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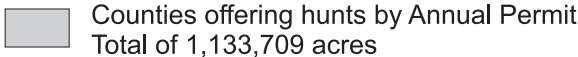
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This Map Booklet is provided to each person who purchases either a \$48 Annual Public Hunting (APH) Permit or a \$12 Limited Public Use (LPU) Permit. The Map Booklet specifies the rules and regulations, season dates, and bag limits which govern the use of these lands. A Disclaimer and Waiver of Liability, which applies to the permittee and any minor-aged youth under the permittee's supervision, is contained in this booklet and is an extension of these permits. All previous editions of this booklet are obsolete.

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Since 1987, the Annual Public Hunting (APH) Permit has offered the opportunity to participate in a variety of inexpensive, family oriented outdoor recreational activities including hunting for a multitude of wildlife species, fishing, nature watching, camping and other activities.

Today's Public Hunting Program includes over a million acres located throughout Texas. This Map Booklet contains information on property owned by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) as well as acreage leased by the department from other state and federal agencies, forest products industries, and other cooperating private landowners. The Public Dove and Small Game Hunting Areas are included in this booklet.

Access is provided by two types of annual permits: the \$48 Annual Public Hunting (APH) Permit which allows full privileges including hunting, fishing, camping, hiking and other recreational uses and the \$12 Limited Public Use (LPU) Permit which also provides access for all other recreational activities except hunting. See the schedule for recreational use at the back of this booklet.

IMPORTANT: For the most up-to-date information on changes to the public hunt schedule, access to and availability of department public lands and other important public hunt related notifications, follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/TPWDhunt or sign up for e-mail updates. Individuals can also call 512/389-4505 Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., or email at hunt@tpwd.texas.gov for more information.

IMPORTANT CHANGES FOR 2024

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's application, My Texas Hunt Harvest, has been renamed to Texas Hunt & Fish (THF). The application has the same functionality as before and has been updated so that all TPWD applications have a similar appearance. tpwd.texas.gov/huntandfish

Turkey harvest reporting is mandatory across the state. Harvest can be reported through the Texas Hunt & Fish mobile application or through the website.

SPECIAL REMINDERS

- **Hunting and Fishing:** A hunting license and any required stamp endorsements are required to hunt any public hunting lands. A fishing license is required to fish from the bank of a Wildlife Management Area if fishing is allowed in the Legal Game Box. All hunters age 17 and older and adult supervisors must possess an APH to hunt or supervise youth hunters.
- **Pre-Season Scouting:** Pre-season scouting is allowed on the Public Dove and Small Game Units (units numbered in the 2000s), unless prohibited in the legal game box, seven (7) days prior to the commencement of hunting on the unit. No hunting firearms, archery equipment, or air rifles/arrow guns may be possessed while scouting activities are being conducted.
- **Target practice is not an authorized recreational activity on public hunting lands.**
- **Maps:** The maps in this Map Booklet and on the department's website are the only maps of public hunting lands that TPWD provides indicating hunting areas and designated roads open to permit holders. Maps in this publication can also be found at the TPWD website on the Public Hunting web page. Many public hunting maps have aerial formats and GPS coordinates. These enhanced maps can be found online at the department's web pages at www.tpwd.texas.gov/APH. In addition, enhanced maps can be downloaded to your smartphone using the TPWD Texas Hunt & Fish mobile application (tpwd.texas.gov/huntandfish). Caution, maps purchased from other sources (U.S. Forest Service, COE, etc.) may include private roads that are not accessible by permit holders. Study the maps closely to avoid trespassing on private property or private roads when accessing, using or leaving public hunting lands. Commercially available mobile hunting applications may include units that are no longer part of the APH program or have boundaries that have not been properly updated.
- **On-site Registration:** Many units in this booklet require on-site registration (OSR) or electronic on-site registration (eOSR) for entry or participation in certain activities. If the eOSR badge appears on the unit map Legal Game Box in this booklet or at the Information Station, hunters can perform electronic On-Site Registration using the TPWD Texas Hunt & Fish mobile application downloaded on your smartphone (tpwd.texas.gov/huntandfish) or using the online web version prior to arrival at the area. Paper OSR involves signing in and depositing Part A of the OSR form at a registration station immediately upon arrival at the unit and depositing Part B of the OSR form at the sign in area when leaving the unit. Where appropriate, paper OSR forms are provided at the registration station of select WMAs.
- **E-Postcard hunts** are available through the Public Hunt Drawing System beginning August 15. Adult applicants are required to purchase an APH Permit prior to submitting an application. All hunters must have a valid Texas hunting license to participate. Permitted hunters must apply at www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawn hunts.



- The U.S. Forest Service offers a limited number of permits to hunt antlerless deer during the general open season on Alabama Creek WMA, Bannister WMA, Caddo National Grasslands WMA, Moore Plantation WMA and Sam Houston National Forest WMA. Hunters wishing to apply for antlerless permits must apply online at www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawn hunts by September 15, 2024. Only one application per hunter allowed. Adult and youth permits are available. Only those drawn will be notified.
- **Mentored Hunting Workshops** are available through an online registration process and are designed to introduce first-time hunters to the hunting experience, educate them on the skills they will need to be successful in the field, and build a foundation for their hunting tradition. New hunters wishing to register for a workshop should visit www.tpwd.texas.gov/huntwild/hunt/public/mentored_hunting_workshops/ to complete the registration process.
- **Whooping Cranes:** This symbol has been placed on maps of certain public hunting areas where whooping cranes have been seen. Public hunters need to be aware that whooping cranes might be present in or fly through these public hunting areas. Texas is the wintering location for the last wild whooping crane population in the world. Traditionally, these endangered birds have wintered in wetlands near Aransas National Wildlife Refuge in Aransas County; however, in recent years, whooping cranes have also wintered in other Texas counties. For more information on whooping crane identification, visit www.tpwd.texas.gov/whoopingcranes. There are heavy fines for accidental and/or intentional shooting of whooping cranes, so “be sure before you shoot!”
- **Litter:** Please pick up all trash including shotgun hulls and boxes.
- Refer to the “Prohibited Acts” section for additional information including the use of horses, vehicles, and ATVs.
- **Hunter Use Survey:** Located on the inside front cover of this booklet is a Public Use Scorecard for you to log your hunting information. A random sample of hunters will be selected and mailed a survey to complete. Surveys will be sent by email or regular mail depending on the information we have for you. You will be asked information on the days of use and game harvested by you on individual units. This information is very important to assist with monitoring populations, harvest, and evaluating use of the areas. If you receive a survey, please complete the survey and return it to TPWD. Your participation is greatly appreciated.



DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY AND RELEASE

The Annual Public Hunting permit and/or the Limited Public Use permit allows entry upon designated public hunting lands for hunting and other approved outdoor recreational activities. These designated public hunting lands are owned by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department or are leased by Texas Parks and Wildlife from private landowners. Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and/or the private landowners may not know what conditions exist upon the designated public hunting lands, the number or proficiency of other participating hunters or other users thereon and, as such, they do not make any warranty or representation of any type, kind or character whatsoever as to conditions existing or that may hereafter exist upon the designated public hunting lands or as to the suitability or non-suitability of the designated public hunting lands for hunting and/or other approved outdoor recreational activities. Any person entering upon the designated public hunting lands does so at their own risk and acknowledges, recognizes and agrees that all hunting and other approved outdoor recreational activities are potentially dangerous in part because of the use of firearms by hunters of varying degrees of proficiency and conditions of nature.

In consideration of being permitted to access the designated public hunting lands for hunting and other approved outdoor recreational activities, I, the permittee, and as the authorized supervising adult of any accompanying minor, personally assume all risks associated with entering the designated public hunting lands, whether foreseen or unforeseen, and unconditionally release and hold harmless Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, its commissioners, directors, officers, employees, volunteers, agents and representatives, and any participating private landowners, their respective directors, officers, employees, agents, representatives, members, partners, and affiliates, from and against any and all liabilities, costs, expenses, claims, and damages for which Texas Parks and Wildlife and/or any participating private landowner might otherwise become liable by reason of any accidents, or injuries to or death of any persons, or damage to property, or both, in any manner arising or resulting from, caused by, connected with or related to the presence of any such person upon the designated public hunting land, regardless of how, where, or when such injury, death or damage occurs even if caused by the negligence of Texas Parks and Wildlife Department or any participating private landowner.

I, the permittee, have read this release and understand all its terms. I understand that by engaging in any activity authorized under the Annual Public Hunting permit and/or the Limited Public Use permit, I execute this release voluntarily with full knowledge of its significance.

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LEGAL GAME SPECIES, MEANS AND METHODS, BAG AND POSSESSION LIMITS

All public users must obey regulations listed in the Map Booklet or posted at an area. Regulations concerning seasons, bag and possession limits, and the means and methods of taking wildlife resources, will generally conform to those established by the TPW Commission or the Executive Director, along with those in effect for the county or counties where individual units are located except where specific exceptions are made in this publication or posted at an area. Updates will be posted on the TPWD website as they become available: www.tpwd.texas.gov. Additional information concerning hunting seasons, bag and possession limits, and lawful means and methods can be found at OutdoorAnnual.com or by using the Outdoor Annual mobile app. Harvest Information Program (HIP) certification is required for hunting any type of migratory game birds.

LEGAL GAME LEGENDS

Each map has a Legal Game legend or box, which will list the legal species that may be hunted, special regulations, and important notices about access to the unit. In some cases, there may be more than one legend or box on the map. These regulations may vary from those established for the county in which the property lies. It is important to read and follow the Prohibited Acts and the information in the Legal Game legends to insure a safe and legal hunting experience on public hunting lands.

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025
OSR Required Each Day
White-tailed Deer: bag limit - 2 buck and 2 antlerless (all seasons combined). **Legal buck** must have at least one unbranched antler or an inside spread of at least 13 inches. Limit 1 buck with an inside spread of at least 13 inches.
Archery Only Season: Sept. 28-Nov. 1 (either sex). No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.
General Season: Nov 2-Jan. 5 (buck only unless in possession of a USFS Antlerless Deer Permit obtained from the USFS. See USFS Additional Restrictions section for more information on antlerless deer permits).
Muzzleloader: Jan. 6-19 (either sex, buck must have at least one unbranched antler). No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.
Feral Hog and Exotic Mammals: Open year-round (no bag limit). All legal firearms, air guns, arrow guns and archery equipment may be used.
Waterfowl: Shooting hours - one half hour before sunrise to noon. Each day of the **Early Teal, North Zone Duck, Eastern Zone Goose and Falconry** Seasons.
Woodcock, Rail, and Gallinule: Each day of regular Statewide and Falconry seasons.
Snipes: Each day of the Statewide Season.
Dove: Each day of the Central Zone and Falconry Season.
Squirrel: Each day of East Texas General Season.
Rabbits & Hares
Bullfrogs: daily limit of 25.
Trapping: Nov. 1-Mar. 31, furbearers and predators only.
Use of horses allowed year round. **Only hunters are required to possess the APH Permit.**

**Furbearers
Predators**

LEGAL GAME AVAILABLE

White-tailed Deer	Waterfowl	Pheasant	Predators (bobcats and
Feral Hogs	Sandhill Crane	Chachalaca	coyotes only)
Exotic Mammals	Rail, Snipe, Gallinule, and	Furbearers	Frogs/Bullfrogs
Turkey	Woodcock	Squirrel	Fish
Dove	Quail	Rabbits and Hares	Crayfish

If a species or season is not listed in the Legal Game Legend, there is no hunting allowed for that species or by that particular means on the unit. Example, if there is only an archery deer season listed, then no gun hunting is allowed for deer on that area.

Dogs may be used for hunting squirrel, rabbits, hares, furbearing animals, predatory animals, and game birds (other than turkey) on most units during the open seasons. See the Prohibited Acts section for rules and regulations concerning the use of dogs and area maps for further restrictions.

White-tailed deer bag limits are **the total number of deer that may be harvested for all seasons combined**. You must have the appropriate license tag or USFS Antlerless Deer Permit in order to take a deer from these units. Several public hunting areas have antler restrictions. Refer to the individual unit maps for more information.

Turkey harvest reporting is now mandatory across the entire state for all species. Harvested turkey may be field dressed but must otherwise remain intact. To report a harvested turkey, use the Texas Hunt & Fish mobile reporting application or go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/turkey.

Unless otherwise specified for a specific unit, **shooting hours for feral hogs, rabbits, and hares** will be restricted to daylight hours only, and furbearers and predators may be taken anytime day or night (unless restricted in the Legal Game box).

The bag limit for **frogs OR bullfrogs** per 24-hour period (midnight to midnight) is 25.

Black bears have been seen on or around some public hunting lands in East and West Texas. Hunters are reminded that black bears are protected and may not be harmed or killed. Please report black bear sightings or mortalities to the appropriate wildlife district office.

DEFINITIONS

The following abbreviations, words and terms, when used in this publication, shall have the following meanings, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

Airboat—A boat propelled mechanically by movement of air, including, but not limited to a fan, propeller, or jet.

All terrain vehicle (ATV)—Any vehicle meeting the definition of an ATV under Transportation Code, §663.001. A defined ATV means a vehicle that is: equipped with a saddle for the use of the rider and a passenger, if the motor vehicle is designed by the manufacturer to transport a passenger; designed to propel itself with three or four tires in contact with the ground, designed by the manufacturer for off-highway use by the operator and not designed by the manufacturer for farming or lawn care.

Authorized supervising adult—A parent, legal guardian, or individual at least 18 years of age who assumes liability and responsibility for a minor.

Baiting—The placement of minerals, vegetative materials, or other food substances used as an attractant for wildlife.

Big game—Native species of deer, turkey, and exotic mammals.

Camping—the use of public hunting lands for overnight accommodation, which includes sleeping, the storage of unattended personal possessions, or the use of a motor vehicle as lodging.

Concurrent hunt—A hunt that maintains the same permit requirements, hunt dates, means and methods, or shooting hours or combinations thereof, for one or more species of animal, as designated and subject to any special provisions.

Daylight hours—The period from 30 minutes before official sunrise to 30 minutes after official sunset.

Designated campsite—An area identified by signs or Public Hunting Lands literature for camping and camping activities.

Designated road—A constructed roadway indicated as being open to the public by either signs posted to that effect or by current TPWD Public Hunting Lands maps and leaflets and not identified as a closed road by signs, gate, or blocked at entrance, but does not include county or state roads or highways.

Designated trail—A trail indicated as being open to the public by either signs posted to that effect or by current TPWD Public Hunting Lands maps and leaflets and not identified as a closed trail by signs, gate, or blocked at entrance.

Disabled person—A person who possesses a placard, license plate, or other documentation issued to that person by the State of Texas under the provisions of Transportation Code, Chapter 681. Herein referred to as person(s) with a disability.

Exotic mammals—Non-indigenous (non-native) wild mammals, including but not limited to exotic ungulates, feral goats, feral sheep, feral hogs, European wild hogs, and crosses thereof.

General season—A specified time period or designated days within a specified time period, during which any legal means or methods (as designated) may be used to take the designated species.

Hunt—To capture, trap, take or kill and includes any attempt to capture, trap, take or kill.

Immediate supervision—Control of the actions of a minor by an authorized supervising adult issuing verbal instruction in a normal voice level.

Limited Public Use (LPU) Permit—A permit, valid from issuance date through the following August 31, which allows access to designated wildlife management areas and public hunting lands at the same times that access is provided by an APH permit.

Loaded firearm—A firearm containing a live round of ammunition within the chamber and/or magazine, a round in the muzzle and a propellant charge or propellant cartridge in the breech; or if the firearms is a muzzleloader, one which has a cap on the nipple or a priming charge in the pan, or a primer charge in the primer well.

Minor age participant—An individual less than 17 years of age.

Motorboat—Any vessel being propelled by machinery, but does not include a boat being propelled solely by paddle, pole, oar, or wind.

Motor vehicle—A self propelled vehicle that can be used to transport persons or property on a highway as defined by Transportation Code, Chapter 541.

Off-highway vehicle (OHV)—An all-terrain vehicle (ATV), off-highway motorcycle, or any other four wheel drive vehicle not registered to be driven on a highway.

Off-road vehicle (ORV)—An ATV, a utility vehicle, or any vehicle that is manufactured or adapted for off-road use and may not lawfully be operated on a public roadway.

On-site registration (OSR)—The requirement for public users to register at designated places upon entry and exit from specified public hunting lands.

PHL—Public Hunting Land

Predatory animals—Bobcats and coyotes.

Recreational use—Any use or activity other than hunting or fishing.

Small game—Game birds (other than turkey), squirrel, rabbits and hares, furbearers, predatory animals, fish, frogs, crayfish, and other legal wild fauna not classified as big game.

SNA—State Natural Area.

SP—State Park.

Unattended—Gear, equipment, or floating conveyances not within 200 yards of the person responsible for the gear, equipment or floating conveyances.

Waterfowl—Ducks (including teal), mergansers, coots, and geese.

WMA—Wildlife Management Area.

Wildlife resources—Game animals, game birds, furbearing animals, alligators, marine mammals, frogs, fish, crayfish, other aquatic life, exotic animals, predatory animals, rabbits and hares, and other wild fauna.

Youth—Individuals age 16 or younger for hunting all species.

PROHIBITED ACTS

Important – In addition to the other applicable statutes or regulations, a person on Public Hunting Lands commits an offense if that person:

General Access to the Units

- fails to possess a valid permit, hunting license, and appropriate stamp endorsement;
- possesses a firearm, archery equipment, crossbow, trap, snare, or other device for taking wildlife resources on public hunting lands and does not have the permit required to take wildlife resources on the concerned unit;
- enters an area identified by boundary signs as a limited use or restricted zone and fails to obey the restrictions on public use posted at the unit or contained within this Map Booklet;
- enters an area identified by boundary signs or on the unit map as a restricted zone;
- fails to perform paper or electronic on-site registration or report to a departmental check station as required for certain units and species;
- trespasses on or shoots into adjacent privately-owned property without the landowner's permission;
- enters the hunting area when access is restricted.

Alcohol

- is under the influence of alcohol or consumes an alcoholic beverage while engaged in hunting activities, or publicly consumes or displays an alcoholic beverage.

Hunter Orange

- fails to visibly wear at least 400 square inches of hunter orange material with orange headwear and at least 144 square inches appearing on both chest and back during daylight hours at times when hunting with firearms is permitted. Exempt from these requirements are: (1) authorized department personnel and landowner employees, (2) persons hunting turkey or migratory game birds, (3) persons within the enclosed passenger compartment of a motor vehicle, (4) persons within a designated campground, designated vehicle parking area, designated boat launching facility or departmental check station, and (5) persons other than hunters on COE properties.

NOTICE TO ARCHERY HUNTERS AND RECREATIONAL USERS:

You must wear hunter orange during daylight hours at any time when firearm hunting for any species is authorized on the unit. Many units allow firearm hunting year-round for rabbits, and firearm hunts for squirrel and dove often are conducted concurrently with archery deer hunts.

Hunting

- takes any species, sex, or type of wildlife resource not designated as legal game as shown in the LEGAL GAME LEGEND of the unit map within this Map Booklet;
- takes or attempts to take a game animal or game bird other than during legal shooting hours of the open seasons and by the means and methods established by the Statewide Hunting and Fishing Proclamation and the Migratory Game Bird Proclamation, or as otherwise provided for a specific unit in this Map Booklet;
- takes or attempts to take a furbearing animal or predatory animal other than during the open seasons and by

the means and methods established by the Statewide Furbearing Animal and Trapping Proclamation or as otherwise provided for a specific unit in this Map Booklet;

- takes or attempts to take a feral hog, rabbit or hare other than during daylight hours of the open seasons and by the means and methods provided for a specific unit in this Map Booklet;
- takes an antlerless deer during the general open season on wildlife management areas jointly managed by TPWD and the U.S. Forest Service (901, 902, 903, 904, and 905) unless that person possesses on their person a USFS antlerless permit, if they are required.

Baiting and Trapping

- baits wildlife (see DEFINITIONS) on public hunting lands, except when performed in conjunction with the use of traps or snares for taking furbearers and predatory animals, or as otherwise authorized by the department for a specific unit, activity and time period;
- hunts over a baited area except as authorized by the department for a specific unit, activity, and time period;
- uses a trap or snare to take feral hogs or any wildlife resource unless under contract with the department or cooperating landowner;
- uses a trap or snare to take furbearers or predatory animals, except as authorized on specific units during the period from November 1 through March 31;
- fails to visibly and legibly mark each trap or snare with the Customer Number of the trapper's license or trapper's name, address, and dates trap or snare was set;
- sets a trap or snare within 50 yards of a designated road or public hunting lands boundary or within 400 yards of a designated campsite;
- uses deadfalls or lethal chemicals for taking wildlife resources;
- uses recorded or electric calling devices to take wildlife resources other than furbearers and predatory animals;

NOTICE: The use of scent lures simulating animal odors is not considered baiting.

Means and Methods

- possesses a loaded firearm within or on a motor vehicle except as provided for a person with disabilities;
- possesses a loaded firearm within a designated campsite, designated vehicle parking area, designated boat launching facility or departmental check station;
- discharges a firearm, bow and arrow, or crossbow from, onto, along, or across a designated road or designated campsite;
- uses or displays a firearm or archery equipment in an obviously unsafe or threatening manner;
- possesses buckshot on public hunting lands, except as authorized by the department for a specific unit, activity and time period;
- uses or possesses shotshells or loose shot other than non-toxic shot while hunting waterfowl;
- uses a firearm that utilizes rimfire ammunition in taking deer;

PROHIBITED ACTS (CONTINUED)

Important – In addition to the other applicable statutes or regulations, a person on Public Hunting Lands commits an offense if that person:

- uses a rifle, handgun, or a shotgun with slugs to take a migratory game bird;
- uses a firearm to take deer during the archery only deer season;

NOTE: Firearm restrictions contained in the Public Lands Prohibited Acts do not apply to a person in possession of a handgun in compliance with applicable law, including, but not limited to, Penal Code, Chapter 46, and Government Code, Chapter 411, Subchapter H.

Vehicles, Airboats, and Horses

- enters a unit of public hunting lands with an equine (horse, mule or burro) unless that person has in their immediate possession a completed VS Form 10-11 (Texas Animal Health Commission) showing that the equine has a negative Coggin's test within the previous 12 months. The documentation required by this paragraph shall be made available for inspection upon the request of any department employee acting within the scope of official duties.
- uses or possesses a horse, mule, burro or any type of riding stock or pack animal on public hunting lands at any time, except on units 901, 902, 903, 904, and 905; or as provided in this Map Booklet for a specific unit or in accordance with group equestrian events which are scheduled and authorized by the department;
- uses or possesses a horse, mule, burro or any type of riding stock or pack animal on U.S. Army Corps of Engineers lands that allows equestrian use and does not possess either the APH or LPU Permit;
- does not confine motor vehicle use to designated roads, including electric bicycles (e-bikes), except parking is permitted on the shoulder of or immediately adjacent to designated roads, and as provided for persons with disabilities or for a person directly assisting persons with disabilities on designated roads or trails (see USFS restrictions); NOTE: persons directly assisting persons with disabilities must remain within normal voice distance.
- hunts from a motor vehicle, except as provided for persons with disabilities;
- parks or leaves a motor vehicle unattended anywhere other than in designated parking areas or designated road;
- operates an all-terrain vehicle (ATV), off-highway vehicle (OHV) or off-road vehicle (ORV) on public hunting lands and is not (1) a person with a disability or directly assisting a person with a disability on a designated ATV, OHV, or ORV road or trail, (2) otherwise authorized by the department to do so, and (3) compliant with the safety requirements for ATV use as set by the Texas Department of Public Safety (ATV only); (see USFS restrictions);
- operates an Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) on public lands without the required OHV decal; decal requirements are waived for persons with disabilities;
- uses an airboat within the boundaries of public hunting lands, except as provided by executive order or by written permission of the department;

Dogs

- uses a dog to hunt deer or turkey;
- uses a dog to hunt feral hogs and other exotic mammals unless specifically allowed for in the Legal Game Legend on the unit maps;
- uses a dog to hunt furbearers or predatory animals during daylight hours within an open general season for deer on public hunting lands;
- fails to keep all dogs in designated campsites confined or leashed;

Hunting Blinds, Gear, and Equipment

- constructs or places a hunting blind, stand, tower, or platform within 50 yards of any designated road, marked unit boundary, or designated campsite;
- constructs a permanent blind, stand, tower, or platform;
- leaves a hunting blind, stand, tower, or platform in place for more than 72 hours or uses metal nails, spikes, screws, or bolts to attach such structures to the timber;
- leaves personal gear, equipment (including decoys), or floating conveyances unattended for more than one hour following the close of legal shooting hours. NOTE: this does not apply to gear or equipment left within a designated camping area or for specific activities scheduled by the department.

Camping

- camps or builds a fire anywhere other than in a designated campsite, except on units 901, 902, 903, 904, and 905 where this restriction applies only from the day prior to the opening of the archery deer season through the day following the close of the general deer season;
- causes, creates, or contributes to excessive or disturbing sounds beyond the person's immediate campsite between the hours of 10 p.m. and 6 a.m.;
- establishes a camp and leaves it unattended for a period of longer than 24 hours;
- establishes a camp for more than 14 consecutive days on the same unit of public hunting lands, or for more than 21 days in a 30-day period;

General Conduct

- fails to deposit refuse in designated containers or remove it from the unit;
- writes on, scratches, or otherwise defaces natural features, signs, buildings, or other structures;
- disturbs or removes plants, wood, rocks, gravel, sand, soil, shell, artifacts, or other objects from public hunting lands without proper authorization;
- fails to obey regulations posted at the unit or listed in this Map Booklet;
- fails to comply with instructions on permits or area/unit leaflets; or refuses to follow directives given by departmental personnel in the discharge of official duties.
- engage in any activity not specifically authorized by order of the executive director or regulation of the commission;
- leaves feathers or bird parts within designated parking areas or near livestock watering facilities.

See pages xiii-xiv for Additional Information and Restrictions in Effect on U.S. Forest Service Units.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND RESTRICTIONS IN EFFECT ON U.S. FOREST SERVICE UNITS

In addition to the prohibited acts listed previously in this map booklet, the following information and additional restrictions, apply to hunters and those accompanying hunters on U.S. Forest Service Units. In instances where these additional restrictions and rules appearing elsewhere are in conflict, these additional restrictions will prevail.

GENERAL INFORMATION AND ACCESS

- Only hunters are required to possess the \$48 Annual Public Hunting (APH) Permit.
- The U.S. Forest Service (USFS) Units are: Unit 901 (Caddo Grasslands), Unit 902 (Moore Plantation), Unit 903 (Bannister), Unit 904 (Alabama Creek), and Unit 905 (Sam Houston National Forest).
- Boundaries of USFS units are marked with wildlife management area signs. The maps in this Map Booklet are the only maps of public hunting lands that TPWD provides. These maps are the only maps that indicate the hunting areas and designated roads that the permit holder has access. Maps purchased from the USFS include private roads that are not included in your access as a permit holder.
- The USFS has implemented and created a new Motor Vehicle Use Map for each of their properties. Visit this website for the most current map containing roads available for motor vehicle use. www.fs.usda.gov/texas/
- All hunters and those accompanying them in the field during daylight hours are required to wear a minimum of 400 square inches of hunter orange with at least 144 square inches appearing on both the chest and back at all times; additionally, wearing hunter orange headwear is required. Those exempt from wearing hunter orange are individuals hunting furbearers or predators at night, wild turkey during the spring season, doves, ducks, geese, woodcock, or other migratory game birds. All National Forest and Grassland visitors are encouraged to wear daylight fluorescent orange when pursuing recreational activities during the fall/winter hunting seasons.
- Individuals may not discharge a firearm or any other implement capable of taking human life, causing injury, or damaging property as follows: (1) In or within 150 yards of a residence, building, campsite, developed recreation site or occupied area, or (2) Across or on a National Forest System road or a body of water adjacent thereto, or in any manner or place whereby any person or property is exposed to injury or damage as a result in such discharge.
- A Special Use Permit issued by the USFS is required to conduct paid guide services on USFS lands.
- The U.S. Forest Service performs various habitat management activities including prescribed fire during the year. The Forest Service is not responsible for stands/blinds damaged or destroyed by such management activities. For more information contact the local USFS office.

ANTLERLESS DEER PERMITS

- You must be in possession of a USFS Antlerless Deer Permit to take antlerless deer during the general season on Units 901, 902, 903, 904, and 905, that are wildlife management areas jointly managed by TPWD and the USFS.
- USFS antlerless deer permits are not required during the Archery Only, Youth Only, or an established Muzzleloader Only season on USFS units.
- The USFS offers a limited number of permits to hunt antlerless deer during the general open season on Alabama Creek WMA, Bannister WMA, Caddo National Grasslands WMA, Moore Plantation WMA and Sam Houston National Forest WMA. Hunters wishing to apply for antlerless permits must apply online at www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawn hunts. The deadline to apply is September 15.
- Only one application per hunter allowed. Adult and youth permits are available. Only those drawn will be notified by email.

MANDATORY eOSR AND DEER HARVEST REPORTING

All hunters must complete Electronic On-Site Registration (eOSR) to access USFS hunting units using the Texas Hunt & Fish mobile application or website (tpwd.texas.gov/huntandfish).

Deer harvest must be reported SEPARATELY using the Harvest Reporting feature available in the Texas Hunt & Fish app. Indicate the public hunting property on which the harvest occurred.

ATVS AND HORSEBACK RIDING

- There is only one designated OHV trail on the National Forests and Grasslands in Texas and that is the Multiple Use Trail located in the Sam Houston National Forest. The Sam Houston National Forest offers 85 miles of multiple-use trails which may be utilized by registered Off-Highway Vehicles (OHVs). ATVs are prohibited on all other units. Information on ATVs and OHVs on the Forest may be found at: www.fs.usda.gov/activity/texas/recreation/ohv
- There are no special riding provisions or exemptions for persons with disabilities on U.S. Forest Service lands.
- Recreational horseback riding is allowed on all USFS units year-round.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND RESTRICTIONS IN EFFECT ON U.S. FOREST SERVICE UNITS (CONTINUED)

VEHICLE TRAFFIC ON FOREST SERVICE UNITS – MOTOR VEHICLE USE MAPS (MVUM)

The MVUM is a requirement of the Travel Management Final Rule and reflects travel management decisions on each forest. The MVUM displays National Forest System (NFS) routes (roads and trails) or areas designated open to motorized travel. The MVUM also displays allowed uses by vehicle class (highway-legal vehicles, vehicles less than 50 inches wide and motorcycles), seasonal allowances and provides information on other travel rules and regulations. Routes not shown on the MVUM are not open to public motor vehicle travel. Routes designated for motorized use may not always be signed on the ground but will be identified on the MVUM. It will be the public's responsibility to reference the MVUM to determine designated routes for motor vehicle use. The MVUM will be updated annually to correct mapping errors or discrepancies and update travel decisions. The MVUM is a black and white map with no topographic features. It is not a stand-alone map and is best used in conjunction with a Forest Visitor Map. The MVUM is free to the public at each local Ranger District office and at the Supervisor's Office. The MVUM list is also available for download and sections of these maps may be printed from your home computer. Visit the National Forest and Grasslands in Texas homepage www.fs.usda.gov/texas and click on the Motor Vehicle Use Maps (MVUM) link located on the right side of the page under "Quick Links."

CAMPING

Camping is restricted to developed campgrounds, designated hunter camps, and designated camp sites only from one week prior to the start of the Archery Season until one week after the end of the Muzzleloader Season. During other times, persons may camp elsewhere in the USFS units in compliance with orders of the Forest Supervisor.

ROADS CLOSURES AND PARKING ON THE UNITS

Some USFS unit roads may be closed to vehicular traffic on a seasonal basis. As a permit holder, you retain the right to walk into the unit and utilize it for authorized activities although access may temporarily be less convenient.

NOTICE: Some portions of the U.S. Forest Service units are designated as "Wilderness Areas" and prohibit use of motorized vehicles, except for wheelchairs if designed solely for use by a mobility impaired person for locomotion, that are suitable for use in an indoor pedestrian areas.

DO NOT BLOCK roads, gates, trails, or entrances to service roads with parked vehicles. Be sure that your parked vehicle does not impede the flow of traffic or present a safety hazard. Your vehicle may be ticketed or even towed if necessary to allow emergency access.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT A NATIONAL FOREST

A list of official orders/prohibitions issued by the Forest Supervisor for the National Forests & Grasslands in Texas can be found at www.fs.usda.gov/detail/texas/

These orders describe the prohibitions, closures, and regulations for the National Forests and Grasslands in Texas and are subject to updates and changes. Maps are not attached to the orders, but may be obtained by contacting the Forest Supervisor's Office in Lufkin. Questions regarding these orders or requests for copies should be directed to USDA Forest Service, 2221 N. Raguet St., Lufkin, TX 75904. For more information visit the National Forests and Grasslands in Texas website or contact the following offices.

www.fs.usda.gov/texas

FOREST SUPERVISOR

2221 N. Raguet St.
Lufkin, TX 75904
936/639-8501

ANGELINA NATIONAL FOREST

111 Walnut Ridge Rd.
Zavalla, TX 75980
936/897-1068

CADDO/LBJ NATIONAL GRASSLANDS

1400 U.S. 81/287
P.O. Box 507
Decatur, TX 76234
940/627-5475

DAVY CROCKETT NATIONAL FOREST

18551 Hwy. 7 East
Kennard, TX 75847
936/655-2299

SABINE NATIONAL FOREST

5050 Hwy. 21 East
Hemphill, TX 75948
409/625-1940
Toll free: 866/235-1750

SAM HOUSTON NATIONAL FOREST

394 FM 1375 West
New Waverly, TX 77358
936/344-6205
Toll free: 888/361-6908

YOUTH HUNTING INFORMATION AND REGULATIONS

All participants in youth hunts must possess a hunting license, any required stamps, and HIP (Harvest Information Program) certification if hunting migratory birds.

Adult supervision of minors is required during public hunts. When hunting on public lands, youth under 17 are required to be under the immediate supervision of a duly permitted, authorized supervising adult, age 18 or older, who is licensed to hunt in Texas.

- Youth under 12 years of age must remain within normal voice distance of an adult supervisor.
- For youth ages 12 to 16 who have received hunter education certification, the requirement for immediate supervision is relaxed to the extent that the supervising adult is required only to be present on the public hunting unit.

Please note that this hunter education requirement is different than the statewide requirement and is in effect for all public hunting lands under the administration of TPWD. The supervising adult is responsible for the actions and liability of the youth.

A Quick Reference Chart is included on each Public Hunt Region Map to assist in locating those public hunting areas which will offer youth hunting opportunities this season. Refer to the chart and the Table of Contents to locate an area. All of the youth hunt information is found on the unit maps. Special regulations and notices of applicable rules that will be in effect during the hunts are listed in the Legal Game box, or on some maps, in a separate Special Regulations box.

YOUTH ONLY HUNTS: During the hunts listed as Youth Only, only youth under 17 are authorized to hunt.

YOUTH/ADULT HUNTS: Each group must contain a youth under 17 years of age to participate. During the hunts listed as Youth/Adult, the supervising adults as well as the youths will be allowed to hunt.

YOUTH E-POSTCARD HUNTS AND WORKSHOPS: See the following pages for more youth hunting opportunities offered by postcard drawing and Mentored Hunting Workshops.

HUNTER EDUCATION

Every adult hunter (including out-of-state hunters) born on or after Sept. 2, 1971, must successfully complete a Hunter Education Training Course. Minimum age of certification is 9 years and cost is \$15.

If you were born on or after Sept. 2, 1971, and you are:

- under 9 years of age, you must be accompanied*.
- age 9 through 16, you may successfully complete a hunter education course, or you must be accompanied*.
- age 17 and over, you must successfully complete a hunter education course; or purchase a "Hunter Education Deferral," and you must be accompanied*.

Hunter Education Deferral (cost: \$10) Allows a person 17 years of age or older who has not completed a hunter education program to defer completion for up to one year. A deferral may only be obtained once and is only valid until the end of the current license year. A person who has been convicted or has received deferred adjudication for violation of the mandatory hunter education requirement is prohibited from applying for a deferral. Take the course by August 31 of the current license year and receive a \$5 discount off the \$15 course cost.

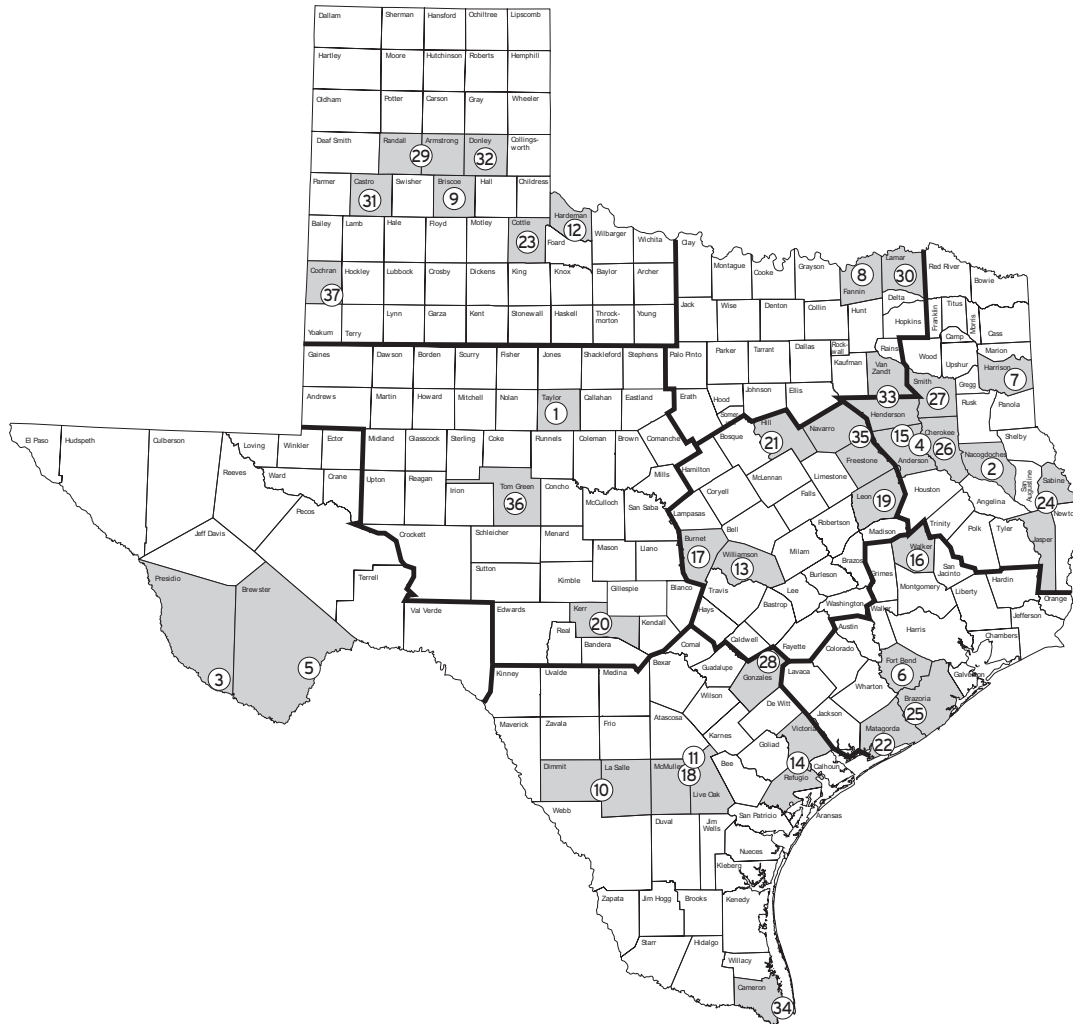
* Accompanied means: By a person who is at least 17, who is licensed to hunt in Texas, who has passed hunter education or is exempt (born before Sept. 2, 1971), and you must be within normal voice control. Proof of certification or deferral is required to be on your person while hunting.

Note: Certification is not required to purchase a hunting license.

For course information, please consult the TPWD Hunter Education section at www.tpwd.texas.gov/huntered or call toll-free 800/792-1112 (menu 6) or call 512/389-4999.

