

Kind of animal Locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
	For 1995 and subsequent years the season runs concurrent with the seasons described in subpar. a.	Same as in subpar. a.
2. Cocks and hens — Within the following named properties as posted with department signs:	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing for 14 consecutive days	Daily bag 1; possession 2
a. Avoca (Iowa county)	Beginning on the 15th day following the Saturday nearest October 17 and continuing for 40 consecutive days	Daily bag 2; possession 4
b. Blackhawk (Iowa county)		
c. Scuppernong (Waukesha County)		
d. Little Scarboro and Kewaunee (Kewaunee county)		
e. Pine River (Richland county)		
f. Vernon (Waukesha county)		
g. Blue River unit of the Lower Wisconsin Riverway (Grant county)		
h. La Farge (Vernon county)		
i. Kettle Moraine state forest (Waukesha county)		
j. Jim Falls wildlife area (Chippewa county)		
k. Clifton Coulee wildlife area (Monroe county)		
l. Bell Center public hunting ground (Crawford county)		

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) <i>Gray (Hungarian) partridge</i>		
1. In all counties of the state except in the areas listed in subd. 2.	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing through December 31.	Daily bag 3; possession 6

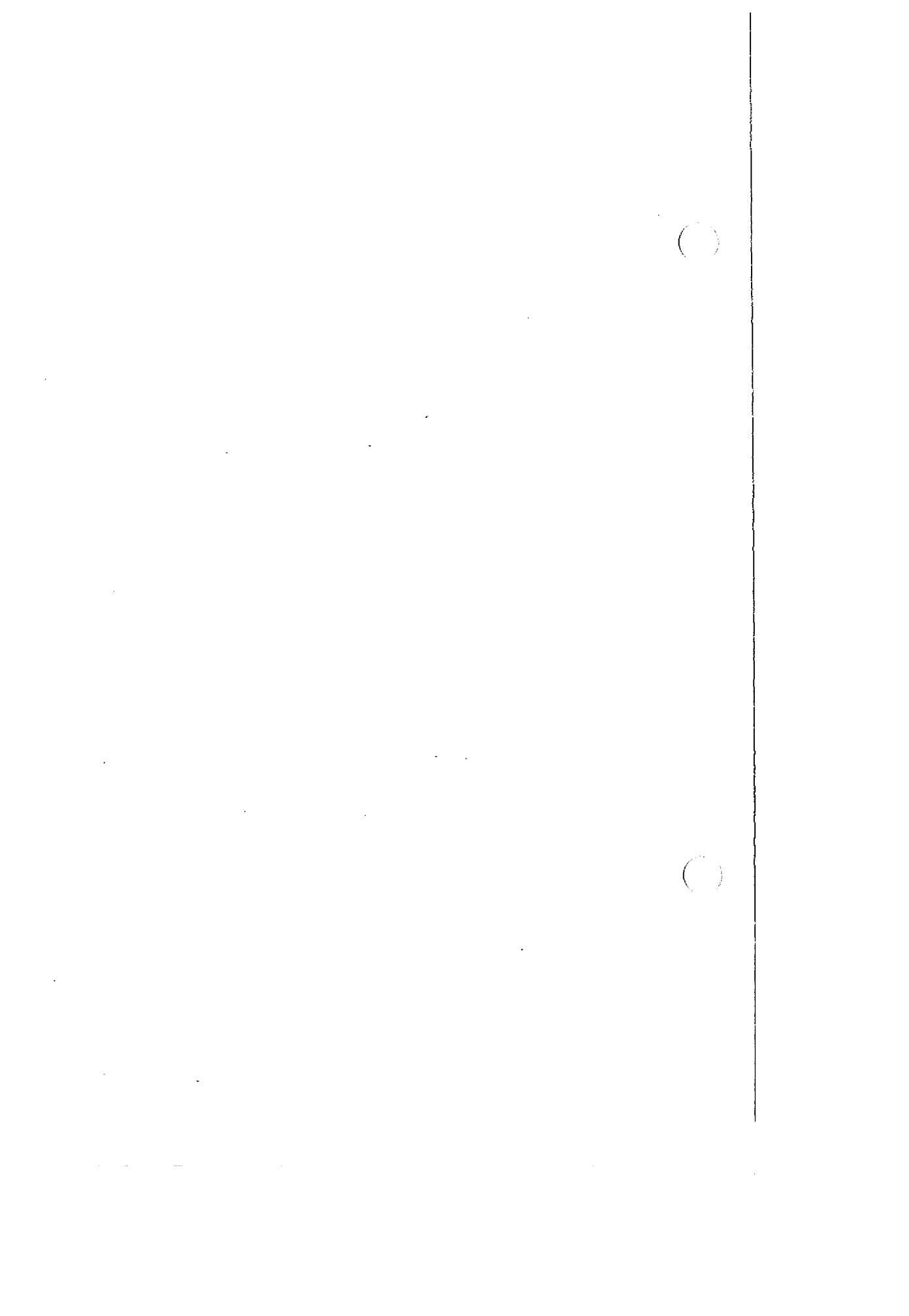
Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
2.	Clark, Marathon and Taylor counties.	None	None
(e)	<i>Bobwhite quail</i> In all counties of the state	Beginning on Saturday nearest October 17 at 12:00 noon and continuing for 54 consecutive days	Daily bag 5; possession 10
(f)	<i>Wild turkey.</i>		
1.	All wild turkey hunting zones as described in s. NR 10.29, excluding state parks for which a quota has been established under s. NR 10.25 (5).	Spring seasons beginning on Wednesday nearest April 13 and continuing Wednesday through Sunday for 6 consecutive 5-day time periods, except on Ft. McCoy military reservation where the season continues for 40 consecutive days.	Only male or bearded turkeys may be killed. The possession limit corresponds to the number of carcass tags issued.
2.	All wild turkey hunting zones as described in s. NR 10.29, excluding state parks, for which a quota has been established under s. NR 10.25 (5).	Fall season beginning on the Monday nearest October 10 and continuing for 28 consecutive days.	Either sex of turkey may be killed. The possession limit corresponds to the number of carcass tags issued.
3.	Zones 4A, 5A, 10A, 13A, 15A and 15C as described in s. NR 10.29.	Spring season beginning on the Wednesday nearest April 13 and continuing Wednesday through Sunday for 3 consecutive 5-day time periods.	Only male or bearded turkeys may be killed. The possession limit corresponds to the number of carcass tags issued.

