deer gun season</b>		
1. ZONE "A"		
In all portions of the state not otherwise listed in season zones "B" through "G".		
a. In the counties or parts of counties of Brown, Calumet, Chippewa (south of state highway 64 and west of U.S. highway 63), Dodge (north of state highway 60), Door (Washington, Detroit, Plum and Rock islands), Dunn (south of state highway 64), Fond du Lac, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Outagamie, Ozaukee (north of state highway 60 and county highway Q), Pepin (north of U.S. highway 10), St. Croix (south of state highway 64), Sheboygan, Shawano (south of state highway 29), Washington (north of state highway 60), Waupaca, and Winnebago.	Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	One buck deer per season or hunter's choice permit limit.
b. All that part of Dane county west of state highway 78 and north of U.S. highway 18	Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	With an antlerless deer permit issued under s. NR 10.115 (3), one antlerless deer per permit per season. Without an antlerless deer permit, one buck deer per season.

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
c. Deer management units 67A, 70, 70A (except Dane county), 70B, 70E and 71 as described in s. NR 10.28	Firearm season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	With an antlerless deer permit issued under s. NR 10.116 (3), one antlerless deer per permit per season. Without an antlerless deer permit, one buck deer per season.
d. All that part of Buffalo county north of U.S. highway 10	Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 2 consecutive days. Firearm season beginning on the day immediately after the season described above and continuing for 7 consecutive days	One buck deer per season or hunter's choice permit limit with shotgun or firearm
e. Deer management unit 79 except Long island	Muzzle-loading firearms season October 1-31	One deer per season, either sex
f. Deer management unit 82	Firearm season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	One buck deer with an unforked antler or hunter's choice permit limit
g. All other parts of Zone "A"	Firearm season beginning on the Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	One buck deer per season or hunter's choice permit limit
<b>2. ZONE "B"</b>		
The counties or parts of counties of Buffalo (south of U.S. highway 10), Crawford, Jackson (south of state highway 71 and the Black river), La Crosse, Monroe (south of state highway 71 and west of state highway 27), Pepin (south of U.S. highway 10), Pierce (south of U.S. highway 10), Trempealeau (west and south of state highways 93 and 121, and U. S. highways 10 and 53) and Vernon (west of U.S. highway 61 and state highway 27).		
a. In Vernon county west and north of state highway 27 and state highway 82	Firearm season Beginning on Saturday preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 2 consecutive days	One deer per season, either sex
	Beginning on the day immediately after the season described above and continuing for 7 consecutive days	One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
b. In the counties of Buffalo (south of U.S. highway 10), Jackson (south of state highway 71 and the Black river), La Crosse, Monroe (south of highway 71 and west of state highway 17), and Trempealeau (west and south of state highways 93 and 121, and U.S. highways 10 and 53).	Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 2 consecutive days	One deer per season either sex with shotguns
	Firearm season beginning on the day immediately after the season described above and continuing for 7 consecutive days	One buck deer per season with firearms
c. In the counties of Crawford and that part of Vernon south of state highway 82 and U.S. highway 61.	Firearm season beginning on Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 2 consecutive days.	One deer per season, either sex
d. All other parts of Zone "B"	Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 2 consecutive days	One deer per season, either sex
	Firearm season beginning on the day immediately after the season described above and continuing for 7 consecutive days	One buck deer per season
3. ZONE "C"		
The counties of Grant, Green, Lafayette and that part of Iowa south of U.S. highway 18		
a. In Grant county.	Firearm season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 3 consecutive days	One buck deer per season or hunter's choice permit limit
b. Green and Lafayette counties.	Shotgun season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 3 consecutive days	One buck deer per season or hunter's choice permit limit the first 3 days or one antlerless deer per season by permit the last 2 days
	Shotgun season beginning on the day immediately after the season described above and continuing for 2 consecutive days	

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
c. Iowa county south of U.S. highway 18.	Firearm season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 3 consecutive days	One buck deer per season or hunter's choice permit limit the first 3 days or one antlerless deer per season by permit the last 2 days
	Firearm season beginning on the day immediately after the season described above and continuing for 2 consecutive days	
4. ZONE "D"		
The counties of Dane (east of state highway 78 and south of U.S. highway 18), Dodge (south of state highway 60), Jefferson, Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee (south of state highway 60 and county highway Q), Racine, Rock, Walworth, Washington (south of highway 60) and Waukesha		
a. Milwaukee county	None	None
b. All other parts of Zone "D"		
<i>Shotgun season</i>	Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 5 consecutive days	One deer per season, either sex
6. ZONE "F"		
a. Governor Dodge and Blue Mound state parks in Iowa county and Perrot state park in Trempealeau county except areas posted as closed to hunting		
<i>Firearm season</i>	Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	One deer per season, either sex, taken under the authority of a valid, variable quota permit for management unit 61A (Perrot), 70C (Governor Dodge) and 70D (Blue Mound)
b. Blue Mound state park in Dane county		
<i>Shotgun season</i>	Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	One deer per season, either sex, taken under the authority of a valid, variable quota permit for management unit 70D
7. ZONE "G"		
Fort McCoy military reservation in Monroe county and Volk field military facility in Juneau county	Firearm, shotgun, muzzle-loader or handgun season as established by military permit approved by the department by August 1 annually	One deer per season by military permit

9. Deer quotas. a. Deer quotas are primarily based on the following considerations: the status of unit deer populations in relation to established population goals as determined by inventories, the past effect of varying antlerless harvest levels on unit deer populations gained from many years experience with the quota system, and the estimated impact of the previous winter's severity on deer survival and subsequent fawn production. The department shall issue party permits, antlerless permits or hunter's choice permits in sufficient numbers to assure maintenance of overwintering deer populations for each quota area indicated in subd. e.

b. Quota areas are composed of single management units or parts of units, the boundaries of which are established in s. NR 10.28.

c. In each quota area, the number of permits to be issued to harvest the desired numbers of deer shall be based on an average of the hunter success rates from the most recent 3 previous seasons or by an average of fewer seasons where a 3-year average is not available. In establishing a quota for an area without an adequate history of permits, the average success rates of similar quota areas shall be applied or the department shall estimate an anticipated success rate.

d. Permit success rates used to compute the number of permits to be issued for each quota shall be those calculated by the department from annual deer season harvest reports except where no previous history of success rates exist.

The success rate formula is:

$$\text{Success rate} = \frac{\text{Number of antlerless deer harvested}}{\text{Number permits issued}}$$

The permit number formula is:

$$\text{Permit number} = \frac{\text{Quota deer to be harvested}}{\text{Hunter success rate}}$$

e. Deer management units and overwinter population goals expressed in terms of deer per square mile of deer range are as follows:

Management Unit	Deer Goal	Management Unit	Deer Goal
1	15	41	20
2	20	42	20
3	10	43	15
4	15	44	15
5	20	45	20
6	10	46	20
7	10	47	20
8	20	48	20
9	20	49	25
10	25	50	15
11	20	51	20
12	15	52	20
13	15	53	30
14	15	54A	25
15	25	54B	25
16	25	54C	25
17	20	55	25
18	20	56	30
19	20	57A	25
20	20	57B	25
21	20	57C	25
22	20	58	25
23	20	59A	15
24	15	59B	15
25	25	59C	25
26	20	60	20
27	15	62A	25
28	10	62B	25
29A	15	63A	25
29B	15	63B	20
30	15	64	15
31	20	65	25
32	20	66	25
33	15	67	30
35	15	68	25
36	25	69	15
37	25	70	30
38	15	70A	30
39	15	70B	25
40	15	70E	25
		71	15
		72	15
		73	15
		75	10
		77A	10
		78	25
		80	15
		81	15

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
(em) Deer (Bow and arrow season)		
There shall be an open season for hunting deer with bow and arrow in all counties of the state	Beginning on the 3rd Saturday in September and continuing through the Sunday immediately prior to the opening of the deer gun season	One deer per season, either sex, except on Chambers island in Door county where the limit shall be one buck deer with an unforked antler or one antlerless deer.

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Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
<b>(d) Otter</b>		
1. North zone — All that part of Wisconsin north of state highway 64	Beginning on the first Saturday in December and continuing through the first Sunday in March	2 per season by permit
2. South zone — All that part of Wisconsin south of state highway 64	Beginning on the first Saturday in December and continuing through the first Sunday in March	One per season by permit

3. Exhibition required. Each person who has trapped an otter shall exhibit each pelt to an authorized department representative in the county in which the animal was trapped, or in the adjoining county, but within the area open to otter trapping, no later than 5 days after the close of the otter season.

4. Registration. The department representative shall inspect the pelt, attach and lock a registration tag to the head of all lawfully taken and possessed otter.

5. Possession and transfer restrictions. No person may: a. Take more than a total combined season bag limit of 2 otter.

b. Possess raw otter pelts beginning 6 days after the close of the otter season to the opening date of the following otter season without a registration tag attached to the head of the otter and locked.

c. Transfer, give, trade, sell or purchase any otter pelt without a registration tag being attached and locked to the head of each pelt.

