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fully enclosed by being zipped, snapped, buckled, tied, or otherwise fastened, with no portion of the firearm exposed.

Note: Subsection (21) 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.

- (22) "Unforked antler" means a polished antler consisting of a single spike without branches or times.
- (23) "Male turkey" means a turkey with a beard, a bristle-like appendage protruding from the upper part of the breast.
- (24) "Sight exposed bait" means any bait which can be seen from above the bait.
- (25) "Liquid" means a substance, neither solid or gaseous, that flows freely and takes the shape of its container at a temperature of 70°F.
- (26) "Buck deer" means any deer with an antler not less than 3 inches in length.
- (27) "Anterless deer" means any deer without antlers or with an antler less than 3 inches in length.

History: Cr. Register, October, 1975, No. 238, eff. 11-1-75; cr. (2), Register, May, 1977, No. 257, eff. 6-1-77; cr. (3) to (5), Register, February, 1978, No. 266, eff. 3-1-78; cr. (6) and (7), Register May, 1978, No. 269, eff. 6-1-78; renum. 10.07 (1) (c) to be (8) and (9), Register, August, 1978, No. 272, eff. 9-1-78; cr. (10) to (16), Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; cr. (17), Register, September, 1979, No. 285, eff. 10-1-79; emerg. cr. (18), eff. 9-12-81; cr. (18), (19) and (20), Register, March, 1982, No. 315, eff. 4-1-82; am. (11), Register, April, 1982, No. 316, eff. 5-1-82; cr. (22), Register, September, 1982, No. 321, eff. 10-1-82; cr. (21), Register, October, 1982, No. 322, eff. 11-1-82; cr. (23), Register, November, 1982, No. 323, eff. 12-1-82; cr. (24), Register, May, 1983, No. 329, eff. 6-1-83; cr. (25), Register, September, 1983, No. 333, eff. 10-1-83; cr. (26) and (27), Register, October, 1984, No. 346, eff. 11-1-84.

NR 10.01 Open and closed seasons. A closed season is established for each species of wild animal and bird named herein extending during all the time of each year except the open season period embraced within the specified dates both inclusive. Such open season shall apply to all of the area described in each locality except as otherwise provided in chs. NR 11 and 15. Except as otherwise expressly provided, no person shall take, catch, kill, hunt, pursue, shoot, or trap any wild animal or bird at any time other than the open season and the established hunting hours therefor, nor in the open season in excess of the daily bag limit designated for each species, nor have any such protected wild animal or bird in his possession or under his control in excess of the possession limit. Whenever open and closed seasons are defined by highways, the boundary shall be the center line of the highway except as otherwise provided.

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# (1) MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS.

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Kind of animal	Locality	dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
(a) Canvasback duck	All that part of the state lying west of the Bur- lington Northern railway and ex- tending north from lock and dam 9 in Craw- ford county to the center line of the Chippewa river	None	None	None
(b) All species of wild duck except as provided in par. (a)	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.
	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 bighway 25 then	Oct. 1 at 12:00 noon - Oct. 9	Point Values - 100 points: canvasback, black duck and hen mallard 70 points: redhead, wood duck, hooded merganser and drake mallard 25 points: ringneck, ruddy duck, goldeneye, bufflehead, pintail, gadwall, shoveler,	
	highway 35, then east on highway 35 to its junction with state high- way 25, then north on highway 25 to its junction with U.S. highway 10, then east on U.S. highway 10 to its junction		all other mergan- sers, and all other ducks not specifi- cally listed  10 points: scaup, blue-winged teal, green-winged teal and wigeon	
	with the Manito- woc harbor in the city of Manitowoc and east to the eastern state boundary in Lake Michigan			
		Oct. 10 - Nov. 19	Point Values - 100 points: canvasback and black duck	
			70 points: red- head, hen mallard, wood duck and hooded merganser	

Kind of animal and locality

Open season (all dates inclusive)

Limit

### (b) Sharp-tailed grouse

 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 Florence, Langlade and Marinette counties through 1987

Beginning on the Saturday nearest October 17 and continuing for 23 consecutive days

None

Daily bag 3; possession 6

None

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#### (c) Pheasants

 '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

 '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 (Kenosha 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,

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

Note: For a complete history of NR 10.01 see history of NR 10.01 as it appeared in Register.