POSTCARD SELECTION, PHONE RESERVATION HUNTS, REGULAR (DAILY) PERMITS, AND MENTORED HUNTING WORKSHOPS

E-Postcard hunts (online submission only) and phone reservation hunts require adults to possess a valid Annual Public Hunting Permit (APH). Youth must be accompanied by a supervising adult 18 years of age or older who is an APH permit holder.



1. Abilene SP – Taylor County
2. Alazan Bayou WMA – Nacogdoches County
3. Big Bend Ranch SP – Presidio County
4. Big Lake Bottom WMA – Anderson County
5. Black Gap WMA – Brewster County
6. Brazos Bend SP – Fort Bend County
7. Caddo Lake WMA – Harrison County
8. Caddo National Grasslands – Bois d’Arc Unit – Fannin County
9. Caprock Canyons SP – Briscoe County
10. Chaparral WMA – Dimmit/LaSalle Counties
11. Choke Canyon SP – North Shore Unit – McMullen/Live Oak Counties
12. Copper Breaks SP – Hardeman County
13. Granger PHL – Williamson County
14. Guadalupe Delta WMA – San Antonio River Unit – Victoria/Refugio Counties
15. Gus Engeling WMA – Anderson County
16. Huntsville SP – Walker County
17. Inks Lake SP – Burnet County
18. James Daughtrey WMA – McMullen/Live Oak Counties
19. Keechi Creek WMA – Leon County
20. Kerr WMA – Kerr County
21. Lake Whitney SP – Hill County
22. Mad Island WMA – Matagorda County
23. Matador WMA – Cottle County
24. Moore Plantation WMA – Jasper/Sabine Counties
25. Nannie M. Stringfellow WMA – Brazoria County
26. Neches River NWR – Cherokee County
27. Old Sabine Bottom – Smith County
28. Palmetto SP – Gonzales County
29. Palo Duro Canyon SP – Armstrong/Randall Counties
30. Pat Mayse WMA – Lamar County
31. Playa Lakes WMA – Dimmitt Playa Unit – Castro County
32. Playa Lakes WMA – Taylor Lakes Unit – Donley County
33. Purts Creek SP – Henderson/Van Zandt Counties
34. Resaca de la Palma SP – Cameron County
35. Richland Creek WMA – Carl Frentress and Trinity Units – Freestone/Navarro Counties
36. San Angelo SP – Tom Green County
37. Yoakum Dunes WMA – Cochran County

E-POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

E-Postcard hunts are available through the Public Hunt Drawing System. Adults are required to purchase an Annual Public Hunting Permit prior to being allowed to apply for E-Postcard Hunts, and all hunters must have a valid Texas hunting license to participate. Information regarding specific E-Postcard hunts; including number of positions, bag limits, and other regulations can be found online or by contacting the area directly. Hunters must apply at www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts.

ALAZAN BAYOU WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 936/569-8547.

Waterfowl

Jan. 10-12. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

BIG BEND RANCH SP

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Park office at 432/358-4444.

Quail

Jan. 6-9. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

BIG LAKE BOTTOM WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 903/928-2251.

Archery Deer

Sept. 27-Oct. 13 and Nov. 1-17.

The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Deer

Nov. 22-Dec. 1. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

Feral Hog

Feb. 28-Mar. 23 and Mar. 28-Apr. 20.

The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Squirrel

Jan. 31-Feb. 23. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Youth Deer

Oct. 26-27. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

CADDO LAKE WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 903/679-9817.

Archery Deer

Nov. 1-6 and Nov. 15-20.

The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Feral Hog

Jan. 17-27. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Youth Deer

Nov. 9-10. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

CADDO NG – BOIS D'ARC UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 903/905-2207.

Turkey

Apr. 22-May 14. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

CAPROCK CANYONS SP

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Park Office at 806/455-1492.

Deer

Nov. 15-Dec. 1. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

Multi-species

Jan. 24-Feb. 24. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

CHAPARRAL WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 830/676-3413 or visit the Chaparral WMA Facebook page.

Multi-species

Jan. 11-13. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

CHOKE CANYON SP – NORTH SHORE UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Park Office 361/274-3573.

Feral Hog

Feb. 8-16. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

COPPER BREAKS SP

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Park Office at 940/839-4331

Feral Hog

Jan. 17-19, Jan. 31-Feb. 2, and Feb. 7-9.

The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Waterfowl

Nov. 15-17, Dec. 13-15 and, Jan. 10-12.

The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

GRANGER PHL

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Wildlife field office at 512/925-3787.

Archery Deer

Oct. 12-Dec. 29. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

GUADALUPE DELTA WMA – SAN ANTONIO RIVER UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA field office at 361/552-6637 or the Rockport regional office at 361/790-0307.

Multi-species

Dec. 13-15, Jan. 3-5, Jan. 10-12, and Jan. 17-19.

The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

GUS ENGELING WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 903/928-2251 or visit the Gus Engeling WMA Facebook page.

Furbearer/Predators

Jan. 31-Feb. 9, Feb. 14-23, and Feb. 28-Mar. 9.
The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Squirrel

Oct. 1-13, Nov. 22-Dec. 1, Dec. 20-26, Dec. 27-Jan. 2, Jan. 3-9, Jan. 10-16, Jan. 17-23, and Jan. 24-30. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Waterfowl

Dec. 20-21, Dec. 27-28, Jan. 3-4, Jan. 10-11, Jan. 17-18, and Jan. 24-25. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

JAMES DAUGHTREY WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 361/274-3573 or visit the Daughtrey WMA Facebook page.

Feral Hog/Predator

Feb. 8-16. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Quail

Oct. 26-27. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

KEECHI CREEK WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 903/389-7080.

Archery Deer

Sept. 27-Oct. 20. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Deer

Nov. 1-24. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

Feral Hog

Feb. 28-Mar. 23. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Multi-species

Dec. 6-29. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

Squirrel

Jan. 31-Feb. 23. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Waterfowl

Jan. 3-26. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

KERR WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 830/238-4483.

Deer

Dec. 6-11. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

LAKE WHITNEY SP

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Park Office at 903/560-7123.

Youth Archery Deer

Jan. 10-12. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

MAD ISLAND WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 979/323-9579.

Youth Archery Deer

Oct. 12-13. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Youth Deer

Oct. 19-20. The deadline for application is **Sept. 15, 2024**.

MATADOR WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 806/492-3405.

Predator

Feb. 7-9. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

MOORE PLANTATION WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 936/897-1068 x237.

Turkey

Apr. 22-27. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

NANNIE M. STRINGFELLOW WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Bay City office at 979/323-9669 or the WMA office at 979/798-8746.

Feral Hog

Feb. 11-13 and Feb. 25-27.
The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Youth/Adult Feral Hog

Feb. 1-2. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Waterfowl

Jan. 8, Jan. 15, and Jan. 22.
The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

NECHES RIVER NWR – ROCKY POINT UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Refuge office at 956/245-9426.

Squirrel

Oct. 1-14. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

NECHES RIVER NWR – SANDY BLUFF UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Refuge office at 956/245-9426.

Squirrel

Oct. 1-14. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

NECHES RIVER NWR – WALNUT BRANCH UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Refuge office at 956/245-9426.

Squirrel

Oct. 1-14. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

PALMETTO SP

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Park Office at 830/672-3266.

Youth Deer Antlerless/Spike

Dec. 14-15. The deadline for application is **Oct. 15, 2024**.

PAT MAYSE WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the Park Office at 903/905-2207.

Turkey

Apr. 22-28. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

PLAYA LAKES WMA – DIMMITT PLAYA UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 806/492-3405.

Waterfowl

Nov. 2-3, Nov. 9-10, Nov. 16-17, Nov. 23-24, Nov. 30-Dec. 1, Jan. 11-12, Jan. 18-19, and Jan. 25-26. The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

Waterfowl/Pheasant

Dec. 7-8, Dec. 21-22, and Jan. 4-5.

The deadline for application is **Oct. 15, 2024**.

PLAYA LAKES WMA – TAYLOR LAKES UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 806/492-3405.

Waterfowl

Jan. 18-19 and Jan. 25-26.

The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

Youth/Adult Waterfowl

Dec. 7-8, Dec. 21-22, and Jan. 4-5.

The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

RICHLAND CREEK WMA – CARL FRENTRESS UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 903/389-7080.

Archery Deer

Oct. 11-20. The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Feral Hog

Mar. 7-30 and Apr. 4-27.

The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Teal

Sept. 13-17, Sept. 20-24, and Sept. 27-29.

The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

Waterfowl

Nov. 8-10, Nov. 22-24, Dec. 6-8, Jan. 10-12, and Jan. 24-26.

The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

Youth/Adult Waterfowl

Dec. 20-22. The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

RICHLAND CREEK WMA – TRINITY UNIT

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA Field Office at 903/389-7080.

Furbearer/Predators

Feb. 7-Mar. 2, Mar. 7-30, and Apr. 4-27.

The deadline for application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

Waterfowl

Dec. 6-8, Jan. 10-12, and Jan. 24-26.

The deadline for application is **Oct. 1, 2024**.

Youth/Adult Waterfowl

Dec. 20-22. The deadline for this application is **Nov. 1, 2024**.

YOAKUM DUNES WMA

For specific information regarding E-Postcard hunts on this area go to www.tpwd.texas.gov/drawnhunts or contact the WMA office at 806/598-2562.

Dove

Sept. 14-15 and Sept. 21-22.

The deadline for application is **Sept. 1, 2024**.

HUNTS BY PHONE RESERVATION

Reservations are on a first-come, first-served basis and must be made through the field office personnel; voice mail messages will not be accepted. Interested parties must reserve a hunt position by contacting the area manager before being allowed access to the WMA for hunting.

BLACK GAP WMA

Predator: Jan. 25-26 and Feb. 1-2. Reservations will be accepted for six groups of up to two hunters for each hunt period. Bag Limit: Unlimited coyotes and bobcats (no other predators may be harvested). Hunting parties will meet at the WMA Headquarters (details provided at the time of registration). Reservations will be made by calling the Black Gap WMA office at 432/376-2216 only on Jan. 6, 2025, beginning at 9:00 a.m. until all positions are filled.

REGULAR PERMIT HUNTS

A Regular Permit is available for certain small game and migratory bird hunts on specific areas on a first-come first-served basis.

A \$20 fee is charged for each Regular Permit issued; however, the fee will be waived for youth hunters (under age 17) and for persons possessing an Annual Public Hunting Permit.

A valid hunting license and any required stamp endorsements are required to participate in these hunts.

All participants must check in and out each day at the area check station before entering the hunt area and before leaving for the day.

The department reserves the right to limit the number of hunters, cancel or modify hunts or hunt dates, alter bag limits, or modify hunt procedures at any time to address resource and safety concerns.

Refer to the Prohibited Acts section for additional information and restrictions.

Reminder: Vaccination of hunting dogs against rabies is required by Department of State Health Services and owners must be able to show documentation of current vaccinations whenever the animal is transported.

HUNTSVILLE SP

Squirrel: Dec. 11 and 12. Bag and possession limits correspond to limits for squirrels in Walker County. Shotguns with no larger than #4 lead shot and air rifles of .177 (4.5mm) caliber or larger with a muzzle velocity at minimum of 600 fps are the only legal means allowed. Use of dogs is prohibited. Shooting Hours are from 30 minutes before sunrise to noon. Park is closed to public during these hunts.

For more information contact the park at 936/295-5644.

RESACA DE LA PALMA SP

White-winged Dove: Sept. 1-2 and Sept. 6-8. Bag and possession limits correspond to limits during the Special Season in the Special White-winged Dove Area. Shooting Hours are from noon to sunset.

Mourning Dove: Sept. 14-15 and Sept. 21-22. Bag and possession limits for doves correspond to limits in the South Zone Dove Season. Shooting Hours are from 30 minutes before sunrise to sunset. Park will remain open. Hunters will enter hunting area through the south gate ONLY.

For more information contact the park at 956/350-2920.

MENTORED HUNTING WORKSHOPS

Select state parks and wildlife management areas will conduct mentored hunting workshops designed to introduce first time hunters to the hunting experience, educate them on the skills they will need to be successful in the field, and build a foundation for their hunting tradition. These workshops are followed by a hunt on the area. Mentored Hunting Permits (MHP) required for these workshops are offered to qualified hunters and are only valid for a specific public hunting unit and the corresponding workshop dates. A person may participate in a designated hunt under an MHP only after completing the mandatory mentored hunting workshop, has been authorized by the department to participate in hunting activities and is accompanied by a designated mentor.

Applying for a Mentored Hunting Workshop is easier than ever and can be done online at:
www.tpwd.texas.gov/huntwild/hunt/public/mentored_hunting_workshops/

ABILENE SP

Feral Hog: First Time Hunters, Feb. 21-23, 2025. Bag Limit: no bag limit. For more information contact the park at 325/572-3204.

ALAZAN BAYOU WMA

Multi-species: First Time Hunters. Jan. 3-5, 2025. Mentored hunting workshop for adults 25 years old and older who have never hunted and never completed hunter education. Workshop will be held at time hunt and consist of hunter education, woodsmanship, and live fire training; followed by guided hunts on the dates provided for various in-season game animals and/or feral hogs. For more information contact the WMA at 936/569-8547.

BRAZOS BEND SP

Waterfowl: First Time Hunters. Workshop date is Jan. 23, 2025. Hunt date will be Jan. 24, 2025. Bag Limit: bag and possession limits for South Zone Waterfowl Season apply. For more information contact the State Park at 281/202-7222.

GUS ENGELING WMA

Squirrel: First Time Hunters. Dec. 13-14, 2024. Workshop followed by hunt on Dec. 16, 2023. Bag Limit: County bag and possession limits apply. Hunters will always be accompanied by TPWD staff during the hunt. For more information contact the WMA at 903/928-2251.

INKS LAKE SP

White-tailed Deer: First Time Hunters. Nov. 12-14, 2024. Bag Limit: One deer (either sex) and unlimited feral hogs. For more information contact the park at 512/793-2223.

OLD SABINE BOTTOM WMA

Feral Hog: First Time Hunters. Jan. 11-13, 2025. Bag Limit: no bag limit. For more information contact the WMA at 903/881-8233.

PALO DURO CANYON SP

White-tailed Deer: Disabled Veteran (50% VA rating or above) geared toward First Time Hunters. Dec. 4-5, 2024. Bag Limit: One deer (mature antlerless only), one Rio Grande turkey (mature either sex), and unlimited aoudad and feral hogs. For information contact the park at 806/488-2227.

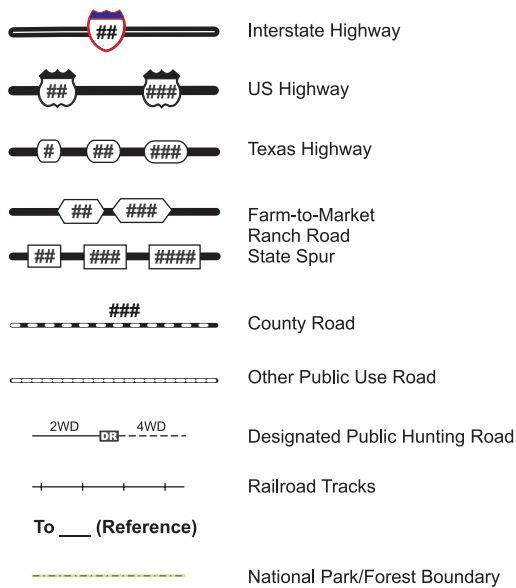
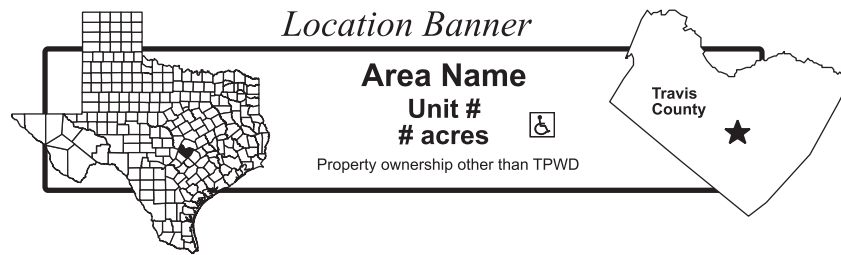
PURTIS CREEK SP

Waterfowl: First Time Hunters. Workshop date is Dec. 7, 2024, hunt date #1 is Jan. 4, 2025, and hunt date #2 is Jan. 18, 2025. Workshop attendance is required to attend either hunt date, however previous workshop/hunt attendees will not be eligible to participate. Bag Limit: Bag and possession limits correspond to limits during the North Zone Duck and Eastern Zone Goose seasons. For more information contact the park at 903/425-2332.

SAN ANGELO SP

White-tailed Deer: First Time Hunters. Jan. 21-23, 2025, Bag Limit: Two white-tailed deer (antlerless and spike bucks only, limit 1 spike buck), one javelina, one exotic mammal, and unlimited feral hogs. Center fire rifles only; hunt will be by assigned blinds. For more information contact the park at 325/949-4757.

MAP BOOK LEGEND



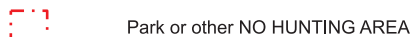
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County Name _____ County Boundary

STATE/COUNTRY



Name of
Managed Property



Area Name



Pond, Lake, or Reservoir Name



Large River Name



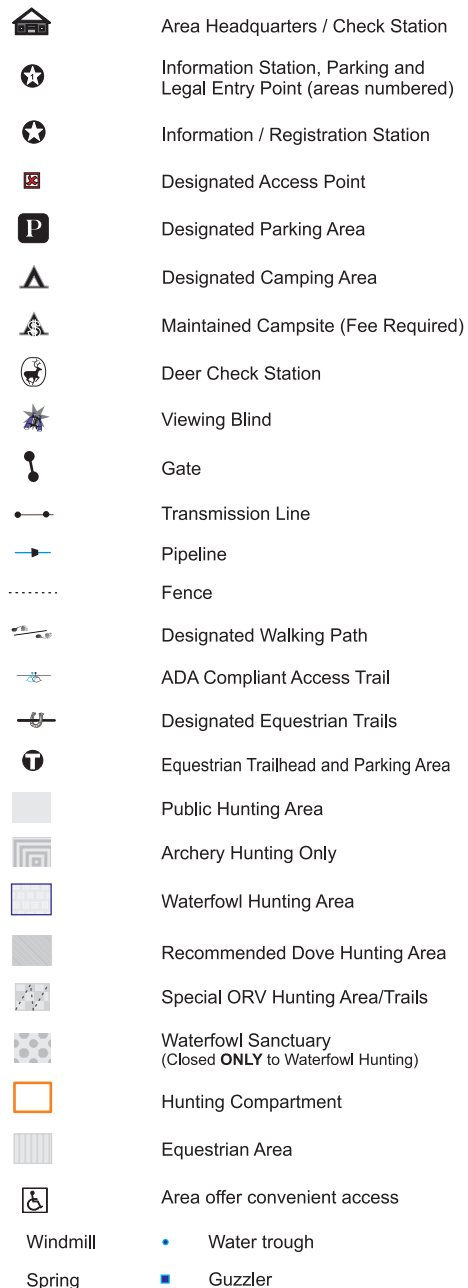
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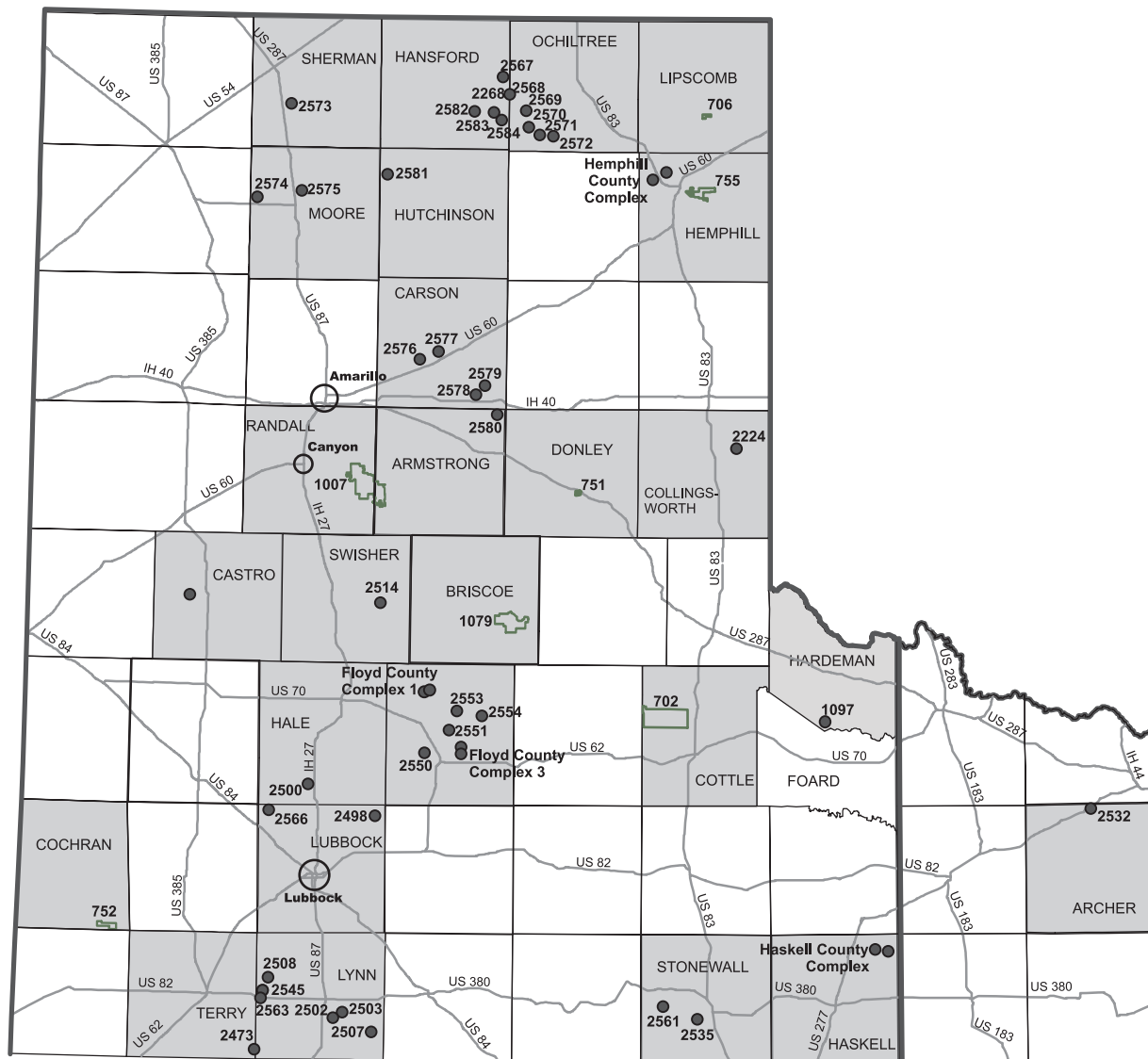
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REGION 1 – PANHANDLE

2024-2025


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www.tpwd.texas.gov/APH



LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICES:

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 Lubbock (806) 761-4930

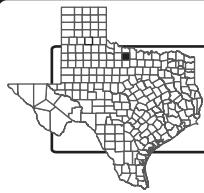
To report game violations, call
1-800-792-GAME

 Counties offering hunts by Annual Permit
 Total of 109,078 Acres



REGION 1 – PANHANDLE

PHR 1 HUNTING OPPORTUNITY OFFERED BY SPECIES																					
Page	County	Unit #	Unit Name	Deer	Feral Hog	Dove	Teal	Waterfowl	Cranes	Quail	Pheasant	Rabbit	Coyotes	Fishing	Multispecies	Turkey	Y/A Dove	Y/A Waterfowl	Y/A Quail	Youth Waterfowl	Veteran Waterfowl
4	Archer	2532	Finnell			1															
4	Collingsworth	2224	Wolf Creek			1															
5	Cottle	702	Matador WMA		1	1	1			1		1		1			1		1		
6	Donley	751	Taylor Lakes Unit, Playa Lakes WMA		1	1	1					1									
7	Floyd		Floyd County Complex 1																		
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		2383	Bluestem			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1							1	1
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		2529	94 Trust			1		1		1	1	1									
		2530	Bindweed			1	1	1	1	1	1	1								1	1
9	Floyd	2550	Vara			1	1	1	1		1	1									
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11	Hale	2500	Abernathy North			1						1	1								
12	Haskell		Haskell County Complex																		
		2533	Brushy Creek East			1				1											
		2534	Brushy Creek West			1				1											
13	Hemphill		Hemphill County Complex																		
		2525	Horse Creek			1				1		1									
		2526	Big Timber			1				1		1									
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15	Lipscomb	706	Pat Murphy Unit - Gene Howe WMA			1				1		1		1							
16	Lubbock	2498	Idalou			1															
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19	Lynn		Lynn County Complex																		
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	Castro	736	Dimmitt Plays Unit-Playa Lakes WMA					1			1										
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**Finnell
Unit #2532
125 acres**

eOSR

Archer

- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed
- Transmission Line

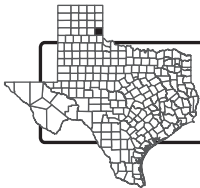
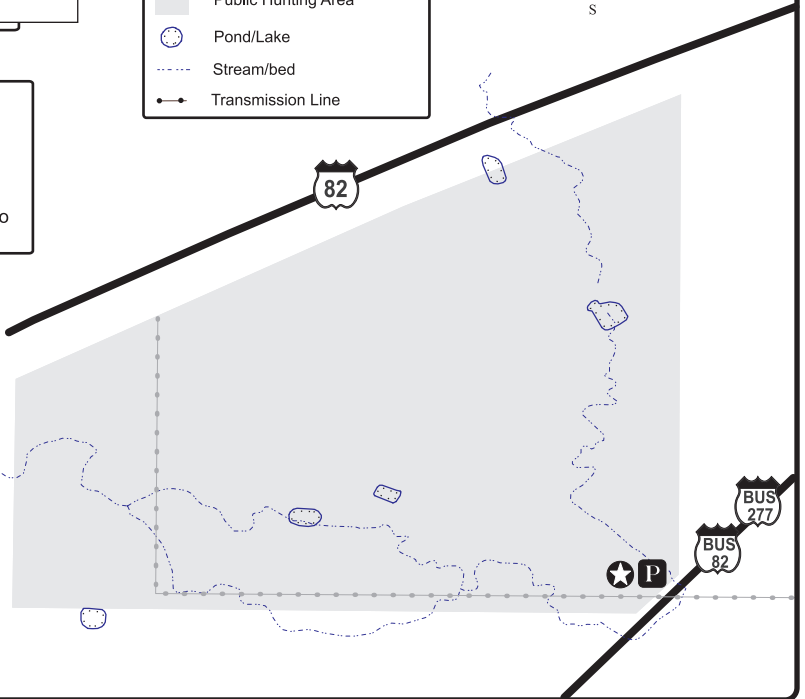
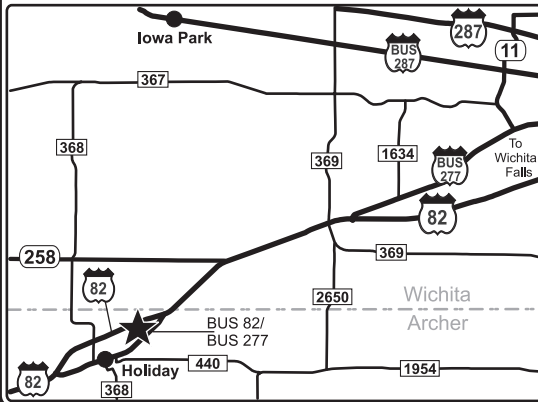


LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the first split of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Special Regulations: No smoking allowed on the property. No grills or fires of any kind. No ATVs or ORVs.



**Wolf Creek
Unit #2224
480 acres**

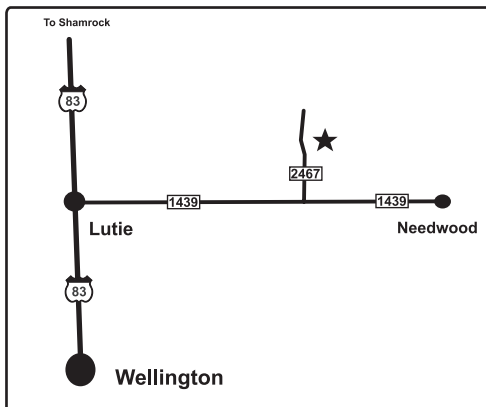
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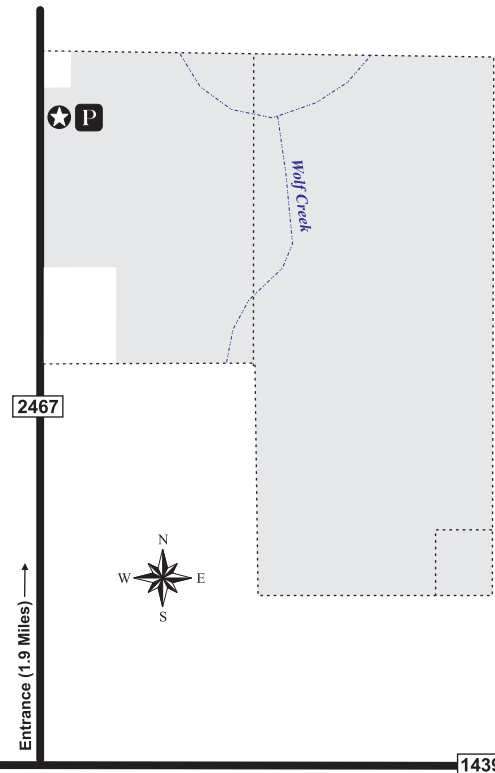
LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the first split of North Zone Dove Season ending Oct. 26 (Mourning and White-winged).



- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Fence
- Stream/bed



To US 183

Matador WMA
Unit #702
28,183 acres

Cottle County, Texas

POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

Predator
See the front of the booklet for "E-Postcard Selection Hunt" information.

On-site registration is required.

There are **NO DEER HUNTS** by APH Permit on this area.

Dove: Each day of North Zone Dove Season, except dates **ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.**

Quail: Oct. 26-Jan. 31, except dates **ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.**

Duck: Each day of the Early Teal and High Plains Mallard Management Unit seasons except when entire area is closed to hunting.

Archery Only Feral Hogs and Coyotes: Mar. 15-23 (no bag limit). Baiting allowed during hunt period only.








Fishing: Allowed every day except on closure dates. Only in Middle Pease River. Pole and line only.

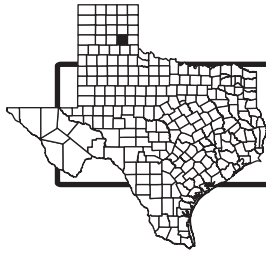
Rabbits & Hares: (Shotgun only) Concurrent with dove and quail dates.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: All vehicle traffic, including ORVs, UTVs, etc., is limited to designated Public Hunting Roads. No hunting within 1/4 mile of campgrounds, residences, and WMA buildings in addition to other restricted areas. All Shotgun hulls and shell boxes must be retrieved from the field and disposed of off the WMA. For more information call the WMA headquarters (806-492-3405).

Youth/Adult Dove and Quail: Oct. 19-20. Each group must contain a youth under age 17 to participate.

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILE

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|  | Area Headquarters / Check Station |
|  | Designated Camping Area |
|  | Windmill or Solar well |
|  | Public Hunting Area |
|  | Designated Public Hunting Road |
|  | Fence |
|  | Stream/bed |



Playa Lakes WMA
Taylor Lakes Unit #751
525 acres

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Donley County

GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION:
On-site registration is required for all public access. No permit is required to access and use the wildlife viewing blind at the parking area.

ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Nov. 29-Dec. 1, Dec. 7-8, Dec. 21-22, Jan. 4-5, Jan. 18-19, Jan. 25-26, and Apr. 5-6.

POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

Waterfowl and Youth/Adult Waterfowl
See front section of booklet for Postcard Selection Hunt information.

To Clarendon

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Johnson Lake

Moist Soil Unit #1

D&J Lake

Taylor Lake

Taylor Lake II

Cattail Lake

Lelia Lake

West

Lelia

Lake

Creek

Lelia Lake

To Hedley

287

1754

- ★ Information / Registration Station
- 👁 Viewing Blind
- ⚙ Windmill, Solar well, etc.
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- ▭ Pond/Lake
- DR— Designated Public Hunting Road
- Stream/bed --- Fence
- Transmission Line — Pipeline

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required.

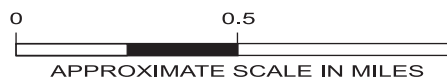
Dove: Each day of the first split of North Zone Dove season.

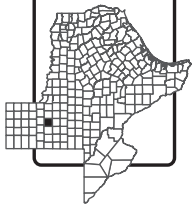
Teal: Each day of the Early Teal Season.

Archery Only Feral Hog: Feb. 1-Apr. 4 and Apr. 7-Aug. 31 (no bag limit). Baiting allowed during hunt period only.

Rabbits and Hares: (Shotgun only) Concurrent with dove hunts.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: This unit is a walk-in area only. No camping allowed. No fishing allowed. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions. All hunters must possess an APH Permit.





Floyd County Complex 1

Circle Tree - (Unit #2362) 381 acres
Bluestem - (Unit #2383) 80 acres

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Floyd

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SPECIAL SEASON

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military

Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and Regulations.

Entire Area Closed: Nov. 25-Dec. 3.



- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Transmission Line

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal Season.

Quail: Each day of the Quail season through Jan. 31.

Pheasant: Each day of Pheasant season.

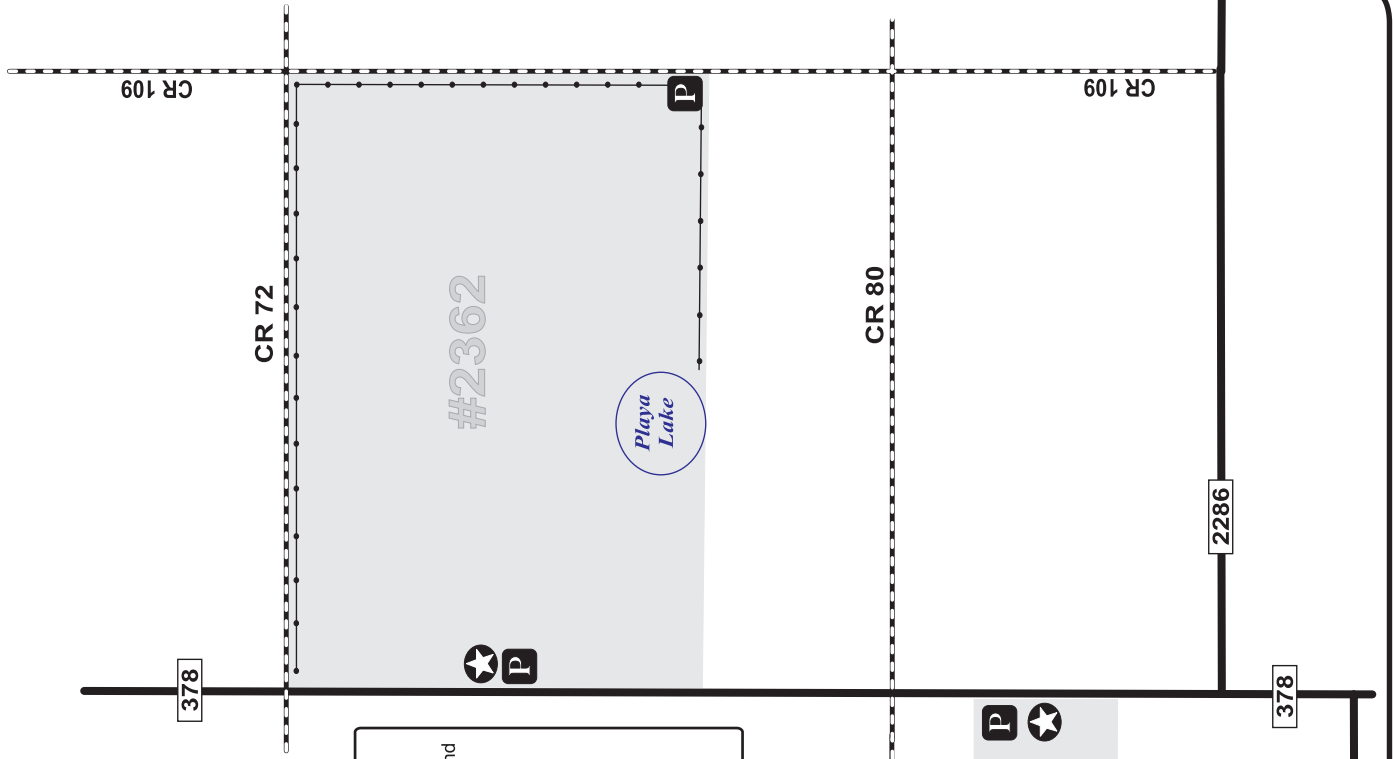
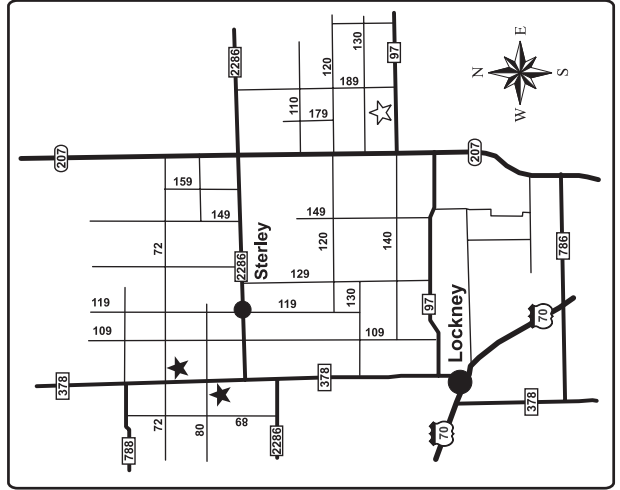
Ducks: Each day of the High Plains Mallard season.

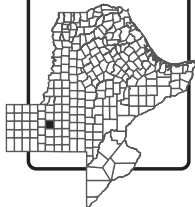
Geese: Each day of the Western Zone season through Jan. 31.

Sandhill Crane: Each day of Sandhill Crane season for Zone A.

Rabbits, Hares, and Coyotes: Concurrent with other species ending Jan. 31.

Special Regulations: No smoking allowed on premises. No coyote hunting with dogs allowed.





Floyd County Complex 3 Bindweed (Unit #2530) 640 acres 94 Trust (Unit #2529) 320 acres

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Unit 2530

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OSR Required Each Day

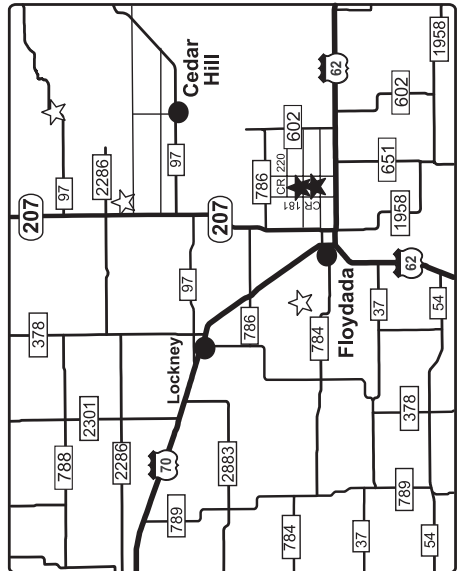
- Dove:** Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).
- Quail:** Each day of Quail season for Floyd County.
- Ducks:** Each day of the Early Teal, Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military, and High Plains Mallard season.
- Geese:** Each day of the Western Zone season and Conservation Order.
- Pheasant:** Each day of Pheasant season for Floyd County.
- Sandhill Crane:** Each day of Sandhill Crane season for Zone A.
- Rabbits and Hares:** May be taken while hunting dove, quail or Pheasant.
- Means Restrictions:** Non-toxic shot only.
- Special Regulations:** No smoking allowed on premises. No fires or grills of any kind.

Unit 2529

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

- Dove:** Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).
- Quail:** Each day of the Quail season.
- Pheasant:** Each day of Pheasant season.
- Geese:** Each day of the Western Zone season and Conservation Order.
- Sandhill Crane:** Each day of Sandhill Crane season for Zone A.
- Rabbits and Hares:** May be taken while hunting dove, quail or Pheasant.
- Special Regulations:** No smoking allowed on premises. No fires or grills of any kind.