(3) UPLAND GAME ANIMALS

(a)	<i>Gray and fox squirrels</i> 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)	<i>Raccoon (resident hunting and trapping)</i> In all counties of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 and continuing through January 31.	None
(bm)	<i>Raccoon (nonresident hunting)</i> In all counties of the state	Beginning on the Saturday nearest November 1 and continuing through January 31.	None
(c)	<i>Cottontail, jackrabbit and snowshoe hare</i>		
1.	Snowshoe hare in all counties of the state	All year	None
2.	Cottontail		

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
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		

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Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
4.	Zone D as described in s. NR 10.35.	Beginning on the day following the close of the open season for ducks as established under sub. (1) (b) 1. and continuing through March 16.	None
(d) Otter trapping.			
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
(dm) Fisher trapping.			
1.	Management zone A - Deer management units 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 17 as described in s. NR 10.28	Nov. 1-Dec.31	One per permit issued under s. NR 10.145.
2.	Management zone B - Deer management units 6, 7, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 25, 28, 29A and 30 as described in s. NR 10.28	Nov. 1-Dec. 31	One per permit issued under s. NR 10.145.
3.	Management zone C - Deer management units 29B, 31, 32, 34, 35, 36, 37 and 52 as described in s. NR 10.28	Nov. 1-Dec.31	One per permit issued under s. NR 10.145
4.	Management zone D - Deer management units 38, 39, 40, 42, 43, 45, 49A, 49B and 50	Nov. 1-Dec. 31	One per permit issued under s. NR 10.145
5.	Remainder of the state	None	None