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
<b>(dm) Fisher (trapping)</b>		
1. Management zone A - Units 2, 3, 5 and 9 as described in s. NR 10.28	December 1-11	One per season by permit
2. Management zone B - Units 7, 20, 28, 29A, 29B, 30 and 34 as described in s. NR 10.28	December 1-11	One per season by permit
3. Management zone C - Units 38, 40, 42, 43 and 44 as described in s. NR 10.28	December 1-11	One per season by permit
4. Remainder of the state - In all other parts of the state including the closed areas described in s. NR 11.10	None	None

(e) *Recording of fisher and otter.* 1. Tagging and permits. a. No person may trap or attempt to trap any fisher or otter unless having first applied for and received from the department a trapping permit and tag or tags authorizing such trapping.

b. Applications for permits and tags shall be received by the department no later than the first Friday in October each year.

c. If the number of applications for fisher permits exceeds the number available in subd. 2, successful applicants shall be determined by random selection.

d. The trapper shall attach the permit to his or her trapping license before trapping any fisher or otter.

e. Each permit shall be numbered to correspond to the applicant's current trapping license and show the applicant's name and tag numbers.

f. No person may apply for more than one fisher permit or one otter permit.

2. Permit quota. The department shall issue the following numbers of permits for the 1985 fisher trapping season:

a. Management zone A - 100.

b. Management zone B - 125.

c. Management zone C - 75.

3. Tagging procedure. a. Each person shall immediately upon possessing a fisher or an otter, attach and lock a valid tag, issued by the department, through the opening of the mouth to the opening of the eye, immediately beneath the skin.

b. No person may have a fisher or an otter pelt in possession or under control unless the person trapping the animal attaches the tag as required by this subdivision.

c. The tag shall remain attached to the pelt until removed by a fur dresser or taxidermist at time of preparation.

4. Fisher exhibition. Unless otherwise authorized by the department, each person who has trapped a fisher shall exhibit the pelt separated from the carcass along with the carcass to an authorized department representative in the management unit in which the animal was trapped, or in an adjoining unit, no later than 5 days after the close of the fisher season. The fisher carcass shall be retained by the department.

5. Otter exhibition. Each person who has trapped an otter shall exhibit each pelt to an authorized department representative in the county in which the animal was trapped, or in an adjoining county, but within the area open to otter trapping, no later than 5 days after the close of the otter season.

6. Registration. The department shall inspect the pelt, attach and lock a registration tag to the head of all lawfully taken and possessed fisher and otter.

7. Possession and transfer restrictions. No person may: a. Possess raw fisher or otter pelts later than 5 days after the close of the fisher and otter seasons to the opening date of the following fisher and otter seasons without a registration tag attached and locked to the head of the animal.

b. Transfer, give, trade, sell or purchase any fisher or otter pelt without a registration tag being attached and locked to the head of the pelt.

History: 1-2-56; am. (3) (g), Register, August, 1985, No. 356, eff. 9-1-85; r. and recr. (intro.), (1) (n), (2) (b), (3) (d) 2, c. and (3) (e) 7., am. (2) (f) 1. and 2., (3) (e) 2. Intro. and d. and 9. e., Register September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

Note: For a complete history of s. NR 10.01 from 1-2-56 through 11-30-73 see the history note following s. NR 10.01 published in November 1973, Register. For a complete history of s. NR 10.01 from 11-30-73 through 7-31-85 see the history note following s. NR 10.01 published in the July, 1985 Register.

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**NR 10.02 Protected wild animals.** The following wild animals are designated protected. No person may take, attempt to take, transport or possess any protected wild animal at any time unless expressly authorized by the department.

- (1) Cougar, badger, moose, elk, wolverine and flying squirrel.
- (2) Endangered or threatened species listed in ch. NR 27.
- (3) White deer (monocolored).
- (4) Woodchuck except as provided in s. 29.24, Stats.
- (5) Prairie chicken, Canada spruce grouse (spruce hen), mourning doves, swans, cranes, bitterns, plovers, kingfishers, cormorants, herons, sandpipers and grebes.
- (6) Eagles, hawks, falcons, and owls except as provided in ch. NR 18.
- (7) Hen pheasants except as expressly provided in this chapter.
- (8) Any other wild bird not specified in this chapter.

History: 1-2-56; am. (2), Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; am. (1), Register, August, 1957, No. 26, eff. 9-1-57; am. (1) and (2), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; am. (1) emerg. eff. 9-20-58; am. (1), Register, August, 1959, No. 44, eff. 9-1-59; am. (2), cr. (3), Register, September, 1965, No. 117, eff. 10-1-65; am. (2), Register, March, 1966, No. 123, eff. 4-1-66; am. (1), Register, August, 1967, No. 140, eff. 9-1-67; renum. to be NR 10.02; am. (2), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (1), Register, September, 1972, No. 201, eff. 10-1-72; r. (3), Register, December, 1977, No. 264, eff. 1-1-78; r. and recr. Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; am. (1), Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; am. (1), Register, July, 1985, No. 355, eff. 8-1-85; cr. (intro.) Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.03 Birds causing depredation.** (1) **APPLICATION.** The following named birds have been determined by the department to be birds committing depredation or about to commit depredation at all times to and upon ornamental or shade trees, agricultural crops, livestock or wildlife, and when concentrated in large numbers that they many constitute a health hazard or other nuisance:

- (a) Red-winged blackbirds.
- (b) Grackles.
- (c) Crows.
- (d) Cowbirds.

(2) **PERMITS.** Such birds may be taken at all times without need for either a federal or state permit.

(3) **INSPECTION OF PREMISES.** Any person taking such birds shall at all reasonable times, including during actual operation, permit any federal or state game law enforcement officer, free and unrestricted access on the premises over which such operations have been or are being conducted, and shall furnish promptly to such officer whatever information may be required about said operation.

(4) **DISPOSITION.** Birds killed pursuant to this subsection and their plumage shall not be sold or offered for sale.

History: 1-2-56; am. Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; am. Register, August, 1966, No. 126, eff. 9-1-66; r. and recr., Register, August, 1967, No. 140, eff. 9-1-67; renum. to be NR 10.03; r. (1), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; r. and recr. Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79.

**NR 10.04 Unprotected wild animals.** The following wild animals are designated unprotected. No closed season, bag limit, size limit or possession limit applies to these animals.

Note: A valid hunting or trapping license must be obtained before taking any unprotected animal by a gun discharged from the shoulder, handgun, pellet gun, bow and arrow, falconry, steel-jawed traps, Conibear traps or live traps. A department approval is required before any unprotected animal may be taken by any means not specified in this paragraph.

- (1) Opossum, skunk and weasel.
- (2) Starlings, English sparrows, coturnix quail and chukar partridge.
- (3) Any other wild animal not specified in this chapter.

History: 1-2-56; am. (1) Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57; am. (2), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; renum. to be NR 10.04; am. (1) and (2), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (1), Register, August, 1972, No. 200, eff. 9-1-72; r. and recr. Register, No. 251, eff. 12-1-76; r. and recr. Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; am. (1), Register, October, 1980, No. 293, eff. 11-1-80; cr. (Intro.), Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.05 Highways.** (1) While hunting it shall be unlawful except by permittees under s. 29.09 (9), Stats., to discharge any firearm or bow and arrow from or across any public road surfaced with concrete or blacktop or to hunt within 50 feet from the centerline of such roads or to the existing fence, whichever distance is shorter. Public roads are defined as those roads shown on the current official county highway map.

(2) It shall be unlawful to hunt waterfowl or coot from any public roads or railroads including the respective rights-of-way along or within the area described as the Horicon zone in s. NR 10.01 (1) (j).

History: 1-2-56; am. (1) and (2), Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; am. (1) and (2), Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57; r. (1) and (2) and recr. (1), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; cr. (2), Register, September, 1960, No. 57, eff. 10-1-60; cr. (3), Register, August, 1963, No. 92, eff. 9-1-63; r. and recr. (2), Register, September, 1966, No. 129, eff. 10-1-66; emerg. am. (2), eff. 9-1-67; emerg. am. (2), eff. 9-30-68; emerg. am. (2), eff. 8-30-69; am. (2), Register, November, 1969, No. 167, eff. 12-1-69; renum. to be NR 10.05; cr. (4) and (5), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; emerg. am. (2), eff. 9-19-73; emerg. am. (2), eff. 9-24-75; am. (2), Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 6-1-76; r. and recr. (1) am. (2) and r. (3), (4) and (5), Register, May, 1977, No. 257, eff. 6-1-77; am. (2), Register, February, 1978, No. 266, eff. 3-1-78; am. (1), Register, September, 1979, No. 285, eff. 10-1-79.

**NR 10.06 Hunting hours.** (1) All hunting hours, when specified in this chapter, mean Central Standard Time, and the daily opening (a.m.) and closing (p.m.) hours listed shall apply to the entire state.

(2) (a) General hunting hour zones are established as follows:

#### Zone

- A—all that part of the state lying east of 88°-00' longitude.
- B—all that part of the state lying between 88°-00' and 89°-00' long.
- C—all that part of the state lying between 89°-00' and 90°-00' long.
- D—all that part of the state lying between 90°-00' and 91°-00' long.
- E—all that part of the state lying between 91°-00' and 92°-00' long.
- F—all that part of the state lying west of 92°-00' longitude.

(b) The hunting hours for small game in Zone A are listed in the following table in par. (e). Hunting hours in Zone B are established by adding 4 minutes to the a.m. and p.m. columns for Zone A for each day; for Zone C by adding 8 minutes to the a.m. and p.m. columns for Zone A; for Zone D by adding 12 minutes to the a.m. and p.m. columns for Zone A; for Zone

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E by adding 16 minutes to the a.m. and p.m. columns for Zone A; and for Zone F by adding 20 minutes to the a.m. and p.m. columns for Zone A.