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NR 10.02 Protected wolvering and fine the complete history works are the complete history with the complete history works. NR 10.02 Protected wild animals. (1) Cougar, badger, moose, elk, fisher, wolverine and flying squirrel.

- (2) Endangered or threatened species listed in ch. NR 27.
- (3) White deer (monocolored).

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- (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. 20, 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.

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. 128, 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. (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, November, 1976, No. 251, eff. 12-1-76; r. and recr. Register, August, 1979, No. 284, eff. 9-1-79; am. (1), Register, October, 1980, No. 298, eff. 11-1-80.

- (c) Permit application procedures. Any person possessing a valid hunting license authorizing the hunting of game birds may apply for a turkey hunting permit as follows:
  - 1. Application shall be made on forms provided by the department.
- 2. All application forms must be postmarked no later than October 1 to be considered for the succeeding wild turkey hunting season.
- 3. If a maximum of 2 persons wish to hunt together, each must complete an application form for individual permits and submit them together in a single envelope clearly marked "group application". Such group application shall be treated as one application for purposes of random selection or consideration for a permit. Preference may be requested by group applicants provided both individuals are eligible under par. (b).
- (d) Random selection. If the number of applications for permits exceed the available number of permits as determined under this section, successful applicants shall be determined by random selection.
- (e) Permit and tag restrictions. 1. Permit and carcass tags issued under this section are only valid for the zone and time period indicated on the permit.
- 2. Permits or carcass tags issued under this section may not be transferred to or used by any person other than the permittee.
- (2) TAGGING PROCEDURE. (a) Carcass tag use. When a wild turkey is killed and before it is carried by hand or transported in any manner, the hunter shall:
- 1. Validate the permit by tearing or cutting out notches on the carcass tag designating the day of kill. Failure to follow the validation procedure in this manner invalidates the permit.
- 2. Completely attach and seal the carcass tag, utilizing its own adhesive, around the leg of the turkey.
- (b) Transportation and possession. No person may possess or transport a wild turkey unless the person has lawfully killed and tagged it.
- (3) REGISTRATION. A person who possesses a wild turkey shall exhibit and register the bird at a department registration no later than 3:00 p.m. on the day killed. The department shall affix a registration tag to lawfully taken wild turkeys and the tag shall be kept until the turkey meat is consumed.
  - (4) RESTRICTIONS. No person may hunt wild turkeys:
- (a) By any means other than a shotgun or muzzle-loading shotgun fired from the shoulder or a bow and arrow.
- (b) With the aid of recorded bird calls or sounds or electrically amplified imitations of bird calls or sounds.
  - (c) With the aid of dogs.
  - (d) With live decoys for the purposes of enticing wild turkeys.

History: Cr. Register, March, 1966, No. 123, eff. 4-1-66; r. and recr. Register, March, 1967, No. 135, eff. 4-1-67; am. (3), (5) and (7)(a), Register, March, 1968, No. 147, eff. 4-1-68;

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renum. to be NR 10.25, Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; r. and recr., Register, November, 1982, No. 323, eff. 12-1-82.