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Register, May, 1990, No. 413, eff. 6-1-90; r. and recr. (2) (f) 2. and 3., cr. (1) (g) 1. m., Register, July, 1990, No. 415, eff. 8-1-90; am. (3) (f), Register, September, 1990, No. 417, eff. 10-1-90; r. and recr. (2) (a) and (c) 2., am. (3) (e) 2. intro., a. and e., r. (3) (e) 6., renum. (3) (e) 7. to be 6., Register, October, 1990, No. 418, eff. 11-1-90; emerg. r. and recr. (3) (e) and (3) (h) 1. a., eff. 11-15-90; r. and recr. (2) (f) 2., Register, January, 1991, No. 421, eff. 2-1-91; r. and recr. (1) (b) and (g), Register, March, 1991, No. 423, eff. 4-1-91; and recr. (4) (c), Register, May, 1991, No. 425, eff. 6-1-91; r. and recr. (2) (f), Register, June, 1991, No. 426, eff. 7-1-91; r. and recr. (3) (em) and (g), Register, August, 1991, No. 428, eff. 9-1-91; emerg. r. and recr. (1) (b), (g) and (u) 1., eff. 9-16-91; r. and recr. (3) (h) 2., Register, September, 1991, No. 429, eff. 10-1-91; r. and recr. (2) (b) and (3) (e) 2., am. (2) (c) 2. and (f) 2., cr. (3) (es), Register, October, 1991, No. 430, eff. 11-1-91; except (2) (c) 2. and (f) 2., eff. 3-1-92; r. and recr. (1) (b), (g) and (u) 1., Register, April, 1992, No. 436, eff. 5-1-92; am. (2) (c) 2. g. and h., r. and recr. (2) (f), Register, June, 1992, No. 438, eff. 7-1-92; r. (1) (g) 1. i. and j., renum. (1) (g) 1. k. to be i. r. and recr. (3) (e), (em) and (es), Register, August, 1992, No. 440, eff. 9-1-92; emerg. r. and recr. (1) (b), (g) and (u) 1., eff. 9-1-92; r. and recr. (1) (b), (g), (u) 1., (2) (c) 1. and (3) (h) 1. a., r. (4) (e), Register, February, 1993, No. 446, eff. 3-1-93; r. and recr. (4) (dm), Register, May, 1993, No. 449, eff. 6-1-93; am. (2) (c) 2. i to l, r. and recr. (2) (f) 2., Register, December, 1993, No. 456, eff. 1-1-94.

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 12-1-73 through 7-31-85 see the history note following s. NR 10.01 published in the July, 1985 Register.

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.

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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.

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

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Gun Deer Hunting Hours C.S.T.

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

Note: Times listed for September 1 through December 31 are 30 minutes before sunrise to sunset.

(6) PHEASANT HUNTING. Except as provided in this subsection, pheasant hunting hours are those hunting hours established for small game in s. NR 10.06 (3). Pheasant hunting hours shall close at 2:00 p.m. daily within the posted boundaries of the following state wildlife areas 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) Eldorado Marsh (Fond du Lac county)
- (f) Goose Lake (Dane county)
- (g) Grand River (Green Lake and Marquette counties)
- (h) Holland (Brown county)
- (i) Horicon (Dodge county)
- (j) Jackson Marsh (Washington county)
- (k) Killsnake (Calumet and Manitowoc counties)
- (l) Little Scarboro — Kewaunee (Kewaunee county)
- (m) Mazomanie (Dane county)
- (n) Mud Lake (Kenosha county)

- (o) New Munster (Kenosha county)
- (p) Nichols Creek (Sheboygan county)
- (q) Scuppernong (Waukesha county)
- (r) Theresa (Dodge and Washington counties)
- (s) Tichigan (Racine county)
- (t) Vernon (Waukesha county)
- (u) White River (Green Lake and Marquette counties)

(7) **WILD TURKEY HUNTING.** The hunting hours for pursuing wild turkeys shall be the same as the hours established in sub. (3) except that spring hunting hours shall close at 12:00 noon daily.

(8) **EXCEPTIONS.** There are no hunting hour restrictions for pursuing coyote, fox, raccoon and all wild animals for which no closed season is established except as follows:

(a) *Bow bear and deer seasons.* Hunting hours established in sub. (3) shall apply to archers pursuing any species during the bow bear season established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (g) and during the bow deer season established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (em).

(b) *Gun deer season.* Hunting hours established in sub. (3) shall apply to bow and gun hunters pursuing any species during the regular gun deer season established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e).

Note: The big game hunting hours do not apply to persons hunting coyote, fox, raccoon or other wild animals for which no closed season has been established during the muzzle-loader season or an extended gun deer season.