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Information/Registration Station

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Designated Parking Area

Public Hunting Area

Pond/Lake

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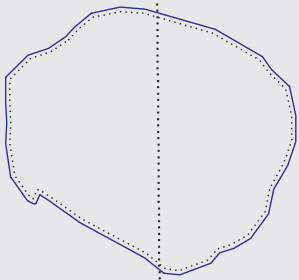
Fence



CR 220



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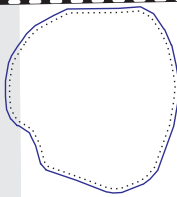
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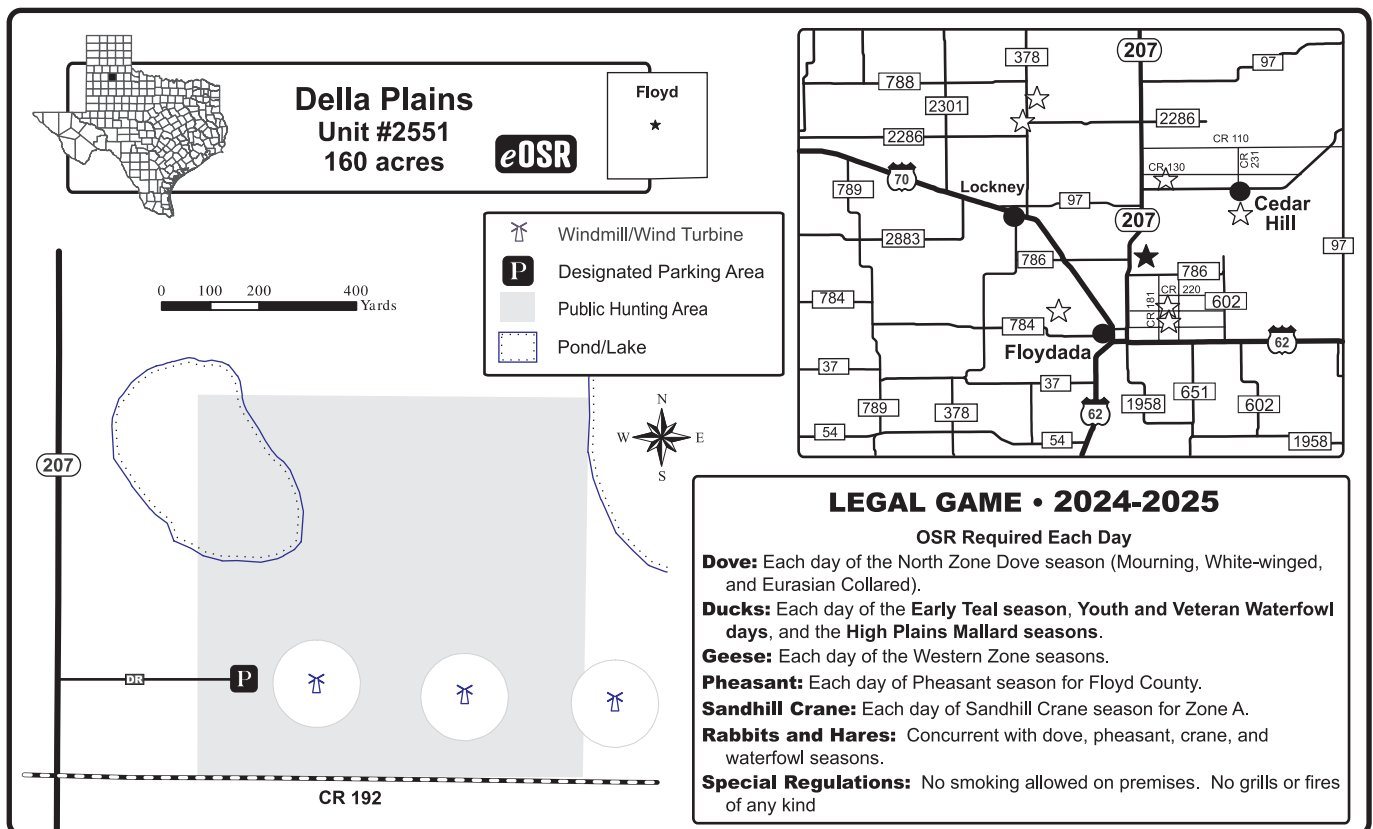
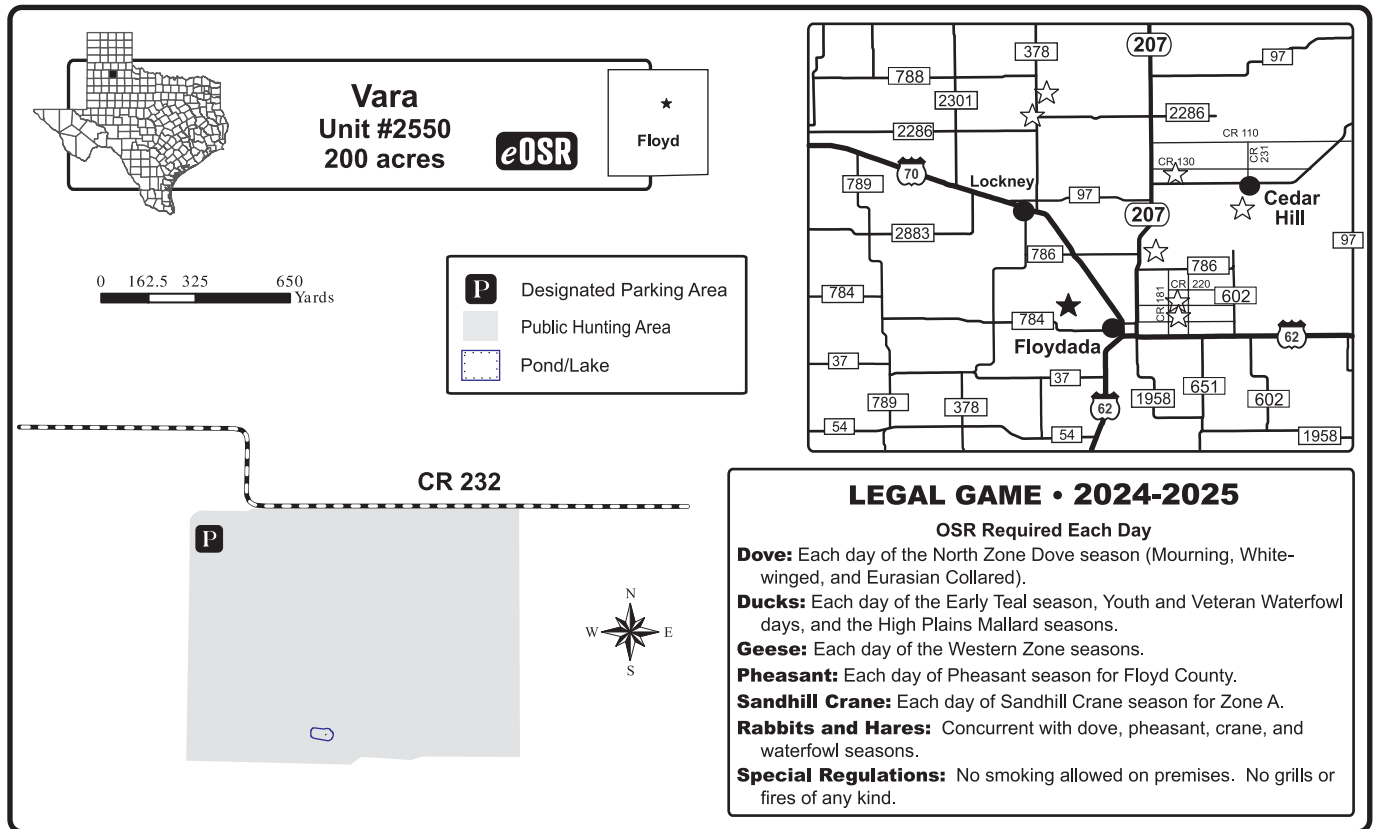
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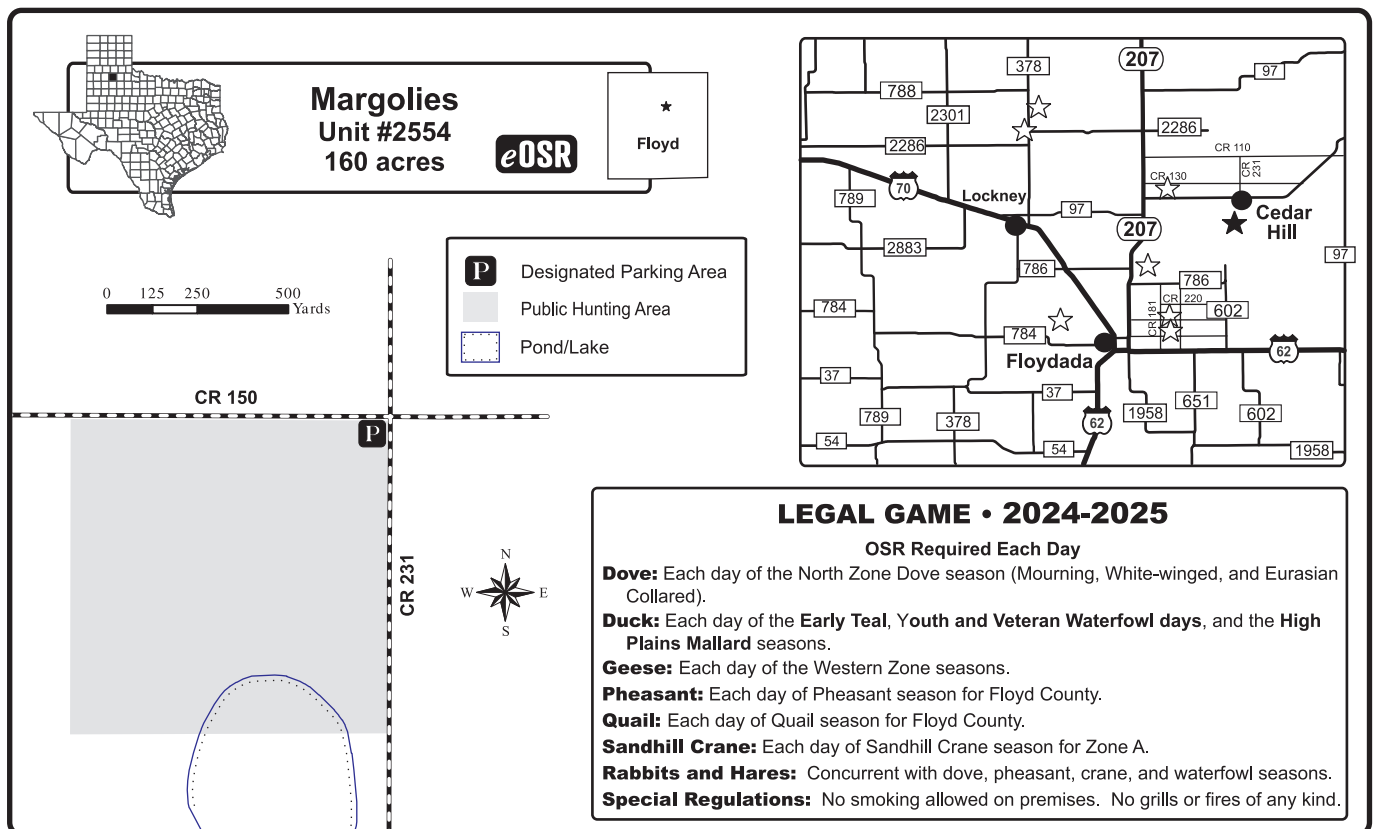
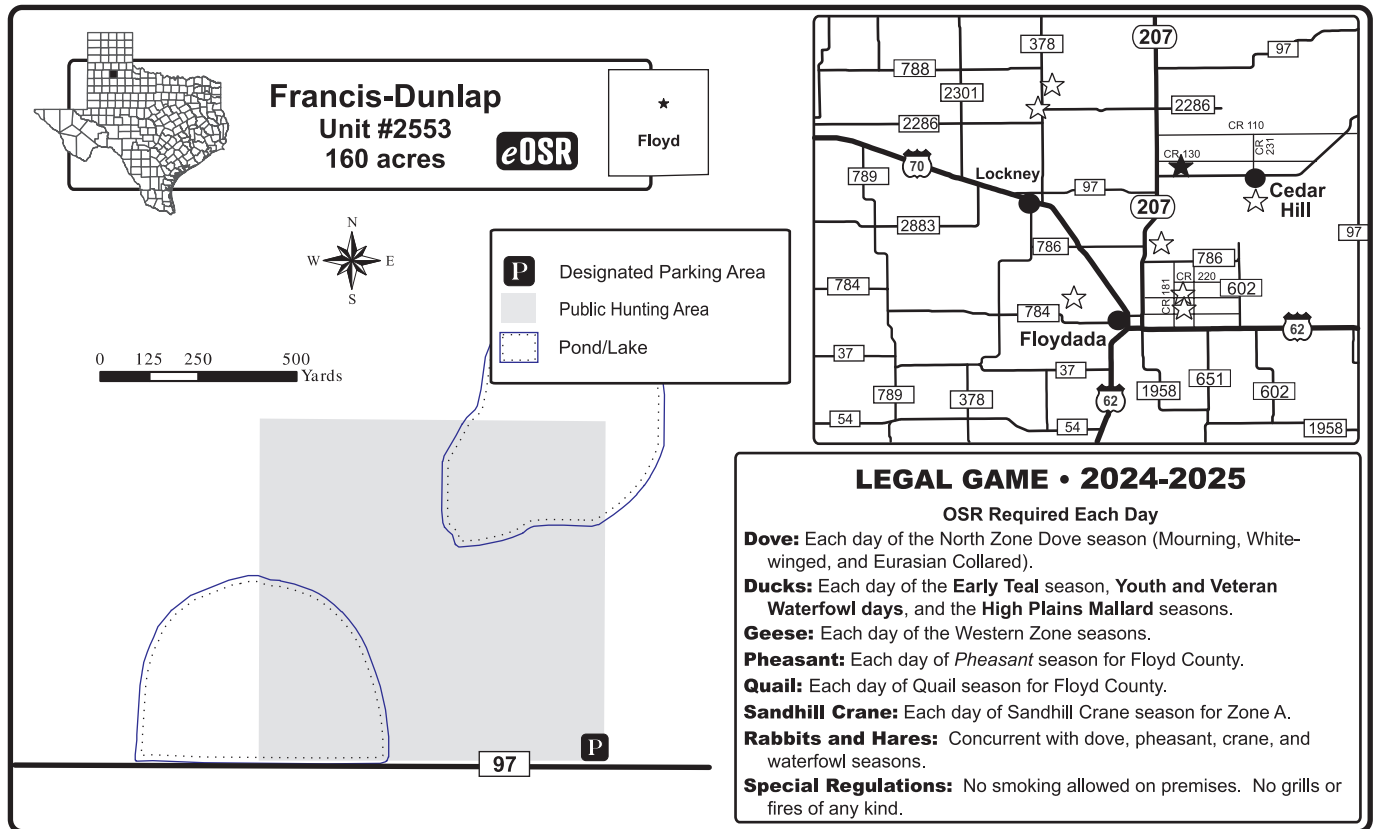


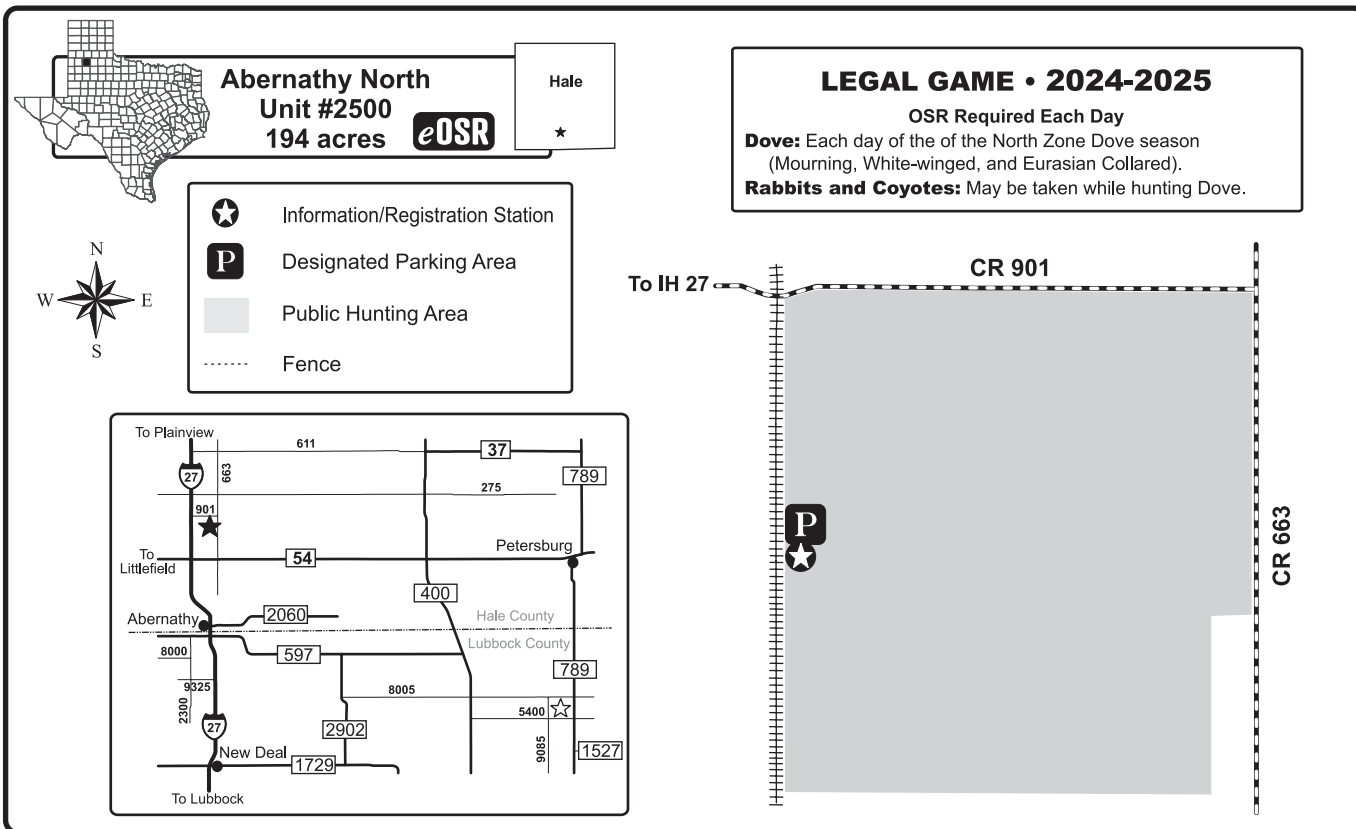
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CR 242







Get the Texas Hunt & Fish app!

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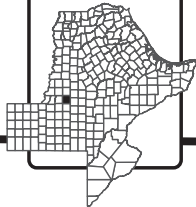
- Electronically complete On-Site Registration
- Perform mandatory harvest reporting



Scan the code or visit tpwd.texas.gov/huntandfish

TURKEY HUNTERS:

Harvest reporting is now
MANDATORY statewide.



Haskell County Complex

Brushy Creek East (Unit #2533) 1290 acres

Brushy Creek West (Unit #2534) 252 acres

Haskell

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NOTE: County Road 274 gets extremely muddy/flooded and impassable from its intersection with CR 273 and eastward after rain. Please avoid driving east of the CR 273/CR 274 parking area when wet.

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Doves: Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Quail: Each day of Quail season ending Jan. 31

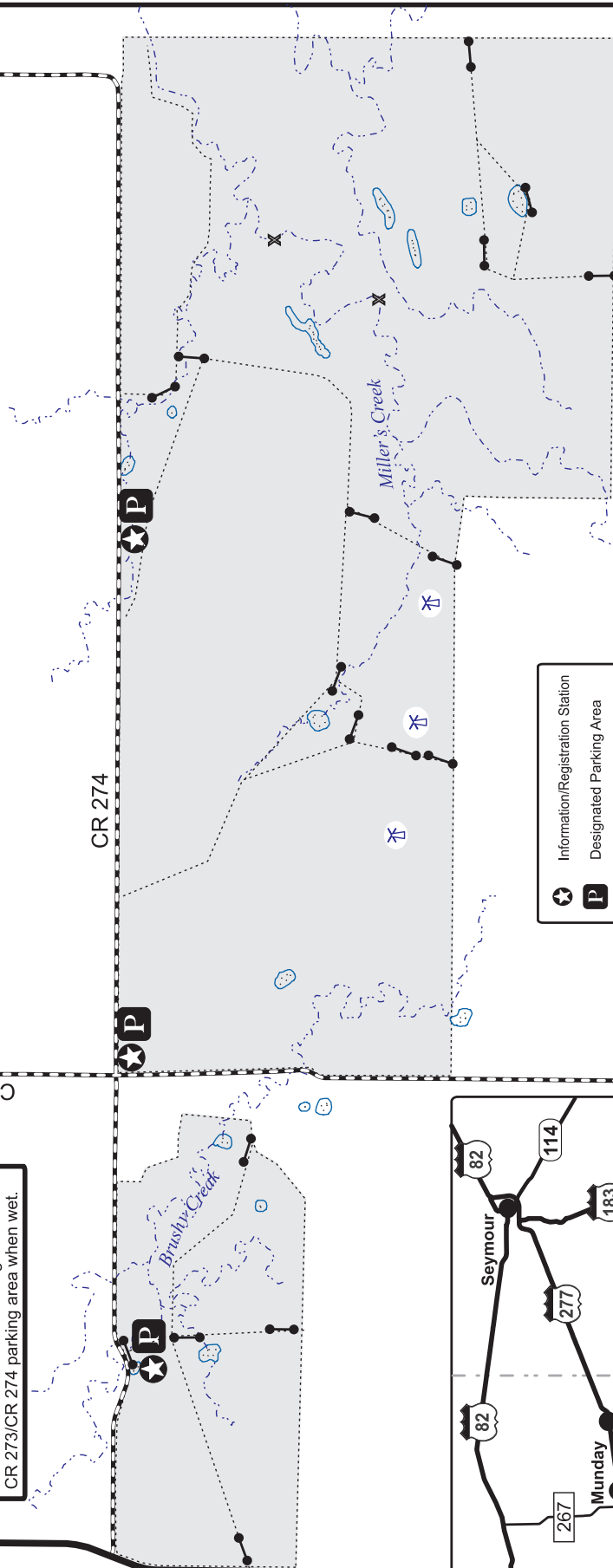
Striped Skunk and Raccoon: Each day from Sept. 1 ending Jan. 31.

Means Restrictions: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

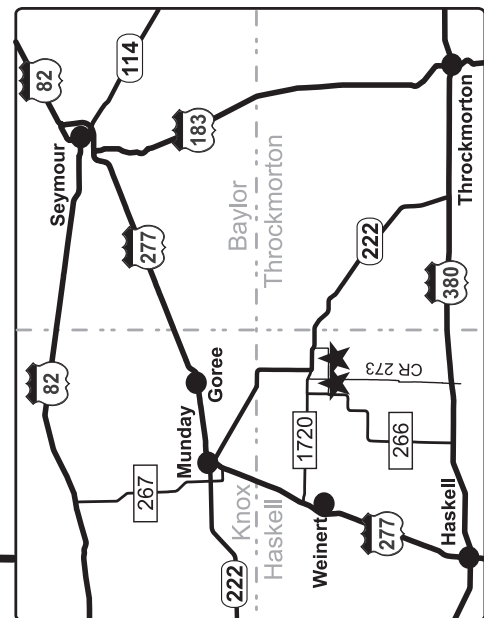
Special Regulations: No smoking allowed on premises. No grills or fires of any kind. No hunting within 50 yards of wind turbines. No Night Hunting. No traps of any kind.

CR 273

CR 274



	Information/Registration Station
	Designated Parking Area
	Gate
	Creek Crossing
	Wind Turbine
	Public Hunting Area
	Pond/Lake
	Stream/bed
	Fence
	County Road



Hemphill County Complex

Horse Creek (Unit #2525) 402 acres

Big Timber (Unit #2526) 821 acres

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 OSR Required Each Day

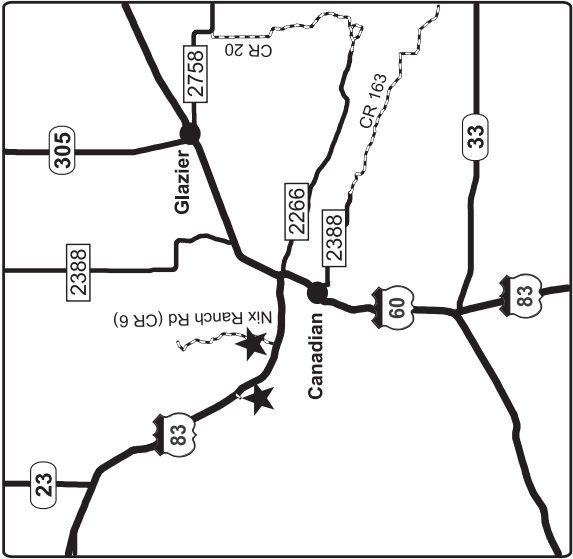
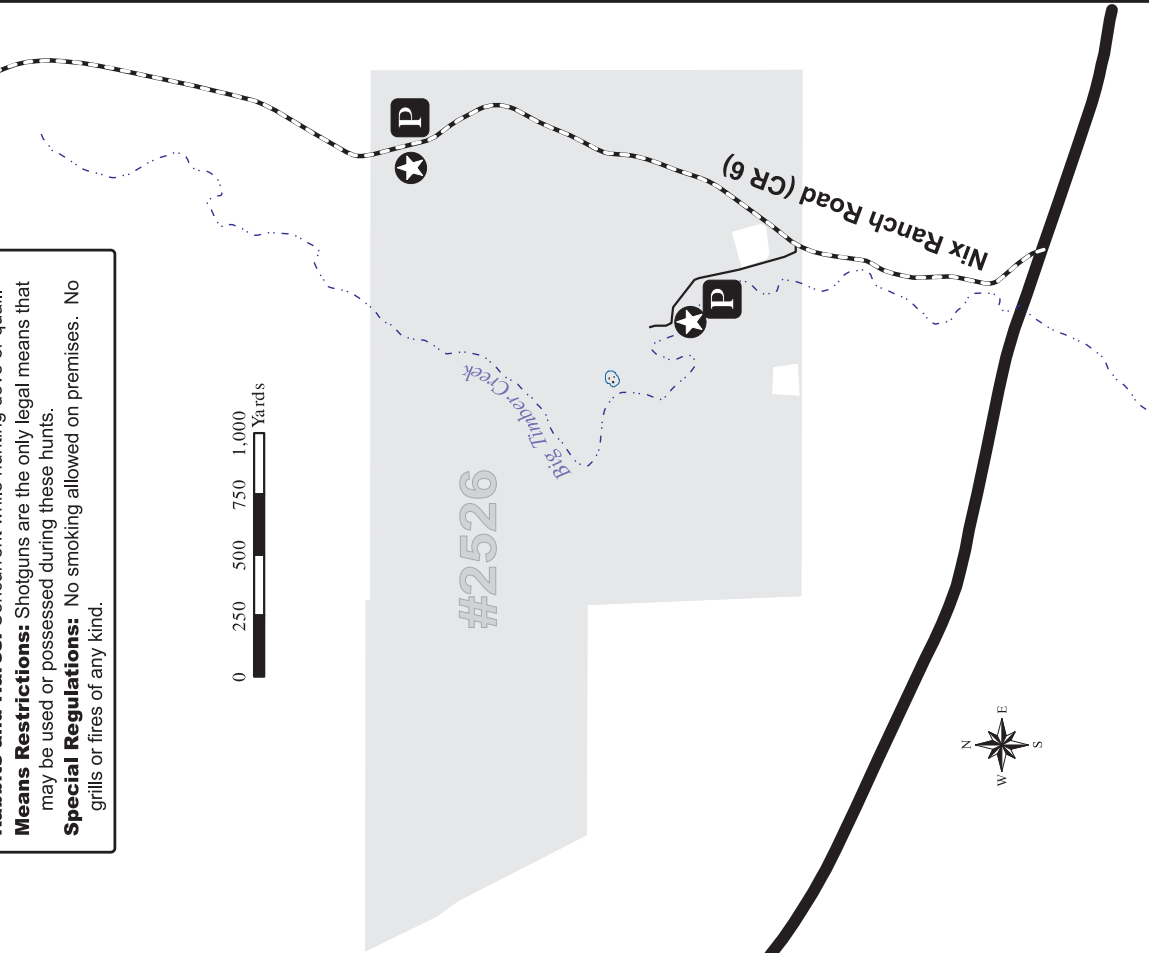
Dove: Sept. 1-Oct. 31 (Mourning and White-winged).

Quail: Season opens the day after the end of mule deer season as established for Hemphill County ends on Feb. 25.

Rabbits and Hares: Concurrent while hunting dove or quail.

Means Restrictions: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

Special Regulations: No smoking allowed on premises. No grills or fires of any kind.



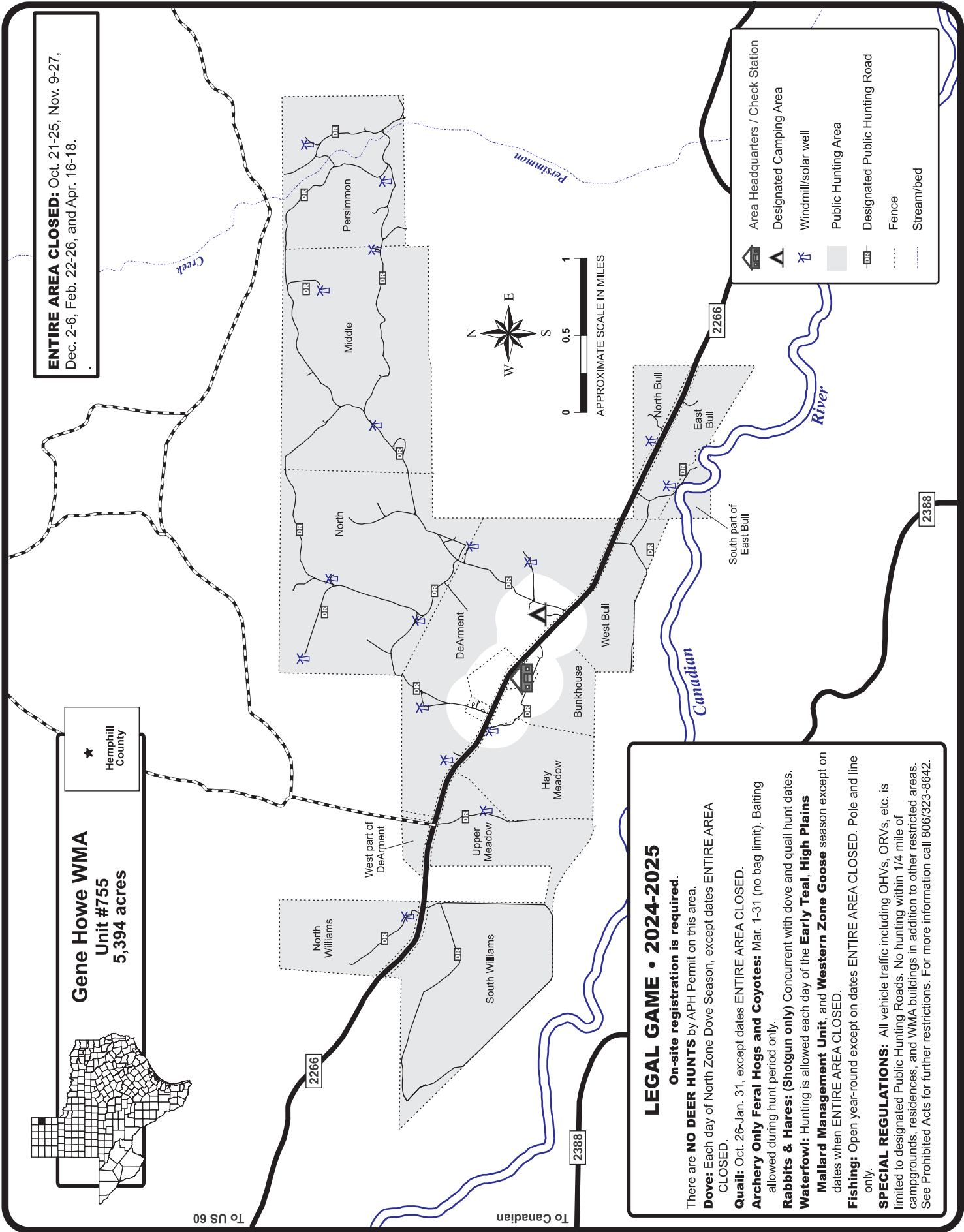
Information/Registration Station

Designated Parking Area

Public Hunting Area

Pond/Lake

Stream/bed



ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Oct. 21-25, Nov. 9-27, Dec. 2-6, Feb. 22-26, and Apr. 16-18.

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Hemphill
County

Gene Howe WMA
Unit #755
5,394 acres

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

On-site registration is required.

There are **NO DEER HUNTS** by APH Permit on this area.

Doves: Each day of North Zone Dove Season, except dates ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.

Quail: Oct. 26-Jan. 31, except dates ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.

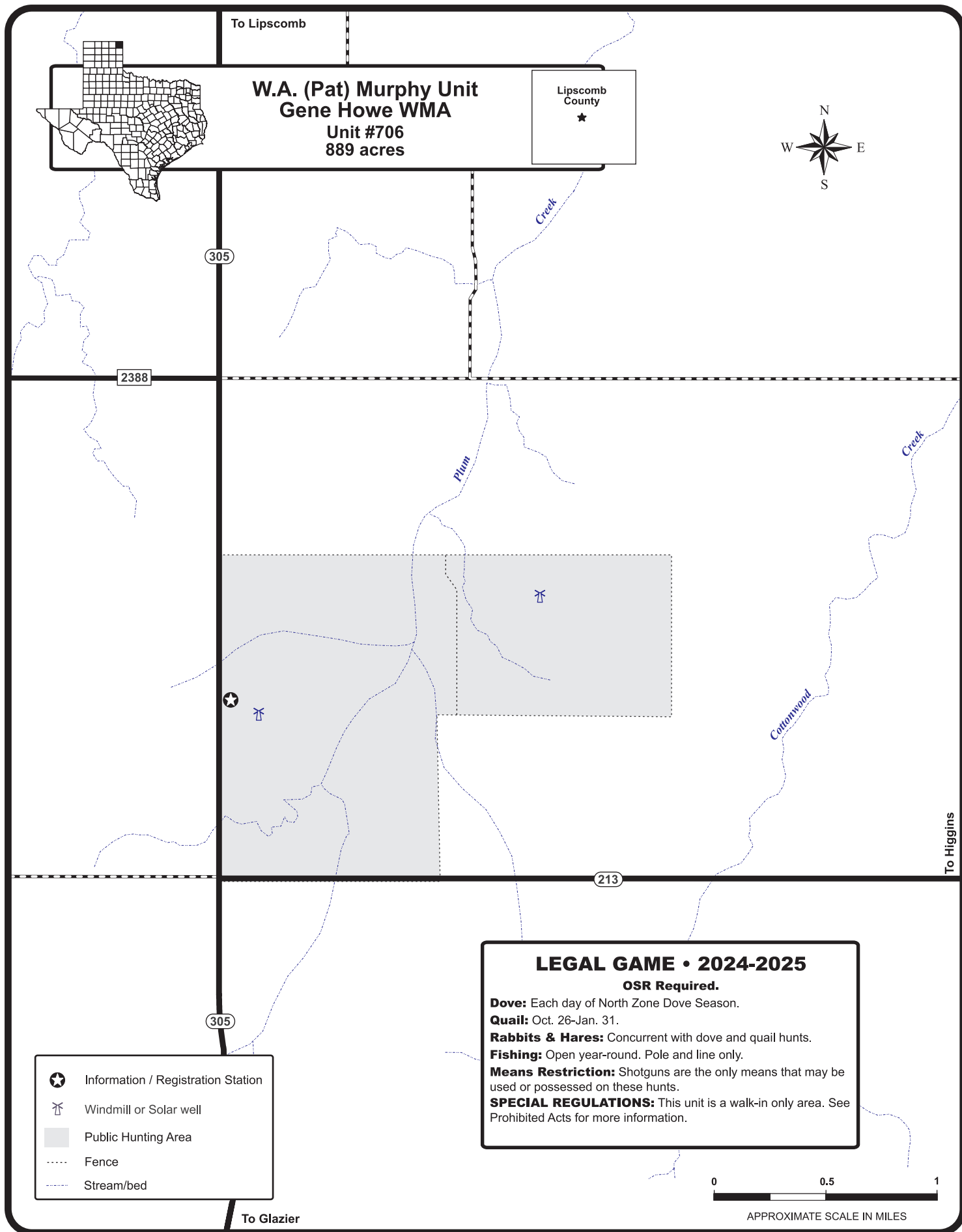
Archery Only Feral Hogs and Coyotes: Mar. 1-31 (no bag limit). Baiting allowed during hunt period only.

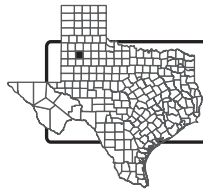
Rabbits & Hares: (Shotgun only) Concurrent with dove and quail hunt dates.

Waterfowl: Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal, High Plains Mallard Management Unit**, and **Western Zone Goose** season except on dates when ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.

Fishing: Open year-round except on dates ENTIRE AREA CLOSED. Pole and line only.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: All vehicle traffic including OHVs, ORVs, etc. is limited to designated Public Hunting Roads. No hunting within 1/4 mile of campgrounds, residences, and WMA buildings in addition to other restricted areas. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions. For more information call 806/323-8642.





**Idalou
Unit #2498
320 acres**

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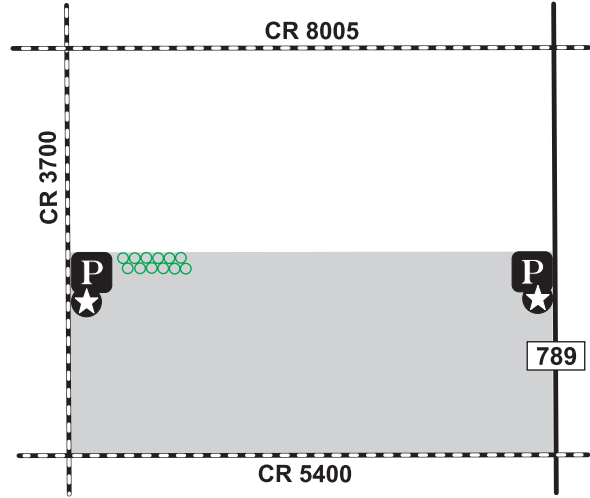
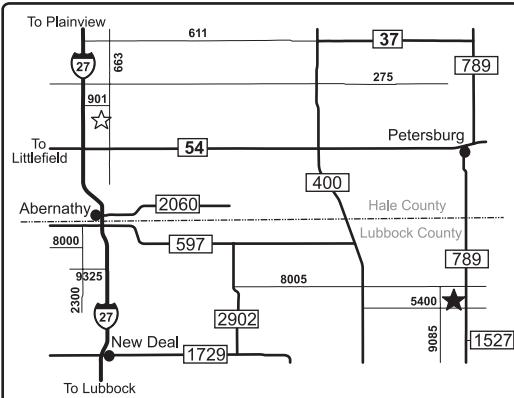
Lubbock

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

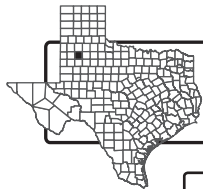
Dove: Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Rabbits and Coyotes: May be taken while hunting Dove.



- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Trees

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN YARDS



**Ramsey Place
Unit #2566
320 acres**

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Lubbock

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

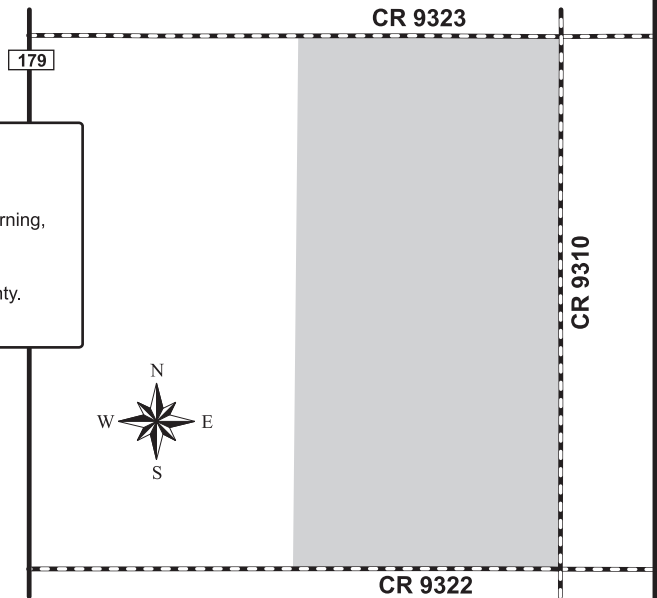
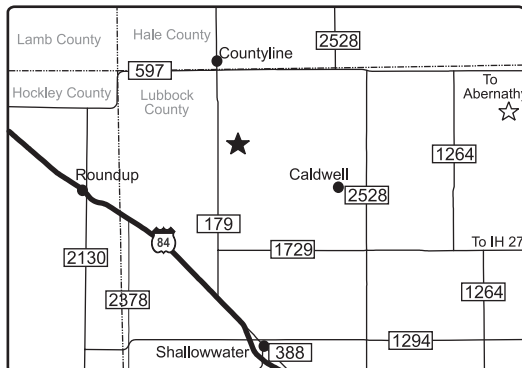
OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

Quail: Each day of Quail season for Lubbock County.

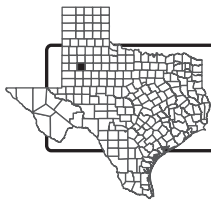
Pheasant: Each day of Pheasant season for Lubbock County.

Rabbits: Concurrent with quail season.



- Public Hunting Area
- County

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**Miller Farm
Unit #2502
320 acres**

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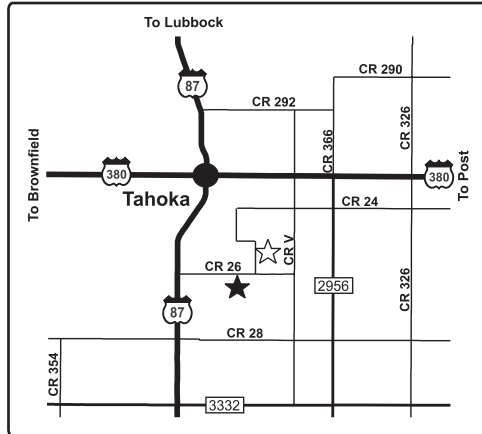
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LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Waterfowl: Each day of the **Early Teal, High Plains Mallard and Western Zone Goose** season.

Sandhill Crane: Each day of **Sandhill Crane** season for Zone A.

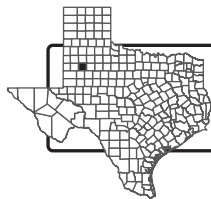
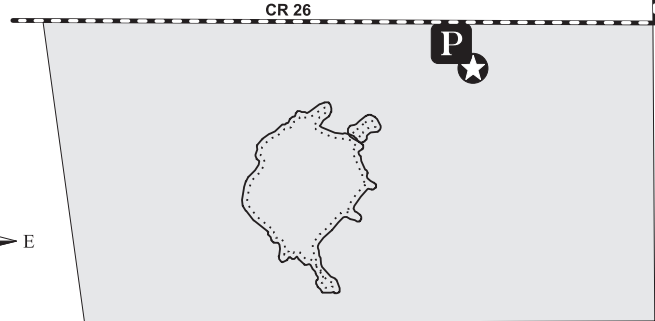


Special Regulations: No parking allowed on CR 26.



- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN YARDS



**Slover
Unit #2503
320 acres**

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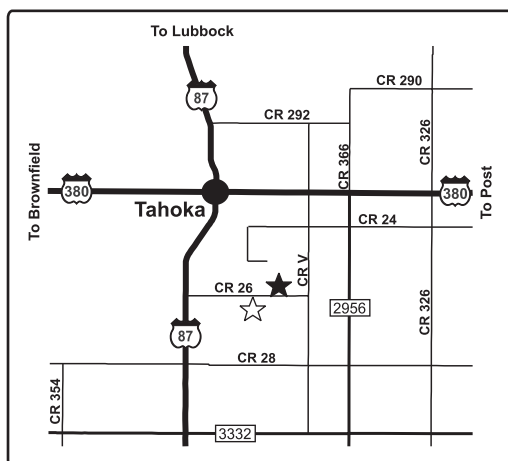
LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Waterfowl: Each day of the **Early Teal, High Plains Mallard and Western Zone Goose** season.

Sandhill Crane: Each day of **Sandhill Crane** season for Zone A.

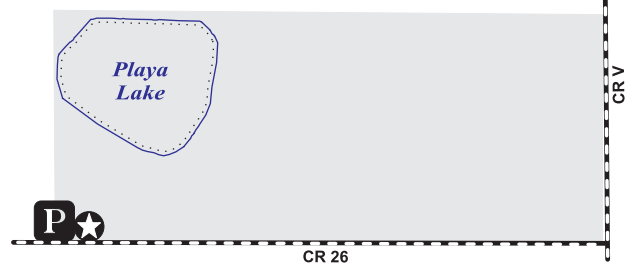


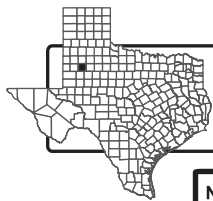
NOTE: The playa lake is a seasonal wetland and will sometimes be dry.



- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN YARDS



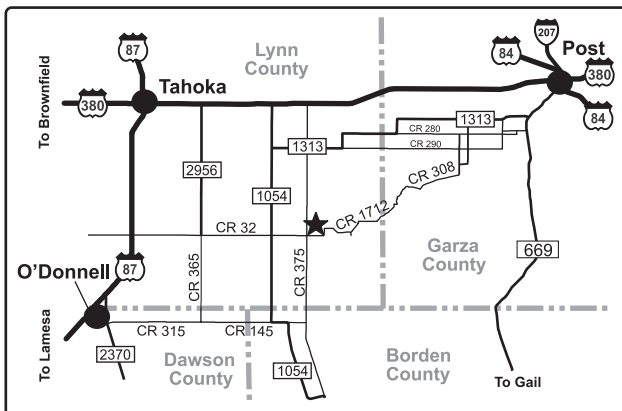


**Warrick
Unit #2507
320 acres**

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NOTE: Site is most easily accessed from CR 32 via FM 1054.



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OSR Required Each Day

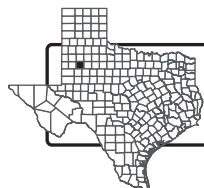
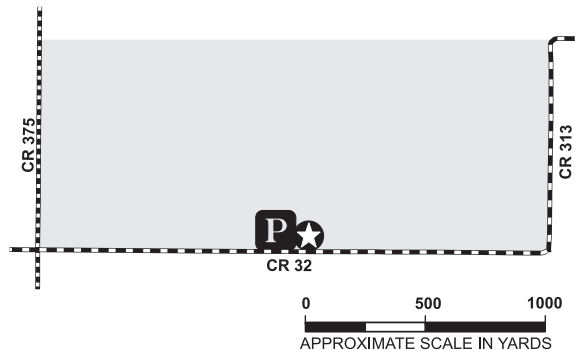
Archery White-tailed Deer: Bag Limit 1 Antlerless only, each day of the Archery and General White-tailed Deer seasons for Lynn county.

Dove: Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

Quail: Each day of Quail season for Lynn county.



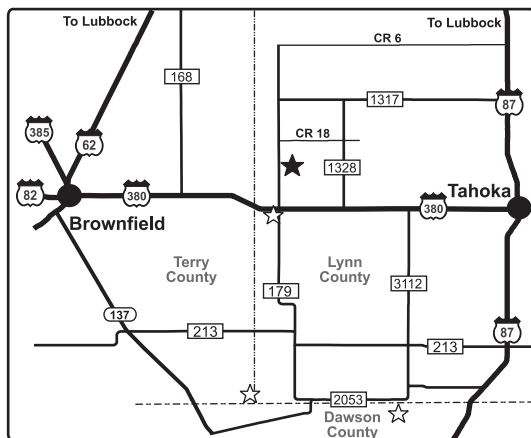
- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area



**Franklin Farm
Unit #2508
320 acres**

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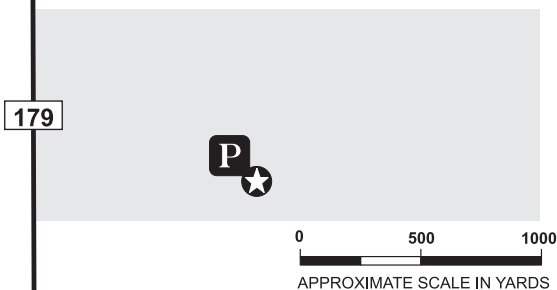
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OSR Required Each Day

Quail: Each day of the Quail season.



- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area





Lynn County Complex

Askew CRP

(Unit #2563) 320 acres

Noble Playa

(Unit #2545) 308 acres

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★ Lynn

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Unit 2545

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Waterfowl: Each day of the Early Teal, High Plains Mallard Management, and Western Zone Goose seasons.

Sandhill Crane: Each day of the Sandhill Crane season for Zone A.

Quail: Each day of the Quail season for Lynn County.

Rabbits and Hares: Concurrent with dove, waterfowl, and sandhill crane hunts.

Special Regulations: No smoking allowed on premises. No grills or fires of any kind. No ATVs or ORVs.

NOTE: The playa lake is a seasonal wetland and will sometimes be dry.

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Unit 2563

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

Quail: Each day of Quail season for Lynn County.

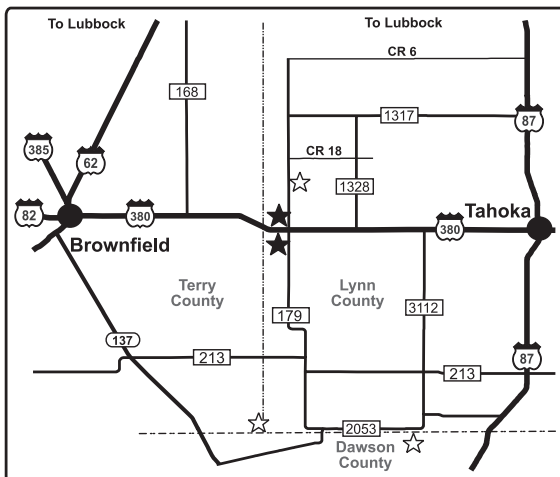
Rabbits: Concurrent with dove and quail seasons.

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN YARDS



Information/Registration Station



Designated Parking Area



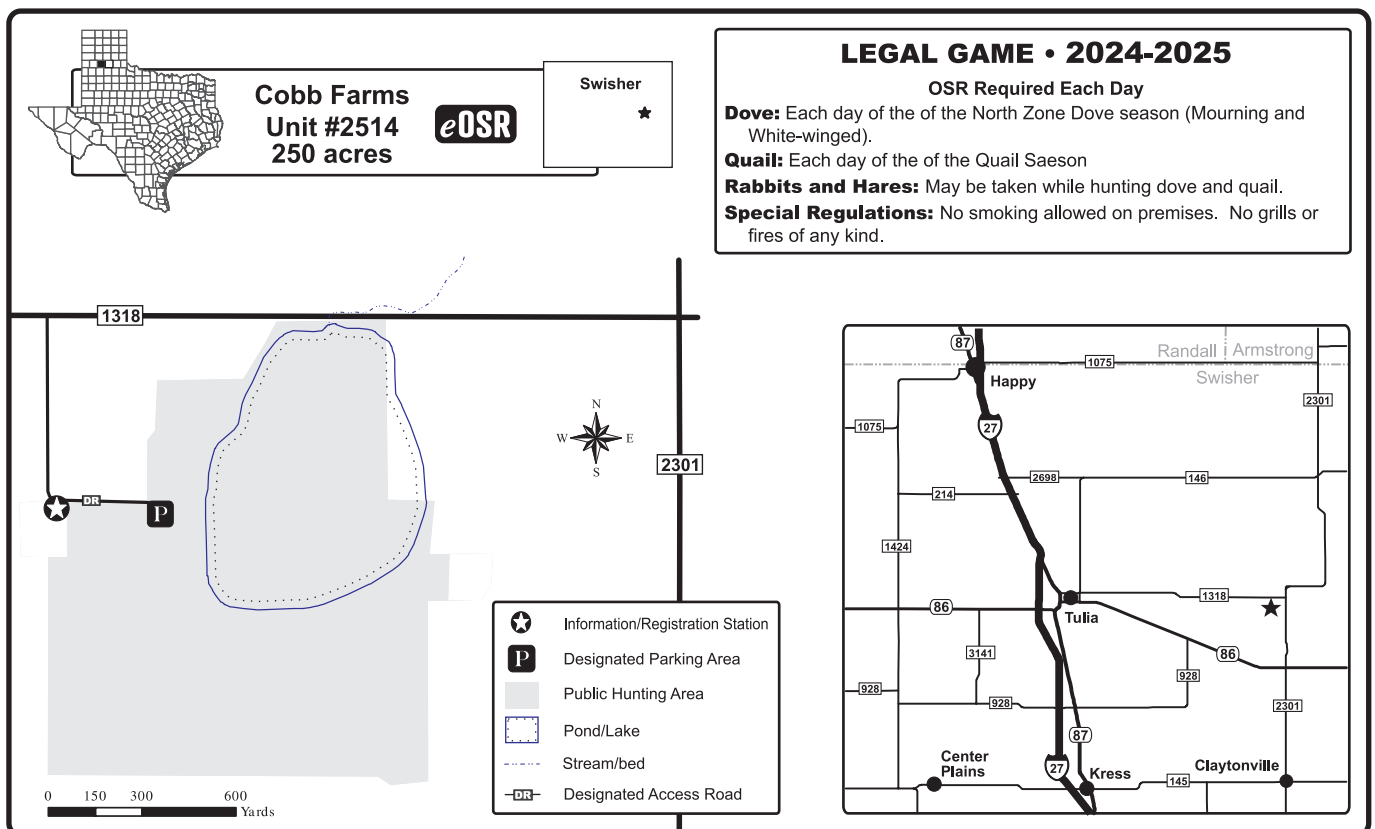
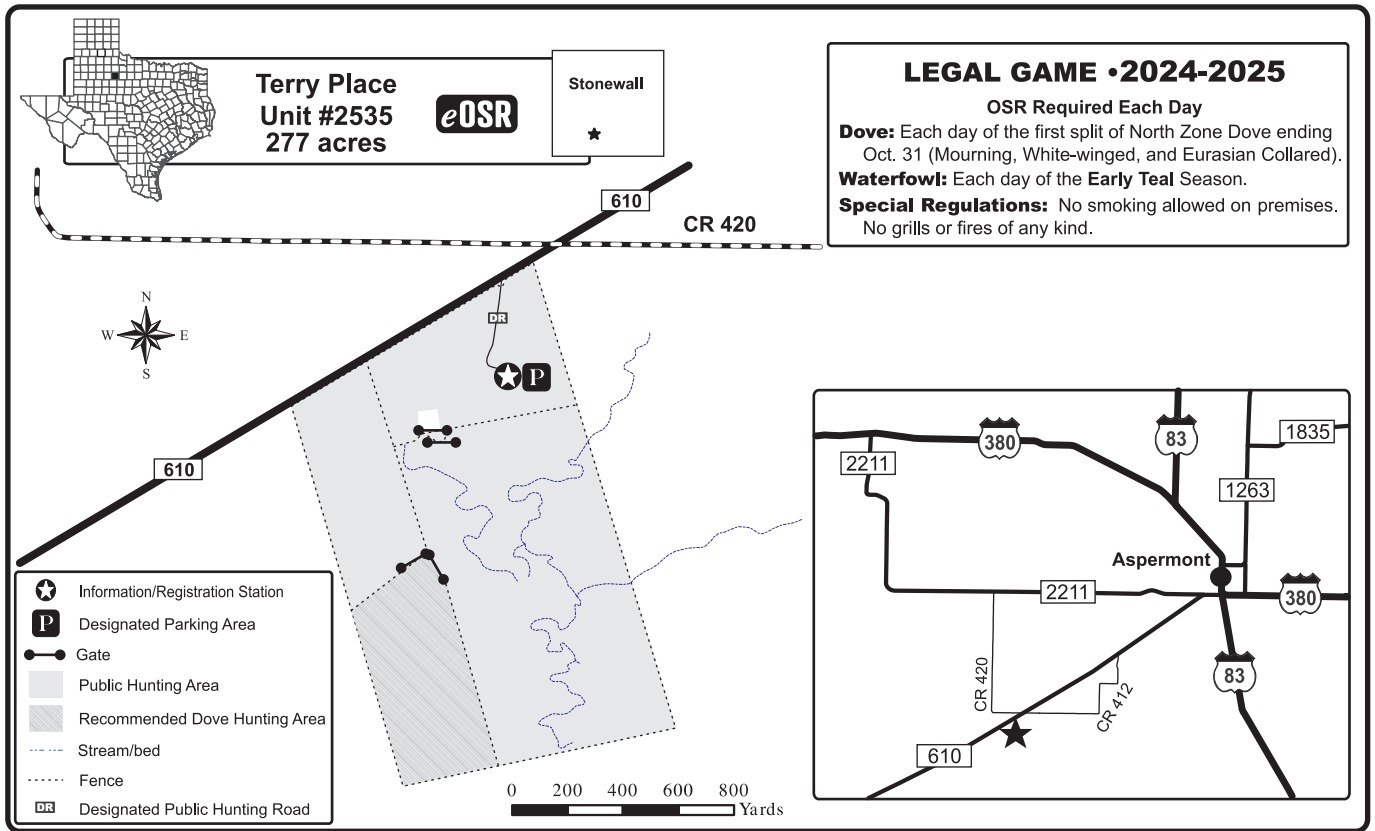
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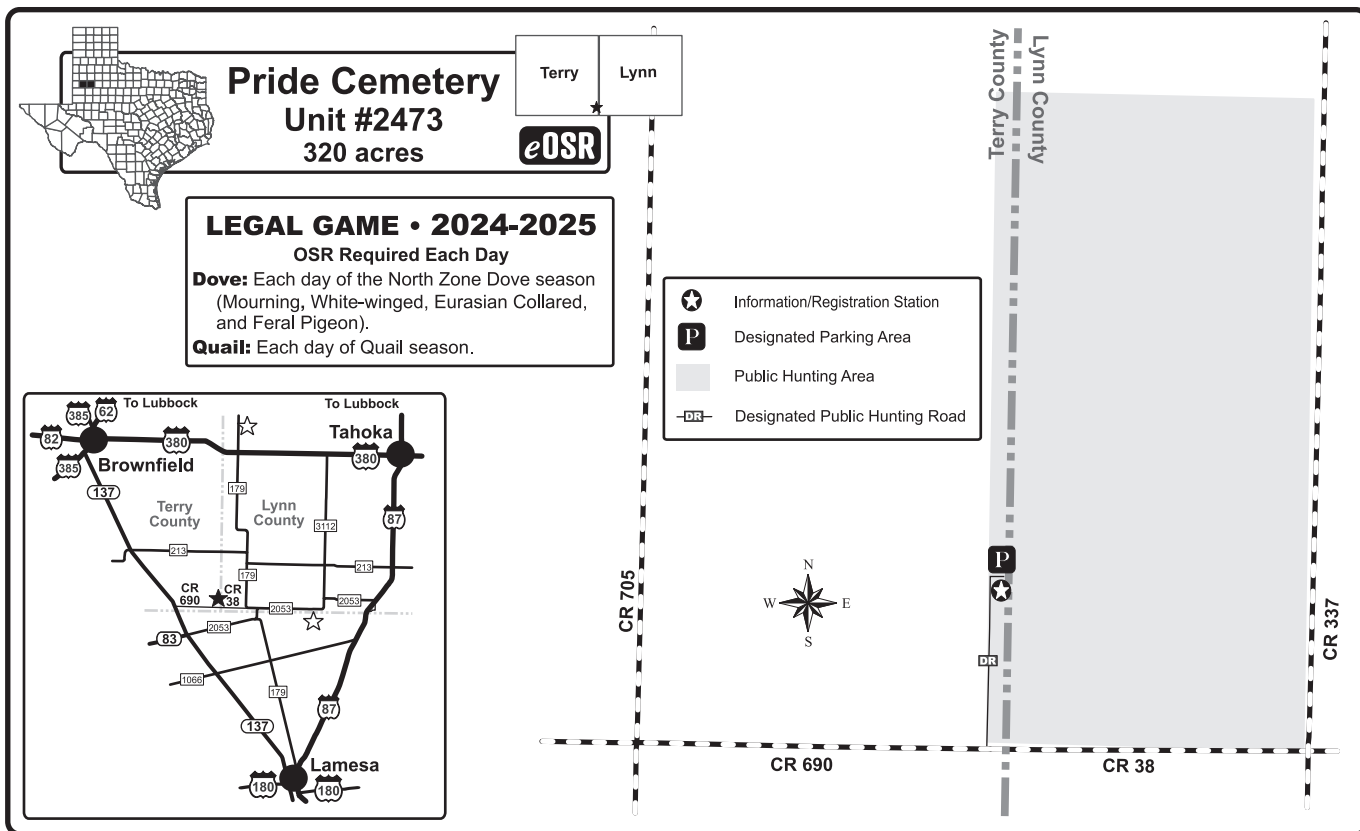


Public Hunting Area



Pond/Lake/Playa





TICK-BORNE DISEASES IN TEXAS

Each year Texans contract Lyme disease, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, ehrlichiosis and relapsing fever. All of these diseases are transmitted by the bite of an infected tick. If caught early, these diseases can almost always be cured. If left untreated, they can be serious or even fatal.

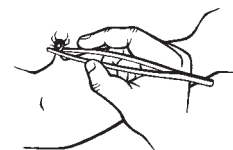
Early symptoms of these diseases mimic the “flu,” and include fever, headache, tiredness, stiff neck or neck pain, muscle aches, and joint pain. Sometimes a rash is also present. If you develop flu-like symptoms (with or without a rash) after a tick bite, you should see a physician right away.

To protect yourself and your family

- Wear light-colored clothing so that ticks can easily be seen.
- Tuck pant legs into socks to keep ticks off of your skin.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and keep shirt tails tucked in.
- Use insect repellent according to package instructions.
- Inspect exposed skin every few hours for ticks.
- Do a thorough, full-body tick check when you come in and remove any attached ticks.
- Frequently check your pets for ticks. In addition to bringing ticks into your home, pets can contract tick-borne diseases.

To remove an attached tick

- Use tweezers to grasp the tick’s mouthparts as close to the skin as possible.
- If tweezers are not available use a tissue to protect your fingers.
- With a steady motion, pull the tick straight out.
- After removal, you can mail the live tick to the Texas Department of Health Laboratory (address below) for identification and testing. Please use a container with a secure lid. Putting a small piece of tissue moistened with a single drop of water in the container will help keep the tick alive.

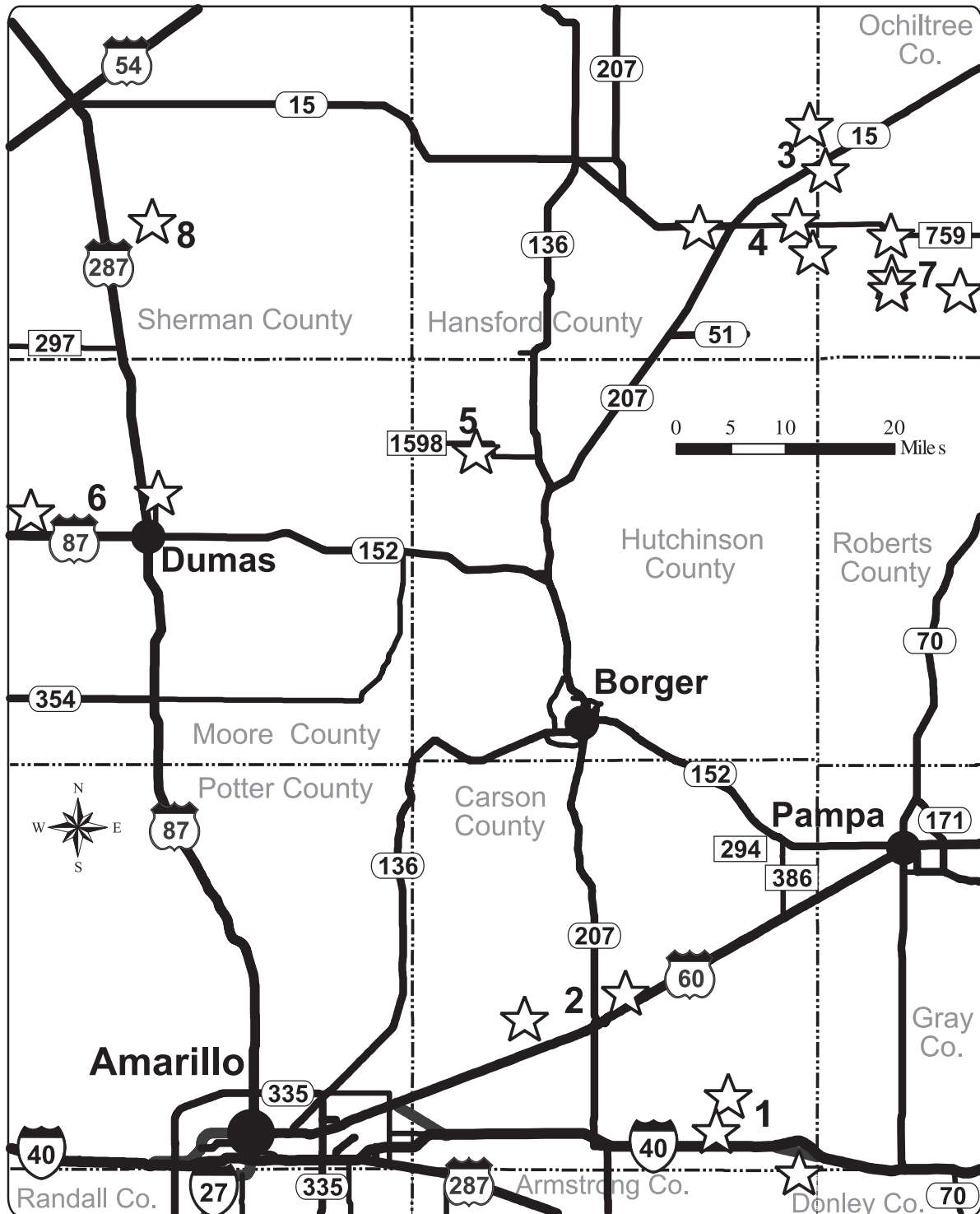


For More Information

For more information on tick-borne diseases in Texas, contact your local health department or the Texas Department of Health, 1100 West 49th St., Austin, TX 78756.

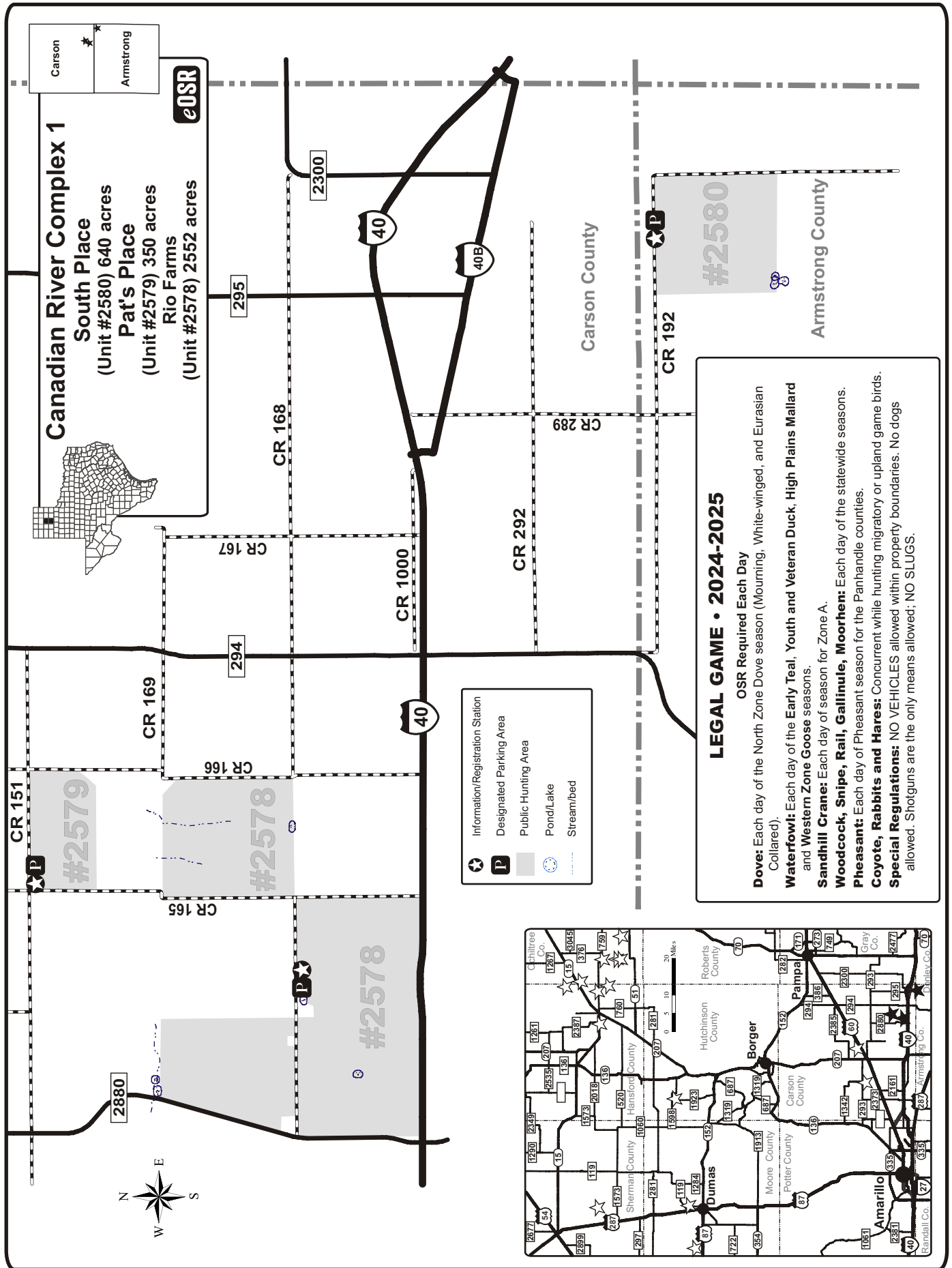
www.TickTexas.org

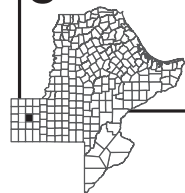
CANADIAN RIVER COMPLEXES



Canadian River Complexes Map

Locations of the 8 Canadian River Complexes within the Panhandle. There are 1 to 4 units in each complex, where stars represent units. See detailed maps of each complex on the following pages.





Canadian River Complex 2

Morris

(Unit #2576) 1280 acres

Stovall

(Unit #2577) 630 acres

Carson
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CR 110

#2576



Information/Registration Station
Designated Parking Area
Public Hunting Area

CR 115

CR 123

CR 113

293

207

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CR 176

CR 198



#2577

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OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Waterfowl: Each day of the Early Teal, Youth and Veteran Duck, High Plains Mallard and Western Zone Goose seasons.

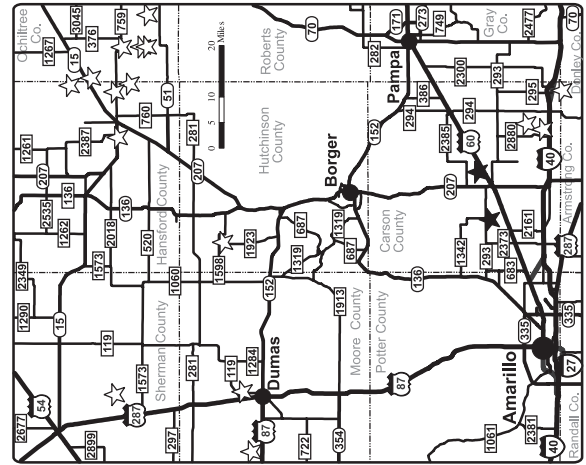
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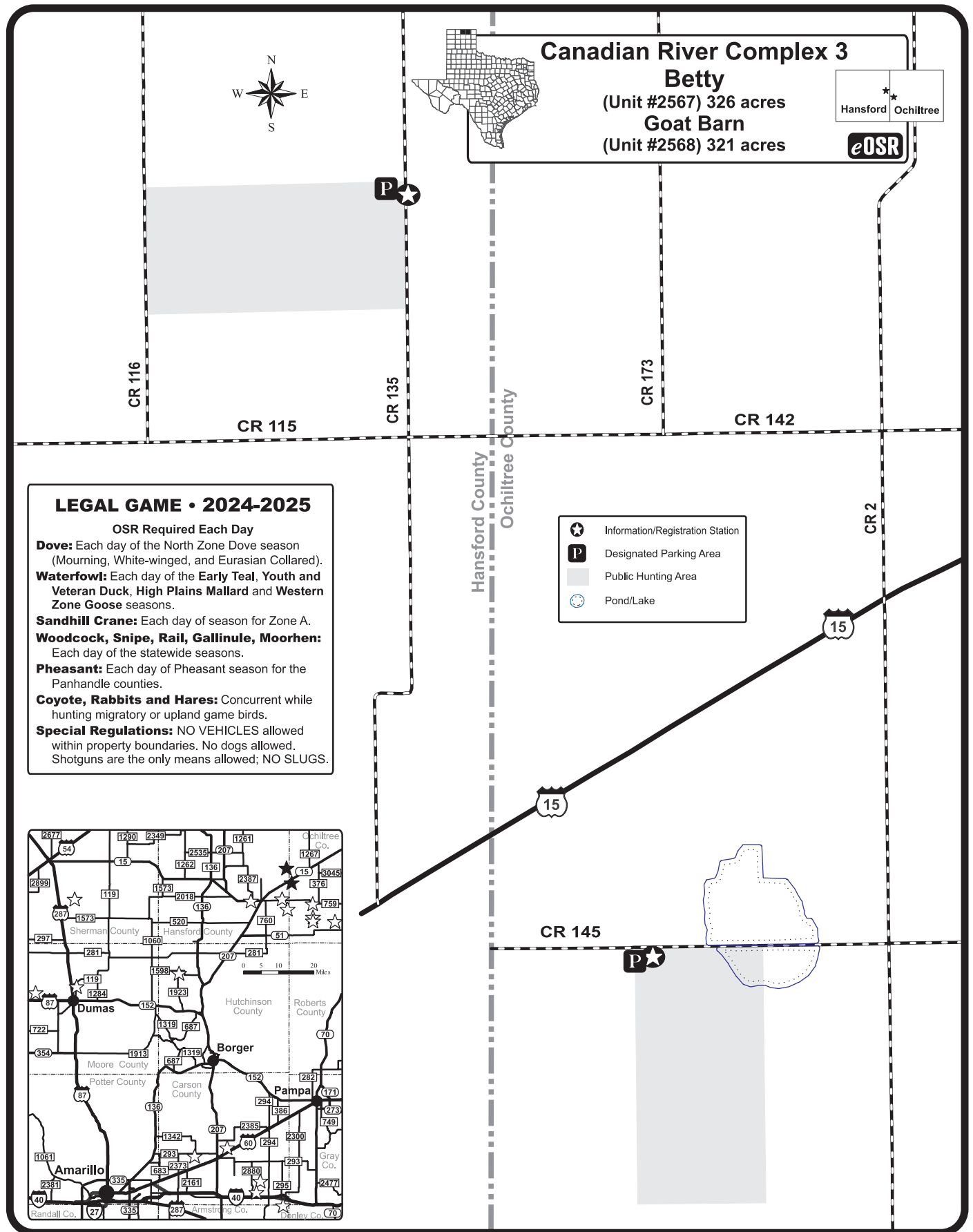
Woodcock, Snipe, Rail, Gallinule, Moorhen: Each day of the statewide seasons.

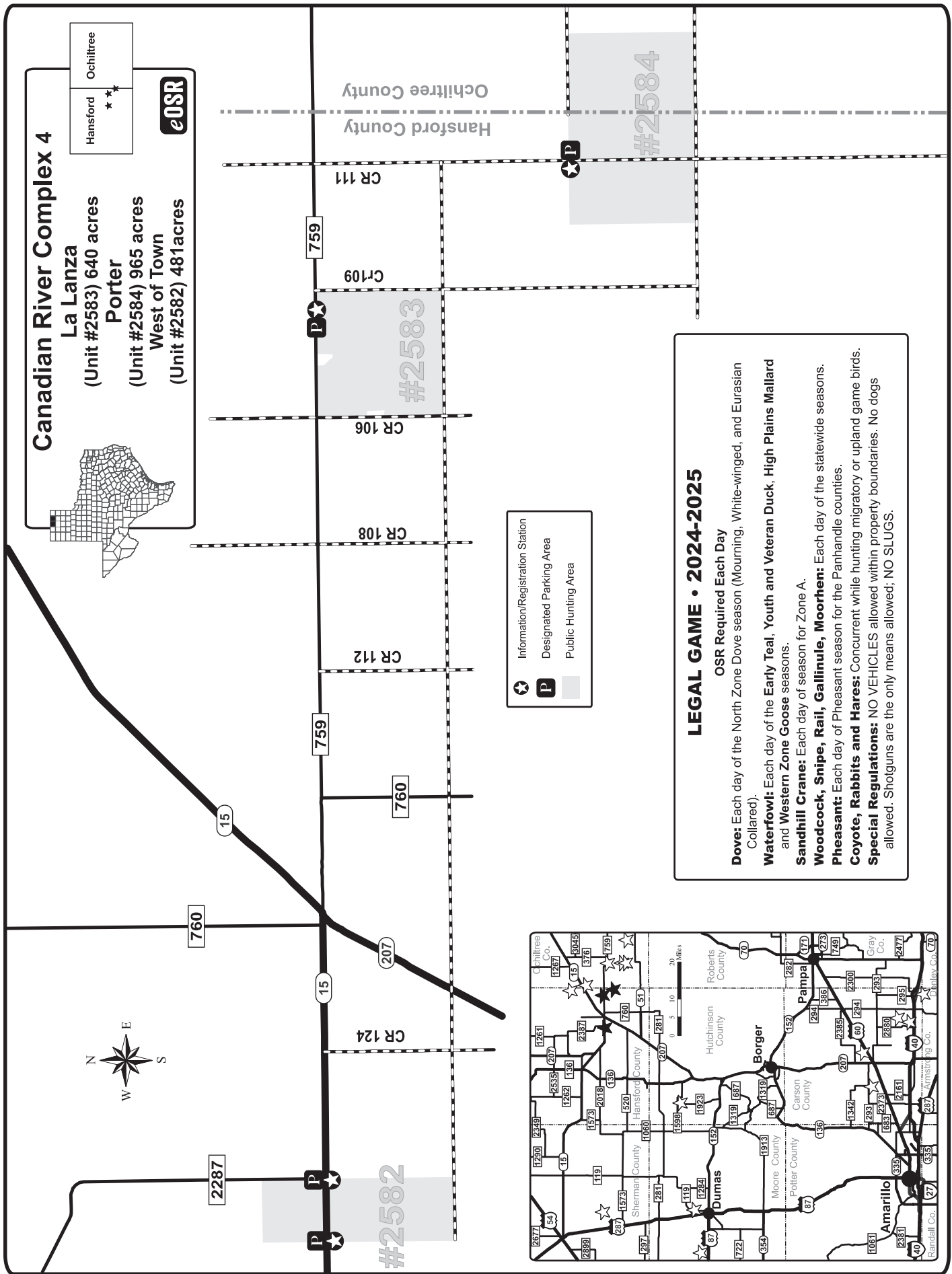
Pheasant: Each day of Pheasant season for the Panhandle counties.

