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WILDLIFE RESOURCES**

**CHAPTER 1660-01-08
RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING HUNTS**

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1660-01-08-.03 PERMIT REQUIREMENTS - WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS, REFUGES AND OTHER AGENCY CONTROLLED LANDS.

- (1) Permits (On Wildlife Management Areas and Refuges Where Permits Are Required).
 - (a) Before any person may hunt on a wildlife management area or refuge he must possess a valid and appropriate area hunt permit as specified in Items (2) and (3) below, except when exempt from doing so under the provisions of Item (1)(b) below. Such permits are not transferable.
 - (b) Hunt applicants or participants must be seventeen (17) years of age or over for hunting turkey, deer, bear and wild hog except that youths, ages 6-16, may apply and participate if they are accompanied on the hunt by an adult, twenty-one (21) years of age or older. Youths under sixteen (16) years of age are exempt from purchasing an area hunt permit on all wildlife management areas and refuges when hunting any species except big game, but they must be accompanied on the hunt by an adult who possesses a valid hunt permit.
 - (c) A management area hunt permit is automatically voided when the permittee's bag limit is filled.
- (2) Reelfoot Preservation Permit.
 - (a) Before any person shall hunt, trap fish or participate in boating upon the waters or lands of Reelfoot Wildlife Management Area, including the washout and tailwaters downstream as marked, Black Bayou Refuge, and that portion of the Reelfoot National Wildlife Refuge in Tennessee, a Reelfoot Preservation Permit shall be carried on the person of said users when participating in the above mentioned activities for inspection by duly authorized officers.

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- (b) Exemptions - Persons exempt from the Reelfoot Preservation Permit requirement are those under sixteen (16) years of age, residents sixty-five (65) years of age or older, and holders of the adult Sportsman License or Lifetime Sportsman License.

- (3) Before any person, except those under sixteen (16) years of age hunting small game and waterfowl, may hunt on a wildlife management area or refuge, he must possess a permit as outlined below.
 - (a) A WMA Small Game permit is required on the following wildlife management areas and refuges:

AEDC	Forks of the River	North Chickamauga Creek
Alpine Mountain	Haley-Jaqueth	North Cumberland
Arnold Hollow	Harmon Creek	Oak Ridge
Bark Camp Barrens	Haynes Bottom	Obion River
Barkley	Headwaters	Old Hickory
Bean Switch Refuge	Henderson Island Refuge	Old Hickory Lock 5 Refuge
Bear Hollow Mountain	Hick Hill	Owl Hollow Mill
Beaver Dam Creek	Hickory Flat	Paint Rock Refuge
Big Sandy (including Gin Creek)	Hiwassee Refuge	Parker Branch
Bogota	Hop-In Refuge	Pea Ridge
Bridgestone/Firestone Centennial Wilderness	Horns Bluff Refuge	Percy Priest
	Jackson Swamp	Perryville
Browntown	Jarrell Switch Refuge	Prentice Cooper
Buffalo Springs	John Tully	Rankin
Camden	Keyes-Harrison	Shelton Ferry
Catoosa	Kingston Refuge	Skinner Mountain
Cedar Hill Swamp	Kyker Bottoms Refuge	South Fork Refuge
Charlotte Ann Finnell Neal	Kyles Ford	Tellico Lake
Cheatham	Laurel Hill	Thorny Cypress
Cheatham Lake	Lick Creek	Tie Camp
Chickamauga	Lick Creek Bottoms	Tigrett
Chuck Swan	Luper Mountain	The Boils
Cordell Hull	Maness Swamp Refuge	Three Rivers
Cordell Hull Refuge	Maple Springs	Tumbleweed
Cove Creek	Meeman-Shelby Forest	Watts Bar
C. M. Gooch	Mingo Swamp	West Sandy
Cummings Cove	Moss Island	White Lake Refuge
Cypress Pond	Mount Roosevelt	White Oak
Dry Creek	MTSU	Williamsport
Eagle Creek	Natchez Trace	Wolf River
Eagle Lake Refuge	New Hope	Woods Reservoir Refuge
Ernest Rice Sr.	Nolichucky	Yanahli
Flintville Hatchery	Normandy	Yuchi Refuge
Foothills		

A WMA small game permit is required for individuals participating in dog training. A field trial permit is required on Percy Priest WMA and Tellico Lake WMA.