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. 89, 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; renum. to be NR 10.06; r. (4), Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (3), Register, August, 1971, No. 188, 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, 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, 1976, 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; cr. (6) (jm), Register, October, 1986, No. 370, eff. 11-1-86; emerg. am. (2) (d), eff. 9-25-97; am. (2) (d), Register, December, 1987, No. 384, eff. 1-1-88; r. and recr. (2) (b), (3) to (5), r. (2) (d), renum. (2) (e) to be (3) (b), cr. (7) and (8), Register, October, 1988, No. 394, eff. 1-1-89; r. and recr. (4), Register, January 1989 No. 397, eff. 2-1-89; r. and recr. (2) (b), (3) (b), (7) and (8) (a) to (c), r. (2) (c) and (5), am. (3) (a), Register, October, 1989, No. 406, eff. 11-1-89; r. and recr. (4), Register, March, 1990, No. 411, eff. 4-1-90; am. (8) (b), Register, September, 1990, No. 417, eff. 10-1-90; am. (2) (b) and (3) (a), Register, August, 1991, No. 428, eff. 9-1-91; r. and recr. (4) (intro.), Register, September, 1991, No. 429, eff. 10-1-91; cr. (5), Register, January, 1992, No. 433, eff. 2-1-92; r. (4) (b), Register, April, 1992, No. 436, eff. 5-1-92; r. (6) (jm), Register, June, 1992, No. 438, eff. 7-1-92; emerg. cr. (4) (b), r. (4) (c), eff. 9-1-92; cr. (4) (b), r. (4) (c), Register, February, 1993, No. 446, eff. 3-1-93; r. and recr. (6), Register, December, 1993, No. 456, eff. 1-1-94.

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
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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.

3. While hunting with a firearm or bow, possess or accompany a person possessing, any turkey decoy or device which may be used to call or attract wild turkeys during the spring hunting season for wild turkeys described in s. NR 10.01 (2) (f) unless that person possesses a valid, unused turkey hunting permit and carcass tag.

(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 or containing metal, paper, plastic, glass, wood other than hollow stumps or other nondegradable materials.

2. Except as established in s. NR 10.12 (1) (h), use any bait material, liquid or scent for attracting wild animals containing honey, bones, fish, meat, solid animal fat or parts of animal carcasses.

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

4. Hunt over baiting material, liquid or scent during the archery season without possessing a valid, unused bear harvest permit or archery deer tag.

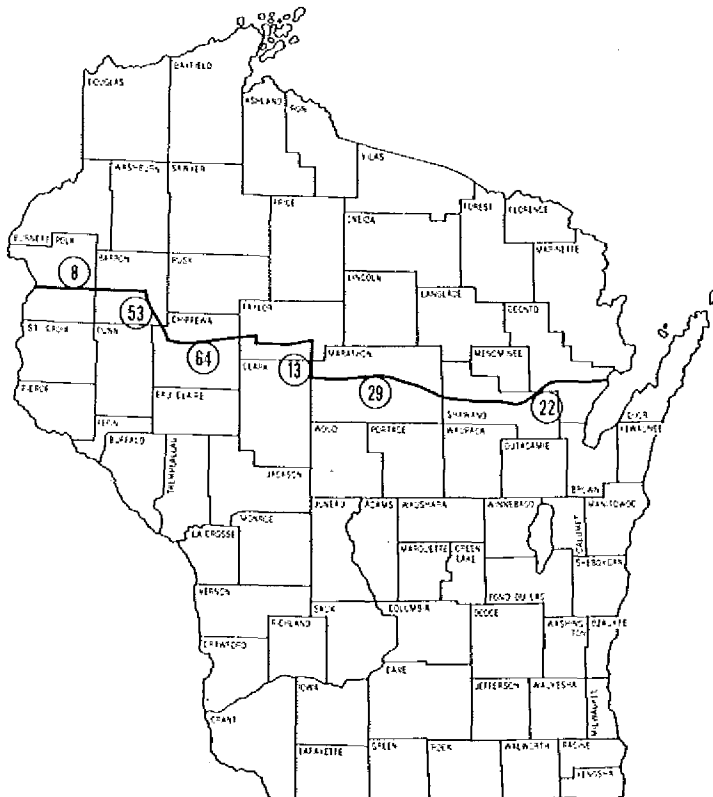
5. Use or hunt over a baited area containing more than 10 gallons of bait material or liquid scent.

6. This paragraph does not prohibit hunting over bait materials deposited by natural vegetation or found solely as a result of normal agricultural practices.

7. Hunt using bait during the closed hours for hunting small game, as established in s. NR 10.06 (3), unless the hunting involves the release of trailing dogs.

(i) *Dog use.* Hunt or pursue any free-roaming wild animal with the aid of dog or dogs May 1 to June 30 in that portion of the state north of the highways shown on the following map except for dog trials and training under permit as established by ch. NR 17:

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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. 56, 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; cr. (1) (i), Register, October, 1987, No. 382, eff. 11-1-87; emerg. am. (2) (d), eff. 9-25-87; am. (2) (d), Register, December, 1987, No. 384, eff. 1-1-88; r. and recr. (1) (g), r. (1) (h), Register, September, 1990, No. 417, eff. 10-1-90; cr. (1) (b) 3, Register, October, 1991, No. 430, eff. 3-1-92; cr. (1) (g) 7., Register, December, 1993, No. 456, eff. 1-1-94.