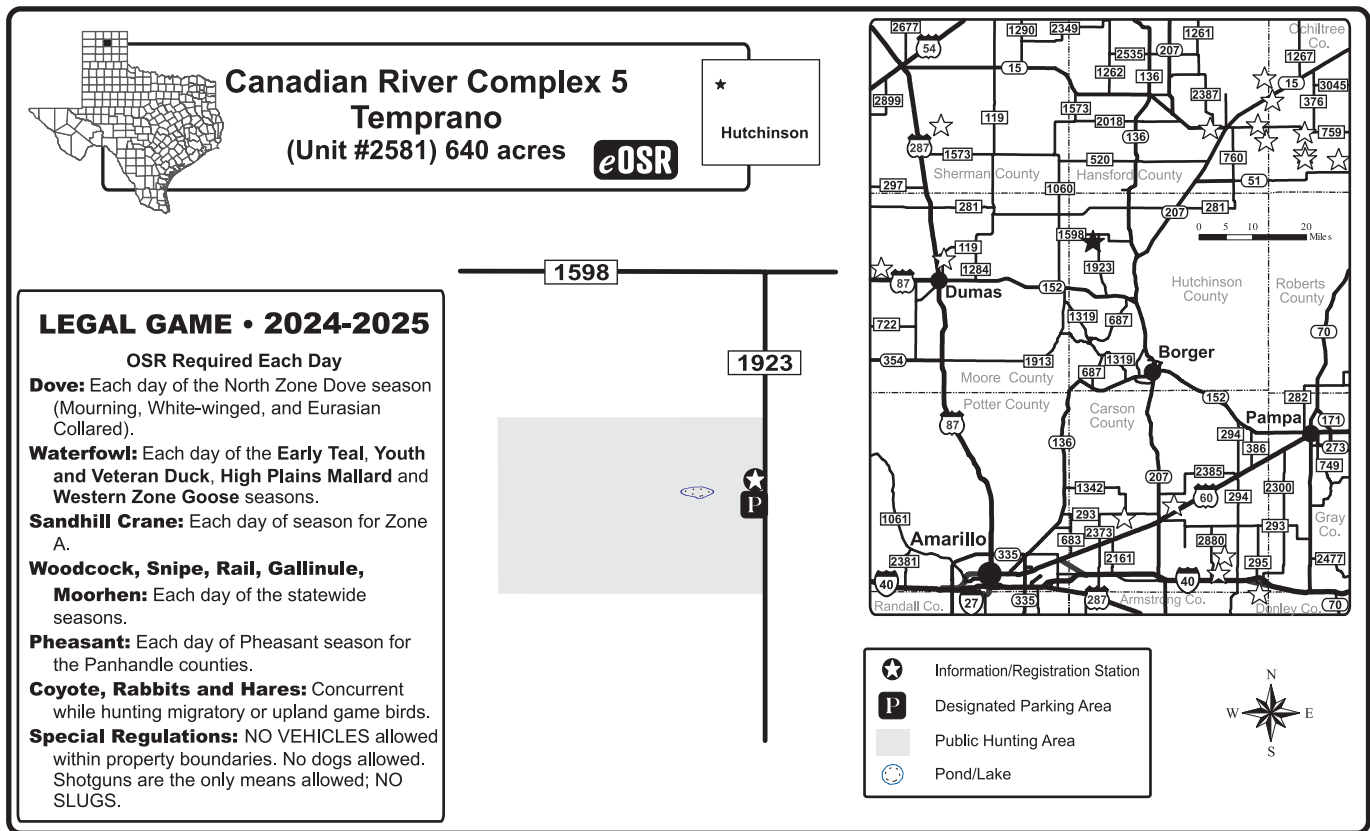
Coyote, Rabbits and Hares: Concurrent while hunting migratory or upland game birds.

Special Regulations: NO VEHICLES allowed within property boundaries. No dogs allowed. Shotguns are the only means allowed; NO SLUGS.









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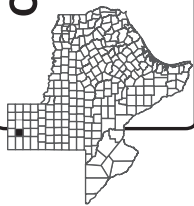
Canadian River Complex 6

De Campo

(Unit #2575) 626 acres

Margoso

(Unit #2574) 1,568 acres



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Moore

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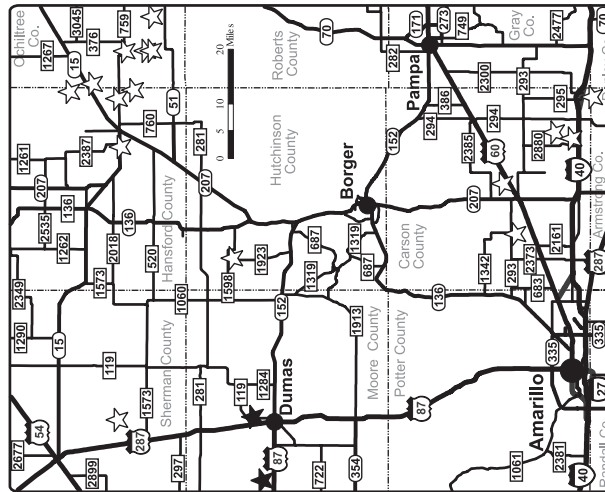
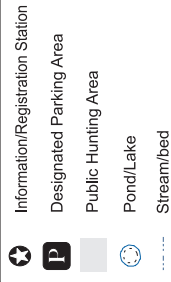
Sandhill Crane: Each day of season for Zone A.

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CR 65

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CR 64

CR 62

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CR 42

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Canadian River Complex 7

Brillhart

(Unit #2572) 322 acres

Correll

(Unit #2570) 384 acres

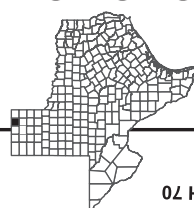
FM 759 HQ

(Unit #2569) 325 acres

Texas Roberts

(Unit #2571) 1,625 acres

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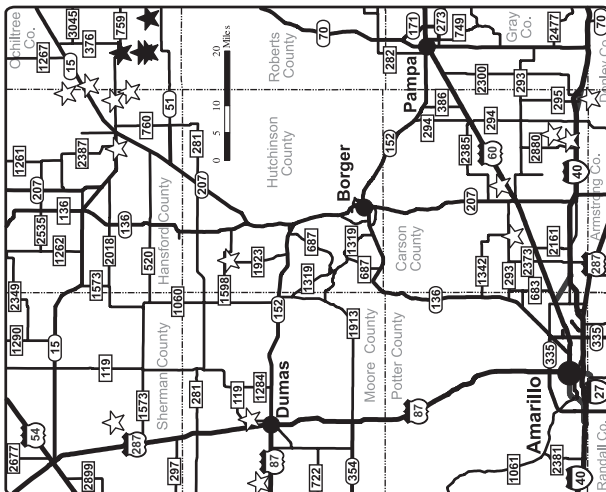
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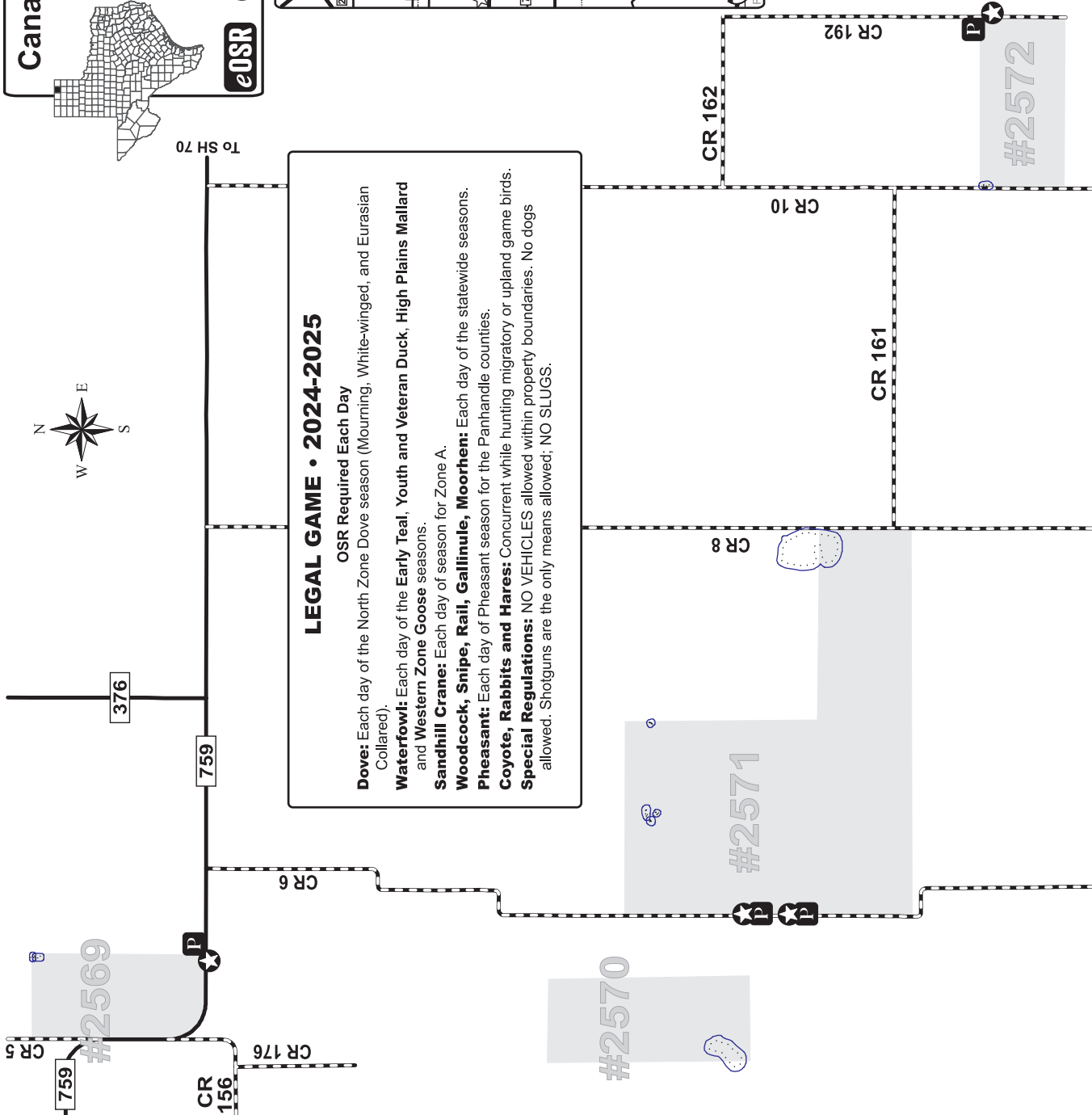
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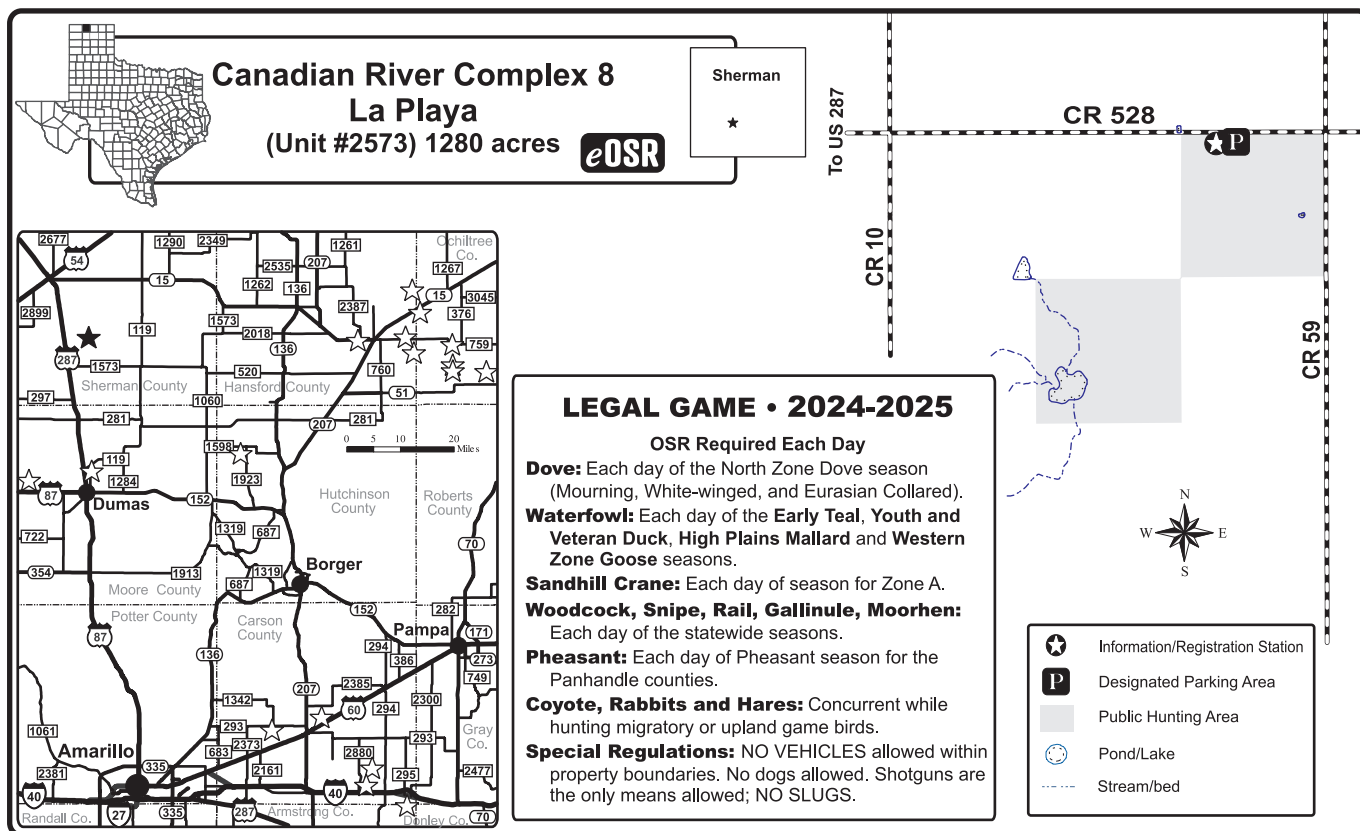
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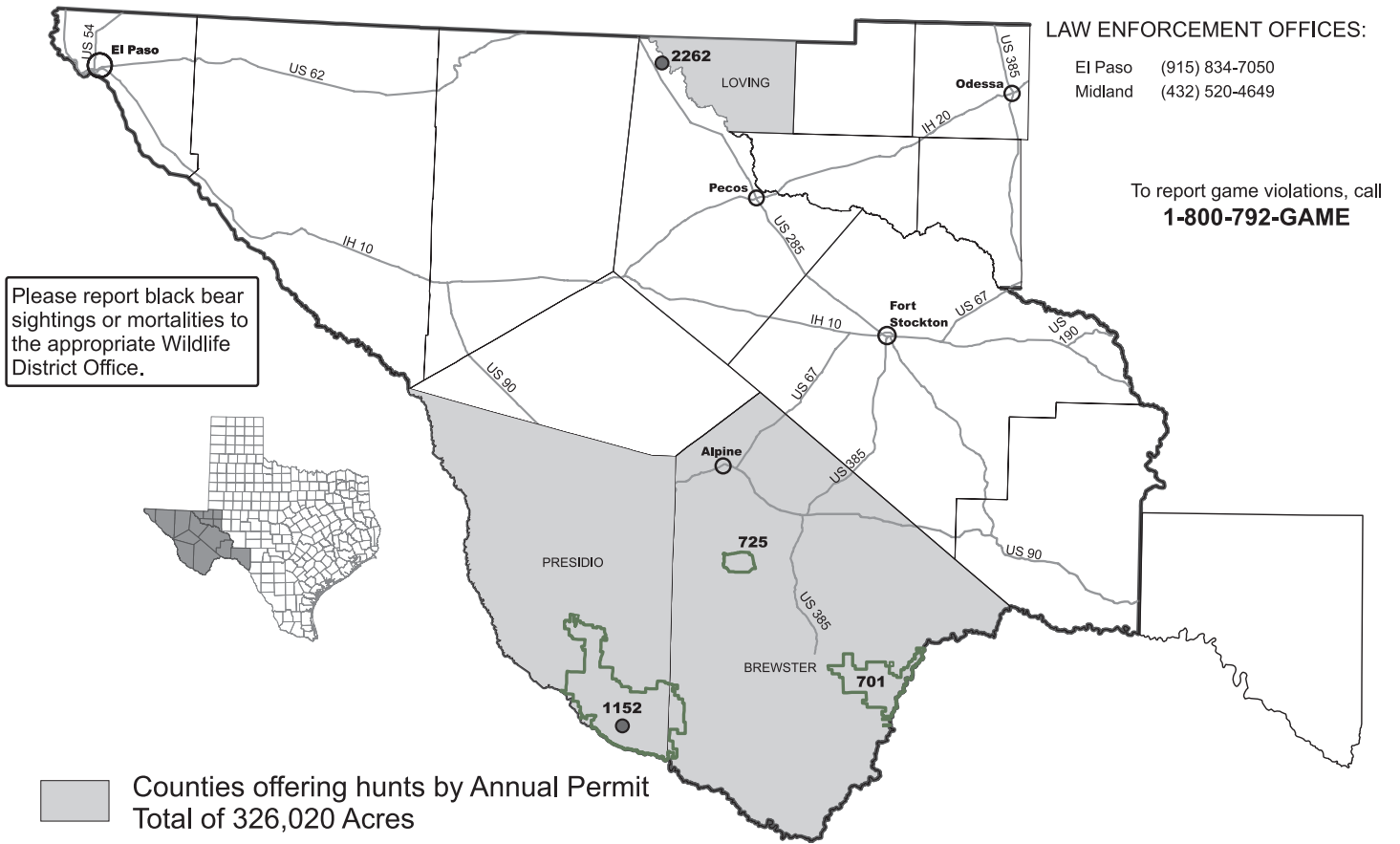
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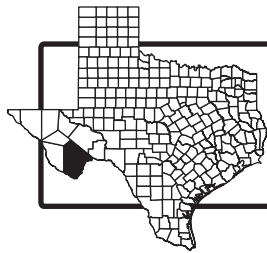
REGION 2 – TRANS-PECOS

2024-2025

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PHR 2 HUNTING OPPORTUNITY OFFERED BY SPECIES													
Page	County	Unit #	Unit Name	Dove	Teal	Waterfowl	Quail	Cranes	Rabbit	Fishing	Y/A Quail	Youth Waterfowl	Predators
32	Brewster	701	Black Gap WMA	1	1		1		1	1	1		
33	Brewster	725	Elephant Mountain WMA	1			1		1		1		
34	Loving	2262	Red Bluff Reservoir		1	1		1				1	1
			E-Postcard Hunts										
	Presidio	1152	Big Bend Ranch SP				1						
			Phone Reservation Hunts										
	Brewster	701	Black Gap WMA										1
			Totals	2	2	1	3	1	2	1	2	1	1



Black Gap WMA Unit #701 103,127 acres

Brewster County

- ★ Area Headquarters / Sign-in Station
- Public Hunting Area
- Equestrian Area
- National Park Boundary
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Stream/bed

ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Nov. 18-23, Nov. 28-Dec. 15, Dec. 25-31, Jan 25-26, and Feb. 1-2.

SPECIAL SEASON

Youth/Adult & Veteran/Active-Duty Military Duck: Oct. 19-20.

HUNTS BY PHONE RESERVATION

Predator: See the front section of this booklet for "Phone Reservation Hunt" information.

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

On-site registration is required.

Dove: Sept. 1-Oct. 27, Dec. 16-24, and Jan. 1-14. Hunters are required to deposit one wing from each dove harvested in registration station before exiting the area.

Quail: Oct. 26-Nov. 17, Nov. 24-27, Dec. 16-24, Jan. 1-24, Jan. 27-31, and Feb. 3-23. Hunters are required to deposit one wing from each quail harvested in registration station before exiting the area.

Waterfowl: Each day of **Early Teal** Season and each day the **Regular High Plains Mallard Management Unit** Season except on dates when the entire area is closed..

Rabbits and Hares: Concurrent with hunt dates for dove and quail (no bag limit).

Fishing: Open year-round in the Rio Grande River except on dates listed as ENTIRE AREA CLOSED. Impoundments are closed to fishing. Anglers may cross through the Black Gap WMA to fish in the Rio Grande River by possessing any of the required access permits.

GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION:

General visitation is allowed only during the period Feb. 24-Aug. 31 and is restricted to roads (Horse and Maravillas Canyons) accessing the Rio Grande corridor.

Use of horses allowed only on designated trails and in river corridor only during Feb. 24-Aug. 31. See Prohibited Acts section for regulations on horse use and further restrictions.

Campsites are available on area and campsite locations are identified at the area headquarters/sign-in station. Users should check for local burn-bans before lighting campfires (432/376-2216).

IMPORTANT NOTICE

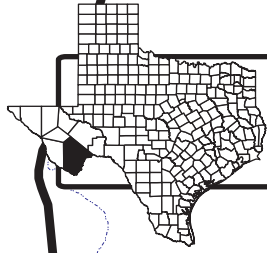
The Rio Grande River adjacent to the WMA falls within that segment of the river designated by the federal government as a Wild and Scenic River. Please be advised that special federal rules may apply to certain river activities. A copy of these rules will be posted at the WMA self-registration station. For additional information call the Big Bend National Park at 432-477-2251, menu option 3.

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To Alpine and US 90



Elephant Mountain WMA

Unit #725
23,147 acres

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Brewster County

ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Oct. 28-30, Nov. 11-14, and Nov. 29-Dec.15.

SPECIAL SEASON

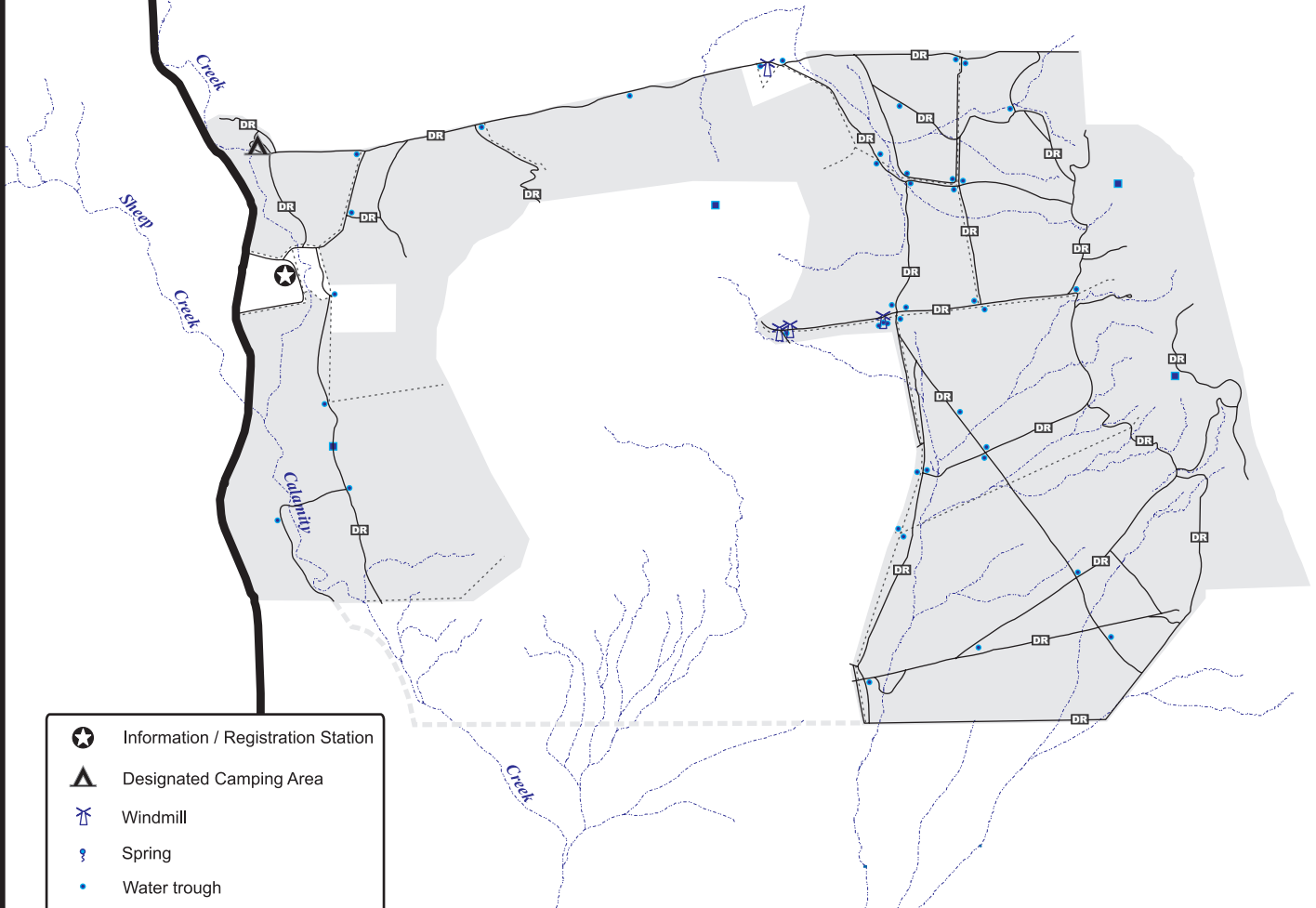
Youth/Adult Quail: Oct. 19-20.

GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION:

All public access requires on-site registration. Hunting and general use is restricted to portions of the WMA which are identified as being open by information posted at the Information/Registration Station. See "Schedule of Recreational Use and Visitation" for more information on access permit requirements.

Driving tour is open **ONLY Mar. 1-Aug. 31.**

Camping is permitted within the designated primitive camping area only. All public use is restricted to the camping area from two hours after official sunset until two hours before official sunrise. User should check for local burn-bans before lighting campfires (432/364-2228).



- ★ Information / Registration Station
- ▲ Designated Camping Area
- ⚙ Windmill
- 💧 Spring
- Water trough
- Guzzler
- Public Hunting Area
- DR- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Fence
- Stream/bed



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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES

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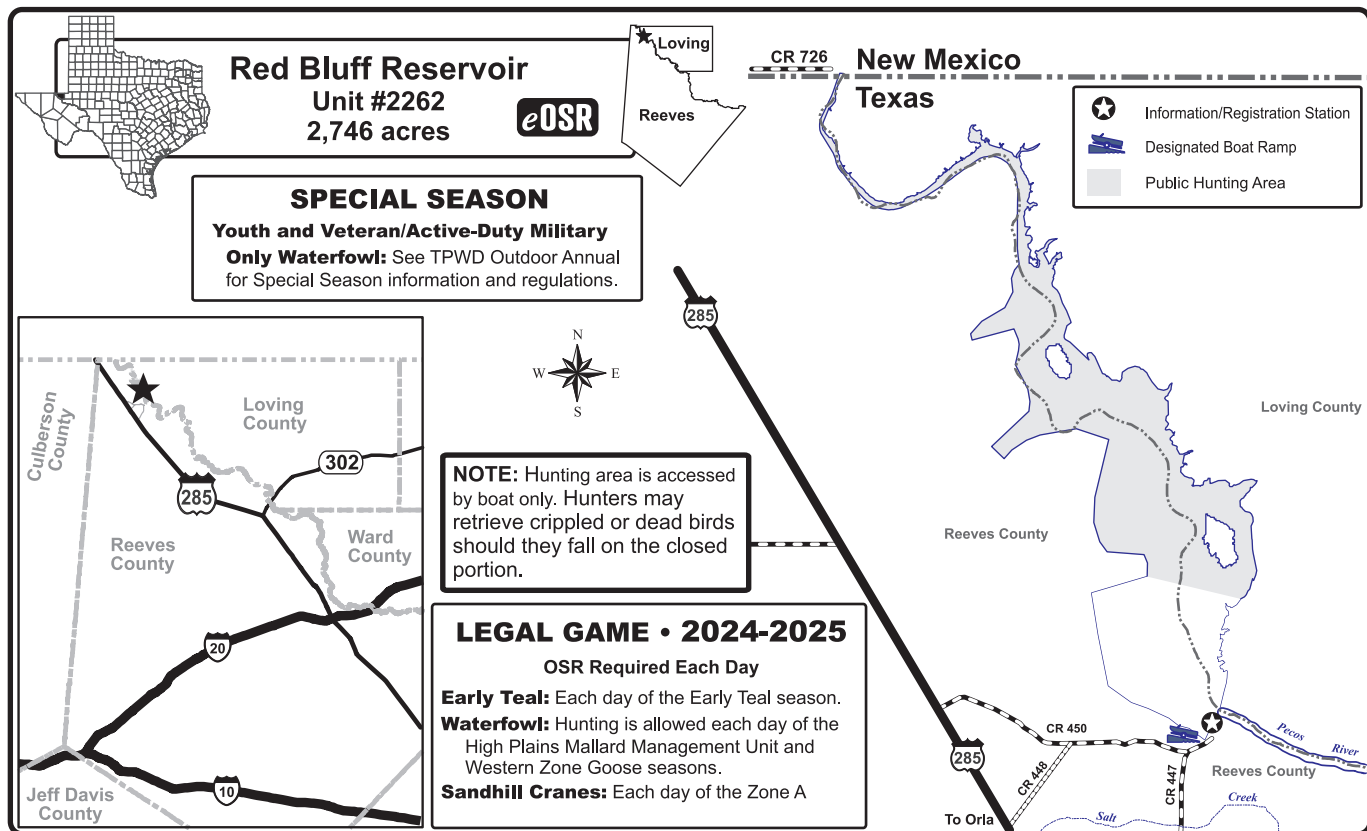
Dove: : Sept. 1-Oct. 27, Dec. 16-Jan 14 provided these dates occur within the established Central Zone season. Hunters are required to deposit one wing from each dove harvested in registration station before exiting the area.

Quail: Oct. 26-27, Oct. 31-Nov. 10, Nov. 15-28, and Dec. 16-Feb. 23. Hunters are required to deposit one wing from each quail harvested in registration station before exiting the area.

Rabbits and Hares: (no bag limit) Concurrent with dove and quail hunts. Shotgun only.

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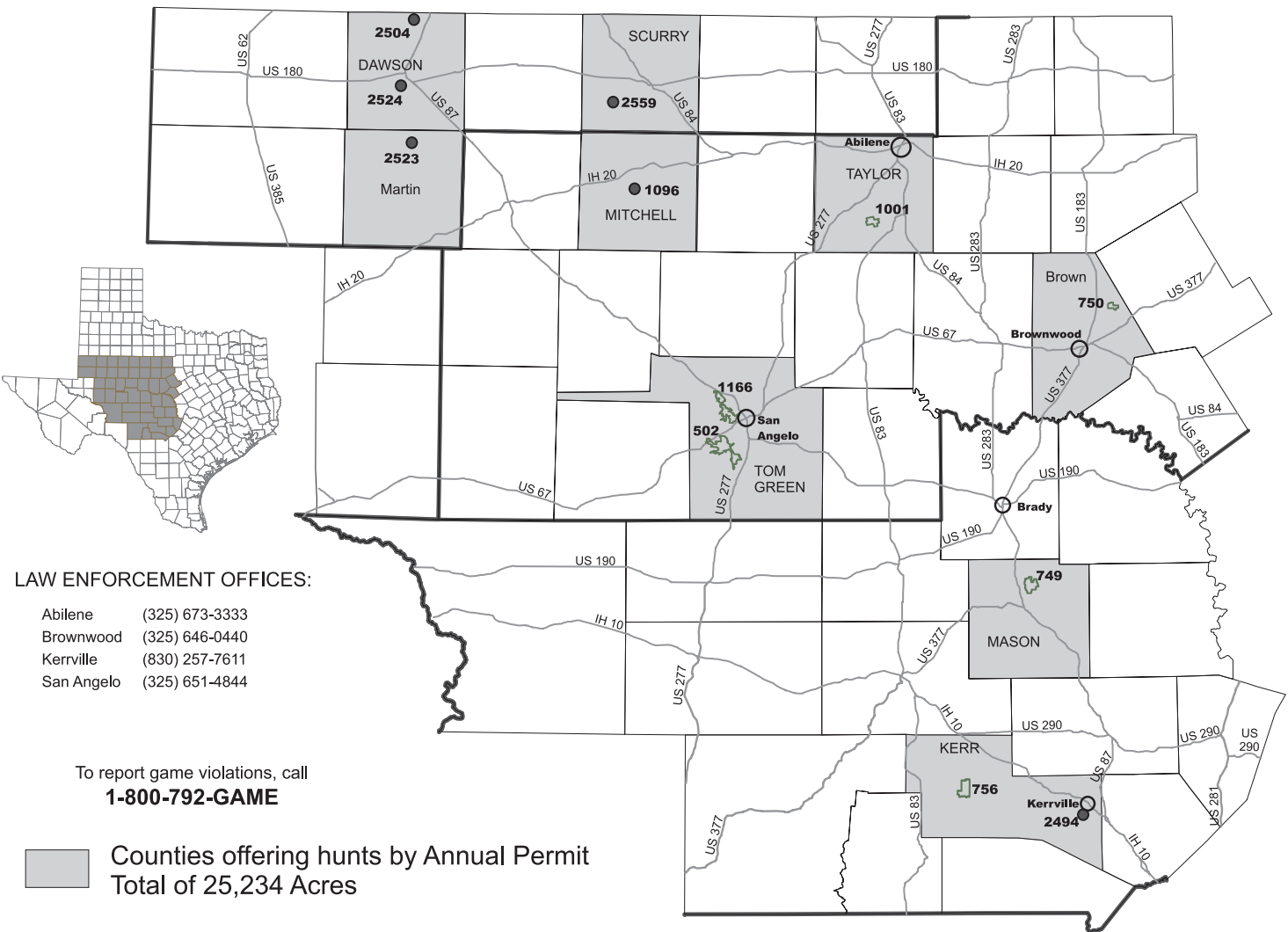
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REGION 3 – CENTRAL TEXAS

2024-2025

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PHR 3 HUNTING OPPORTUNITY OFFERED BY SPECIES															
Page	County	Unit #	Unit Name	Deer - Archery	Deer	Feral hogs	Exotic Mammals	Turkey	Javelina	Dove	Teal	Waterfowl	Quail	Squirrel	Rabbit
36	Brown	750	Muse WMA							1					
37	Dawson	2504	Huddleston							1			1		
37	Dawson	2524	Stafford CRP						1				1		
38	Kerr	2494	Los Rincones	1		1	1							1	
38	Martin	2523	Sandy Half							1			1		
39	Mason	749	Mason Mountain WMA							1					
40	Mitchell	1096	Lake Colorado City State Park							1					
41	Scurry	2559	Millhollon Trust							1			1		
42	Taylor	1001	Abilene SP									1			
43	Tom Green	1166	San Angelo SP	1		1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
44	Tom Green	502	Twin Buttes PHL	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
E-Postcard Hunts															
	Kerr	756	Kerr WMA		1										
Totals				3	2	3	2	2	1	9	2	3	6	2	3

Unit #750
82 acres

OSR Required Each Day

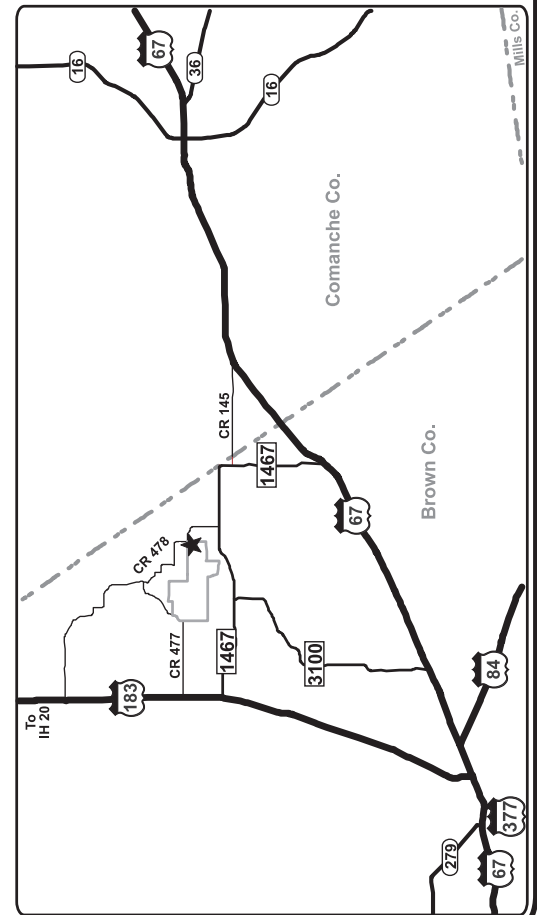
Dove: Sept. 1-2, 7-8, 14-15, 21-22 and 28-29 (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