- (b) A WMA Small Game and Waterfowl permit is required for hunting waterfowl on the following wildlife management areas and refuges:

AEDC	Headwaters	Obion River
Barkley	Hiwassee Refuge	Old Hickory

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Bean Switch Refuge	Horns Bluff Refuge	Parker Branch
Big Sandy (including Gin Creek)	Jackson Swamp	Percy Priest
Bogota	Jarrell Switch Refuge	Shelton Ferry
C.M. Gooch	John Tully	South Fork Refuge
Camden	Moss Island	The Boils
Cedar Hill Swamp	Lick Creek	Thorny Cypress
Charlotte Ann Finnell Neal	Lick Creek Bottoms	Three Rivers
Cheatham Lake	Meeman-Shelby Forest	Tigrett
Chickamauga	Mingo Swamp	Tumbleweed
Cordell Hull	Moss Island	Watts Bar
Cordell Hull Refuge	New Hope	West Sandy
Cypress Pond Refuge	Nolichucky	White Oak
Eagle Lake Refuge	North Chickamauga Creek	Wolf River
Ernest Rice Sr.	Paint Rock Refuge	Yanahli
Harmon Creek	Oak Ridge	Yuchi Refuge
Haynes Bottom		

(c) A WMA big game permit is required for hunting deer, bear, and turkey on the following wildlife management areas and refuges:

AEDC	Fall Creek Falls State Park	Normandy
Alpine Mountain	Flintville Hatchery	North Chickamauga Creek
Arnold Hollow	Foothills	North Cumberland
Bark Camp Barrens	Forks of the River	Oak Ridge
Barkley	Gallatin Steam Plant	Obion River
Bear Hollow Mountain	Haley-Jaqueth	Old Hickory
Bean Switch Refuge	Harmon Creek	Old Hickory Lock 5 Refuge
Beaver Dam Creek	Haynes Bottom	Owl Hollow Mill
Big Sandy (including Gin Creek)	Headwaters	Paint Rock Refuge
Bogota	Henderson Island Refuge	Parker Branch
Bridgestone/Firestone Centennial Wilderness	Hick Hill	Pea Ridge
	Hickory Flat	Percy Priest
Browntown	Hiwassee Refuge	Perryville
Buffalo Springs	Hop-In Refuge	Prentice Cooper
C. M. Gooch	Horns Bluff Refuge	President's Island
Camden	Jackson Swamp	Rankin
Catoosa	Jarrell Switch Refuge	Shelton Ferry
Cedar Hill Swamp	John Tully	Skinner Mountain
Charlotte Ann Finnell Neal	Keyes-Harrison	South Fork Refuge
Cheatham	Kingston Refuge	Tellico Lake
Cheatham Lake	Kyles Ford	The Boils
Cherokee	Laurel Hill	Thorny Cypress
Chickamauga	Lick Creek	Three Rivers
Chuck Swan	Lick Creek Bottoms	Tie Camp WMA
Cordell Hull	Luper Mountain	Tigrett
Cordell Hull Refuge	Maness Swamp Refuge	Tumbleweed
Cove Creek	Maple Springs	Watts Bar
Cummings Cove	Meeman-Shelby Forest	West Sandy
Cypress Pond	Mingo Swamp	White Lake Refuge
Dry Creek	Moss Island	White Oak
Eagle Creek	Mount Roosevelt	Williamsport
Eagle Lake Refuge	MTSU	Wolf River
Edgar Evins State Park	Natchez Trace	Woods Reservoir Refuge
Enterprise South Park	New Hope	Yanahli

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Ernest Rice Sr.	Nolichucky	Yuchi Refuge
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- (d) A WMA Small Game or WMA Small Game and Waterfowl permit is required to trap on all areas that require a small game hunting permit.

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1660-01-08-.05 PERMIT APPLICATIONS AND DRAWINGS.

- (1) Quota Big Game Hunt Drawings
 - (a) Each individual desiring to participate in a managed quota deer, bear, or turkey hunt, must apply only at locations and during periods as designated by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency, except as indicated in items (i), (j), and (k) below.
 - (b) Applicants may submit only one application, except youths six (6) through sixteen (16) years of age may apply for one additional young sportsman hunt on management areas. If an individual's name (except youths applying for one additional young sportsman hunt as noted above) appears on more than one application, that individual will be rejected, his permit fee forfeited, and he/she will be subject to prosecution.