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

(d) *Population goals.* The fall pre-hunt black bear population goal is as follows:

<u>Zone</u>	<u>Population Goal</u>
A	4,100
B	1,900
C	400

(e) *Temporary bear harvest subzones.* 1. The department may establish temporary bear harvest subzones within each black bear management zone to increase or decrease harvest within specific subzones to assure maintenance of bear populations at a density level equivalent to that of the bear management zone.

2. The department may require that a portion of the permits available within a bear management zone be specific to a temporary bear harvest subzone to assure maintenance of bear populations at a density level equivalent to that of the bear management zone.

3. Permits for the temporary subzones shall be used only within the subzone.

4. Temporary subzone boundaries shall follow deer management unit boundaries as identified in s. NR 10.28.

5. Temporary subzones may be established to increase bear harvest when either of the following 2 conditions exist within the area considered for a subzone:

a. The bear population density within the subzone for the previous 3 year period exceeds by 20% the zone population density goal as indicated by indices or models, or both.

b. Bear nuisance or agricultural damage complaints per square mile within the subzone exceed the zone average by 20% or more for the previous 3 year period.

6. Temporary subzones may be established to decrease harvest when either one of the following conditions exist:

a. The mortality rate of adult bears within the subzone exceeds 22% for the previous 3 year period.

b. The bear population density within the subzone for the previous 3 year period is below the zone population density goal by 20% or more as indicated by indices or models, or both.

7. Each temporary bear harvest subzone may be established for a period not to exceed 2 years.

(2) **APPLICATION PROCEDURE.** Application for harvest permits shall be on forms provided by the department. Applicants shall indicate their black bear hunting zone preference. Applications shall be postmarked no later than the Friday nearest January 15 or received by the department license section, 101 South Webster, P.O. Box 7924, Madison, WI 53707 no later than 4:30 p.m. on that Friday each year.

(3) **PERMIT ISSUANCE.** The department shall select successful applicants and issue permit approval notices no later than February 15 of each year. The department may reissue a permit if the permit is returned undelivered by the postal authorities or if the applicant fails to or cannot comply with s. 29.1085, Stats. Selection shall be by random drawing.

(4) **FEES.** A successful applicant shall submit the appropriate permit fee established by s. 29.092 (2) (kg) or (kr), Stats., to the department before receiving a harvest permit. The fees shall be mailed and postmarked no later than the Friday nearest March 1 or received by the department license section, 101 South Webster, P.O. Box 7924, Madison, WI 53707 no later than 4:30 p.m. on that Friday each year.

(5) **PERMIT ATTACHMENT.** The bear harvest permit shall be attached to the bear hunting license by the applicant immediately upon receipt.

(6) **BEAR PURSUIT.** No licensee may pursue a bear by any method unless that person holds a valid bear harvest permit or is assisting a person who holds a valid bear harvest permit issued under s. 29.1085, Stats.

History: Cr. Register, June, 1986, No. 366, eff. 7-1-86; am. (1) (a) to (d), Register, July, 1987, No. 379, eff. 8-1-87; am. (1), Register, June, 1988, No. 390, eff. 7-1-88; r. and recr. (1) (a), renum. (1) (b) to (e) and (2) to be (2) to (6), Register, October, 1988, No. 394, eff. 1-1-89; am. (1) (b), Register, September, 1991, No. 429, eff. 10-1-91; am. (1) (d), Register, February, 1993, No. 446, eff. 3-1-93; cr. (1) (e), Register, December, 1993, No. 466, eff. 1-1-94.

NR 10.103 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 while hunting. While hunting, no person may possess a validated carcass tag unless it is attached to a legally killed 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 marks on the carcass tag as designated by the department. 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; renum. from NR 10.102, Register, June, 1986, No. 366, eff. 7-1-86; am. (1), Register, October, 1991, No. 430, eff. 11-1-91; am. (2), Register, May, 1993, No. 449, eff. 6-1-93.

NR 10.104 Deer hunting permits. (1) FINDING. The natural resources board finds that an additional harvest of deer is necessary to reduce the 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 issued to any person in possession of a valid license authorizing the hunting of deer. All applications shall be on department forms and no person may submit more than one application.

