Neches River National Wildlife Refuge Units

Neches River National Wildlife Refuge (NWR) was established in 2011 along the Neches River to protect the bottomland hardwood forests for their diverse biological values and wetland functions of water quality improvement and flood control assistance; and provide the public with wildlife-dependent recreation opportunities.

For additional information about hunts at the Neches River NWR, please call (956) 245-9426 or visit https://www.fws.gov/refuge/neches-river/visit-us/activities/hunting.

Location: The Neches River NWR office is located off HWY 79, just inside front the gate.

Address: 262 W Highway 79, Jacksonville, TX 75766.

Phone: (956) 245-9426.

Website: https://www.fws.gov/refuge/neches-river/visit-us/activities/hunting.

Driving Directions:

From Jacksonville, Texas: Travel 12 miles southwest on US HWY 79, to County Road 3207. The entrance to the refuge and visitor kiosk is on the south side of the road. If you cross over the Neches River, you have gone too far.

From Palestine, Texas: Travel 15 miles northeast on US HWY 79, to County Road 3207. The entrance to the refuge and visitor kiosk is on the south side of the road. The entrance is just after the Neches River.