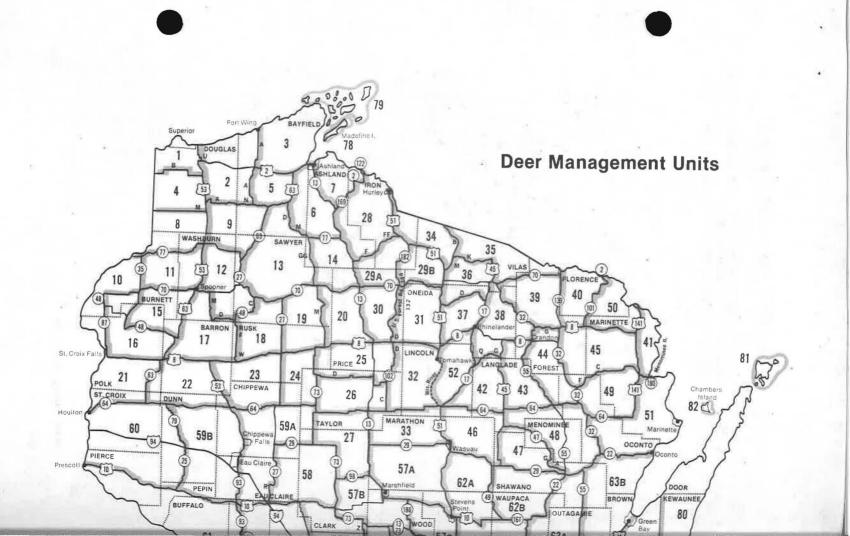
NR 10.27 Deer hunting in state parks. Open seasons for deer are established on state-owned lands in the following state parks as hereinafter set forth pursuant to s. 29.57 (4), Stats., in accordance with the open season established by s. NR 10.01 (3)(e) in the respective season zone in which such park is located, except for areas closed to deer hunting.

- (1) 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, 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 Moutain state park and Willow River state park and Kinnickinnic state park.
- (3) Bow and arrow season except for the December bow and arrow season; Buckhorn state park.
  - (4) In all other state parks there is no open season for hunting deer.

History: Emerg. cr. eff. 10-11-68; cr. Register, August, 1969, No. 164, eff. 9-1-69; renum. to be NR 10.27; am. intro, par., Register, June, 1970, No. 174, eff. 7-1-70; am. (1) Register, August, 1972, No. 200, eff. 9-1-72; am. Register, November, 1972, No. 203, eff. 12-1-72; am. (2), Register, March, 1975, No. 231, eff. 4-1-75; emerg. renum (3) to be (4) and cr. (3) eff. 9-24-75; renum. (3) to be (4), cr. (4), Register, September, 1975, No. 237, eff. 10-1-75; am. (1) and (2), Register, November, 1976, No. 251, eff. 12-1-76; am. (2), Register, May, 1977, No. 257, eff. 6-1-77; am. (3), Register, August, 1978, No. 272, eff. 9-1-78; am. (1), Register, March, 1979, No. 279, eff. 4-1-79; am. (1) and (2), Register, August, 1981, No. 308, eff. 9-1-81.

NR 10.28 Deer management units. Deer management units are established as designated on the following map:

History: Cr. Register, August, 1964. No. 104, eff. 9-1-64; am. map. Register, August, 1968, No. 152, eff. 9-1-68; r. and recr. Register, August, 1969, No. 164, eff. 9-1-69; renum. to be NR 10.24; am. (1), Register, June, 1970. No. 174. eff. 7-1-70; am. (1), and map Register, August, 1971. No. 188, eff. 9-1-71; am. (1). Register, September, 1972. No. 201, eff. 10-1-72; am. (1), Register, September, 1973, No. 213, eff. 10-1-73; am. (1), Register, May, 1976, No. 245, eff. 8-15-76; am. (1), Register, November, 1976, No. 251, eff. 12-1-76; am. Register, October, 1977, No. 262, eff. 11-1-77; renum. from NR 10.24 and am., Register, September, 1979, No. 285, eff. 10-1-79; r. and recr., Register, October, 1981, No. 310, eff. 11-1-81; emerg. am. eff. 9-9-82; r. and recr. Register, October, 1983, No. 334, eff. 11-1-83; r. and recr. Register, October, 1984, No. 346, eff. 11-1-84.



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NR 10.29 Wild turkey hunting zones. Wild turkey hunting zones are established as designated on the following map:  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

History: Cr. Register, November, 1982, No. 323, eff. 12-1-82; r. and recr. Register, March, 1984, No. 339, eff. 3-1-84.