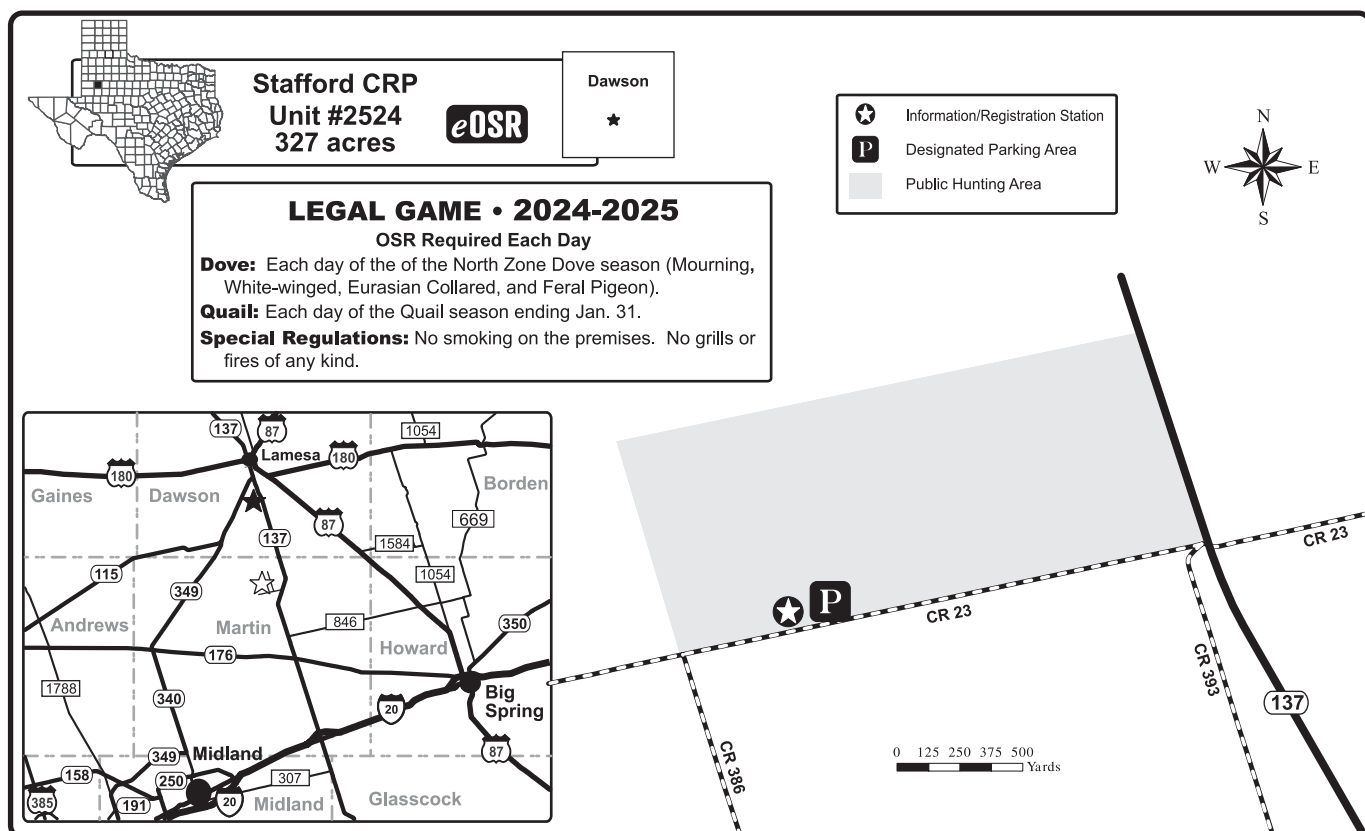
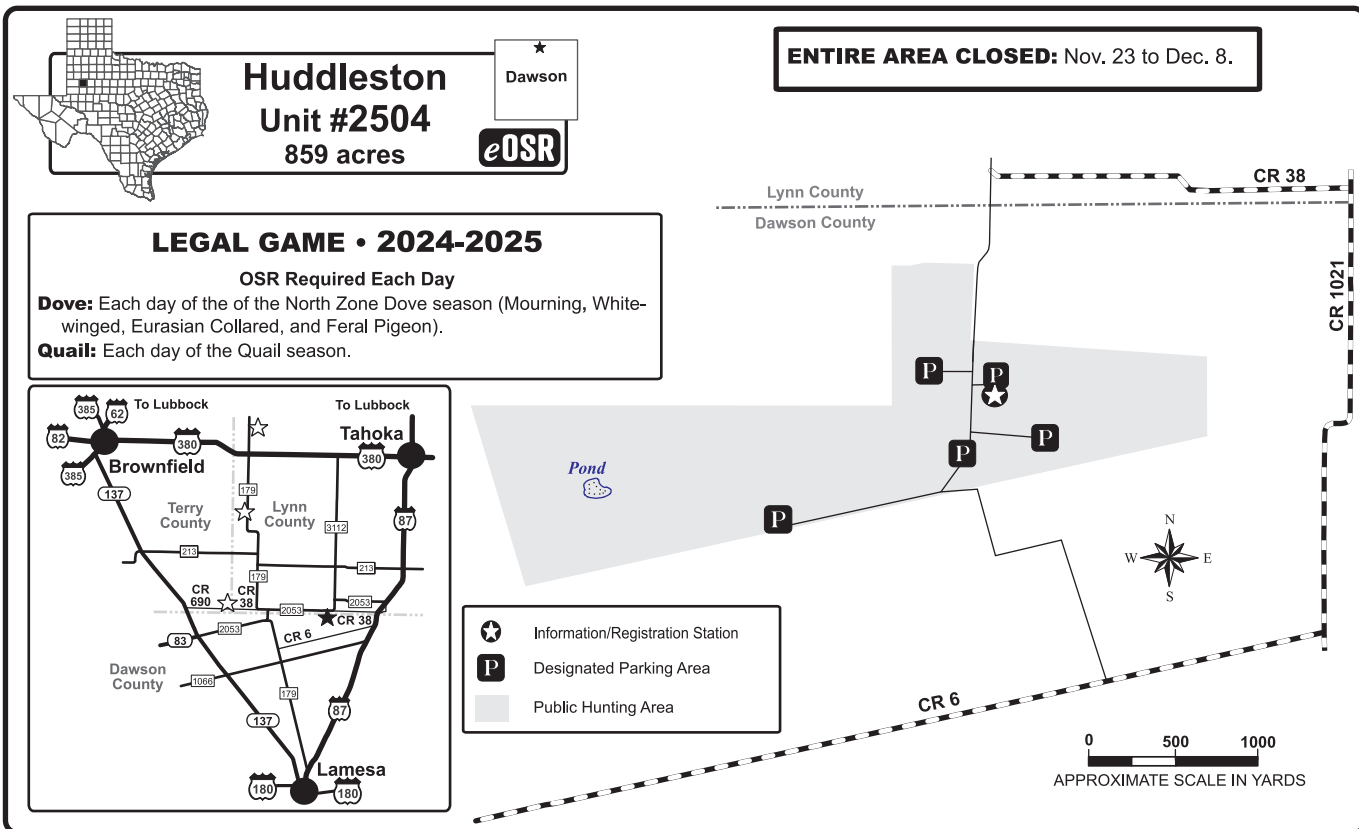
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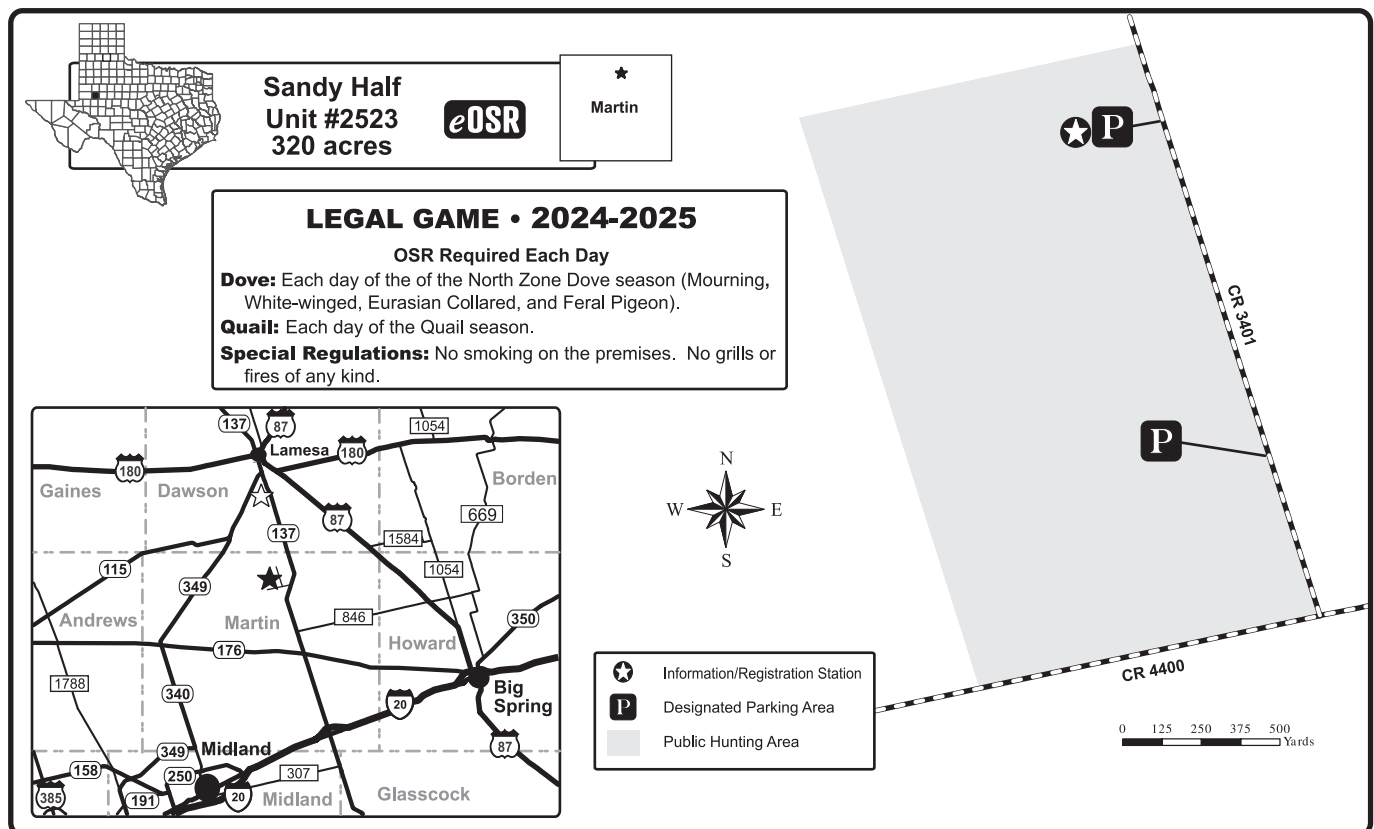
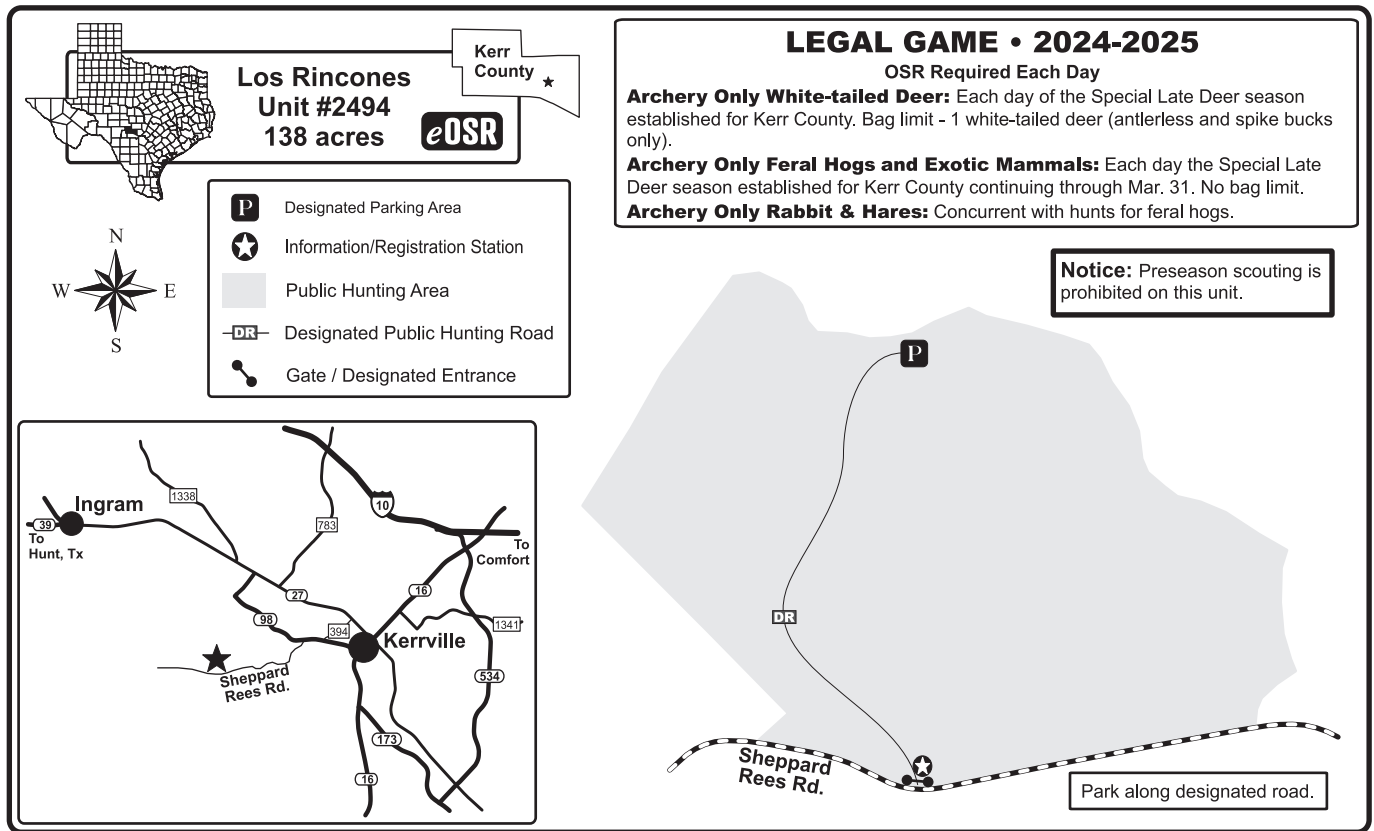
Special Regulations: Parking is restricted to designated parking areas. No camping allowed. No ATVs or UTVs allowed. No fires or grills of any kind.

- Information/Registration Station
Designated Parking Area
Designated Access Point
Public Hunting Area
Recommended Dove Hunting Area
Designated Public Hunting Road
WMA Boundary
Stream/bed

Muse Wildlife Management Area







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Mason County

Mason Mountain WMA

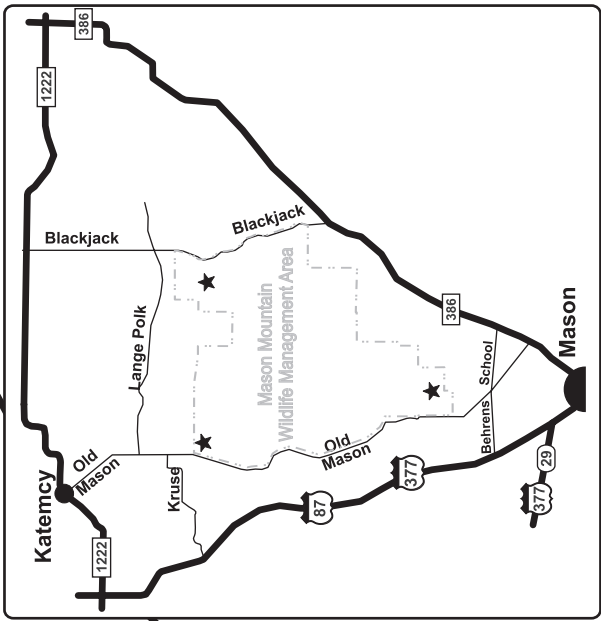
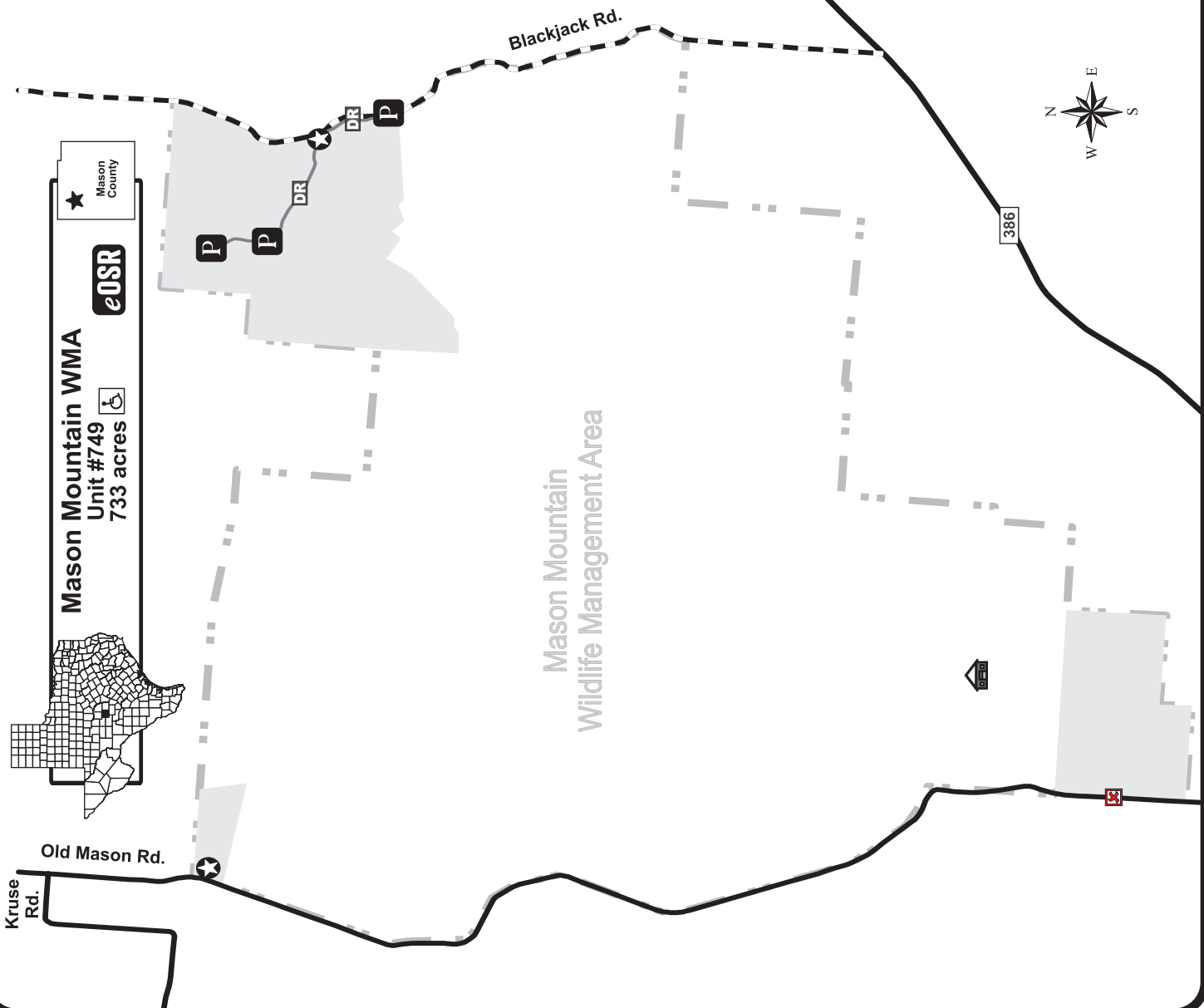
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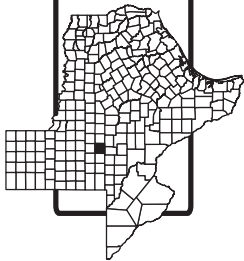
733 acres

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OSR Required Each Day
Dove: Each day of the Central Dove Zone. Shooting hours are one half hour before sunrise to sunset.
Means Restriction: Shotguns are the only firearms allowed.

- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Designated Access Point
- Park Headquarters
- Public Hunting Area
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Mason Mountain WMA Boundary





Lake Colorado City State Park

Unit 1096
140 Acres

Mitchell
County



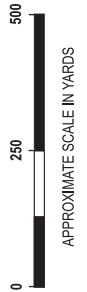
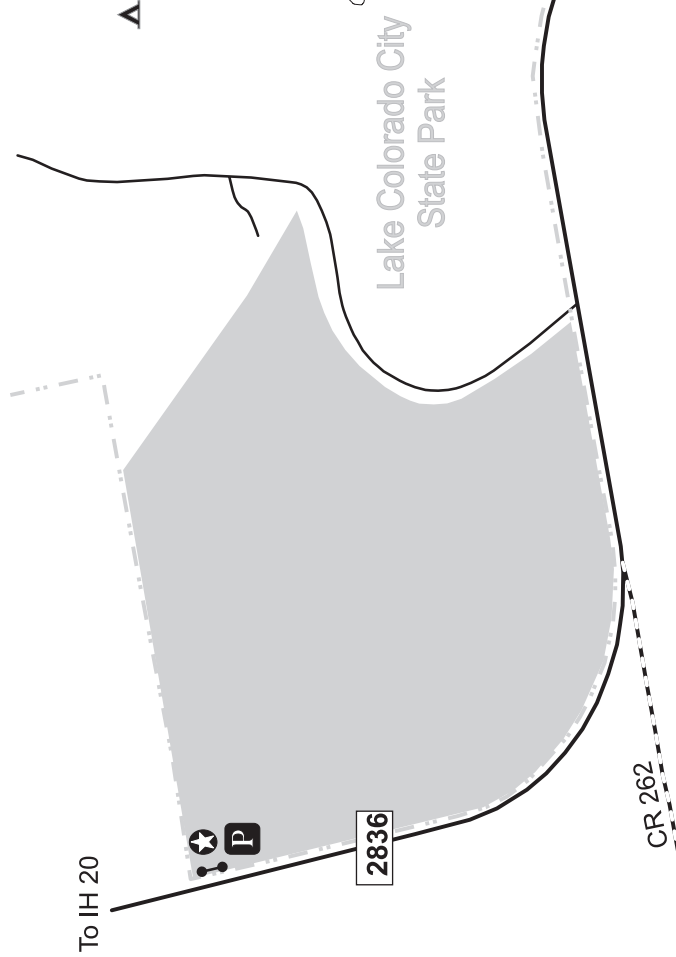
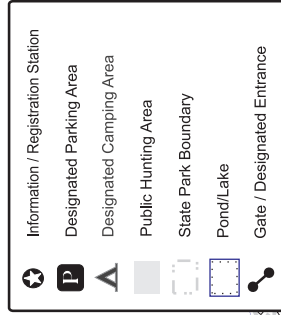
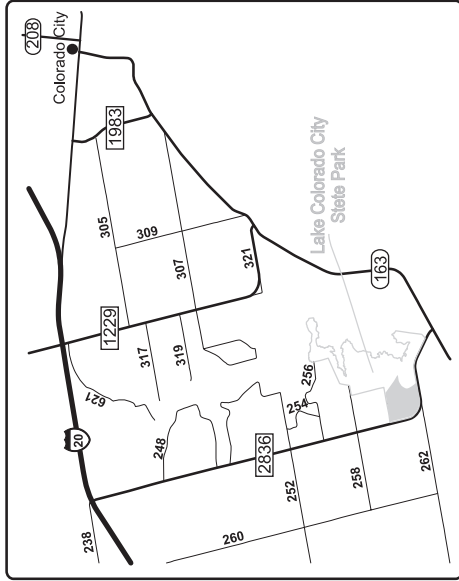
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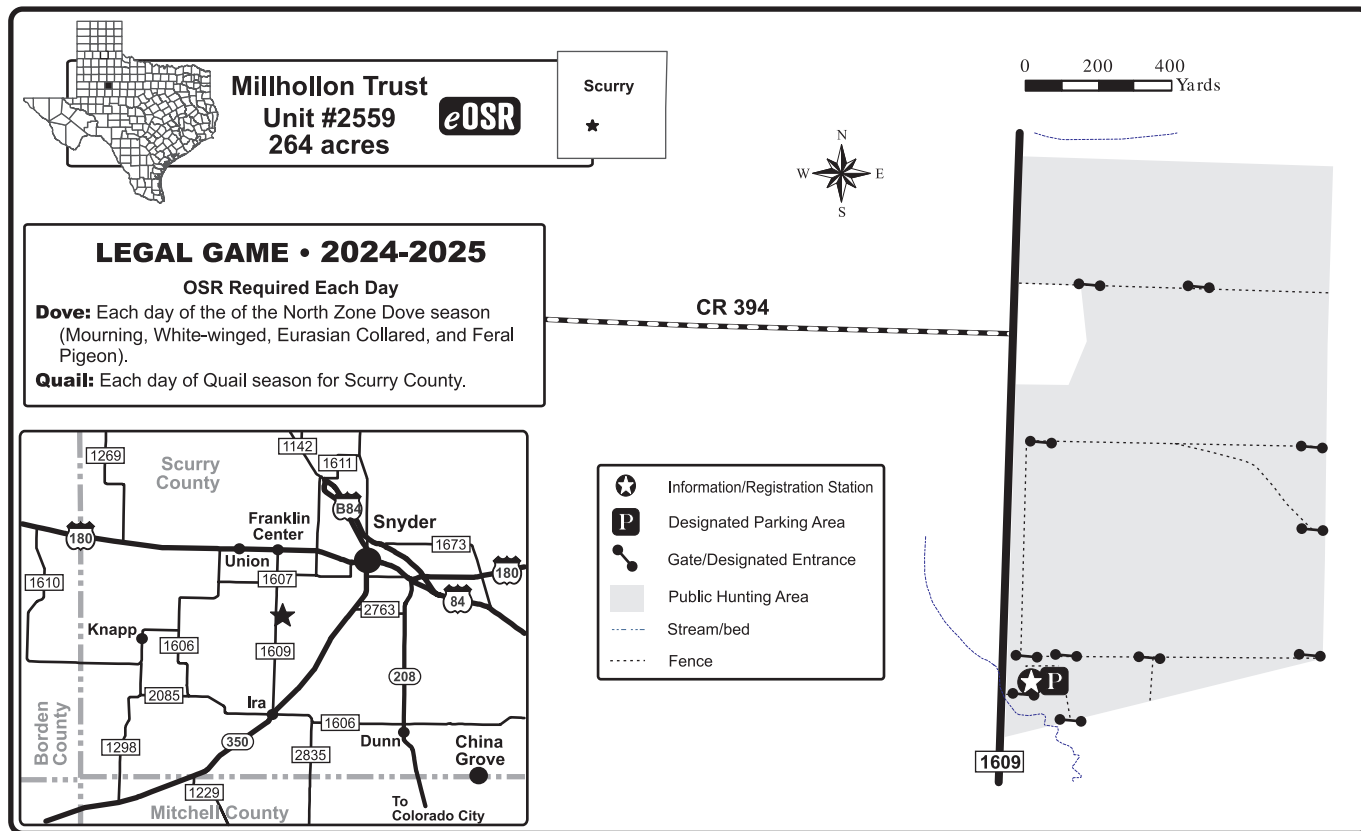
On-site registration is required.

Dove: Each day of the Central Zone.

Means Restriction: Shotguns are the only firearms that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: The hunt area can accommodate only a limited number of hunting parties; positions will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis each hunt day. Access to the hunt area from the parking area is by foot only. See Texas Parks and Wildlife Outdoor Annual for Dove regulations. APH Permit holders may access hunt area only.





TICK-BORNE DISEASES IN TEXAS

Each year Texans contract Lyme disease, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, ehrlichiosis and relapsing fever. All of these diseases are transmitted by the bite of an infected tick. If caught early, these diseases can almost always be cured. If left untreated, they can be serious or even fatal.

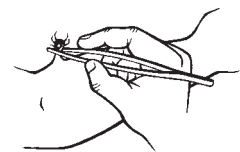
Early symptoms of these diseases mimic the "flu," and include fever, headache, tiredness, stiff neck or neck pain, muscle aches, and joint pain. Sometimes a rash is also present. If you develop flu-like symptoms (with or without a rash) after a tick bite, you should see a physician right away.

To protect yourself and your family

- Wear light-colored clothing so that ticks can easily be seen.
- Tuck pant legs into socks to keep ticks off of your skin.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and keep shirt tails tucked in.
- Use insect repellent according to package instructions.
- Inspect exposed skin every few hours for ticks.
- Do a thorough, full-body tick check when you come in and remove any attached ticks.
- Frequently check your pets for ticks. In addition to bringing ticks into your home, pets can contract tick-borne diseases.

To remove an attached tick

- Use tweezers to grasp the tick's mouthparts as close to the skin as possible.
- If tweezers are not available use a tissue to protect your fingers.
- With a steady motion, pull the tick straight out.
- After removal, you can mail the live tick to the Texas Department of Health Laboratory (address below) for identification and testing. Please use a container with a secure lid. Putting a small piece of tissue moistened with a single drop of water in the container will help keep the tick alive.



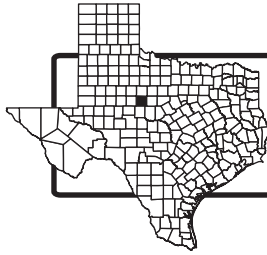
For More Information

For more information on tick-borne diseases in Texas, contact your local health department or the Texas Department of Health, 1100 West 49th St., Austin, TX 78756.

www.TickTexas.org

To Abilene

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Abilene State Park

Unit #1001

520 Acres

Taylor
County



CR 280

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To Buffalo Gap

Lake Abilene

Abilene
State Park



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LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required.

Waterfowl: Jan. 5-20.

Special Regulations: One time site registration at the State Park HQ (open 8am-5pm) is required prior to hunting. Daily OSR required upon entering hunting area.



Information / Registration Station



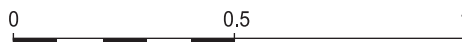
Public Hunting Area



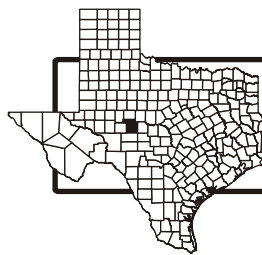
Lake



Park Headquarters



APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES



San Angelo SP
Unit #1166
2,500 acres

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Tom Green
County

ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Oct. 27-29, Nov. 5-7, Nov. 29-Dec. 1, Dec. 3-5, and Jan. 21-23.

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required.

Archery Only White-tailed Deer: Sept. 28-Oct. 20 and Nov. 9-24. Bag limit - 2 deer (either sex). Baiting is allowed (hand broadcast only).

Feral Hogs: (no bag limit)

Archery Only: Concurrent with dates for Deer. Baiting is allowed (hand broadcast only).

Shotgun Only: Concurrent with Dove, Quail, Waterfowl, and Goose dates.

Archery Only Javelina/Exotic: Concurrent with dates for Deer. Bag limit - 1 Javelina and 1 exotic mammal. Baiting is allowed (hand broadcast only).

Archery Only Turkey: Concurrent with dates for Deer. Bag limit - 1 Rio Grande turkey (either sex). Baiting is allowed (hand broadcast only).

Dove: Sept. 1-29 and every day of the second split Central Dove Zone.

Quail: Dec. 21-Feb. 23.

Waterfowl: Each day of the **Early Teal, High Plains Mallard Management Unit, and Western Zone Goose** seasons. Shooting hours begin one half hour before sunrise to sunset.

Rail, Gallinule, and Moorhens: As established for Tom Green County.

Snipe: As established for Tom Green County.

Sandhill Crane: Each day of the Sandhill Crane season for Zone A.

Squirrel, Rabbits & Hares: Sept. 1-29 and Dec. 21-Feb. 23.

Means Restriction: Small game and Feral Hog hunting firearms are restricted to shotguns with non-toxic shot or no larger than #4 lead shot.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: All persons must perform on-site registration at the South Shore entrance to the park by signing in upon arrival. Hunting activities are restricted to only that portion of the park identified as being open to hunting by information posted at the registration station. Dogs may be used to hunt quail and waterfowl. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions.

NOTE: Users must be aware of grazing domestic livestock in portions of the area.

- ★ Information / Registration Station
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Waterfowl hunting is allowed on the surface of O.C. Fisher Lake by agreement with the US Army Corps of Engineers. State Park entrance fee and COE registration forms must be obtained at the South Shore Gatehouse during normal business hours. No Annual Public Hunt Permit required to hunt the surface of the lake **ONLY**. Special COE rules and regulations apply. Park closure dates for Annual Public Hunt Permit do not extend to the lake.



LEGAL GAME Box • 2024-2025

OSR Voluntary On This Unit

White-tailed Deer: Bag limit - 2 deer either sex; not to exceed 1 buck (all seasons combined). Hunting is allowed each day of the Archery, General, and Late Seasons as established for Tom Green County. Shotguns with slugs, muzzleloaders, archery equipment, and pre-charged pneumatic air rifles/arrow guns are the only legal means allowed for general and late seasons.

Feral Hogs, Exotic Mammals and Furbearers: Daylight hours only. Concurrent while hunting White-tailed Deer with hunting to end Feb. 23 (no bag limit).

Javelina: Bag limit 2 (either sex; all seasons combined). Concurrent while hunting White-tailed Deer with hunting to end Feb. 23.

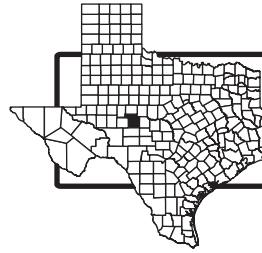
Rio Grande Turkey: Bag limit 4 (all seasons combined). Hunting is allowed each day of the Archery, Fall, and Spring Seasons as established for Tom Green County.

Waterfowl: Shooting hours are one half hour before sunrise to noon. Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal, High Plains Mallard Management, and Western Zone Goose** seasons.

Dove: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season.

Quail, Squirrel, Rabbits & Hares: Jan. 1-Feb. 23.

Trapping: Jan. 1-Feb. 23. **Fishing:** No closed season.



Twin Buttes PHL
Unit #502
12,858 acres

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Tom Green County



SPECIAL SEASON

Youth Only Deer: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Youth Season information and regulations.

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Only

Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.

Notice: Children 16 and under are required to be accompanied by an adult with a current LPU or APH permit.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Baiting is allowed (hand broadcast only) for white-tailed deer, feral hogs, exotic mammals, javelina and Rio Grande turkey (no spring turkey baiting).

NOTE: On the water recreationists, (including fishing from a vessel) are exempt from the hunter orange requirement.

Means Restriction: Centerfire/Rimfire Rifles and Pistols are PROHIBITED. Small game and upland game birds are restricted to shotguns with no larger than #4 lead shot and lawful archery, air gun, and arrow gun equipment.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: A Gear Tag containing name, address, and date set is required on all traps, blinds, and game cameras used on the area. Tag must be updated every 72 hours.



- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Designated Camping Area
- Designated Access Point
- Boat Ramp
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Fence
- ATV Trail
- ADA Compliant Access Trail
- Public Hunting Area
- Twin Buttes Boundary
- No Public Access
- Pond/Lake
- Public Hunting Area Walk-In Compartment Archery Hunting Only
- Archery Hunting Only (Walk-In)
- 1-10 Compartment Number

To US 277

Knickerbocker Rd.

No hunting,
Walk-in only

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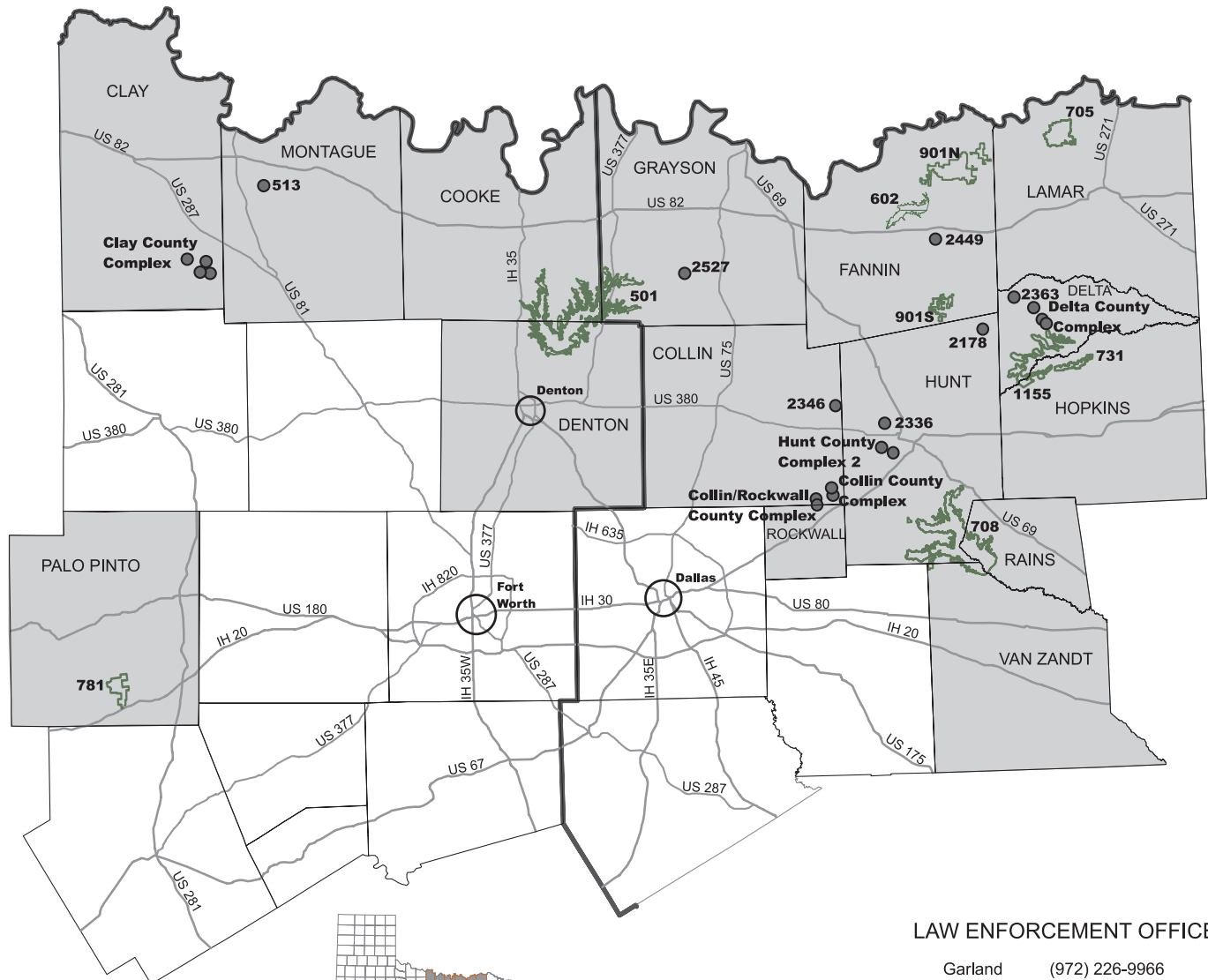


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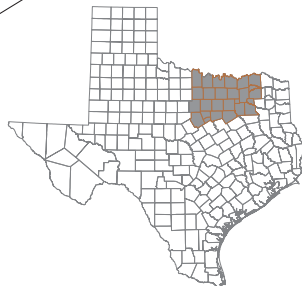
REGION 4 – DALLAS/FT. WORTH

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Counties offering hunts by Annual Permit
 Total of 133,404 Acres

REGION 4 – DALLAS/FT. WORTH

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Page	County	Unit #	Unit Name	Deer - Archery	Deer- General	Feral Hog	Turkey	Dove	Teal	Waterfowl	Conservation Season	Other Migratory Birds	Quail	Squirrel	Rabbit	Coyotes	Furbearers	Fishing	Y/A Squirrel	Youth Deer	Youth Feral Hog	Youth Waterfowl	Youth Squirrel	Veteran Waterfowl
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		2520	Rater/Crump					1		1					1									
		2521	Home Place					1		1					1									
		2522	Three B's					1		1					1									
49	Collin		Collin County Complex																					
		2266	West FM 1777					1																
		2267	North Roys City					1																
50	Collin	2346	FM 2194					1																
51	Collin/Rockwall		Collin/Rockwall County Complex																					
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		2298	Farm Road 1138					1																
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Clay County Complex
Thompson (Unit #2519) 315 acres
Rater/Crump (Unit #2520) 101 acres
Home Place (Unit #2521) 365 acres
Three B's (Unit #2522) 111 acres

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Clay

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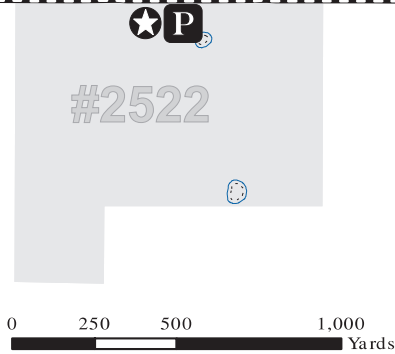
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Dove: Each day of the of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Waterfowl: Each day of the Early Teal and North Zone Duck seasons to include any Youth dates.

Rabbits and Hares: Concurrent with dove and waterfowl hunting.

Special Regulations: No smoking allowed on premises. No Dogs. No grills or fires of any kind. Do not approach sheep dogs.



