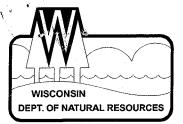
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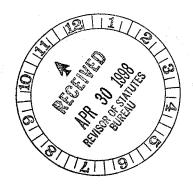
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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, George E. Meyer, 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. WM-30-97 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on February 25, 1998. 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 the Natural Resources Building in the City of Madison, this 2 day of April, 1998.

George El Meyer, Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD REPEALING, AMENDING, REPEALING AND RECREATING AND CREATING RULES.

The Wisconsin Natural Resources Board proposes an order to amend NR 10.01(3)(e)3. a. and d., (es), 10.27(5) to (7); to repeal and recreate NR 10.28(1) and to create NR 10.104(8)(e) relating to deer hunting and bonus antlerless deer permits.

WM-30-97

Analysis Prepared by the Department of Natural Resources

Statutory authority: ss. 29.1075, 29.557(3), 29.174(3) and 227.11(2), Stats.

Statutes interpreted: ss. 29.1075, 29.557, 29.174(2), Stats.

In this order:

Section 1. State park deer hunting - eliminates the nine day muzzle loader only season at Harrington Beach state park.

Section 2. State park deer hunting - Creates a 16 day muzzle loader only season for Yellowstone (unit 75B), Rib Mountain (unit 57D), Harrington Beach (unit 69C) and Brunet Island (unit 23A) state parks.

Section 3. <u>State park deer hunting</u> - Clarifies that muzzle loader hunts may be held at some state parks during the statewide muzzle loader season.

Section 4. <u>Bonus permits for farm owners</u> - Establishes free bonus permits for qualified farm owners with the purchase of each bonus permit.

Section 5. <u>State park firearm and archery deer hunting</u> - Removes Rock Island state park from the list of parks where firearm and archery deer hunting are permitted, but hunting during the sevenday muzzle loader only season is not permitted.

Section 6. <u>State park archery deer hunting</u> - Establishes bow hunting for deer during the December portion of the archery season and reaffirms muzzle loader hunting for 16 days at Yellowstone, Rib Mountain, Harrington Beach and Brunet Island state parks.

Section 7. State park deer hunting - Allows hunting during the seven-day muzzle loader only season at Rock Island state park. Also establishes an early bow season beginning on October 15 for Rock Island state park.

Section 8 State park deer management units - Designates deer management unit numbers and adds Yellowstone (unit 75B), Rib Mountain (unit 57D), and Brunet Island (unit 23A) state parks to the statewide Deer Management Unit Map.

Section 1. NR 10.01 (3) (e) 3. a. is amended to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
a. Governor Dodge (unit 70C), Blue Mound (unit 70D), Harrington Beach (unit 69C), Perrot (unit 61A) and Peninsula (unit 80C) state parks.	Muzzle loading firearm season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for up to 9 consecutive days as indicated on the permit.	One deer as authorized by hunter's choice and antlerless deer permits issued under s. NR 10.104.

Section 2. NR 10.01(3)(e)3. d. is amended to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit
d. Loew Lake Unit - Kettle Moraine state forest (unit 77D)-and Wildcat Mountain (unit 72A), Yellowstone (unit 75B), Rib Mountain (unit 57D), Harrington Beach (unit 69C) and Brunet Island (unit	Muzzle loading firearm season beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for up to 16 consecutive days as indicated on the permit.	One deer as authorized by hunter's choice and antlerless deer permits issued under s. NR 10.104

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Section 3. NR 10.01 (3) (es) is amended to read:

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (all dates inclusive)	Limit	
(es) Muzzle loader deer season			_
Entire state excluding any state park with firearm seasons as described in s. NR 10.27.	Beginning on the Monday immediately following the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 7 consecutive days.	As authorized by hunter's choice and antlerless deer permits issued under s. NR 10.104	

Section 4. NR 10.104 (8) (e) is created to read:

NR 10.104 (8) (e) Bonus permits for farm owners. Eligible resident farm owners under s. 29.1075, Stats., will receive one free bonus permit for each one they purchase in deer management units with additional permits as described in s. NR 10.104(8)(c). Where there are joint owners or vendee names under a land contract, only one of the owners or vendees is eligible. To be an eligible farm under this section, a majority of the land must be used on a commercial basis, to produce income.