(c) Except as provided in subs. (3) through (6), no person may hunt or shoot any species of game on which an open season is established on any day during the open season before the time established by the a.m. column or after the time established by the p.m. column in any hunting hour zone.

(d) The hunting hours for migratory game birds shall be the same as those established for small game hunting except in the Theresa goose management zone described in s. NR 10.01 (1) (t) where the hunting hours for Canada geese shall close at 1:00 P.M. daily.

(e) General Hunting Hours C.S.T.

	September		October		November		December		January		February	
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
1.....	4:42	6:27	5:18	5:31	5:57	4:40	6:36	4:12	6:57	4:21	6:38	5:00
2.....	4:43	6:26	5:19	5:30	5:59	4:38	6:37	4:11	6:57	4:22	6:37	5:02
3.....	4:45	6:24	5:20	5:28	6:00	4:37	6:39	4:11	6:57	4:23	6:35	5:04
4.....	4:46	6:22	5:21	5:26	6:01	4:36	6:40	4:11	6:57	4:24	6:34	5:06
5.....	4:47	6:20	5:22	5:24	6:03	4:34	6:41	4:11	6:57	4:25	6:33	5:08
6.....	4:48	6:18	5:24	5:22	6:04	4:33	6:42	4:10	6:57	4:26	6:32	5:10
7.....	4:49	6:16	5:25	5:21	6:05	4:32	6:43	4:10	6:57	4:27	6:31	5:11
8.....	4:50	6:15	5:26	5:19	6:07	4:31	6:44	4:10	6:56	4:28	6:30	5:12
9.....	4:52	6:13	5:27	5:17	6:08	4:29	6:45	4:10	6:56	4:29	6:29	5:14
10.....	4:53	6:11	5:29	5:15	6:10	4:28	6:46	4:10	6:56	4:30	6:28	5:16
11.....	4:54	6:09	5:30	5:13	6:11	4:27	6:47	4:10	6:55	4:31	6:26	5:17
12.....	4:55	6:07	5:31	5:12	6:12	4:26	6:47	4:10	6:55	4:32	6:25	5:18
13.....	4:56	6:05	5:32	5:10	6:14	4:25	6:48	4:10	6:55	4:34	6:24	5:19
14.....	4:57	6:03	5:34	5:08	6:15	4:24	6:49	4:11	6:54	4:35	6:22	5:21
15.....	4:59	6:01	5:35	5:06	6:16	4:23	6:50	4:11	6:54	4:36	6:21	5:23
16.....	5:00	6:00	5:36	5:05	6:18	4:22	6:50	4:11	6:53	4:37	6:20	5:24
17.....	5:01	5:58	5:38	5:03	6:19	4:21	6:51	4:11	6:53	4:39	6:18	5:25
18.....	5:02	5:56	5:39	5:01	6:20	4:20	6:52	4:12	6:52	4:40	6:16	5:27
19.....	5:03	5:54	5:40	5:00	6:22	4:19	6:52	4:12	6:51	4:41	6:15	5:28
20.....	5:04	5:52	5:41	4:58	6:23	4:18	6:53	4:13	6:51	4:42	6:13	5:29
21.....	5:06	5:50	5:43	4:56	6:24	4:18	6:54	4:13	6:50	4:44	6:12	5:30
22.....	5:07	5:48	5:44	4:55	6:25	4:17	6:54	4:13	6:49	4:45	6:10	5:32
23.....	5:08	5:46	5:45	4:53	6:27	4:16	6:55	4:14	6:48	4:46	6:09	5:33
24.....	5:09	5:45	5:47	4:52	6:28	4:15	6:55	4:15	6:47	4:48	6:08	5:34
25.....	5:10	5:43	5:48	4:50	6:29	4:15	6:55	4:15	6:46	4:49	6:06	5:35
26.....	5:12	5:41	5:49	4:49	6:30	4:14	6:56	4:16	6:46	4:51	6:04	5:37
27.....	5:13	5:39	5:51	4:47	6:32	4:14	6:56	4:17	6:45	4:52	6:02	5:38
28.....	5:14	5:37	5:52	4:46	6:33	4:13	6:56	4:17	6:44	4:53	6:01	5:39
29.....	5:15	5:35	5:53	4:44	6:34	4:13	6:57	4:18	6:43	4:55		
30.....	5:16	5:33	5:55	4:43	6:35	4:12	6:57	4:19	6:42	4:56		
31.....			5:56	4:41			6:57	4:20	6:40	4:58		

(3) It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or shoot any deer and bear during the open season on any day during the open season before the time listed in the a.m. column, and after the time listed in the p.m. column in the following table:

**HUNTING HOURS**  
**Big Game**

Period	C.S.T	
	A.M.	P.M.
September 1-17 .....	5:00	6:15
September 18-October 1 .....	5:15	6:00
October 2-9 .....	5:30	5:45
October 10-16 .....	5:30	5:30
October 17-25 .....	5:45	5:15
October 26-November 6 .....	6:00	5:00
November 7 through the day before the gun deer season ....	6:15	4:45
First day of gun deer season through December 31 .....	6:30	4:30

(4) The hunting hours for wild turkeys shall be from ½ hour before sunrise to 12:00 noon for each day.

(5) There are no hunting hour restrictions for coyote, fox, raccoon and all wild animals for which no closed season is established, except during the gun deer season when the general hunting hours shall apply.

(6) Pheasant hunting hours shall close at 2:00 p.m. daily within the posted boundaries of the following properties beginning the second day of the pheasant hunting season established in s. NR 10.01 (2) (c) and continuing for 13 consecutive days.

- a. Allenton (Washington county)
- b. Brooklyn (Dane and Green counties)
- c. Collins (Manitowoc county)
- d. Dunnville (Dunn county)
- e. Goose Lake (Dane county)
- f. Holland (Brown county)
- g. Horicon (Dodge county)
- h. Killsnake (Calumet and Manitowoc counties)
- i. Little Scarboro — Kewaunee (Kewaunee county)
- j. Mazomanie (Dane county)
- k. New Munster (Kenosha county)
- l. Theresa (Dodge and Washington counties)
- m. Tichigan (Racine county)
- n. Vernon (Waukesha county)
- o. White River (Green Lake and Marquette counties)
- p. Witwen (Sauk county)

Note: Special hunting hours for Bong state recreation area are established in s. NR 10.24.

History: 1-2-56; am. (2); cr. (2m), Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; am. (2m), Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57; am. (2), (2m) and (3), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; r. and recr. Register, August, 1959, No. 44, eff. 9-1-59, am. (2), cr. (2m) Register, Sept. 1959, No. 45, eff. 10-1-59; am. (2) and r. (2m), Register, September 1960, No. 57, eff. 10-1-60; am. (2), cr. (2m), Register, September, 1961, No. 69, eff. 10-1-61; r. and recr. (2) and (2m), Register, August, 1962, No. 80, eff. 9-1-62; r. and recr. Register, August, 1965, No. 116, eff. 9-1-65; am. (3), emerg. eff. 9-5-65; am. (2), Register, March, 1966, No. 123, eff. 4-1-66; r. and recr. Register, August, 1966, No. 128, eff. 9-1-66; r. cr. (2); cr. (4) Register, September, 1966, No. 129, eff. 10-1-66; r. and recr. (2) and (3), Register, August, 1967, No. 140, eff. 9-1-67; renun. to be NR 10.06; r. (4), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (3), Register, August, 1971, No. 183, eff. 9-1-71; am. (3), Register, September, 1972, No. 201, eff. 10-1-72; am. (2), (3), Register, August, 1973, No. 212, eff. 9-1-73; am. (2), Register, September, 1973, Register, September, 1985, No. 357

No 213, eff. 10-1-73; am. (3), Register, March, 1975, No. 231, eff. 4-1-75; emerg. am. (2) (d), eff. 9-24-75; am. (3), Register, October, 1975, No. 238, eff. 11-1-75; am. (2) (d) (eff. 6-1-76), am. (2) (c), Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76; am. (2) (d) and (3), Register, November, 1976, No. 251, eff. 12-1-76; am. (2) (a), Register, May, 1977, No. 257, eff. 6-1-77; r. and recr. (2) (d), Register, February, 1978, No. 266, eff. 3-1-78; am. (2) (c) and (e), Register, October, 1980, No. 298, eff. 11-1-80; am. (2) (c) and cr. (4) and (5), Register, November, 1982, No. 323, eff. 12-1-82; am. (2) (c) and cr. (6), Register, March, 1984, No. 339, eff. 4-1-84; am. (2) (d), Register, April 1985, No. 352, eff. 5-1-85.

**NR 10.07 General hunting. (1) PROHIBITED METHODS. No person shall:**

(a) *Aircraft.* Hunt with the aid of an airplane, including the use of an airplane to spot, rally or drive wild animals for hunters on the ground.

(b) *Devices.* 1. Place, operate or attend, spread, or set any net, pitfall, snare, spring gun, pivot gun, swivel gun, or other similar contrivance for the purpose of catching or which might catch, take or ensnare wild animals.

2. Use or possess any snare, trap or device designed or used for the purpose of driving rabbits out of their holes or dens.

(d) *Molesting.* Molest the nest or den of any squirrel.

(e) *Ferret.* Use or possess any ferret while hunting.

(f) *Retrieval.* Fail to make every reasonable effort to retrieve all wild animals killed or crippled; and until such effort is made, such wild animals shall be included in the daily bag.

(g) *Baiting.* 1. Place, use or hunt over bait contained within metal, paper, plastic, glass, wood or other nondegradable materials.