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- (c) For quota big game hunts on wildlife management areas, applicants must be at least six (6) years of age prior to the date of the hunt.
 - (d) All information requested on the application must be completed by the applicant. Failure to clearly specify all information will result in an invalid application.
 - (e) Applications must be received by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency as specified on the application. Applications cannot be accepted after the deadline.
 - (f) Persons may apply as an individual or with up to 14 other individuals as a "party". Specific instructions to apply as a party will be available on the Agency's website and available on the Quota Hunt Instruction Sheet, available at license vendors.
 - (g) Each application must be accompanied by a non-refundable handling fee for each applicant, except Sportsman License holders, Lifetime Sportsman License holders and persons possessing an Annual Senior Citizen Permit (type 167).
 - (h) Priority drawings and procedures for qualifying with priority status will be established as indicated on applications.
 - (i) A drawing will be held to determine successful applicants. If unfilled hunt quotas exist after the regular drawing a vacancy drawing or drawings will be held to fill those vacancies. Successful and unsuccessful applicants will be notified by mail.
 - (j) When vacancies exist following the drawing(s), quotas will be filled by issuing permits to any applicant, on a first-come, first-served basis at locations designated by the Agency. Permits are not transferable. An individual may obtain only one (1) leftover permit per person and may obtain leftover permits for other individuals (limit of one leftover permit per person) if they provide the required information for individuals they are representing.
 - (k) Land Between the Lakes quota hunt drawings – Individuals desiring to participate in a quota hunt on Land Between the Lakes must submit an application as instructed by the USDA Forest Service.
- (2) Waterfowl blind drawing and allocation procedure on wildlife management areas.
- (a) Permanent blind sites will be allocated by hand-held drawings for the wildlife management areas: Barkley-Unit I, Big Sandy (including Gin Creek Unit), Camden-Units I and II, Cheatham Lake, Gooch-Unit A, Harmon's Creek, Haynes Bottom, Old Hickory-Units I and II, Reelfoot (except as provided in Rule 1660-1-2-.02), Tigrett, West Sandy, and Woods Reservoir of A.E.D.C.
 - (b) Each individual desiring to participate in the waterfowl blind drawing must complete an application supplied by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency. Each individual wishing to compete in the drawing must appear in person at the designated location. Applications must be submitted between the hours of 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. (local time) on the first Saturday in August.
 - (c) No individual may apply for more than one area. One application is permitted per person. Each applicant must be at least sixteen (16) years of age to compete in the drawing or sign-on.
 - (d) Individuals must produce the following licenses and permits in order to compete in the drawing:

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All areas (except Reelfoot) - Annual Hunting and Fishing License and an Annual Small Game and Waterfowl Permit, or Sportsman License, or any Lifetime Sportsman License.

Reelfoot - Annual Reelfoot Preservation Permit, or Sportsman License, or any Lifetime Sportsman License.

