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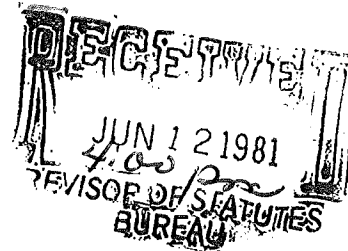
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Carroll D. Besadny
Secretary

BOX 7921
MADISON, WISCONSIN 53707

IN REPLY REFER TO: _____

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES) ss



TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and custodian of the official records of said Department, do hereby certify that the annexed copy of Natural Resources Board Order No. G-51-80 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on November 20, 1980. I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department at General Executive Facility #2 in the City of Madison, this 11th day of June, 1981.

Carroll D. Besadny
Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary

(SEAL)

9-1-81

ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD

RENUMBERING, AMENDING, REPEALING & RECREATING, AND CREATING RULES

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 IN THE MATTER of renumbering sections NR 11.26(8) .
 & NR 11.27 (14), (16) and (19); amending sections .
 NR 10.01(3)(e)1.a. & b. and (h)2., NR 10.14(2) & .
 (7) and NR 10.27(1) & (2); repealing and recreating ; G-51-80
 sections NR 10.01(3)(e)2.a., c. & d.; and creating .
 sections NR 11.25 and NR 11.271 of the Wisconsin .
 Administrative Code pertaining to 1981 hunting and .
 trapping regulations .

Analysis Prepared by Department of Natural Resources

The basic changes incorporated in this rule revision include:

1. Establishing muzzle-loader only deer hunting in Governor Dodge, Blue Mound and Perrot state parks during the gun deer season. Growing interest in muzzle-loading weapons has led to increased requests for special hunts with these guns.
2. Establishing a buck deer season in the Mississippi River zone.
3. Eliminating deer hunting within the boundaries of Lake Wissota State Park. Because of use conflicts and minimal deer harvested, deer hunting is no longer warranted. In 1979-80 over 400 people visited the park during the deer season; only about 80 of these were hunters.
4. Establishing a trapping season on coyotes beginning the Saturday nearest November 1 to January 31.
5. Restricting the possession of traps which allow more than one animal to be taken or captured in any single trap setting. Currently no person may operate such a trap, but enforcement is difficult.
6. Reducing the minimum trap size restriction of killer-type traps used for beaver and otter trapping.
7. Modifying the protection provided by certain existing waterfowl closed areas which restrict hunting through the goose season (but allow gun deer hunting) to provide such protection only through the duck season. The areas affected are the Mead, McMillan, Navarino and Thunder Marsh Wildlife Areas.

Pursuant to the authority vested in the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board by sections 23.09(2), 23.11(1), 29.085, 29.108, 29.174 and 227.014, Wisconsin Statutes, the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board hereby renumbers, amends, repeals and recreates, and creates rules interpreting sections 23.09(2), 29.108 and 29.174, Wisconsin Statutes, as follows:

SECTION 1 - Sections NR 10.01 (3) (e) 1. a. and b. are amended to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Limit
<p>a. In the counties or parts of counties of Brown, Buffalo (north of U.S. highway 10), Calumet, Chippewa (south of state highway 64 and west of U.S. highway 53), Dane (west of state highway 78 and north of U.S. highway 18), Dodge, Door, Dunn (south of state highway 64), Fond du Lac, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Outagamie, Pepin (north of U.S. highway 10), Pierce (north of U.S. highway 10), St. Croix (south of state highway 64), Sheboygan, Shawano (south of state highway 29), Waupaca and Winnebago.</p>	<p>Shotgun season Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days</p>	<p>One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length or <u>permit limit</u></p>
<p>b. All other parts of Zone "A"</p>	<p>Firearm season Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days</p>	<p>One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length or <u>permit limit</u></p>

SECTION 2 - Sections NR 10.01 (3) (e) 2. a., c. and d. are repealed and recreated to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Limit
<p>a. In Vernon county west and north of state highways 27 and 82</p>	<p>Firearm season Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days</p>	<p>One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length</p>