2. Except as established in s. NR 10.12 (1) (h), use any bait material for attracting wild animals other than fruit, vegetables, grains, pastry or liquid scent. All such solid material shall be confined to a hole in the ground measuring no more than 2 feet square.

3. Place or hunt over bait or liquid scent within 50 yards of any trail, road or campsite used by the public.

4. Exception: This subsection does not prohibit hunting over bait materials deposited by natural vegetation or found solely as a result of normal agricultural practices.

(h) *Salt.* Hunt by the use or aid of salt.

History: 1-2-56; am. (2), Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57; am. (5), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; r. and recr. (1) and (3), Register, August, 1960, No. 66, eff. 9-1-60; cr. (8), Register, September, 1961, No. 69, eff. 10-1-61; am. (1), Register, September, 1965, No. 117, eff. 10-1-65; r. (6), am. (7) (a), Register, August, 1966, No. 128, eff. 9-1-66; r. and recr. (2), Register, August, 1968, No. 152, eff. 9-1-68; renum. to be NR 10.07; am. (1), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (2)(a), r. and recr. (3) and cr. (9)(a) and (b), Register, July, 1971, No. 187, eff. 8-1-71; am. (3)(a) and (b) and (9)(b), Register, August, 1971, No. 188, eff. 9-1-71; am. (1), (2)(b), and (9)(a), Register, August, 1972, No. 200, eff. 9-1-72; am. (9)(b), Register, August, 1973, No. 212, eff. 9-1-73; emerg. r. and recr. (9), eff. 8-2-74; r. and recr. (9), Register, December, 1974, No. 228, eff. 1-1-75; am. (3)(a), Register, January, 1975, No. 229, eff. 2-1-75; am. (7) (a), Register, October, 1975, No. 238, eff. 11-1-75; cr. (10), Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76; renum. (1) to be (1) (a), cr. (1) (b), r. (3) (a) to (c), renum. (3) (d) to be (3) and am. (9), Register, November, 1976, No. 251, eff. 12-1-76; renum. (1) (b) to be (1) (c) and am. (3) and r. and recr. (10), Register, May, 1977, No. 257, eff. 6-1-77; am. (1) (a), Register, December, 1977, No. 264, eff. 1-1-78; r. and recr. (10), Register, May, 1978, No. 269, eff. 6-1-78, renum. (1) (c) to be 10.001 (8) and (9) am. (8), Register, August, 1978, No. 272, eff. 9-1-78; r. and recr. Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; r. and recr. (1) (g), Register, April, 1980, No. 292, eff. 5-1-80; r. (1) (c), Register, April, 1981, No. 304, eff. 5-1-81; r. and recr. (1) (g) 2., Register, April, 1982, No. 316, eff. 5-1-82.

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**NR 10.08 Possession of game. (1) OPENING DAY LIMITS.** On the first day of the open season, no person may possess or control more than one daily bag limit of any game species for which a big limit is established.

(2) **DAILY BAG.** No person may take more than one daily bag limit in any one day.

(3) **POSSESSION LIMIT.** No person may possess more than 2 daily bag limits unless otherwise authorized by the department.

(4) **FIELD POSSESSION LIMIT.** No person may possess more than one daily bag limit while at or between the place killed and the place to which the bag limit is taken.

Note: This rule does not authorize a person to take more than one daily bag limit. Further, it does not prohibit possession of double the daily bag limit when transporting game between a person's temporary abode and his or her permanent abode.

(5) **KILLING REQUIREMENTS.** Except as otherwise provided, no person may possess any live game. All game taken during the open season shall be killed immediately and made part of the daily bag.

History: 1-2-56; r. (2), Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; r. and recr. (3), Register, August, 1968, No. 152, eff. 9-1-68; renum. to be NR 10.21; am. (3)(a) and (b), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (3) (a), Register, August, 1973, No. 212, eff. 9-1-73; r. and recr. (3), Register, August, 1978, No. 272, eff. 9-1-78; renum. from NR 10.21, Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; r. and recr. Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.09 Guns, ammunition and other devices. (1) PROHIBITED METHODS.** No person shall:

(a) **Shotshells.** 1. Slugs or balls. Possess or have in control, while hunting, any shotshells loaded with single slug or ball except during the open gun season for deer or bear.

2. Size. Possess or have in control, while hunting, shells containing shot larger than no. BB from June 1 through December 31, except during the open season established in s. NR 10.01 (1) when non-toxic shot no larger than size T may be used for hunting migratory game birds.

3. Game bird hunting. Hunt any game bird with a rifle or shotgun loaded with single ball or slug or shot larger than no. BB.

(b) **Incendiary shells.** Possess or have in control, while hunting, any shell, cartridge or ammunition known as tracer shells, or incendiary shells or cartridges. Distress flares are exempt from this section.

(c) **Guns and devices.** 1. Type. Hunt with any means other than the use of a gun discharged from the shoulder, bow and arrow or by falconry except:

a. Muzzle-loaders may be used for hunting as defined in s. NR 10.001 (17) and (18).

b. Hare, rabbit, squirrel, raccoon, fox, coyote, bobcat and unprotected wild animals may be hunted with .22 rim-fire handguns and pellet guns of .177 caliber or larger.

c. Deer may be hunted with handguns loaded with .357, .41 and .44 magnum caliber cartridges or any other caliber handgun chambered for commercially manufactured cartridges which produce a minimum muzzle energy of 1000 foot pounds. Such handguns shall have a minimum



barrel length of 5½ inches measured from the muzzle to the firing pin with the action closed. Handguns used for deer hunting are restricted to areas open to a firearm season. Hunters using such handguns may not possess any other gun while hunting deer.

Note: Persons under the age of 18 years, pursuant to s. 941.22, Stats., may not hunt with handguns. Hunters using handguns must comply with all state and federal laws respecting handguns, including s. 941.23, Stats., respecting concealment, and s. 29.224, Stats., respecting transportation. This rule only authorizes hunting deer with handguns in areas open to rifle hunting during the deer gun season.

d. Crossbows may be used by disabled individuals issued a permit under s. 29.104 (4), Stats.

2. Deer or bear hunting. Hunt any deer or bear with any .22 rim-fire rifle, 5 mm rim-fire rifle, .17 caliber center-fire rifle or .410 bore shotgun.

3. Possession. Possess any rifle larger than .22 rim-fire in areas wherein there is an open season for hunting deer with shotgun only unless such rifle is unloaded and enclosed within a carrying case.

(2) SPECIAL ONE-DAY RESTRICTION. During the 24-hour period prior to the opening date for hunting deer with guns, no person shall possess a gun wherein there is an open season for deer with guns unless the gun is unloaded and enclosed within a carrying case. Exceptions:

- (a) Target shooting at established ranges.
- (b) Hunting on licensed game farms and shooting preserves.
- (c) Hunting migratory game birds during the open season.
- (3) BOWS AND ARROWS. No person may:

(a) *Possession of strung bow.* Possess a bow while in, on, or traversing areas inhabited by deer during the open season for hunting deer from one-half hour after the close of hunting hours established in s. NR 10.06 (3) to one-half hour before opening of hunting hours unless such bow is unstrung or enclosed within a carrying case.

(b) *Special restrictions.* Use, possess or have under control while hunting, any poisoned or drugged arrow, arrow with explosive tips or any crossbow.

(c) *Arrow standards.* Use, possess or have under control while deer or bear hunting, any arrow with a metal broad-head blade less than seven-eighths of an inch in width. Such broad-head blades must be well-sharpened.

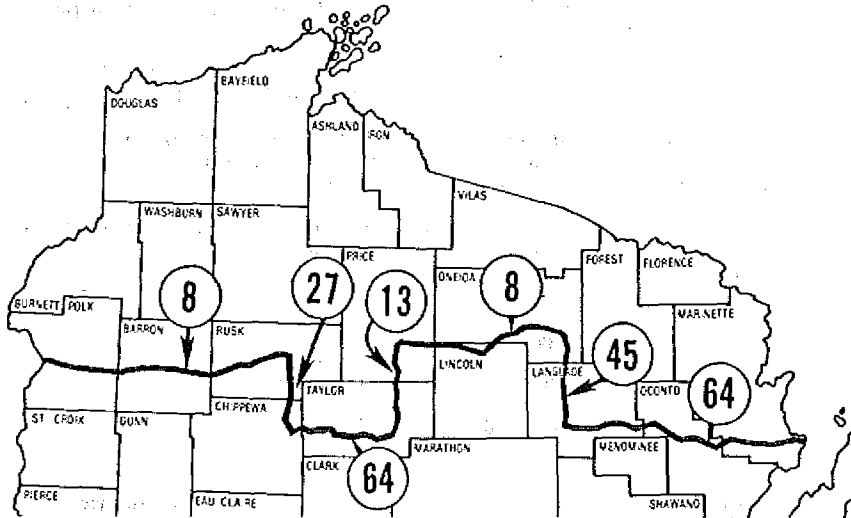
(d) *Bow size.* Hunt deer or bear with a bow having a pull of less than 30 pounds.