- (e) Applications will be drawn in order to establish priorities for blind sites. All participants wishing to sign-on with a successful applicant must do so when he makes his/her choice of blind sites. An individual's application for blind selection is immediately voided when he/she signs-on with another applicant. All Individuals wishing to sign-on must possess the necessary licenses and permits indicated in subparagraph (d). Individuals desiring to sign-on must be present.
 - (f) Permits for blinds will be issued at the time of the drawing. Cancelled or unbuilt blinds will be designated as temporary blind sites and available on a first come-first served basis. All decoy and other hunt associated items must be removed at the end of each day.
 - (g) No person shall buy, sell, barter, loan or transfer under any theory of law, or offer to buy, sell, barter, loan or transfer under any theory of law, a waterfowl draw blind site permit or the privilege of signing on a waterfowl draw blind site permit issued pursuant to this rule. Any person violating this rule and regulation is subject to have his/her permit and/or hunting privileges revoked in addition to other penalties as prescribed by law.
- (3) Waterfowl quota hunt computer drawing and allocation procedures
- (a) Each individual or party desiring to participate in a quota waterfowl hunt must make application at times specified and as per instructions supplied by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency.
 - (b) Applicants may apply only once per year. If more than one application is received per hunter, that individual's applications will be rejected.
 - (c) Only applicants sixteen (16) years of age or older on or before the day of the hunt may apply; however, at least one adult, of at least twenty-one years of age, must accompany any youth under sixteen (16) years of age in the hunt party. Youths 6-15 years of age may apply for youth only waterfowl hunts. If successful the youth party must be accompanied by at least one non-hunting adult. Party may not exceed five (5) youths.
 - (d) All information requested at the time of application must be completed; failure to provide all information will result in the application being rejected.
 - (e) Any successful applicant or successful party member may bring four (4) additional hunters of his choice to the hunt. However, the number of hunters may not exceed five (5) hunters at any time during the hunt, one of which must be a successful applicant.
 - (f) Successful applicants must return a "notice of intention" to TWRA two weeks prior to a deadline established by TWRA. A confirmation number will be issued to the applicant.
 - (g) Successful applicants that fail to return the notice of intention to TWRA two weeks prior to the TWRA established deadline will forfeit their reservation. Any vacant hunt units

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will be filled by a hand-held drawing at a time and location specified and as per instructions supplied by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency.

- (h) Each application must be accompanied by a non-refundable handling fee for each applicant, except Sportsman License holders, Lifetime Sportsman License holders and persons possessing an Annual Senior Citizen Permit (type 167).
 - (i) Successful applicants and the additional hunters in the party must also possess appropriate licenses and permits in order to participate in the hunts.
 - (j) Priority drawings and procedures for qualifying with priority status will be established as indicated by TWRA.
 - (k) A computer drawing will be held to determine successful applicants.
- (4) Cherokee Special Hunts (Cherokee Wildlife Management Area in designated Areas).
- (a) Cherokee special hunts consist of Party Dog Hunts.
 - (b) No person may apply on more than one application. If two or more applications are received representing one individual, all applications of that individual will be rejected, the permit fee forfeited, and will be subject to prosecution. Applications must be postmarked no later than the date specified. Persons applying for party hunts may also apply for quota big game hunts subject to rules found in paragraph (1). Quota big game hunt applicants may also apply for party hunts. Persons are limited to one Party Hunt vacancy permit per hunt year.
 - (c) The party application shall contain a minimum of fifty (50) members and a maximum of seventy-five (75). All information requested on the application must be completed for all party applicants. Each applicant must submit the applicable permit fee. All individuals without appropriate licenses/fees will be deleted from the party. Non-residents may purchase the appropriate license after arrival in Tennessee. If the number of valid applicants on a single application falls below the minimum of fifty (50), the entire party will be deleted from the drawing.
 - (d) A drawing will be held to determine the successful party applicants, hunt areas, and hunt dates. The first drawn and in subsequent order will be given their choice of the compartment and hunt date as specified on their application. Vacant hunts remaining after the drawing will not be issued and the area will be closed to big game hunting during that specific hunt.
 - (e) The party leader may request no substitutions for members of the party who cannot appear, but may request vacancy permits providing the number does not increase the party beyond seventy-five (75) members. The party leader shall send all the hunter information requested on the vacancy application and the applicable fees for each permit requested. No blank permits will be issued. The deadline for requesting vacancy permits shall be shall be fourteen days prior to the hunt date.
- (5) WMA Quota Hunts First-Come, First-Served Permits
- (a) WMAs with specific compartments, as identified in proclamation, will have permits allocated through designated locations as authorized by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission.
 - (b) Permits will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis until all permits have been issued.