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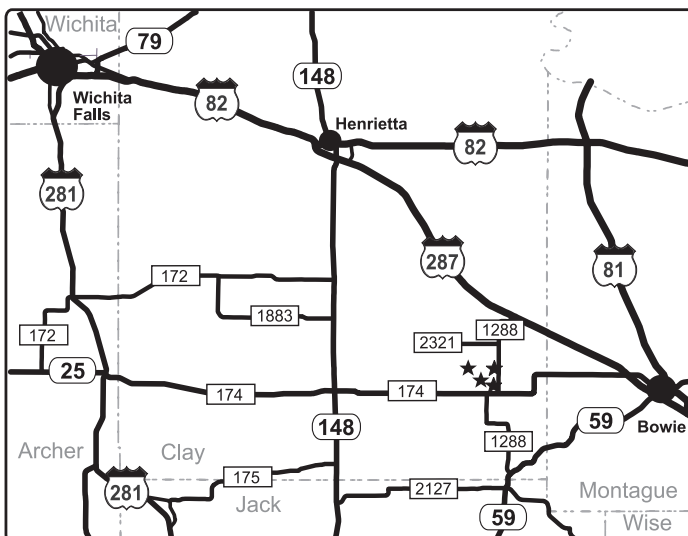
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Collin County Complex

West Farm Road 1777

(Unit #2266) 615 acres

North Royse City

(Unit #2267) 188 acres

Collin

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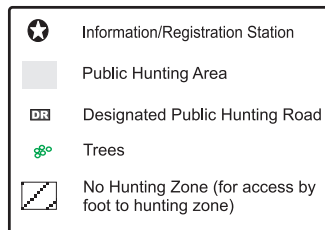
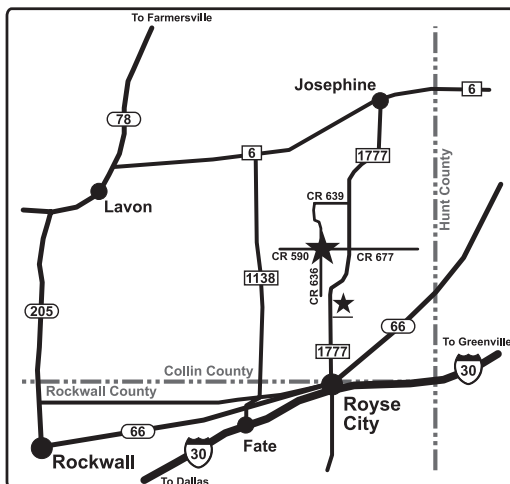
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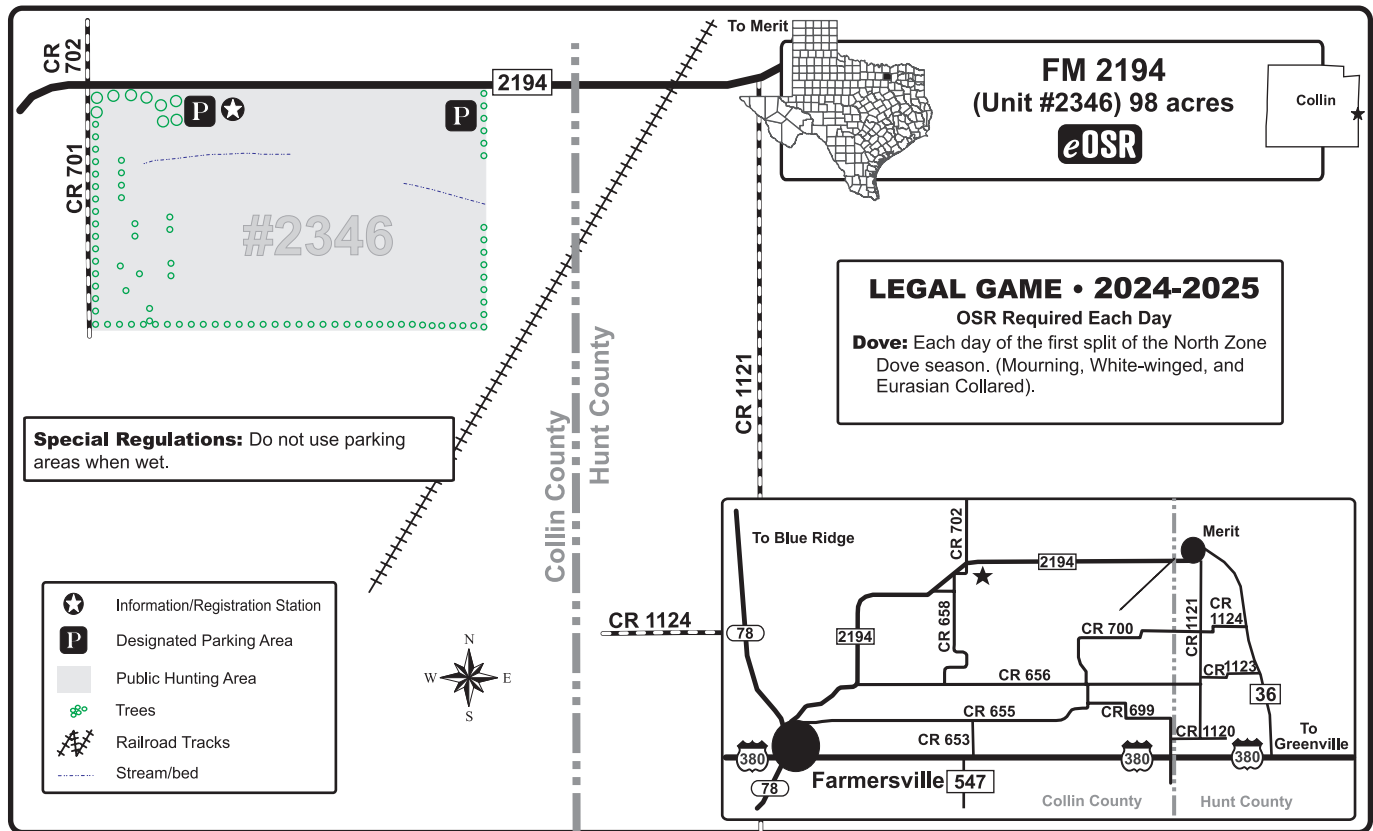
OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the first split of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Unit #2266: Park along edge of roadway or in designated parking areas.

Special Regulations: No vehicles allowed in the field, walk-in only. Do not use parking areas when wet.





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Austin, TX 78744



Collin/Rockwall County Complex

Farm Road 2755
(Unit #2316) 60 acres

Farm Road 1138
(Unit #2298) 100 acres

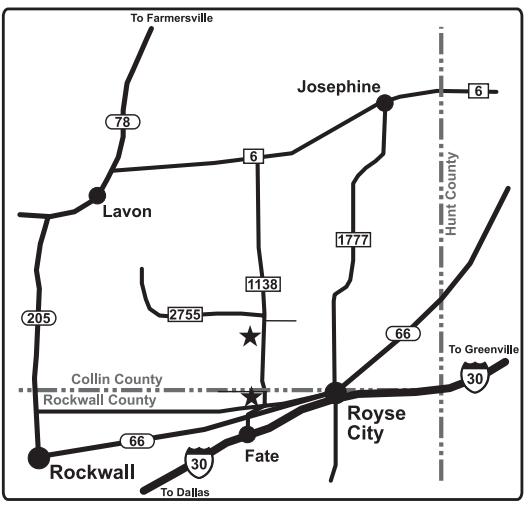
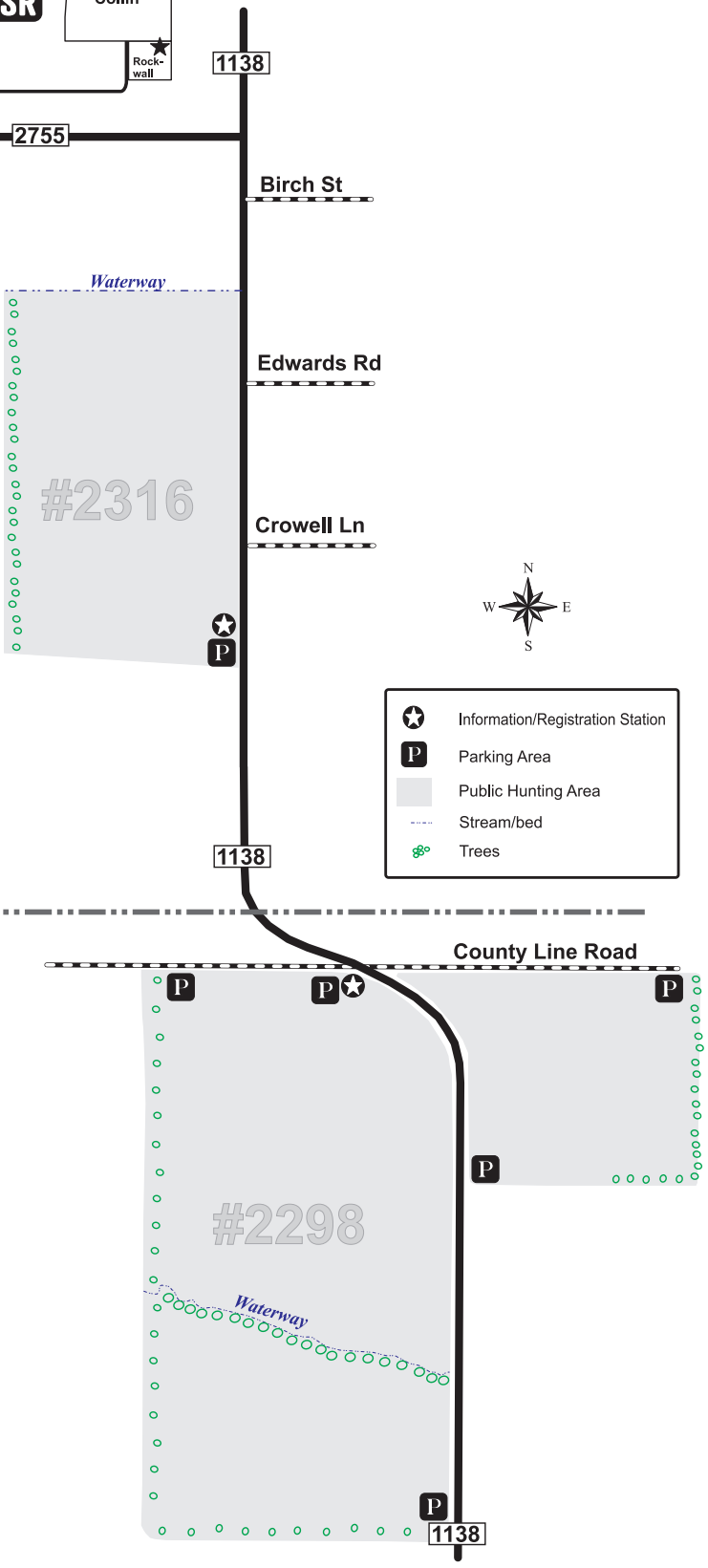


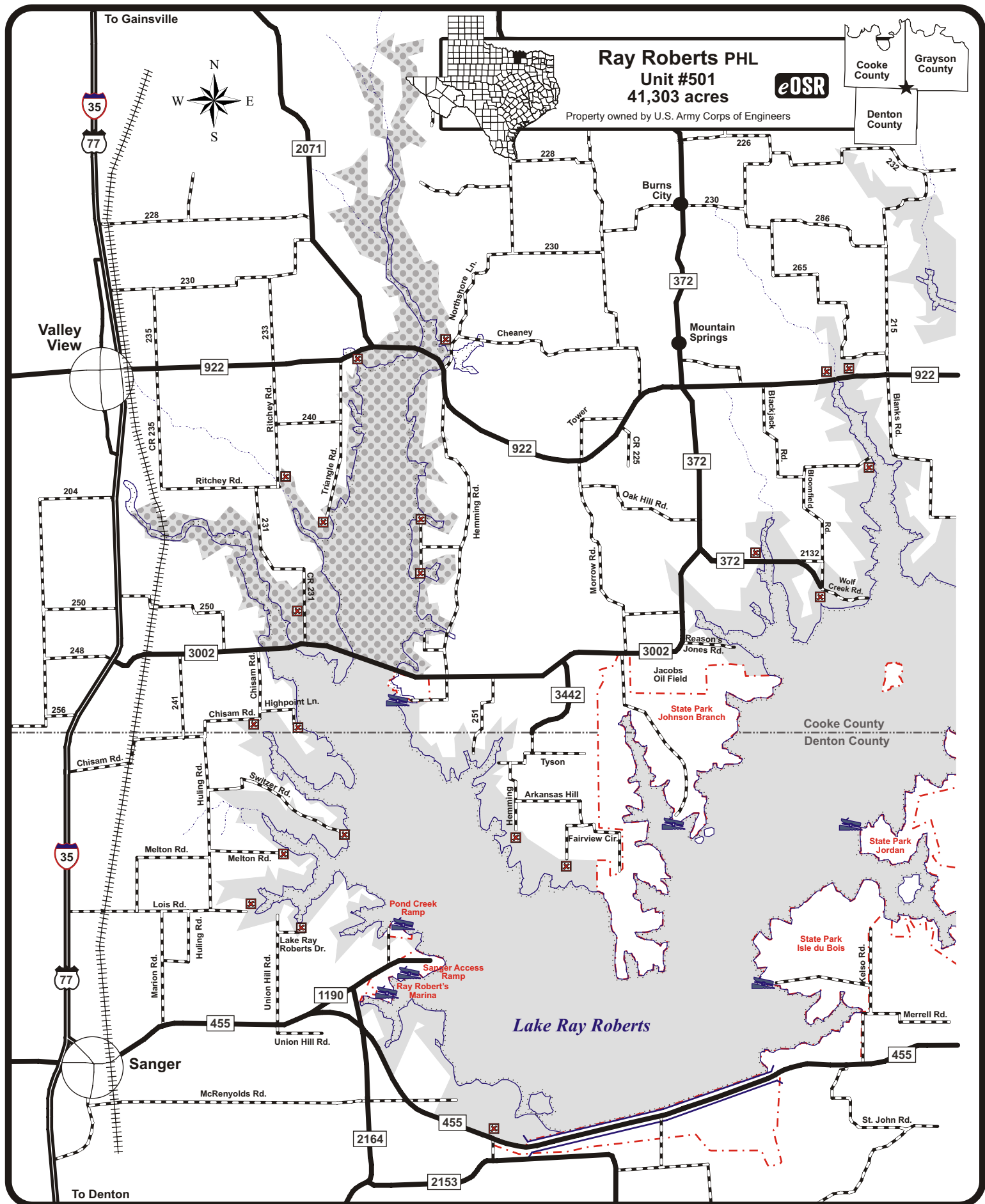
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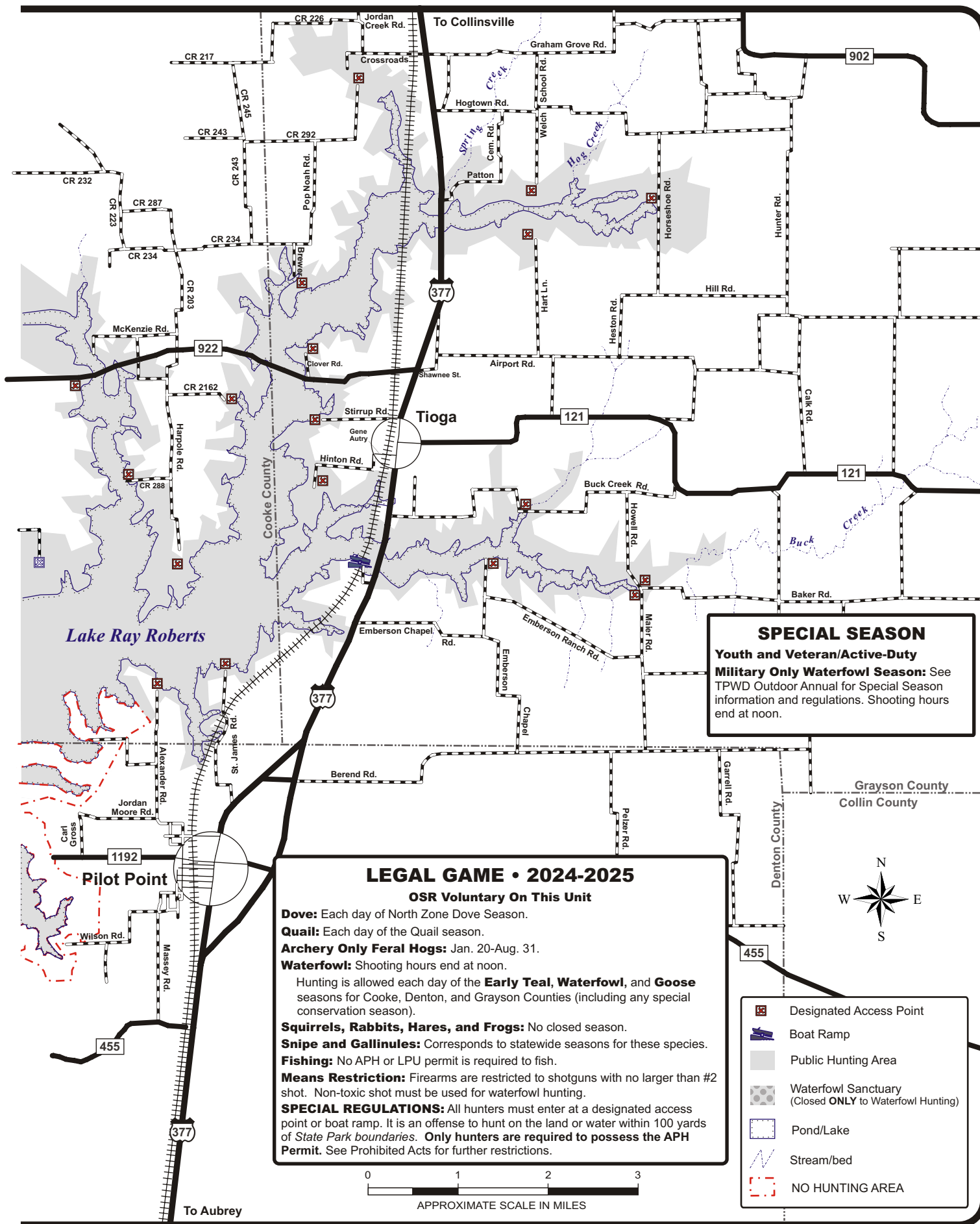
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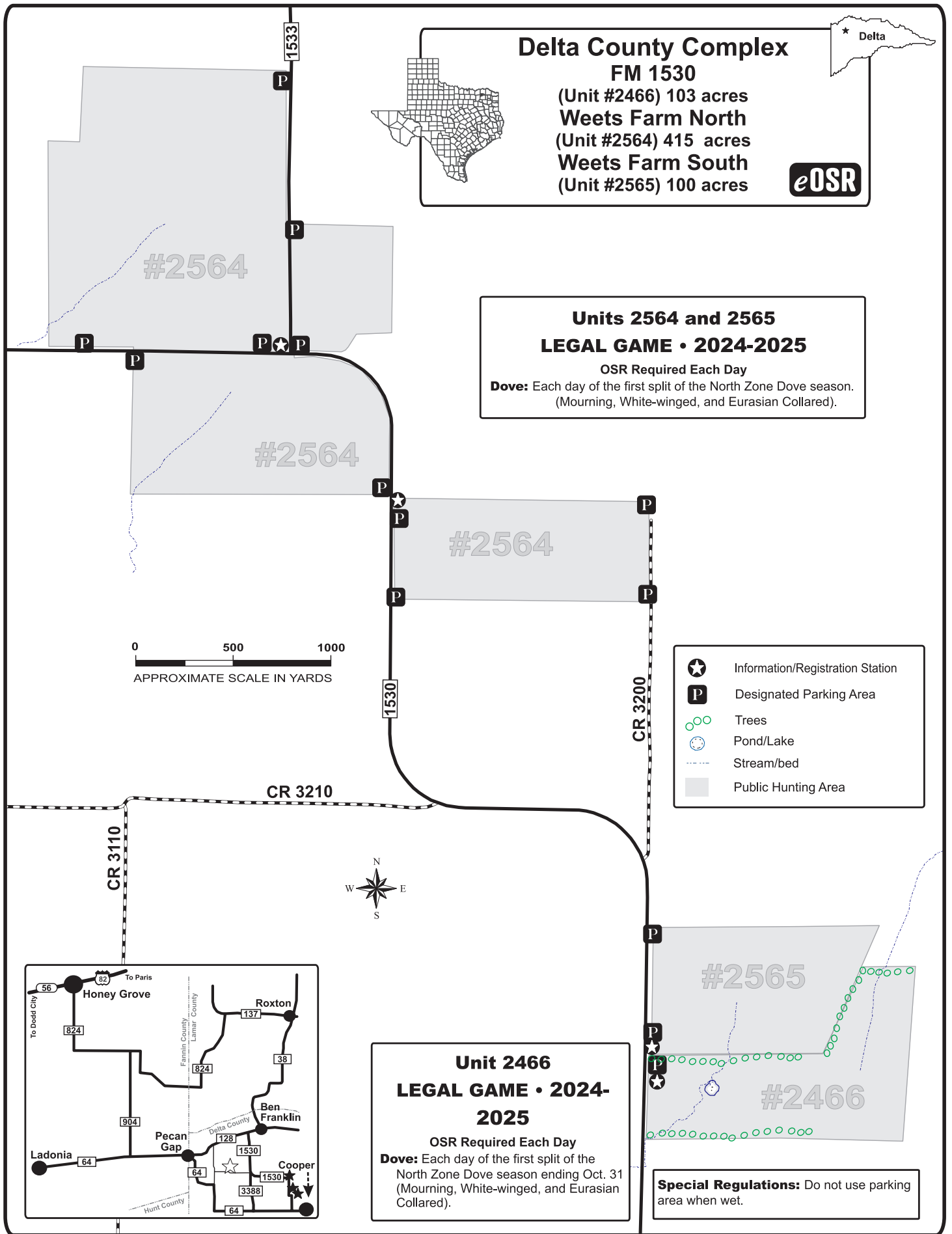
Special Regulations: No vehicles allowed in the field, walk-in only. Do not use parking areas when wet.

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Dove: Each day of the first split of the North Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).









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Parents!**

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What we do:

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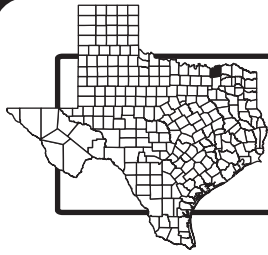
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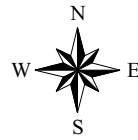
Caddo National Grasslands WMA

Bois D'Arc Unit #901N
13,370 acres



Property owned by United States Forest Service

Fannin County



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E-POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

Turkey: See front section of booklet for "E-Postcard Selection Hunt" information.

Monkstown

Grasslands

National

Caddo

Lake Crockett
Estates

Carson

To Paris

MANDATORY DEER REPORTING: All deer harvested during open seasons must be reported by calling 903-905-2236 and leave your name, phone number, date of harvest, WMA unit (Bois d'Arc or Ladonia) and sex of the deer.

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Bois D'Arc Unit

OSR Required Each Day

White-tailed Deer: Bag limit- 2 deer no more than 1 buck all seasons combined. **LEGAL BUCK** must have at least one unbranched antler or an inside spread of at least 13 inches.

Archery Only Season: Sept. 28- Nov. 1 (either sex). No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.

General Season: Nov. 2-Jan. 5 (buck only unless in possession of a USFS Antlerless Deer Permit obtained from the USFS. See USFS Additional Restrictions section for more information on antlerless deer permits). All legal firearms including shotguns with buckshot or slugs.

Feral Hog: (no bag limit).

Archery Only Season: No closed season.

General Season: Nov. 2-Mar. 22. Crossbows and all legal firearms including shotguns with slugs or buckshot allowed.

Waterfowl: Shooting hours are one half hour before sunrise to noon except all day hunting is allowed for **Early Teal**. Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal**, **North Zone Duck**, and **Eastern Zone Goose** seasons.

Woodcock and Snipe: May be taken during the open season for these species

Dove: : Sept. 1-Sept. 30.

Squirrel, Rabbits & Hares: Oct. 1-Feb. 23, May 15-31. Rimfire, shotgun, and air rifle only.

Coyotes: Nov. 2-Mar. 22. **Daylight Hunting Only.** All legal firearms including shotguns with slugs or buckshot.

Raccoons: No closed season. **Night Hunting Only:** ½ hour after sunset until ½ hour before sunrise; shotgun and rimfire only.

Bullfrogs: Daily limit of 25. No firearms.

Fishing: No APH or LPU permit required.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Only hunters are required to possess the APH Permit. All pasture roads are closed to vehicular traffic including access by disabled users. Hunting at night is prohibited except while pursuing bullfrogs and raccoons. For National Grasslands information, contact (940/627-5475).

SPECIAL SEASONS

Bois D'Arc Unit

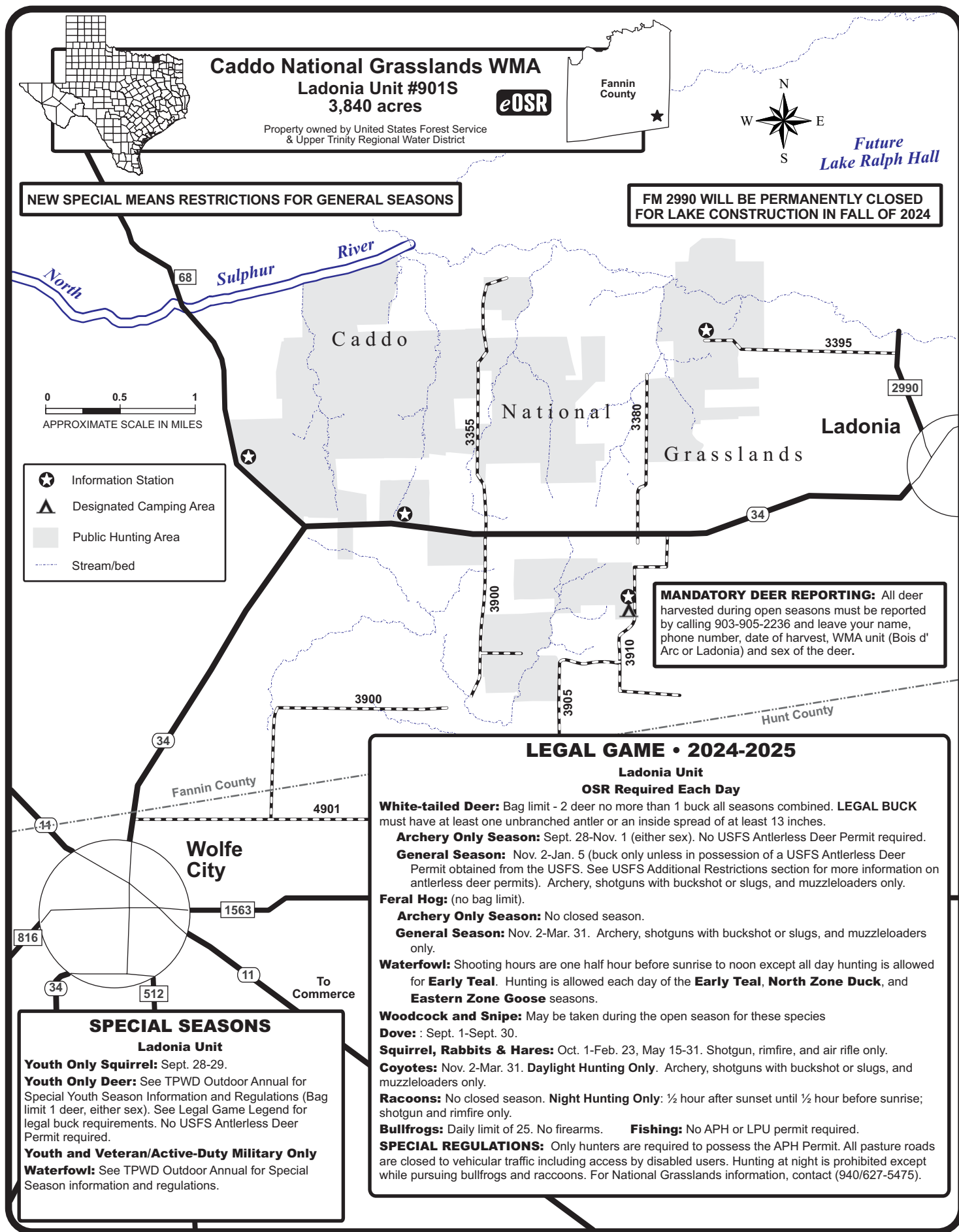
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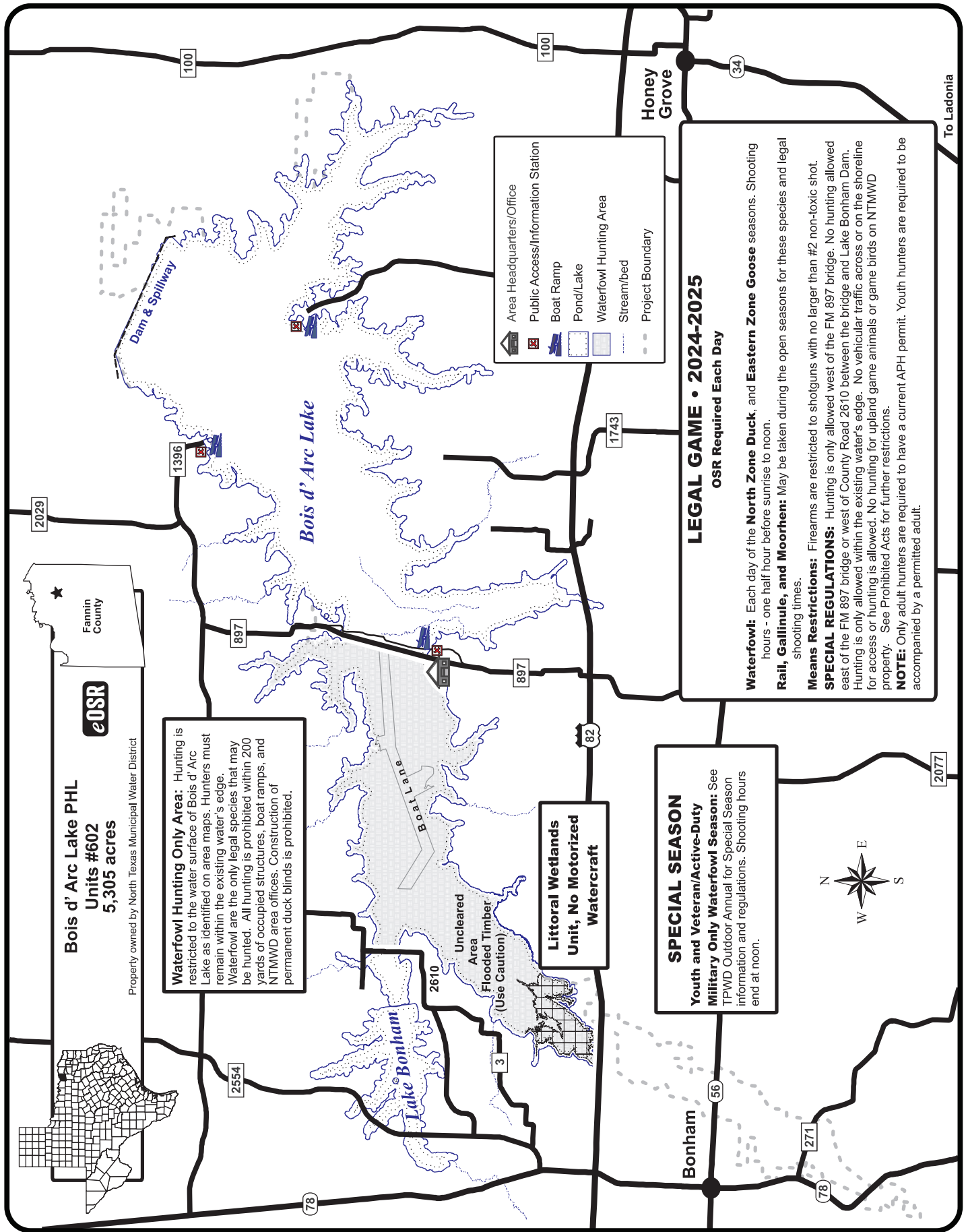
Youth Only Deer: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Youth Season Information and Regulations (Bag limit 1 deer, either sex). See Legal Game Legend for legal buck requirements. No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.

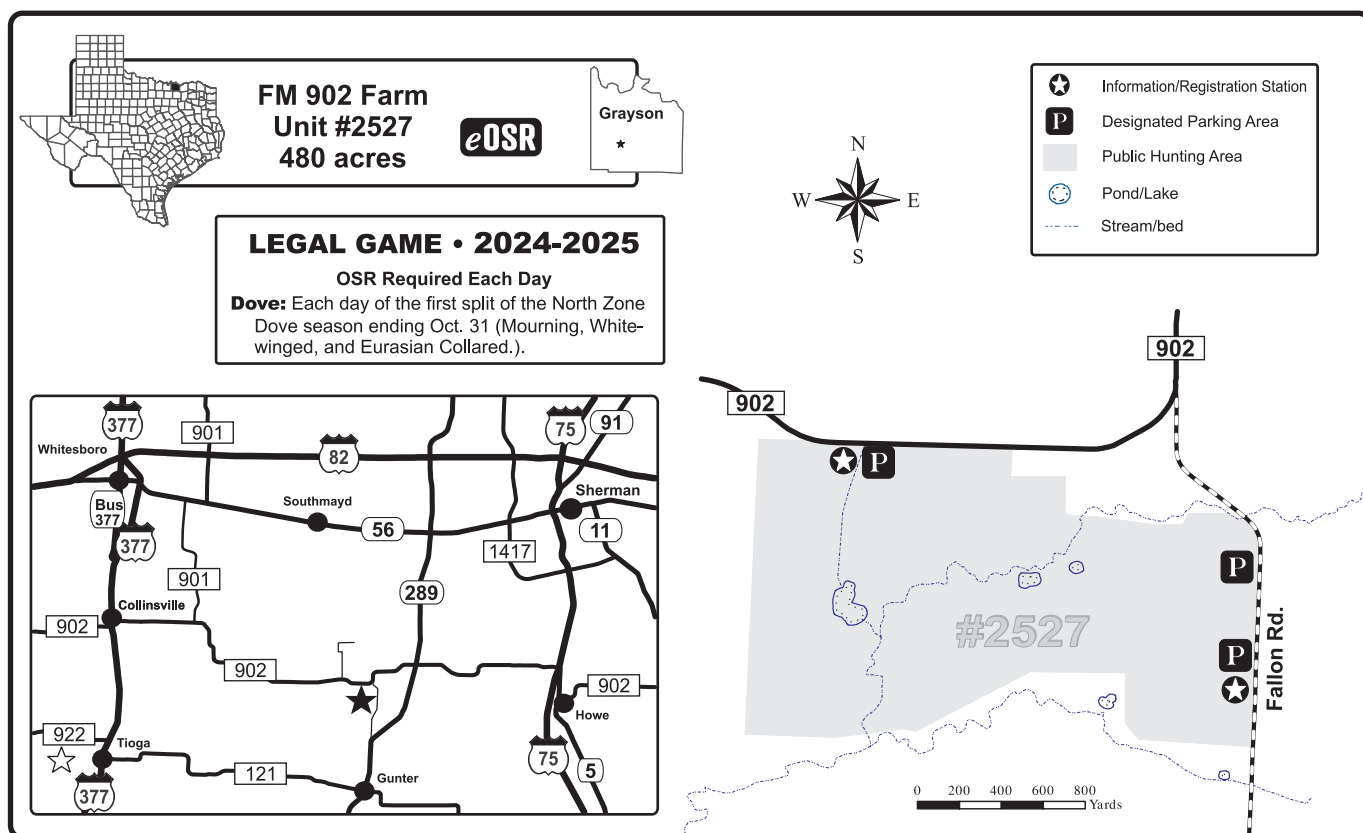
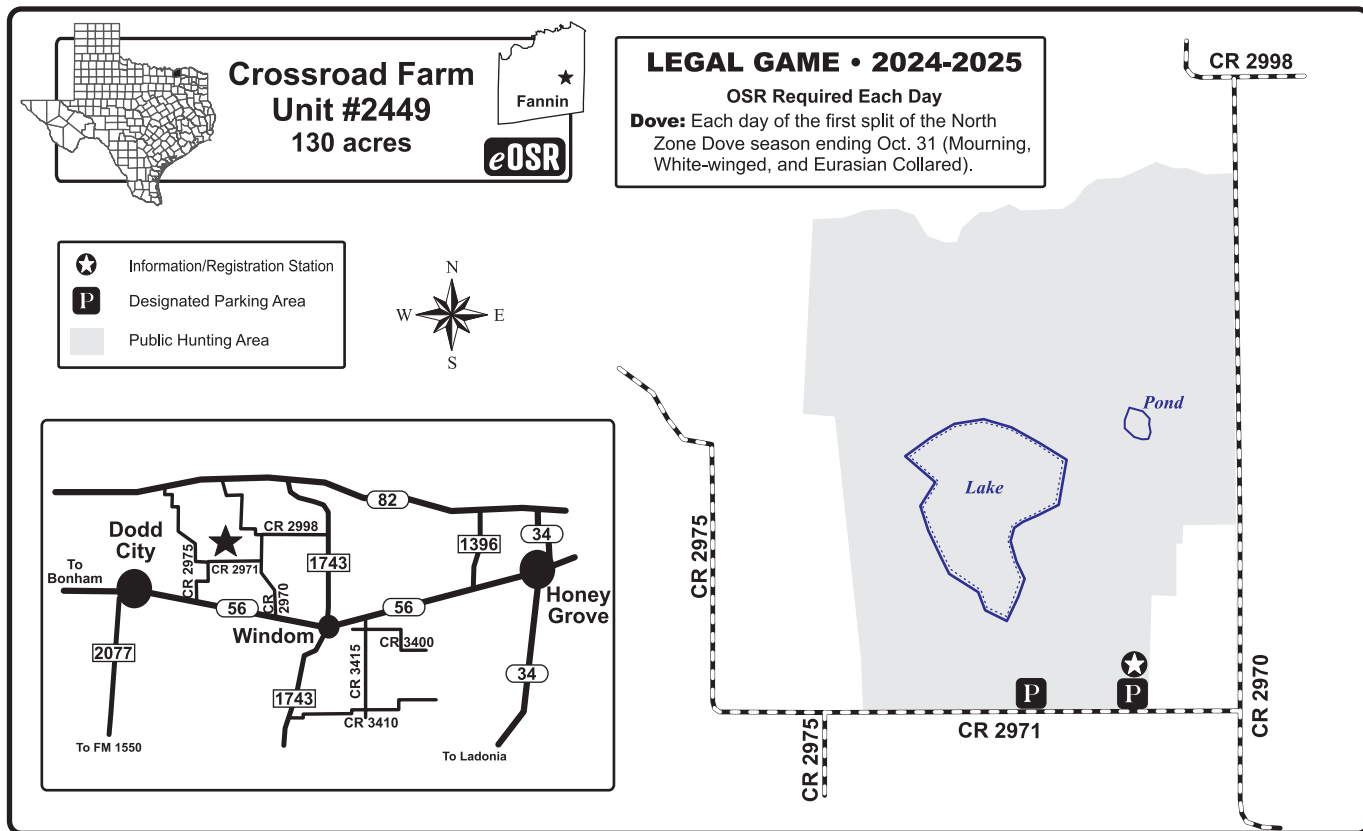
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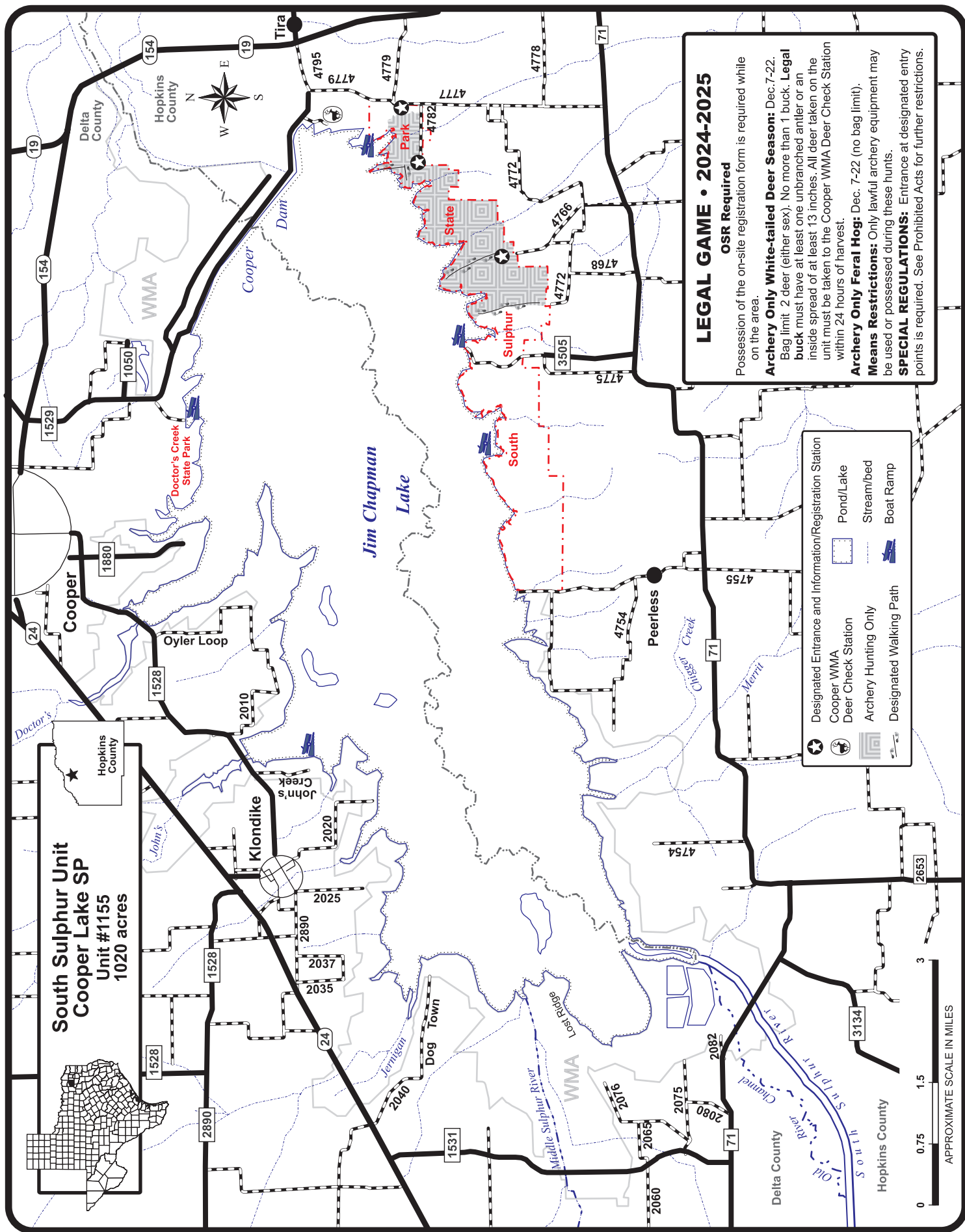
Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations.