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Limit
c. The counties of Jackson (south of state highways 54, 108 and 71), La Crosse, Monroe (south of state highway 71 and west of state highway 27), and Trempealeau (west and south of state highways 93 and 121, U.S. highways 10 and 53 and state highway 54).		
Shotgun season	Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 2 consecutive days	One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length
Firearm season	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
d. All other parts of Zone "B"		
Shotgun season	Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days	One buck deer per season with an antler not less than 3 inches in length

SECTION 3 - Section NR 10.01 (3) (h) 2. is amended to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Limit
2. Trapping. In all counties of the state	All-year <u>Beginning on the Saturday nearest November 1 and continuing through January 31</u>	None

SECTION 4 - Section NR 10.14 (2) and (7) are amended to read:

(2) It shall be unlawful for any person to set, place, ~~or~~ 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) 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 ~~8"-x-8"~~ 6 3/4" x 6 3/4" for killer traps of the conibear type during the beaver and otter season.

SECTION 5 - Sections NR 10.27 (1) and (2) are amended to read:

(1) ~~Gun Muzzle-loader~~ season only; Governor Dodge state park, Blue Mound state park and Perrot state park.

(2) Gun season and December bow and arrow season only: Rock Island state park, Newport state park, Big Bay state park recreation area, ~~Lake-Wissota state-park-recreation-area~~, Tuscobia-Park Falls state trail, Elroy-Sparta state trail, Mirror Lake state park recreation area, Hartman Creek state park, Devil's Lake state park, Interstate state park, Wildcat Mountain state park, Willow River state park and Kinnickinnic state park.

SECTION 6 - Section NR 11.25 is created to read:

NR 11.25 CLOSED AREA; WATERFOWL RETRIEVING ZONE. A closed season is established in the following described areas, and it is unlawful for any person to take, catch, kill, hunt, trap or pursue in any manner any species of wild animals or birds thereon during the periods established in s. NR 10.01 (1)(b), Wis. Adm. Code, as open season on ducks, except deer during the periods established in s. NR 10.01(3)(e), Wis. Adm. Code, as open gun season on deer, and except that legally killed or crippled waterfowl may be retrieved by dog or hand.

SECTION 7 - Section NR 11.26 (8) is renumbered to be NR 11.25 (1).

SECTION 8 - Section NR 11.27 (14), (16) and (19) are renumbered to be NR 11.271 (1) through (3) respectively

SECTION 9 - Section NR 11.271 (intro.) is created to read:

NR 11.271 CLOSED AREA; WATERFOWL. A closed season is established in the following areas, and it is unlawful for any person to take, catch, kill, hunt, trap, or pursue in any manner any species of wild animals or birds thereon during the period established in s. NR 10.01(1)(b), Wis. Adm. Code, as open season on ducks, except deer during the periods established in s. NR 10.01(3)(e), Wis. Adm. Code, as open season on deer.

The foregoing rules were approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on November 20, 1980.

The rules contained herein shall take effect as provided in s. 227.026(1)(intro.), Stats.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin

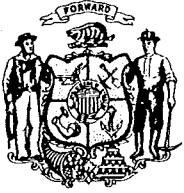
June 11, 1981

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

By

Carroll D. Besadny
Carroll D. Besadny, Secretary

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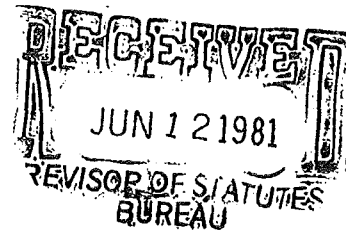
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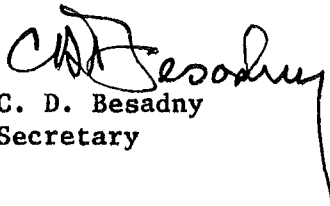


Dear Mr. Prestegard:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No. G-51-80. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Tourism and Recreation and the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources pursuant to s. 227.018, Stats. There were no objections.

You will note that this order takes effect following publication. Kindly publish these rules for an October 1, 1981 effective date.

Sincerely,


C. D. Besadny
Secretary

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