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- (c) No individual license holder may obtain more than one (1) permit per hunt.
- (6) Elk Hunt Quota Permits
- (a) Each individual desiring to participate in a quota elk hunt must submit an application at times specified and as per instructions supplied by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency.
 - (b) Applicants may apply only once per year. If more than one application is received per hunter, that individual will be rejected, his fee forfeited, and he will be subject to prosecution.
 - (c) Youths under the age of sixteen (16) years of age, on or before the day of the hunt, may apply; however, they must be accompanied by one non-hunting adult at least twenty-one (21) years of age or older who must remain in position to take immediate control of the firearm.
 - (d) Only one (1) person may apply per application.
 - (e) All information requested at the time of application must be completed; provided, failure to specify all information will result in the application being rejected.
 - (f) Each application must be accompanied by a non-refundable handling fee for each applicant, except Sportsman License holders, Lifetime Sportsman License holders and persons possessing an Annual Senior Citizen Permit (type 167).
 - (g) Successful applicants must also possess appropriate licenses and permits in order to participate in the hunts.
 - (h) Successful applicants will not be allowed to re-apply for an elk hunt quota permit for a period of ten (10) years following a successful draw.
 - (i) Priority drawings and procedures for qualifying with priority status will be established as indicated by TWRA.
 - (j) A computer drawing will be held to determine successful applicants.
 - (k) Successful applicants may be subject to hunting in specialized elk compartments as designated by the TWRA.
 - (l) Non-resident applicants will be restricted to no greater than twenty-five (25) percent of the drawn permits.
- (7) Issuance of miscellaneous quota permits not governed by existing regulations.
- (a) Special hunts which require hand-held drawings may be identified by means of annual Proclamation, times, dates, and locations of these drawings will also be identified.
 - (b) All information requested on the application must be completed by the applicant.
 - (c) If an individual's name appears on more than one application, that individual will be rejected.
 - (d) A random drawing will be utilized to determine successful applicants.

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- (e) Applications will be drawn in order to establish priorities for choice of blind sites. All participants wishing to sign on with a successful applicant must do so when he makes his/her choice of blind sites. An individual's application for blind selection is immediately voided when he/she signs on with another applicant. All individuals wishing to sign on must possess the necessary licenses and permits indicated in subparagraph (d). Individuals desiring to sign-on must be present.
- (8) Sandhill Crane Quota Permit Computer Drawing and Handheld Allocation Procedures.
- (a) Permits will be issued by handheld drawing(s) on-site or near hunt zone(s) or by a computer drawing to determine successful applicants.
 - (b) Each individual desiring to participate in a quota permit drawing must submit an application during the application period specified and per the instructions supplied by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency (hereafter "Agency").
 - (c) Applicants may submit one application per year. If more than one application is received per hunter, that individual's applications will be rejected.
 - (d) All information requested at the time of application must be completed; failure to provide all information will result in the application being rejected.
 - (e) If a handheld drawing is conducted, a current Hunting & Fishing License and Waterfowl license are required to apply for the permit. If a computerized drawing is conducted, each application must be accompanied by a non-refundable handling fee, except Sportsman License holders, Lifetime Sportsman License holders and persons possessing an Annual Senior Citizen Permit (type 167).
 - (f) If a computerized drawing is conducted, priority drawings and procedures for qualifying with priority status will be established as indicated on the application.
 - (g) When permits remain following the drawing(s), leftover permits will be available on a first-come, first-served basis either at Regional Offices and other locations designated by the Agency or on the Agency web site. An individual may obtain permits for up to 5 other individuals if they provide proof that the individuals they are representing meet the minimum licensing requirements (as outlined in (e)). Individuals wishing to obtain permits for others may obtain one permit at a time and only by returning to the end of the line (at handheld drawings) for each additional permit they wish to obtain.
 - (h) Successful applicants must possess appropriate licenses and permits in order to participate in the hunt(s).
 - (i) Successful applicants may be required to pass a bird identification test; specific requirements will be outlined by the Agency in the Sandhill Crane Quota Permit Application.

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1660-01-08-.07 SPECIAL HUNTS PROVIDED BY CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS.

The Executive Director may allow for hunting devices proclaimed for a specific season to be substituted by a different device in order to accommodate hunters 18 years of age and under who are diagnosed with a life threatening illness and who are being provided with a hunt from a charitable organization. Such organization must be properly incorporated and approved by the internal revenue service as organizations that are exempt from federal income tax under § 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, codified in 26 U.S.C. § 501(a), by virtue of being organizations described in § 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, codified in 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3). Such organizations must make requests to the Executive Director in writing prior to any requested hunt, and the individual in question must be 18 years of age or younger and diagnosed with a medically certified life threatening illness. All other laws, regulations and proclamations pertaining to hunting will remain in effect. The individual will be required to have all requisite licenses and permits. No requests for elk hunts will be allowed pursuant to this part.

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