History: 1-2-56; am. (6), Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; am. (3), (4), (5), (6), Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57; am (4) and (5), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; r. and recr. (4), (5), (6), and r. (7), Register, August, 1959, No. 44, eff. 9-1-59; am. (2), Register, August, 1960, No. 56, eff. 9-1-60; am. (2), Register, August, 1961, No. 68, eff. 9-1-61; r. (1); am. (3); r. and recr. (5), Register, August, 1963, No. 92, eff. 9-1-63; am. (3), Register, August, 1966, No. 128, eff. 9-1-66; renum. to be NR 10.09; am. (6), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (4) and (5), Register, August, 1973, No. 212, eff. 9-1-73; am. (4), Register, August, 1975, No. 236, eff. 9-1-75; am. (6), Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76; r. and recr. (4), Register, May, 1978, No. 269, eff. 6-1-78; r. and recr., Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; r. and recr. (1) (c), Register, April, 1982, No. 316, eff. 5-1-82; cr. (1) (c)2. and 3. and (3), Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; am. (1) (a) 2. and (c) 1. a., Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

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**NR 10.10 Deer and bear hunting. (1) PROHIBITED METHODS.** No person shall hunt deer or bear by any of the following methods:

(b) *Dogs.* With the aid of a dog or dogs, except that dogs may be used for hunting bear during the season established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (g) 1. in that portion of the state north of the highways shown in the following map:



(2) **ILLEGAL GAME.** Any deer killed during the open season for hunting deer with bow and arrow showing evidence that it was shot with a fire-arm shall be an illegal game animal and no person may have such animal in possession.

History: 1-2-56; am. (2), Register, August, 1963, No. 92, eff. 9-1-63; am. (2), Register, August, 1966, No. 128, eff. 9-1-66; renum. to be NR 10.10, Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; r. and recr. Register, August, 1972, No. 200, eff. 9-1-72; emerg. am. (2), and cr. (6) to (11), eff. 8-2-74; am. (2), cr. (6) to (11), Register, December, 1974, No. 228, eff. 1-1-75; am. (7) and r. (9), Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76; am. (1), (7) and (8), r. (5) and (6), Register, May, 1977, No. 257, eff. 6-1-77; r. and recr. Register, May, 1978, No. 269, eff. 6-1-78; r. (1) (a), Register, April, 1981, No. 304, eff. 5-1-81; (2) renum. from NR 10.11 (2), Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; r. and recr. (1) (b), Register, September, 1984, No. 345, eff. 10-1-84; am. (2), Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.101 Bear hunting. (1) PROHIBITED METHODS.** No person shall:

(a) *Dennded bear.* Hunt or shoot a bear in a den.

(b) *Restricted areas.* Hunt bear in any dump or sanitary landfill.

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(2) **DOG PERMIT.** (a) *Permit requirement.* No person may use a dog to hunt bear without being in possession of a bear-dog permit and valid state hunting license.

(b) *Permit application procedures.* 1. Application forms supplied by the department shall be completed and submitted by the applicant.

2. It shall be unlawful for any person to submit an application containing false information.

(c) *Permit issuance procedures.* 1. Permits shall be issued only to persons possessing a valid Wisconsin hunting license.

2. Permits are not transferable and shall not be altered or defaced.

3. Permits are valid only during the season of issuance.

4. Duplicate permits may be issued to replace lost or destroyed permits.

(3) **DOG USE RESTRICTIONS.** (a) *Identification.* No person shall hunt or pursue bear with any dog unless such dog is tattooed or wears a collar with the owner's name and address attached.

(b) *Training.* The training of dogs by pursuing wild bear is prohibited except July 10 through August 31.

Note: Bear dog trials and training are regulated by ch. NR 17.

(c) *Pack size.* No person or persons shall hunt bear with the aid of more than 6 dogs in a single pack, regardless of the ownership of the dogs.

(d) *Dog replacement.* Until the maximum of 6 dogs are released in pursuit of a bear, dogs may be added to the pack. However, no dogs engaged in the pursuit of such bear may be replaced by another dog.

History: Cr. Register, May, 1978, No. 269, eff. 6-1-78; cr. (1) (b)6., Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; r. and recr. (1) (b) and (3) (b), Register, April, 1980, No. 292, eff. 5-1-80; am. (3) (b), Register, July, 1985, No. 355, eff. 8-1-85.

**NR 10.102 Deer hunting.** (1) **TAGS.** A one-piece back and carcass tag shall be issued with each hunting license and shall remain intact until the hunter kills a deer.

(2) **VALIDATION.** Any person who kills a deer shall immediately separate the issued carcass tag from the back tag and validate the carcass tag by slitting the mark designating the month, day, time of kill and type of deer. Failure to completely validate the carcass tag renders possession of the deer illegal and the carcass tag invalid.

Note: The carcass tag attachment procedures are also provided in s. 29.40 (2), Stats.

History: Cr. Register, Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; r. and recr. Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.103 Transportation of deer.** It shall be unlawful for any person to transport any deer in or on any motor-driven vehicle from the time such deer is killed to the time it is lawfully registered pursuant to s. NR 10.104 unless the deer is carried openly exposed and in such manner so that the

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deer tag attached to the deer cannot be handled or manipulated by any occupant of the vehicle.

History: Cr. Register, August, 1960, No. 56, eff. 9-1-60; renum. to be NR 10.19, Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; correction made under s. 13.93 (2m) (b) 7, Stats., renum. to be NR 10.103, Register, September, 1984, No. 345, eff. 10-1-84.

**NR 10.104 Recording deer and bear.** (1) **GUN SEASONS.** (a) *Exhibition and registration.* Each person who has killed a deer or bear during the open seasons for hunting such animals with guns shall exhibit such deer with the deer tag attached as required by s. 29.40 (1), Stats., or such bear to an authorized registration station as follows:

1. Regular license deer shall be registered within the open season zone in which such deer was killed not later than 5:00 p.m. of the first day following the close of such season.

2. Party permit deer or antlerless deer taken under the authority of a hunter's choice permit shall be registered within the quota area in which such deer was killed not later than 5:00 p.m. of the first day following the close of such season. Exception: Deer taken under a deer party permit or antlerless deer taken under a hunter's choice permit may be transported on federal or state highways directly to the nearest authorized registration station in an adjoining quota area.

3. Any deer taken on any of the islands in the outlying waters of Lake Superior in Ashland and Bayfield counties shall be exhibited and tagged pursuant to sub. (1) at the registration station in the city of Bayfield.

4. Bear shall be registered within the season zone in which such bear was killed not later than 5:00 p.m. of the day after it was killed.

5. Such deer or bear shall be wholly intact except that they may be field dressed.

6. Such animal or part thereof shall not be removed from the area specified in par. (a) unless it has been exhibited, registered and tagged.

(b) *Registration tagging.* Upon verification of license information, the station operator shall attach and lock a registration tag to the bear or part thereof. For deer, the operator shall:

1. Complete and retain the registration portion of the hunter's license; and

2. Attach and lock a registration tag to the deer or part thereof through the carcass tag.

(2) **BOW AND ARROW SEASONS.** Each person who has killed a deer or bear during the open season for hunting such animals with bow and arrow only shall exhibit and register such bear and deer as provided in sub. (1), except that the carcass shall be exhibited within the county or adjoining county where killed by 5:00 p.m. of the day after the animal was killed.

History: Cr. (1) (b), (1) (a) and (2) renum. from NR 10.20 (1) (a) and (2), (1) (a) 6. renum. from NR 10.20 (1) (b) 2., Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83.

**NR 10.115 Deer hunting permits.** (1) **FINDING.** The natural resources board finds that an additional harvest of deer is necessary to reduce the Register, September, 1985, No. 357

deer herd to the overwinter population goals established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e) 9. e. and properly manage the deer herd in the state.

(2) APPLICATION PROCEDURE. Permits shall be in accordance with ss. 29.107 and 29.108, Stats., issued to any person in possession of a valid current Wisconsin deer hunting license applying in the following manner:

(a) No person may submit more than one application.

(b) Application forms supplied by the department shall be completed and submitted by the applicant.

(c) Applications shall be postmarked no later than the first Friday in October.

(3) PERMIT ISSUANCE. Upon receipt of proper application, the department shall issue permits in the following manner:

(a) *Initial permit.* Successful applicants for hunter's choice or antlerless permits shall be determined by random selection from all eligible applications received for each deer management unit. Permits remaining unissued for any deer management unit after all initial applications have been processed may be issued by the department on a first-come, first-served basis, in accordance with any statutorily established landowner preference permit issuance system, or as established by par. (b).

(b) *Second permit.* If the number of hunter's choice or antlerless permits in any management unit exceeds the number of applications for such permits, the department may issue the remaining permits available for that unit as antlerless deer hunting permits only to its successful initial deer hunting permit applicants. Permittees to be issued the second permit shall be randomly selected in accordance with any statutorily established landowner preference permit issuance system.

(4) PERMIT VALIDATION. Validation decals numbered to correspond with the permit shall be issued to each successful applicant. The permit holder shall affix a validation decal to his or her current deer registration stub and corresponding back tag immediately upon receipt.

(5) PERMIT AUTHORITY. No person may hunt antlerless deer in deer management units described as such in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e) unless he or she possesses a current validated deer hunting permit.

(6) BAG LIMIT. Each issued deer hunting permit shall authorize the use of the holder's current valid Wisconsin deer hunting license, back tag and carcass tag for the killing of one deer in the deer management unit designated on the permit as follows:

(a) Hunter's choice deer hunting permit - Valid for the taking of one deer of either sex or age, except on Chambers Island in Door County where the bag limit shall be one antlerless deer or one buck deer with a forked antler as indicated on the permit.

(b) Antlerless deer hunting permit - Valid for the taking of one antlerless deer only.