Section 5. NR 10.27 (5) is amended to read:

NR 10.27(5) FIREARM AND LATE BOW SEASONS. Deer hunting by firearm and bow and arrow is established by s. NR 10.01(3)(e)3. and the December portion of s. NR 10.01 (3)(em) for the following:

- (b) Devil's Lake state park
- (c) Elroy-Sparta state trail
- (d) Hartman Creek state park
- (e) Interstate state park
- (f) Kinnickinnic state park
- (g) Mirror Lake state park
- (I) Rock Island state park
- (j) Tuscobia-Park Falls state trail
- (L) Willow River state park
- (m) Rocky Arbor state park

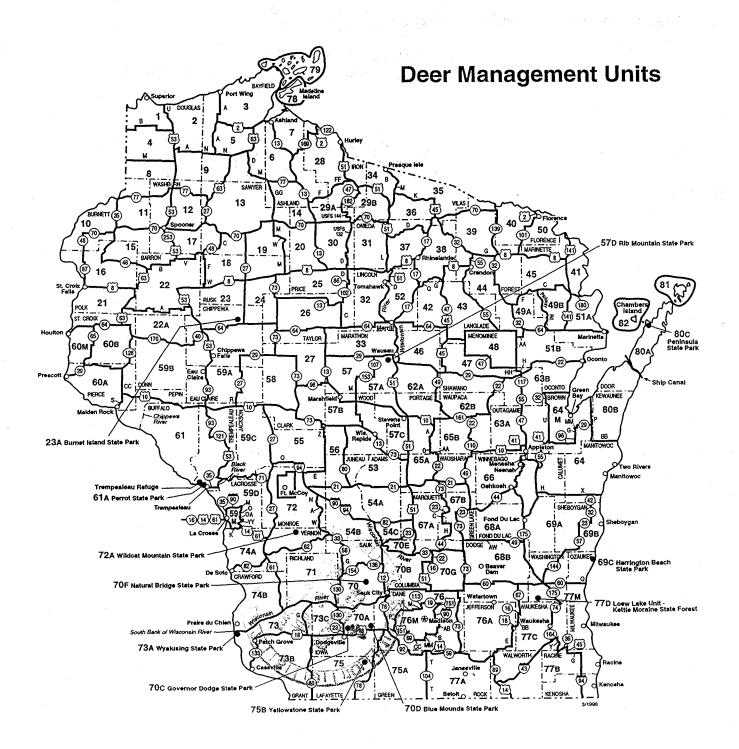
Section 6. NR 10.27 (6) is amended to read:

NR 10.27 (6) LATE BOW AND MUZZLE LOADER SEASON. Deer hunting by bow and arrow is established for the December portion of s. NR 10.01 (3)(e)3-(em) and by muzzle loader during the season established in s. NR 10.01 (3)(e)3 for Wildcat Mountain state park, Yellowstone, Rib Mountain, Harrington Beach and Brunet Island state parks. Hunting and the bag limit is authorized by unfilled hunter's choice and antlerless deer permits issued under s. NR 10.104.

Section 7. NR 10.27 (7) is amended to read:

NR 10.27 (7) FIREARM, MUZZLELOADER AND LATE BOW SEASON. Deer hunting by firearm, muzzleloader and bow and arrow is established by s. NR 10.01 (3)(e) 3., (es) and for the December portion of s. NR 10.01 (3) (em) for Newport-state park and Rock Island state parks. Additionally, deer hunting by bow and arrow shall begin on October 15 and continue for the remainder of the season established in s. NR 10.01 (3)(em) for Rock Island state park.

(1) STATEWIDE DEER MANAGEMENT UNITS



The foregoing rule was approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on February 26, 1998 and March 25, 1998.

The rule shall take effect the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register as provided in s. 227.22(2)(intro.), Stats

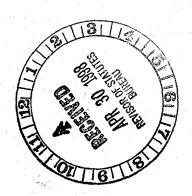
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April 22, 1998

Mr. Gary L. Poulson Assistant Revisor of Statutes 131 West Wilson Street - Suite 800 Madison, WI

Dear Mr. Poulson:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No.WM-30-97. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Natural Resources and the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Environmental Resources pursuant to s. 227.19, Stats. Summaries of the final regulatory flexibility analysis and comments of the legislative review committees are also enclosed.

You will note that this order takes effect following publication. Kindly publish it in the Administrative Code accordingly.

Sincerely,

George E. Meyer

Secretary

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