(a) **Application deadline.** All applications shall be postmarked no later than the deadline dates indicated on the form or received by the department license section no later than 4:30 p.m. on those dates to be considered for selection. The department may not establish the annual application deadline to be earlier than July 1.

Note: The department conducts extensive publicity on the application deadlines beginning several months prior to any deadline. Application deadline dates are published in news register, December, 1993, No. 466

leases, license outlet handouts, and pertinent regulation pamphlets. The license section address is 101 South Webster, Box 7926, Madison, WI 53707.

(b) *Group applications.* Group applications up to and including 4 hunters will be honored for deer hunting established in s. NR 10.01 (3) (e) 3. provided each applicant completes the application form and all forms are submitted in one envelope marked "group application" on the outside.

(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.

(c) *Unallotted permits.* The department may issue any remaining antlerless deer permits to interested permit applicants and on a first-come, first-served basis to persons who possess a valid deer hunting license.

(4) **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.

(5) **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

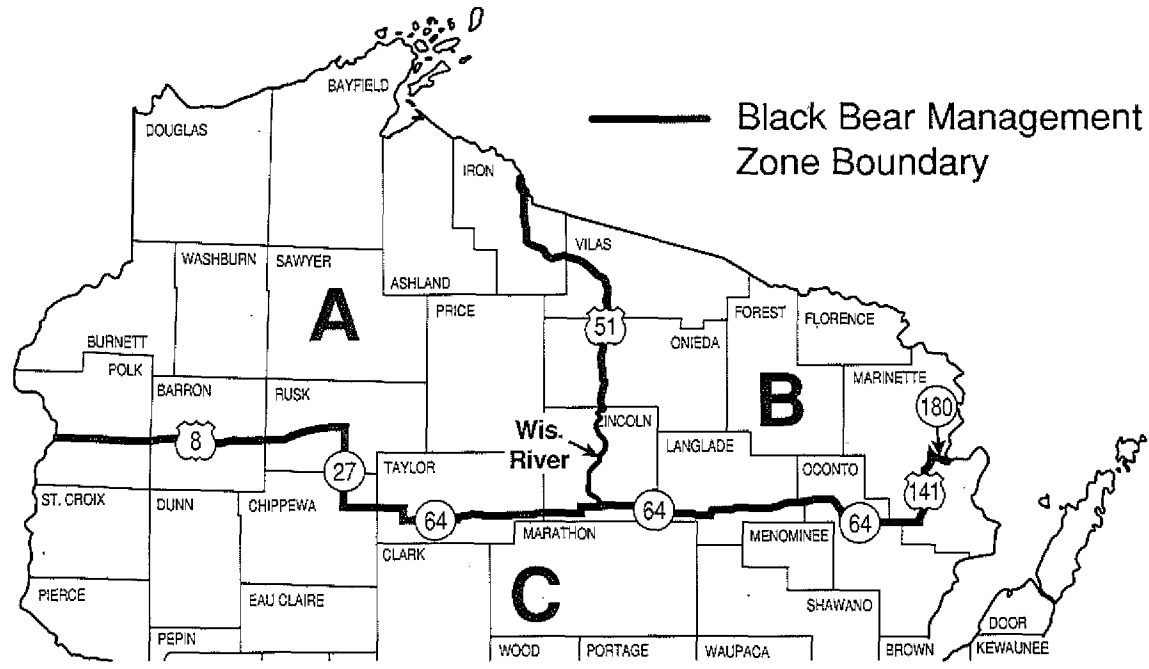
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NR 10.30 Black bear hunting zones. Black bear hunting zones are established as designated on the following map:

History: Cr. Register July, 1987, No. 379, eff. 8-1-87; r. and rec. map, Register, December, 1993, No. 456, eff. 1-1-94.



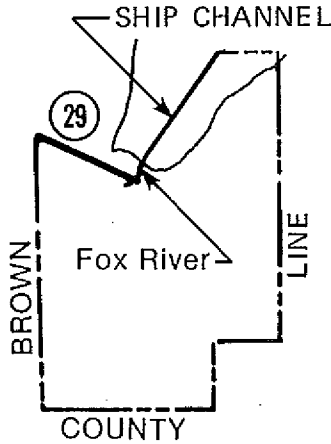
(Zone C extends south to Wisconsin State Line)

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NR 10.31 Canada goose management zones. Canada goose management zones are established by the following maps:

(1) EXTERIOR ZONE. The exterior goose management zone is defined in s. NR 10.001 (9m) and includes the following subzones:

(a) *Brown county subzone.*



(b) *Burnett county subzone.*