History: Cr. Register, October, 1957, No. 22, eff. 11-1-57; r. (1), (2) and (3) and recr. (1) and (2), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; am. (2), Register, August, 1959, No. 44, eff. 9-1-59; r. Register, August, 1962, No. 80, eff. 9-1-62; recr. Register, August, 1963, No. 92, eff. 9-1-63; am. (1), (2), (5) and (6), Register, August, 1964, No. 104, eff. 9-1-64; emergency rule cr. (7), eff. 10-17-64; am. (1), (5) and (6); cr. (7), Register, August, 1965, No. 116, eff. 9-1-65; am. (5) and (6), Register, August, 1966, No. 128, eff. 9-1-66; emerg. am. (5), eff. 9-1-67; am. (5)

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and (6) Register, August, 1968, No. 162, eff. 9-1-68; am. (1), (5) and (6), Register, August, 1969, No. 164, eff. 9-1-69; renum. to be NR 10.115, Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; r. (5), and am. (7), Register, August, 1971, No. 183, eff. 9-1-71; cr. (5) and (8), r. and recr. (6) and (7), Register, November, 1976, No. 251, eff. 12-1-76; am. (6), Register, August, 1978, No. 272, eff. 9-1-78; r. and recr. (1), (2) and (4), Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; r. (1), Register, August, 1980, No. 296, eff. 9-1-80; emerg. r. and recr. eff. 9-30-83; r. and recr., Register, October, 1983, No. 334, eff. 11-1-83; r. and recr. (2) to (6), Register, October, 1984, No. 346, eff. 11-1-84; am. (1), (3) (a) and (5), r. and recr. (3) (b) and (6), r. (3) (c), Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.116 Deer hunting hunter's choice permit.** History: Cr. Register, August, 1980, No. 296, eff. 9-1-80; am. (5), Register, September, 1982, No. 321, eff. 10-1-82; am. (5), Register, July, 1985, No. 355, eff. 8-1-85, r. Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.117 Deer season modification.** (1) **POWERS.** The secretary of the department may, upon making the findings in sub. (2), extend the gun deer season for any deer management unit or any group of deer management units to reduce or maintain the deer population to the overwinter population goals established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e) 9. e.

(2) **FINDING.** The secretary shall, prior to exercising powers under sub. (1), find:

(a) It is unlikely the deer population for the deer management unit will be reduced to or maintained at the overwinter population goals established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e) 9. e. during the established gun deer season. A minimum of 2 days of the gun deer season have been completed and the harvest data available has been reviewed and considered by the department;

(b) It is likely that a failure to reduce the deer population to the overwinter population goals in the unit will result in increased deer damage to commercial seedings or crops on agricultural lands, nurseries or orchards or a waste of the resource.

(3) **NOTICE.** Modification by the secretary under sub. (1) shall become effective upon issuance of an order and publication in the official state newspaper. In addition, a copy of the order shall be provided to newspapers in the area affected and to all legislators.

History: Cr. Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

**NR 10.12 Migratory game bird hunting.** (1) **PROHIBITED METHODS.** No person shall hunt any migratory game bird by any of the following methods:

(a) **Sinkbox.** From or by means, aid or use of a sinkbox or any other type of low floating device, having a depression affording the hunter a means of concealment beneath the surface of the water.

(b) **Boats.** From any boat or craft other than those propelled by paddle, oar or pole. When motors or sails are attached to the boat, the motor shall be completely shut off and the sail furled, and the boat's progress stopped before a firearm may be loaded.

(c) **Structures.** From any pier, dam, dock or similar structure.

(d) **Rallying.** By the use or aid of any water, air or motor-driven land conveyance used for the purpose of or resulting in stirring up, driving or rallying.

(e) **Bird calls.** By the use or aid of recorded or electrically amplified bird calls or sounds or imitations thereof.

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6. For the purpose of this subsection, "blind" means any framed enclosure or pit not more than 15 feet in its greatest dimension and camouflaged to provide concealment to hunters within.

(5) TAKING METHODS. No person shall hunt any migratory bird:

(a) With a trap, snare, net, rifle, pistol, crossbow other than in s. 29.104, Stats., swivel gun, punt gun, battery gun, machine gun, fishhook, poison, drug, explosive, stupefying substance or shotgun of a larger bore than a no. 10 gauge.

(b) With any automatic-loading or hand-operated repeating shotgun capable of holding more than 3 shells the magazine of which has not been cut off or plugged with a one-piece filler incapable of removal without disassembling the gun so as to reduce the capacity of said gun to not more than 3 shells at one time in the magazine and chamber combined.

(c) By any means other than a shotgun fired from the shoulder or a bow and arrow, or by falconry.

(d) *Non-toxic shot requirements.* 1. While hunting waterfowl and coot within any area described in part 2 of this subsection, no person may:

a. Take, catch, kill or pursue waterfowl and coot with any shotshells loaded with any metal other than non-toxic shot.

b. Possess any shotshell loaded with any metal other than non-toxic shot.

2. *Non-toxic shot zones.* a. *Mississippi river.* In that portion of the state lying west of the Burlington Northern railway in Buffalo, Crawford, Grant, La Crosse, Pepin, Pierce, Trempealeau and Vernon counties and all federal lands posted by the U.S. fish and wildlife service lying east of the railway in these same counties.

b. *Eastern Wisconsin.* In the Horicon and Central zones, shotshells containing non-toxic shot shall be required wherever hunting waterfowl and coot. Outside of these 2 zones, shotshells containing non-toxic shot shall be required on all waters and all areas within 150 yards of these waters in the counties of Calumet, Dane, Jefferson, Kenosha, Manitowoc, Milwaukee, Outagamie, Ozaukee, Racine, Sheboygan, Walworth, Washington, Waukesha, Waupaca, and all that part of Waushara county lying east of state highway 49.

c. *Green Bay.* The west 1,000 feet of Green Bay waters, all Brown county islands in Green Bay, all waters in Brown county west of the Fox river and the Green Bay ship channel and east of U.S. highway 141, all waters of Oconto and Marinette counties east of U.S. highway 41 and all areas within 150 yards of these waters.

d. *State wildlife areas.* Within the zones described in subpars. b. and c., shotshells containing non-toxic shot are required for hunting waterfowl and coot anywhere on state-owned wildlife areas, all federal lands posted with the U.S. fish and wildlife service signs and on the following state wildlife areas: Mead in Marathon, Wood and Portage counties; Wood County and Sandhill in Wood county; and Meadow Valley in Juneau and Monroe counties.

(6) TAGGING. No person may give, put or leave migratory game birds at any place, other than at that person's permanent abode, or in the cus-

tody of another person unless the birds are tagged individually or collectively with tags bearing the following information:

- (a) The hunter's signature,
- (b) The hunter's address,
- (c) The total number of birds tagged, by species, and
- (d) The dates the birds were killed.

Note: Tagging is required if the birds are being transported by another person for the hunter, or if the birds have been left for cleaning, storage (including temporary storage), shipment, or taxidermy services.

(7) **DRESSING.** No person may completely dress any migratory game bird and then transport the bird from the field. The head or one fully feathered wing shall remain attached to all migratory game birds being transported from the field to the person's permanent abode or a preservation facility.

(8) **SHIPMENT.** No person may ship migratory game birds unless the package is marked on the outside with:

- (a) The name and address of the person sending the birds,
- (b) The name and address of the person to whom the birds are being sent, and
- (c) The number of birds, by species, contained in the package.

(9) **IMPORTATION.** (a) One fully-feathered wing shall remain attached to all migratory game birds being transported between the port of entry and the possessor's permanent abode or to a preservation facility.

(b) No person may import migratory game birds belonging to another person.

Note: Violation of state migratory game bird regulations is also a violation of federal regulations. Importation restrictions do not prohibit the importation of legally taken, fully feathered migratory game birds for mounting purposes by a taxidermist holding a valid federal permit and licensed by the U.S. department of agriculture to decontaminate birds.

History: 1-2-56; am. (2) (c), (3) (a), (4), (5) (c), Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; am. (1) (c) and (2) (c) and r. (5) (b), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; am. (1) (b); r. and recr. (1) (d); cr. (1) (f) and (g); am. (5) (a), Register, September, 1960, No. 57, eff. 10-1-60; r. and recr. (1) (f), Register, August, 1961, No. 68, eff. 9-1-61; r. and recr. (1) (f), Register, September, 1963, No. 93, eff. 10-1-63; r. (5) (c) Register, August, 1965, No. 116, eff. 9-1-65; am. (5) (a), Register, September, 1965, No. 117, eff. 10-1-65; am. (1) (f), Register, September, 1966, No. 129, eff. 10-1-66; am. (2) (b); cr. (2) (d), (e) and (f), Register, August, 1967, No. 140, eff. 9-1-67; emer. am. (1) (f), eff. 9-1-67; am. (2) (b) and (e), Register, August, 1968, No. 152, eff. 9-1-68; emerg. am. (1) (f), eff. 9-30-68; emerg. am. (2) (c), eff. 10-11-68, emerg. am. (1) (f) and (2) (c), eff. 8-30-69; am. (1) (f) and (2) (c), Register, November, 1969, No. 167, eff. 12-1-69; renum. to be NR 10.12, Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (2) (d) and (e), and r. (f), Register September 1970, No. 177, eff. 10-1-70; am. (2) (b), Register, September, 1971, No. 189, eff. 10-1-71; emerg. am. (1) (f) eff. 10-10-72; emerg. am. (2) (a), eff. 9-24-76; am. (2) (a), Register, June, 1976, No. 246, eff. 7-1-76; am. (2), Register, January, 1977, No. 253, eff. 2-1-77; am. (5), Register, December, 1977, No. 264, eff. 1-1-78; r. (2)(a), r. and recr. (2)(c), and cr. (5)(b), Register, February, 1978, No. 266, eff. 3-1-78; r. and recr. (1) to (4) and (5) (a), cr. (5) (intro.), renum. (5) (b) to be (5) (d), Register, May, 1978, No. 269, eff. 6-1-78; r. and recr. (3)(d) and (5)(d) 2., Register, December, 1978, No. 276, eff. 1-1-79; r. and recr. (1) (g), Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; r. and recr. (3) (b), Register, April, 1980, No. 292, eff. 5-1-80; am. (3) (d) 1. and 2., Register, June, 1981, No. 306, eff. 7-1-81; emerg. r. and recr. (5) (d), eff. 9-12-81; r. and recr. (5) (d), Register, March, 1982, No. 315, eff. 4-1-82; am. (3) (d) (intro.), Register, April, 1982, No. 316, eff. 5-1-82; am. (5) (d) 2.b., Register, June, 1984, No. 342, eff. 7-1-84; am. (3) (b), cr. (3) (e) and r. and recr. (4) (a) 1., Register, April, 1985, No. 352, Register, September, 1985, No. 357



eff. 5-1-85; am. (1) (b), (f) and (h) 1., (5) (d) 2.c. and d., r. and rec. (5) (a), cr. (6) to (9), Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

NR 10.13 Fur-bearing animals. (1) PROHIBITED METHODS. No person may:

(a) *Hunting*. Hunt any mink, muskrat, beaver, or otter with the aid of any spear, gun or dog.

(b) *Trapping*. 1. Traps. Set out or place traps, whether set or sprung, during the closed season.

2. Bait or scent. Set out or place any bait or scent for attracting fur-bearing animals during the closed season. During the open season, no person may use sight exposed bait consisting of feathers, animal flesh, fur, hide or entrails within 25 feet of any trap.

3. Trap limit. Set, place or operate more than 75 traps of any kind for the purposes of capturing furbearing animals.

4. Water sets. Take, capture or kill, or attempt to take, capture, or kill any furbearing animals at any time by means of water sets except during that period when and in those areas where there is an open season for trapping muskrat, beaver, or otter.

5. Trap placement. Set any trap or traps at any time within 50 feet of any beaver house or beaver dam except during the regular or special season for beaver, when it shall be lawful to set traps for beaver not less than 15 feet from any beaver house or beaver dam.

6. Trap use. It shall be unlawful for any person to set, place, operate or possess while on or adjacent to waters of this state, any trap other than a steel-jawed trap or live traps for the purpose of taking, capturing, or killing fur-bearing animals. Such live traps shall be constructed so that not more than one animal can be taken or captured in any single trap setting.

7. Artificial structures. No person shall construct or place on the ice of any of the waters of this state any artificial house or den for the purpose of taking, catching, or killing any fur-bearing animals, or place or set therein any trap or traps of any kind which might take, catch, or kill fur-bearing animals.

8. Killer traps. It shall be unlawful for any person to set, place, or operate except as a waterset any killer type trap of the conibear type that is larger than 7" x 7".

9. Steeljawed traps. It shall be unlawful for any person to set, place or operate any steel jaw trap with a spread width of more than 8 inches.

10. Toothed traps. It shall be unlawful for any person to set, place or operate any steel jawed trap with teeth except as a water set.

11. Minimum waterset. Except when the muskrat and mink season is open, it shall be unlawful for any person to set, place or operate any waterset smaller than 5½" jaw spread for steel jaw traps and 6¾" x 6¾" for killer traps of the conibear type during the beaver and otter season.

12. Killer trap placements. No person may set, place or operate any killer trap of the conibear type greater than 6" x 6" or 6" in diameter in the following locations:

- a. Within 3 feet of any federal, state or county road rights-of-way culvert unless completely submerged in water.
- b. Within 3 feet of any woven or welded wire mesh type fence.
- c. Within 100 yards of any building devoted to human occupancy without the owner's consent.

(2) MOLESTING. While hunting or trapping, no person shall:

- (a) *Raccoon*. Molest any raccoon den or den trees.
- (b) *Mink*. Molest any mink den.
- (c) *Muskrat and beaver*. Molest any muskrat house, muskrat feeding house, beaver house or beaver dam.

(3) TRAPPING HOURS. (a) *Legal time period*. The trapping hours shall be from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. (CST).

(b) *Illegal time period*. It shall be unlawful for any person to set or reset any trap or traps or attend any trapline from 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. (CST).

(c) *Special checking period*. All dry land sets shall be checked and animals therein removed at least once each day.

History: 1-2-56; am. (1), Register, August, 1962, No. 80, eff. 9-1-62; r. and recr. (1) and (3), Register, August, 1964, No. 104, eff. 9-1-64; r. and recr. (3), Register, August, 1966, No. 128, eff. 9-1-66; renum. to be NR 10.13; am. (3), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (1), Register, July, 1971, No. 187, eff. 8-1-71; am. (3), Register, August, 1975, No. 236, eff. 9-1-75; emerg. am. (1), eff. 4-3-76; r. and recr. Register, September, 1979, No. 285, eff. 10-1-79; r. and recr. (1) (b) 5., Register, October, 1980, No. 298, eff. 11-1-80; am. (1) (b) 2., Register, May, 1983, No. 329, eff. 6-1-83; am. (1) (intro.) and (b) 2., Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; (1) (b) 6. to 12. renum. from NR 10.14 (2) to (8), Register, September, 1984, No. 345, eff. 12-1-84.

NR 10.145 Recording of bobcat. (1) TAGS AND PERMITS. (a) No person shall hunt or trap or attempt to hunt or trap any bobcat (wildcat) unless having first applied for and received, from the department, a special bobcat permit and tag.

(b) Applications for bobcat permits and tags must be postmarked no later than the first Friday in October each year.

(c) Such permit shall be attached to each person's valid hunting or trapping license before hunting or trapping any bobcat.

(d) Each permit shall be numbered to correspond to the applicant's current hunting or trapping license and show the applicant's name and bobcat tag number.

(e) No person may apply for more than one bobcat tag per season.

(2) TAGGING PROCEDURE. (a) Each person shall immediately upon possessing a bobcat, affix a valid tag, issued by the department, through the opening of the mouth to the opening of the eye, immediately beneath the skin.

(b) No person shall have a bobcat pelt in possession or under control unless the person hunting or trapping the bobcat attaches the tag as required by this section.

(c) Such tag shall remain attached to the pelt until removed by a fur dresser or taxidermist at the time of preparation.

(3) EXHIBITION REQUIRED. Unless otherwise authorized by the department, each person who has killed a bobcat shall exhibit the pelt separated from the carcass along with the carcass to an authorized department representative for registration within 5 days of taking. The carcass shall be retained by the department.

(4) REGISTRATION. The department representative shall inspect the pelt and attach and lock a registration tag to the head of each lawfully taken and possessed animal.

(5) POSSESSION AND TRANSFER RESTRICTIONS. a. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess raw bobcat pelts beginning 6 days after the close of the season to the opening date of the following season unless a valid registration tag has been attached and locked by the department.

b. No person shall transfer, give, trade, sell or purchase any bobcat pelt unless a valid registration tag has been attached and locked to the head of each pelt. This subsection does not apply to bobcat taken outside of Wisconsin.

History: Cr. Register, August, 1973, No. 212, eff. 9-1-73; am. Register, March, 1976, No. 231, eff. 3-1-76; am. Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76; r. and recr., Register, April, 1980, No. 292, eff. 5-1-80; renum. (1) to (3) to be (3) to (5) and cr. (1) and (2), Register, October, 1980, No. 298, eff. 11-1-80; renum. from NR 10.201, Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; am. (1) (b), Register, October, 1983, No. 334, eff. 11-1-83; r. and recr. (3), Register, September, 1985, No. 357, eff. 10-1-85.

NR 10.15 Horicon national wildlife refuge. (1) PROHIBITED METHODS. (a) Except as provided in this section, it shall be unlawful for any person to hunt or trap any wild animal or have in possession or under control any firearm unless the same is unloaded and enclosed within a carrying case or any bow and arrow unless the same is unstrung or enclosed in a carrying case, upon the area known as the Horicon national wildlife refuge.

(b) Nothing in this section shall prohibit, prevent, or interfere with the U.S. fish and wildlife service, its deputies, agents, or employes in the destruction of unprotected wild animals as listed in s. NR 10.04.

(2) SHOTGUN SEASON. A shotgun season shall be established for hunting deer except for posted closed areas, pursuant to NR 10.01 (3).

(3) BOW AND ARROW SEASON. An open season for hunting deer with bow and arrow in areas designated by posted notice shall be established pursuant to s. NR 10.01 (3).

(4) SMALL GAME SEASON. (a) The open season for hunting upland game birds and rabbits shall begin as established by NR 10.01 (2) and (3), and continue through the end of the pheasant season each year pursuant to NR 10.01 (2) (c), and shall be subject to all other rules covering hunting set forth in this chapter.

(b) With the written approval of the department, such season may be closed at any time upon request by the U.S. fish and wildlife service.

(5) TRAPPING. (a) With the written approval of the department, an open season may be declared for trapping fur bearing animals.

(b) If permits are required, they shall be issued by the U.S. fish and wildlife service.

(c) The legal number of traps allowed for each trapper shall be prescribed by the U.S. fish and wildlife service.

(d) All other rules covering trapping are set forth in this chapter.

History: 1-2-56; am. (2) (a) and r. (2) (b) to (e), Register, September, 1971, No. 189, eff. 10-1-71; am. (5), (6) and (7), Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76; am. (6), Register, January, 1977, No. 253, eff. 2-1-77; r. and recr. Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; am. (5) (a), Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83.

Note: For a complete history of NR 10.15 see the history note for NR 10.15 as it appeared in Register, August, 1973.

**NR 10.16 Necedah National Wildlife Refuge, Juneau county.** Except as provided in subs. (1), (2), (3), and (4) it shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch, kill, hunt, trap, or pursue any species of wild animal or bird at any time, or have in possession or under control any firearm unless the same is unloaded and enclosed within a carrying case, or any bow and arrow unless the same is unstrung or enclosed in a carrying case, upon that area known as the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge, Juneau county, Wisconsin. Nothing in this section shall prohibit, prevent, or interfere with the U.S. fish and wildlife service, its deputies, agents, or employees in the destruction of unprotected wild animals as listed in s. NR 10.04.

(1) Within the discretion of the U.S. fish and wildlife service an open season for the taking of fur-bearing animals may be declared within the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge upon written approval of the department, which shall designate the species to be taken and establish opening and closing dates. Trapping on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge shall be conducted under written permit from the U.S. fish and wildlife service. Such permit shall be subject to all the rules and regulations governing trapping set forth in this chapter.

(2) An open season for hunting deer, and unprotected wild animals as listed in s. NR 10.04, with bow and arrow shall be established on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge and said season shall be concurrent with the state-wide season for bow and arrow established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e). Such open season shall be effective only in those areas on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge designated by posted notices of the U.S. fish and wildlife service. No special permits shall be required, but hunting licenses and deer tag as required by statutes are necessary.

(3) An open season for hunting deer, and unprotected wild animals as listed in s. NR 10.04, with firearms shall be established on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge and such season shall fall within the season established for the remainder of Juneau county in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e). Such open season shall be effective only on those areas on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge designated by posted notice of the U.S. fish and wildlife service. No special permits shall be required, but hunting licenses and deer tag as required by statutes under s. NR 10.01 (3) (e) shall apply.

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(4) An open season for hunting wild turkeys as listed in s. NR 10.01 (2) (f) is established on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge, and such season shall be concurrent with the open season for hunting turkeys as described in s. NR 10.01 (2) (f). Such open season shall be effective only in those areas on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge designated by posted notices of the U.S. fish and wildlife service. Hunting on the Necedah National Wildlife Refuge shall be restricted to only those persons holding a valid principal or guest turkey hunting permit issued by the department.

History: 1-2-56, am. (1) and (2), Register, August, 1956, No. 8, eff. 9-1-56; am. intro. par., (1) and (2), Register, August, 1957, No. 20, eff. 9-1-57; r. intro. par., (1) and (2), and recr. intro. par., (1) and (2), and cr. (3), Register, August, 1958, No. 32, eff. 9-1-58; am. (3), Register, September, 1959, No. 45, eff. 10-1-59; r. and recr., Register, August, 1962, No. 80, eff. 9-1-62; am. intro. par. and cr. (4), Register, March, 1967, No. 135, eff. 4-1-67; renum. to be NR 10.16, Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (4), Register, October, 1975, No. 238, eff. 11-1-75; am. Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76.

NR 10.22 Sandhill wildlife demonstration area, Wood county. (1) It shall be unlawful for any person to take, catch, kill, hunt, trap or pursue any species of wild animal or bird at any time, or have in possession or under control any firearm unless the same is unloaded and enclosed within a carrying case or any bow and arrow unless the same is unstrung or enclosed in a carrying case upon that area known as the Sandhill wildlife demonstration area in Wood county, Wisconsin, except as provided in this section.

(2) HUNTING. (a) *Permit restrictions.* No person may hunt on the demonstration area without first obtaining a permit issued by the department. Permits shall be issued without charge.

1. *Effective dates.* Permits are valid only for the date of issue and shall be returned to the established check-out station immediately upon termination of hunting.

2. *Compartment limits.* All hunting is restricted to the compartment designated on the permit.

3. *Quotas.* Daily hunting permits shall be limited by the department based upon environmental conditions and annual research objectives.

4. *Exhibition required.* All harvested game shall be exhibited at the established check-out station as described on the permit.

5. *Limitations.* Permits issued to an individual are not transferrable and may not be altered or defaced.

6. *Reports.* Permit holders may be required to provide hunt information on department forms at the established check-out station.

(b) *Permit application procedures.* Any person possessing a valid Wisconsin hunting license may apply for a hunting permit.

1. *Forms.* Application shall be made on department forms.

2. *Issuance period.* Daily permits may be issued by the department at established check-in stations on a first-come, first-served basis or by ran-

dom selection of mailed applications. Mailed applications are subject to the following restrictions:

a. No person may submit more than one application. Submission of more than one application shall disqualify the application permit eligibility.

b. Group applications up to and including 4 hunters will be honored provided each applicant completes the application form and all forms are submitted in one envelope marked "group application" on the outside.

3. Self-completed permits. Applications for hunting any game species except deer shall be completed by the applicant in person the day of the hunt. The self-completed permit portion of the application shall be retained by the applicant until the hunt is completed.

4. University of Wisconsin research. Permits may be issued to the university of Wisconsin for research purposes under a cooperative agreement with the department.

5. Waiting procedure. Hunters waiting to apply for permits shall form a single line. Each vehicle in line may contain no more than 5 applicants and shall be occupied at all times by all persons applying for permits that day.

c. *Season and bag limits.* The hunting season and bag limits for all game species are established in s. NR 10.01 and may continue no longer than the Sunday immediately prior to the deer season established in subd. 2. with the following exceptions:

1. Rabbits and hares. Snowshoe hare and cottontail rabbit hunting shall open on the Saturday nearest September 15.

2. Deer. Deer hunting shall be established at the discretion of the department and continue until the annual harvest objective is obtained. The sex and type of legal deer shall be established by permit.

3. Season closure. No person may hunt any species except deer during the period established in subd. 2.

4. Extended seasons. The seasons for any game species may be resumed at the discretion of the department and continue through December 31.

(d) *Hunting hours.* The hunting hours for all species shall be the hours established in s. NR 10.06.

(e) *Information.* Information on the availability of hunting and trapping permits, permit application procedures, species which may be taken and other applicable conditions of taking on the demonstration area for each calendar year, except for extended seasons, shall be made available by the department at the demonstration area, district and Madison offices no later than August 1 of that year. Information relating to extended seasons shall be made available in the same manner prior to the extended season opening.

(3) TRAPPING. (a) Trapping will be allowed by permit only and may be issued on a seasonal basis dependent upon furbearer population levels.

- (b) Each year the department shall determine:
1. The number of permits to be issued.
  2. The number of animals to be harvested.
  3. The time when such trapping may take place.
  4. The deadline date for receipt of applications.
  5. Such additional restrictions as are necessary to preserve, protect and utilize the furbearing resources on this area.
- (c) If applications for permits exceed the number of permits available, random selection shall be used to determine successful applicants.

History: Cr. Register, September, 1962, No. 81, eff. 10-1-62; r. and recr. Register, August, 1963, No. 92, eff. 9-1-63; r. and recr. (2), Register, August, 1964, No. 104, eff. 9-1-64; am. (2)(a), Register, August, 1965, No. 116, eff. 9-1-65; am. (2)(a), Register, August, 1966, No. 123, eff. 9-1-66; am. (2)(a), Register, August, 1967, No. 140, eff. 9-1-67; r. and recr. (2) (intro. par.) and (a), Register, August, 1968, No. 152, eff. 9-1-68; r. and recr. (2), Register, August, 1969, No. 164, eff. 9-1-69; renum. to be NR 10.22; r. and recr. (2) intro. par. and (a); cr. (2)(h), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (1) and (2), Register, July, 1971, No. 187, eff. 8-1-71; r. and recr., Register, August, 1972, No. 200, eff. 9-1-72; am. Register, August, 1973, No. 212, eff. 9-1-73; am. (2)(b), Register, March, 1975, No. 231, eff. 3-1-75; am. (b) and (c), Register, May, 1977, No. 257, eff. 6-1-77; r. and recr. (2)(a), (b) and (c), Register, July, 1977, No. 259, eff. 8-1-77; cr. (3), Register, May, 1978, No. 269, eff. 6-1-78; am. (2)(b) 3.a., Register, October, 1978, No. 274, eff. 11-1-78; am. (2) (b) (intro.), 1. and 2. and (2) (c), r. and recr. (2) (b) 3., Register, September, 1979, No. 285, eff. 10-1-79; r. and recr. (2) (b) 1. and 2., am. (2) (b) 3. a. and (2) (c), Register, October, 1980, No. 298, eff. 11-1-80; r. and recr. (2) (b) 3.e., Register, October, 1981, No. 310, eff. 11-1-81; am. (2) (a), (b) 3.a. and b., Register, September, 1982, No. 321, eff. 10-1-82; am. (2) (a) and (2) (b) 3.b., r. and recr. (2) (b) 3.a., cr. (2) (i), Register, October, 1983, No. 334, eff. 11-1-83; r. and recr. (2), Register, September, 1984, No. 345, eff. 10-1-84.