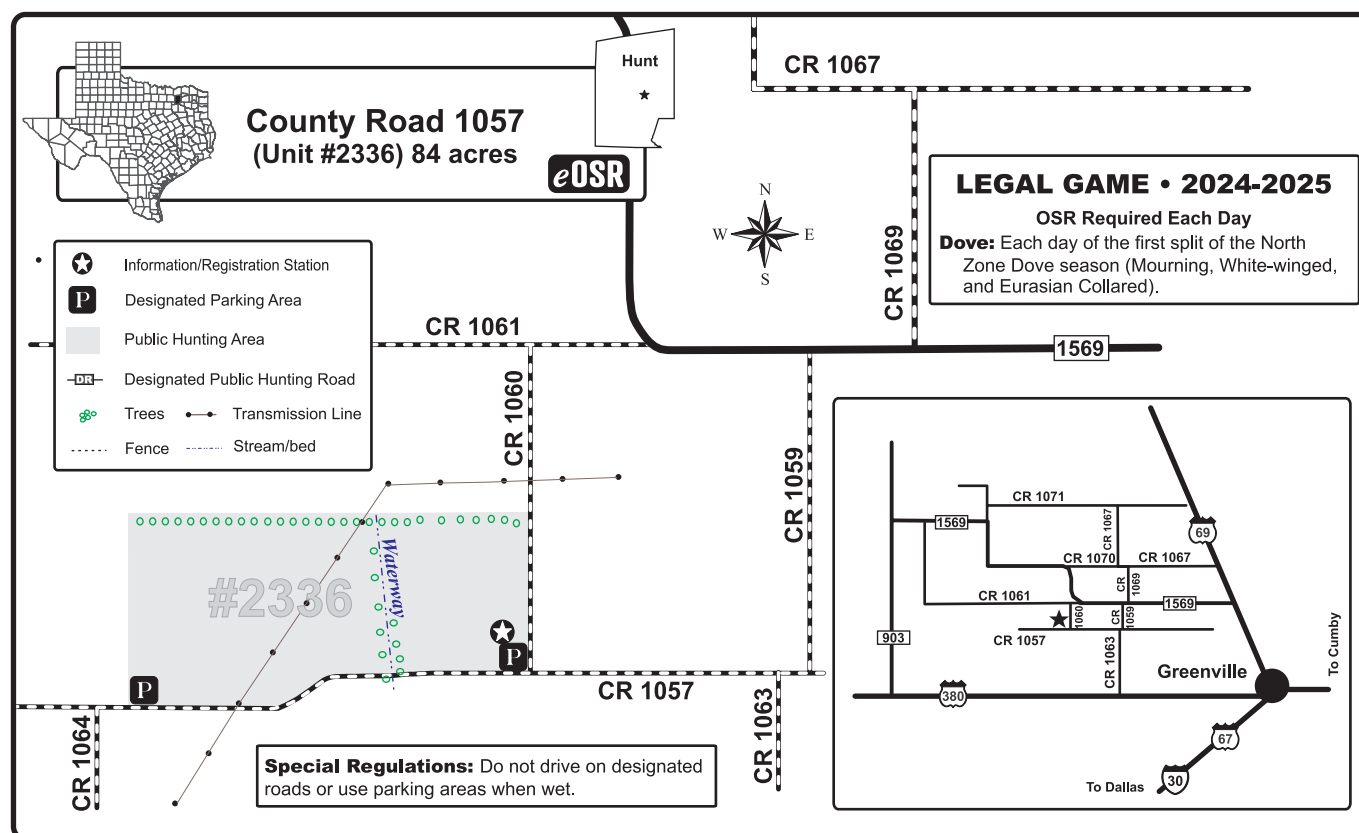
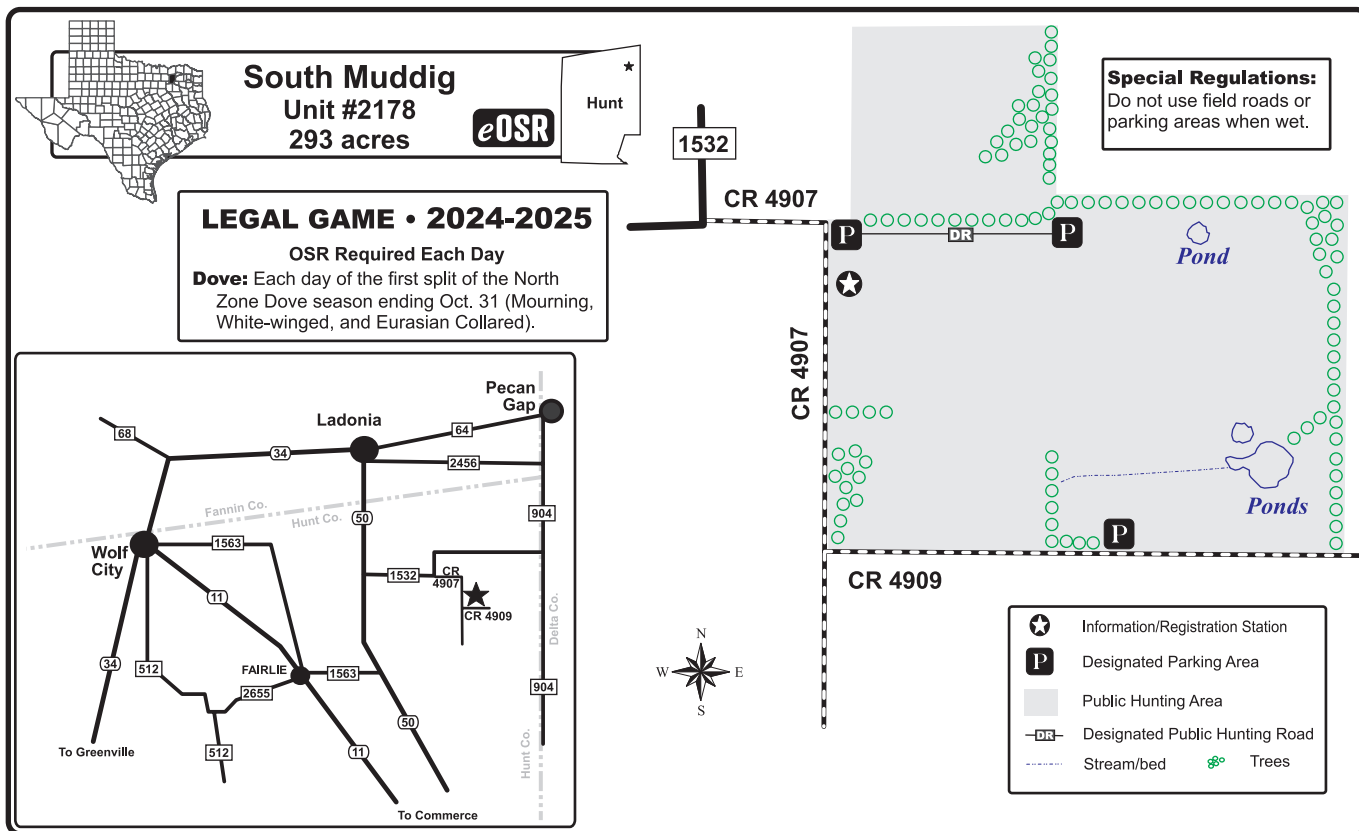
- Information Station
- Designated Camping Area
- Maintained Campsite (Fee Required)
- Deer Check Station
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed











Hunt County Complex 2

East FM 1570
(Unit #2268) 230 acres
Black Branch
(Unit #2297) 200 acres

Hunt

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OSR Required Each Day
Dove: Each day of the first split of the North Zone Dove Season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Special Regulations: No vehicles allowed in the field, walk-in only. Do not use parking areas when wet.

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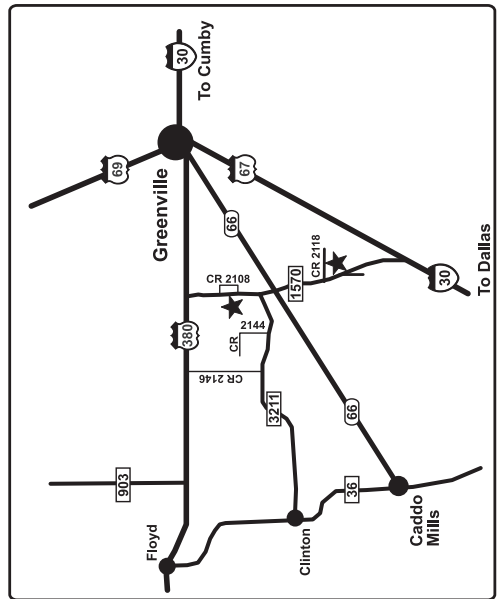
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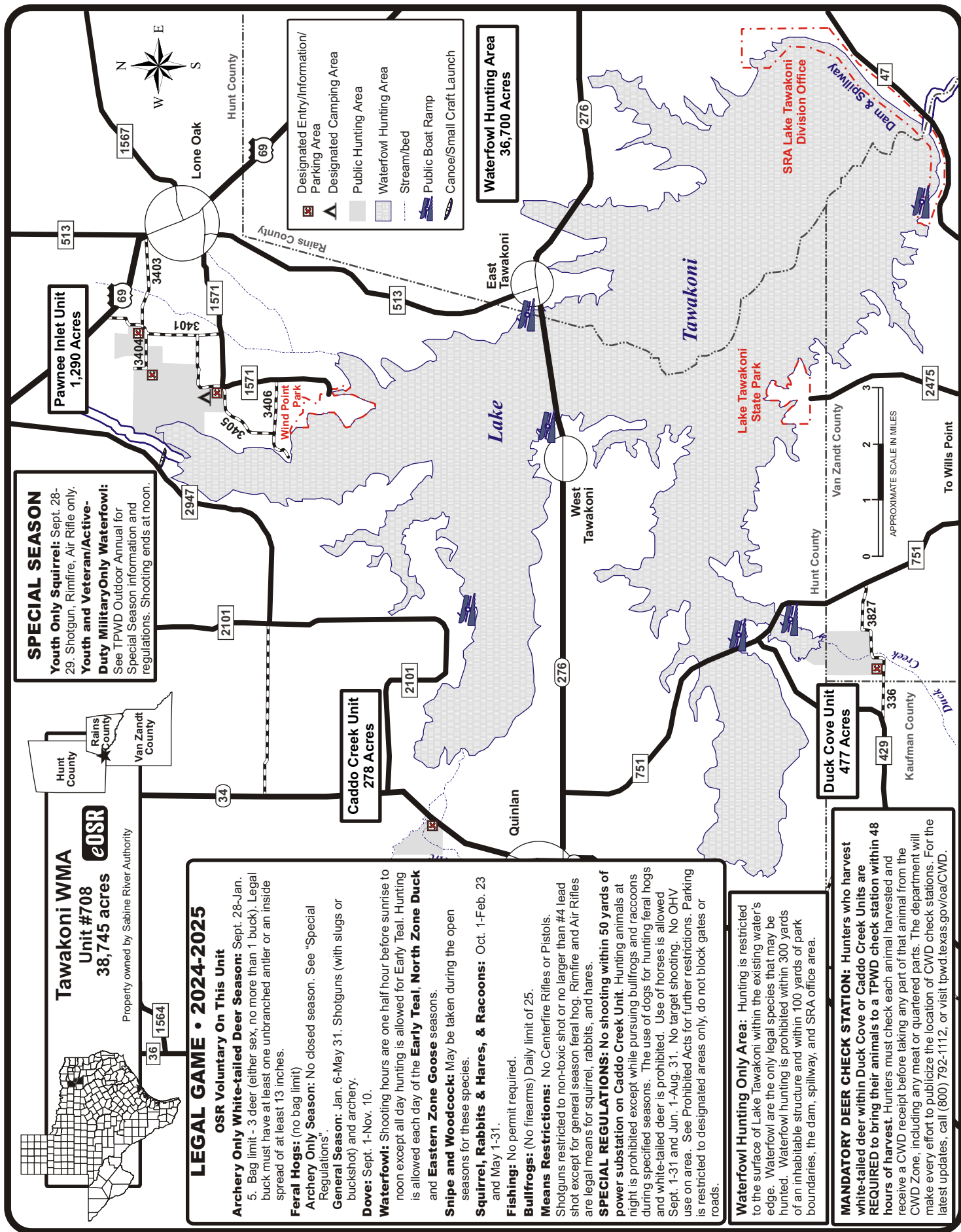
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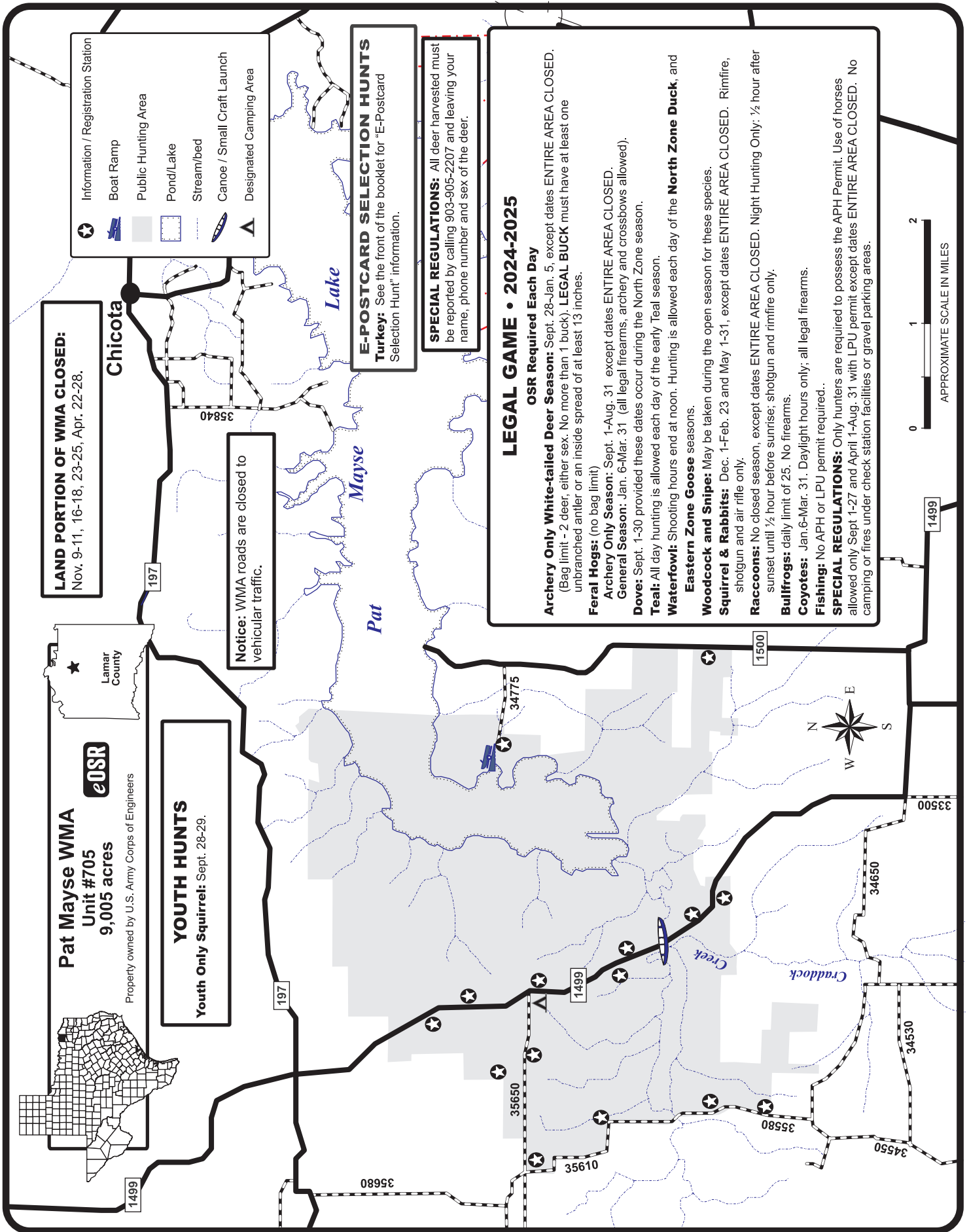
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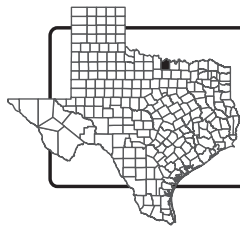
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- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Trees
- Stream/bed
- Transmission Line









Hagerman NWR – Nocona Unit

Unit #513

822 acres

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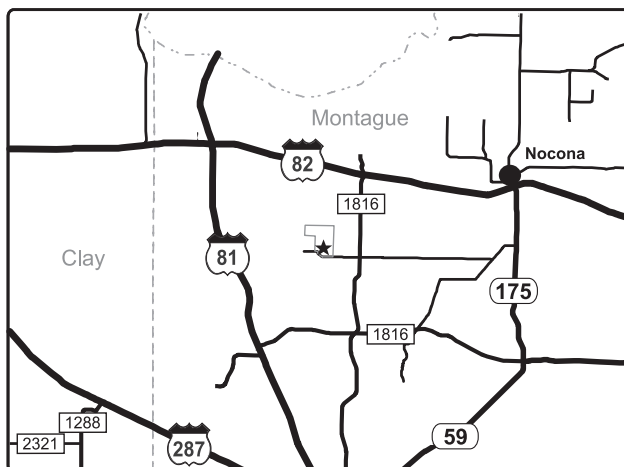
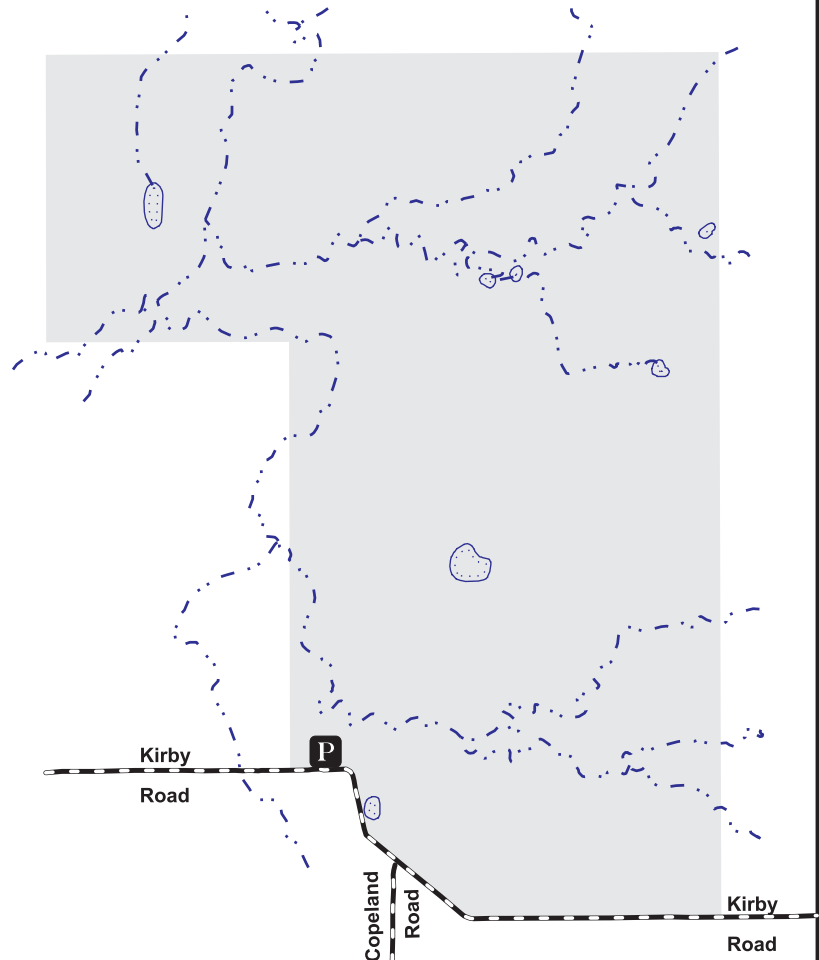
Dove: The month of September and each day of the second split of North Zone Dove Season (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon). Non-toxic shot no larger than #4 required.

Archery Only White-tailed Deer Season: Each day of the Archery, Early Youth-Only, and General Season for Montague County. Bag limit 1 deer (Buck or Antlerless) all seasons combined.

Feral Hog, Squirrel, Rabbit and Hares: The month of September and from the day after the close of General Deer Season for Montague County until the last day of February. All legal means may be used. Non-toxic shot, slugs, pellets and bullets are required while hunting with firearms.

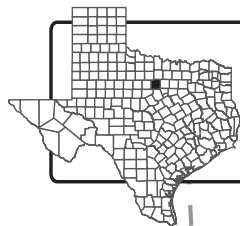
Shotgun and Archery Only Spring Turkey: Each day of Spring Turkey and Spring Youth-Only Seasons for Montague County. Bag limit 1 Turkey (gobbler or bearded hens) all seasons combined. Non-toxic shot no larger than #4 required.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Parking is available on refuge property or along Kirby Road adjacent to the Nocona Unit. Entry into the unit is by foot or bicycle only. Dogs may only be used to retrieve dove, rabbit, and squirrel and are prohibited for any other hunting purpose. Stands and blinds must be removed from the refuge at the end of each hunt day; gear tags required. Falconry is prohibited. No camping and no fires allowed. No target shooting. No predator or night hunting allowed.



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Yards

- ★ Designated Entrance/
Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed



Roger R. Fawcett WMA Unit #781 93 acres

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Palo Pinto

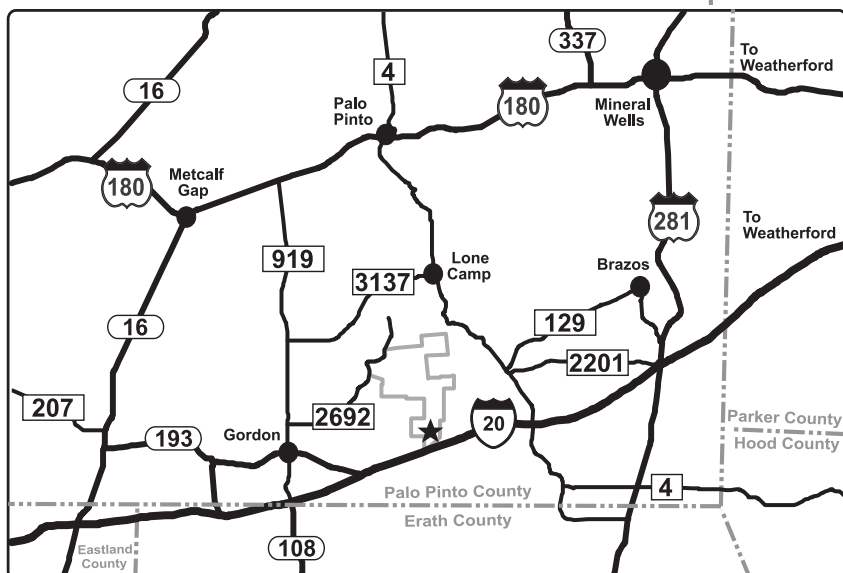


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Dove: Sept. 1-2, 7-8, 14-15, 21-22, 28-29, Oct. 5-6, 12-13, Dec. 21-22 and Jan. 4-5 (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Parking is restricted to designated parking areas. No camping allowed. No fires or grills of any kind. No ATVs or UTVs allowed.



0 125 250 500
Yards

- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Designated Access Point
- Public Hunting Area
- WMA Boundary
- Designated Road
- Stream/bed
- Fence

REGION 5 – PINEYWOODS

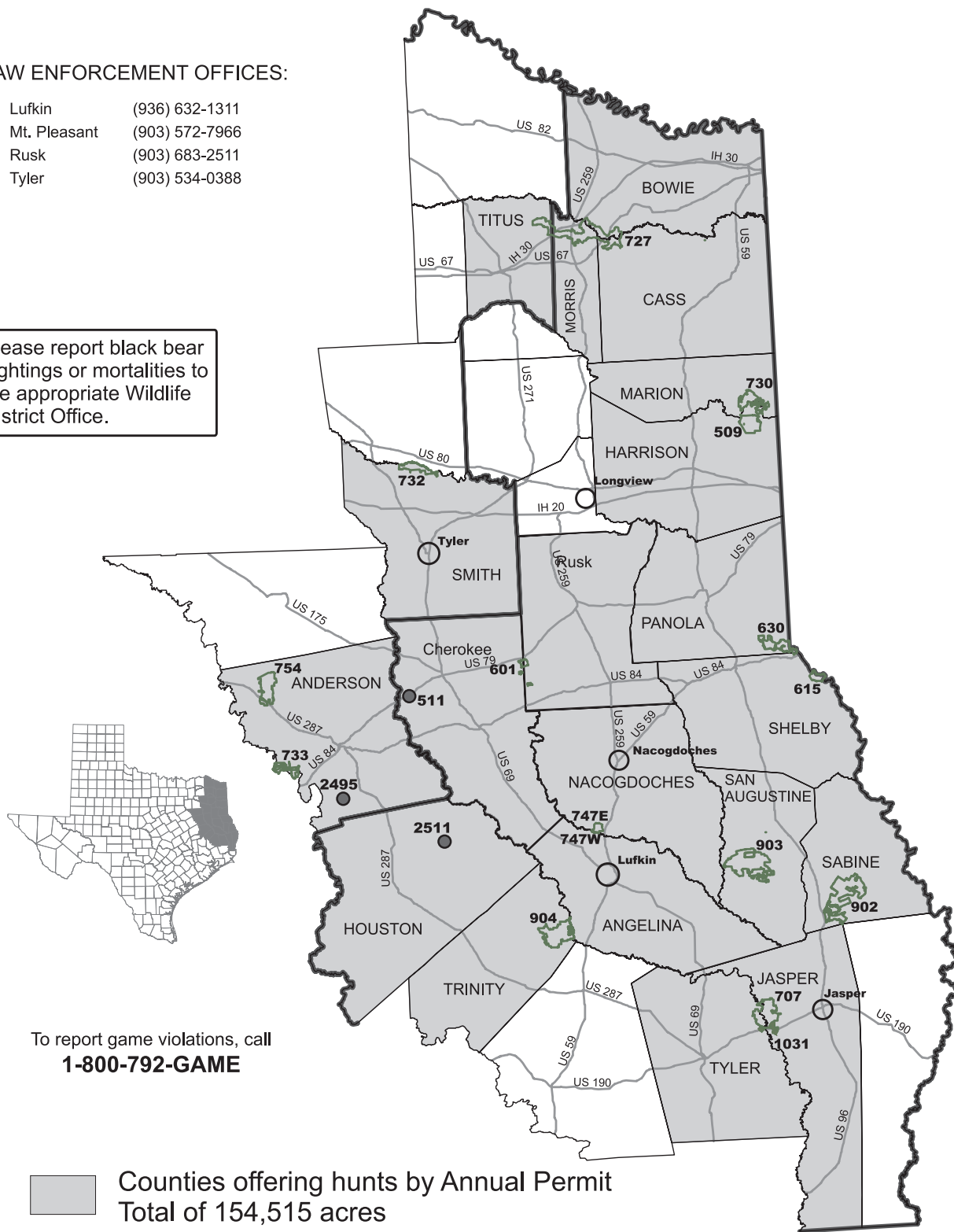
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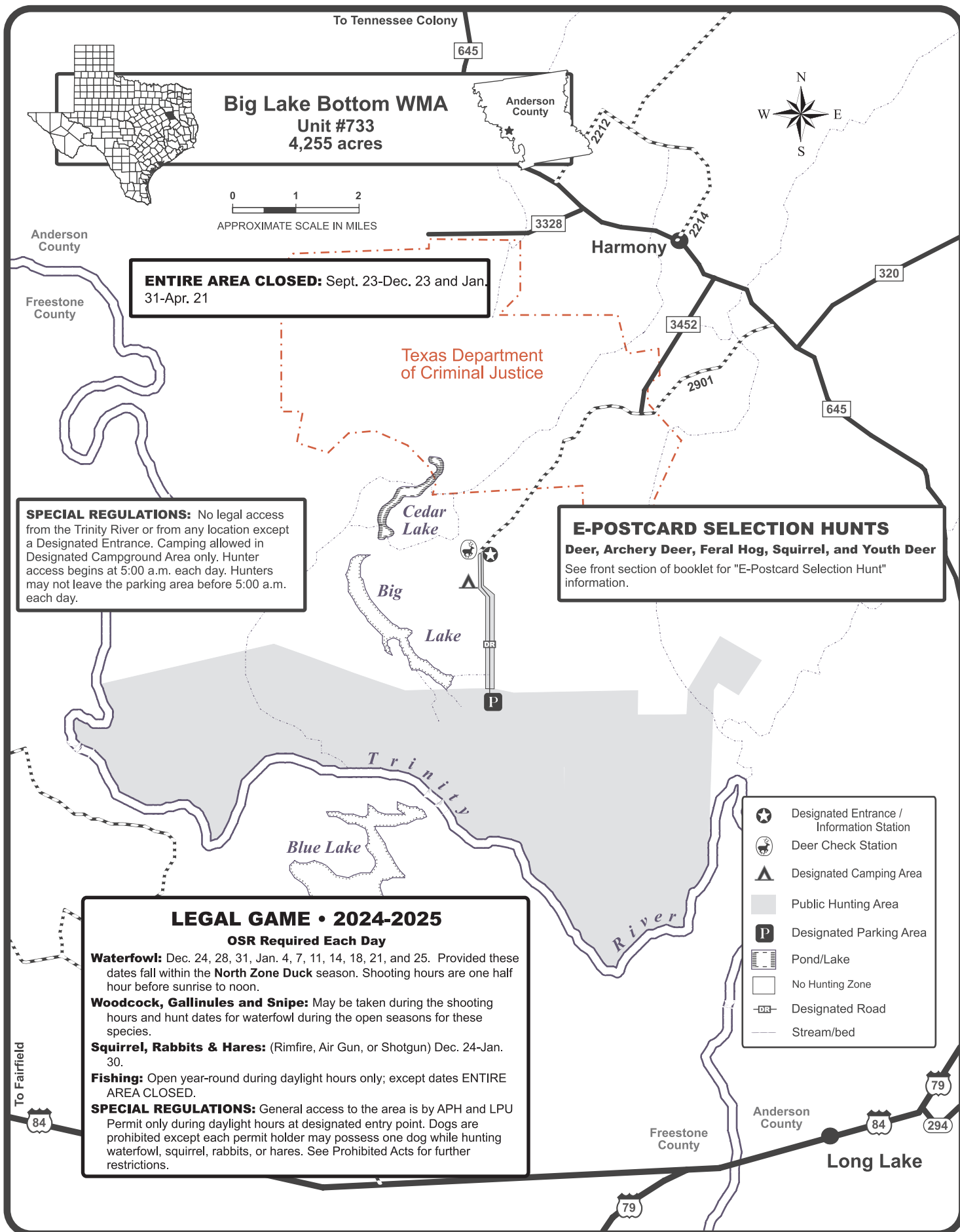
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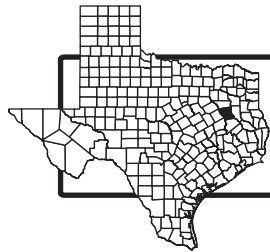


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REGION 5 – PINEYWOODS

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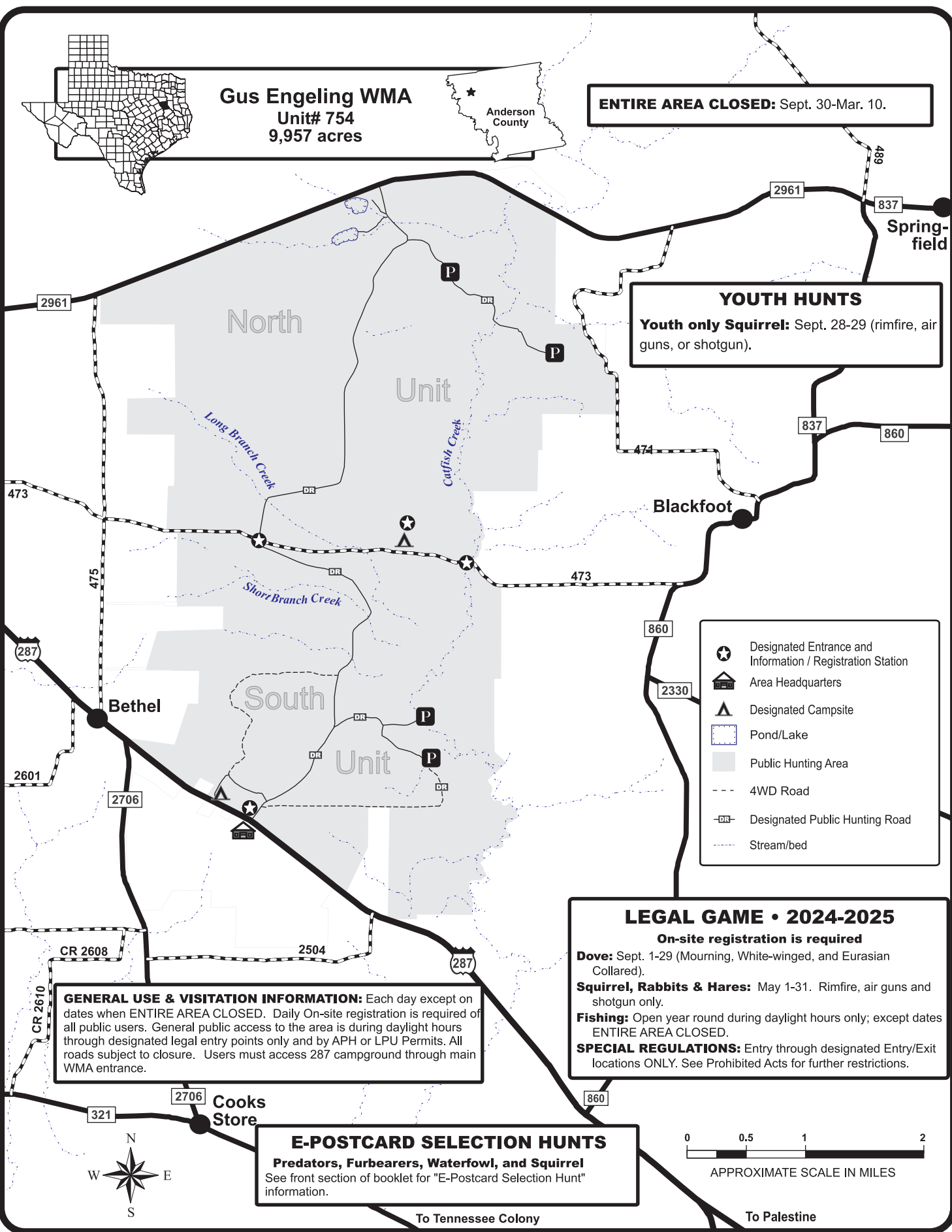
Unit# 754
9,957 acres



ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Sept. 30-Mar. 10.

YOUTH HUNTS

Youth only Squirrel: Sept. 28-29 (rimfire, air guns, or shotgun).



GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION: Each day except on dates when ENTIRE AREA CLOSED. Daily On-site registration is required of all public users. General public access to the area is during daylight hours through designated legal entry points only and by APH or LPU Permits. All roads subject to closure. Users must access 287 campground through main WMA entrance.

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

On-site registration is required

Dove: Sept. 1-29 (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared).

Squirrel, Rabbits & Hares: May 1-31. Rimfire, air guns and shotgun only.

Fishing: Open year round during daylight hours only; except dates ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Entry through designated Entry/Exit locations ONLY. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions.

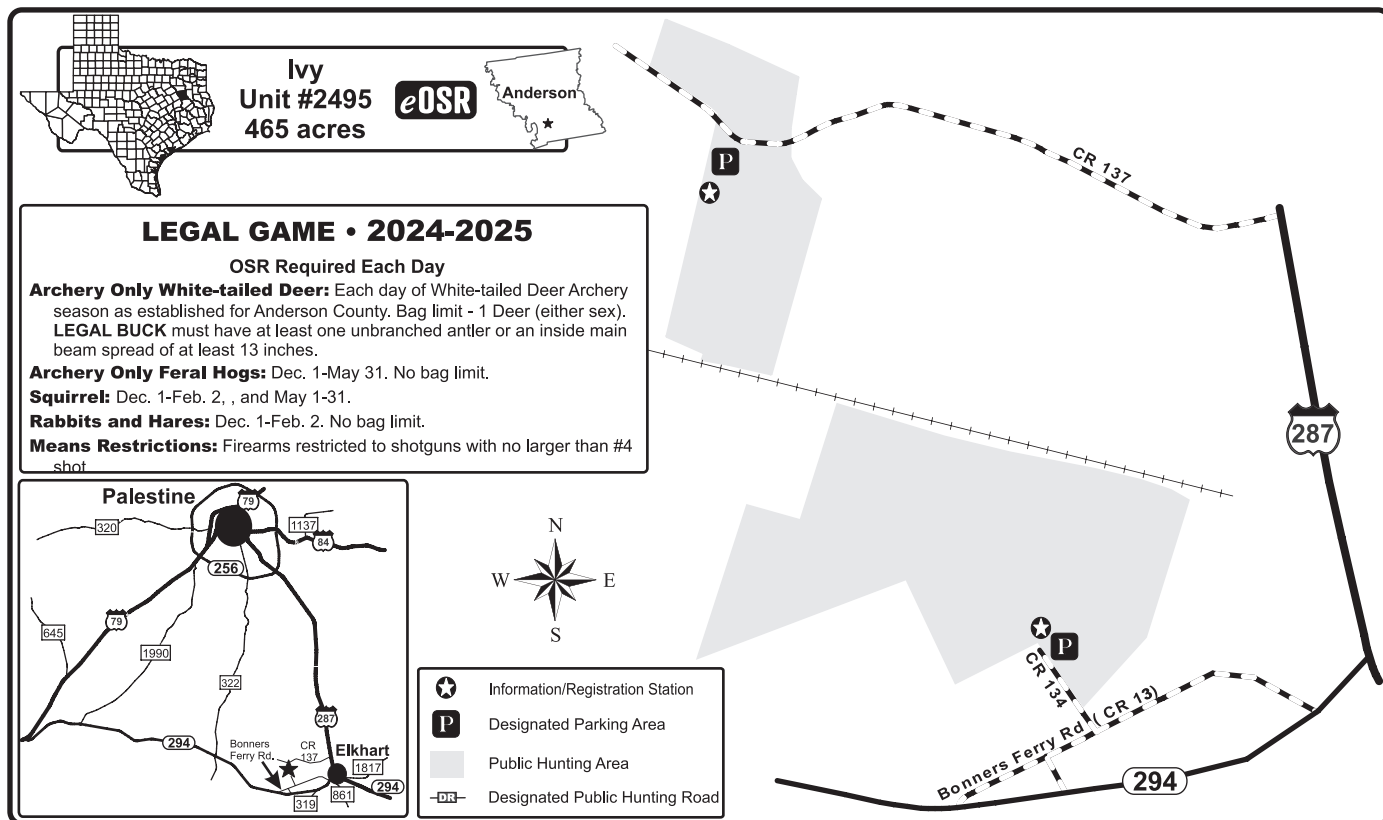
E-POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

Predators, Furbearers, Waterfowl, and Squirrel
See front section of booklet for "E-Postcard Selection Hunt" information.

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES

To Tennessee Colony

To Palestine



OPERATION



GAME THIEF

Someone is stealing Texas' wildlife ...

Do you know who?

If you know a poacher or know of poaching activity,
report these violations to Operation Game Thief by calling

1-800-792-GAME

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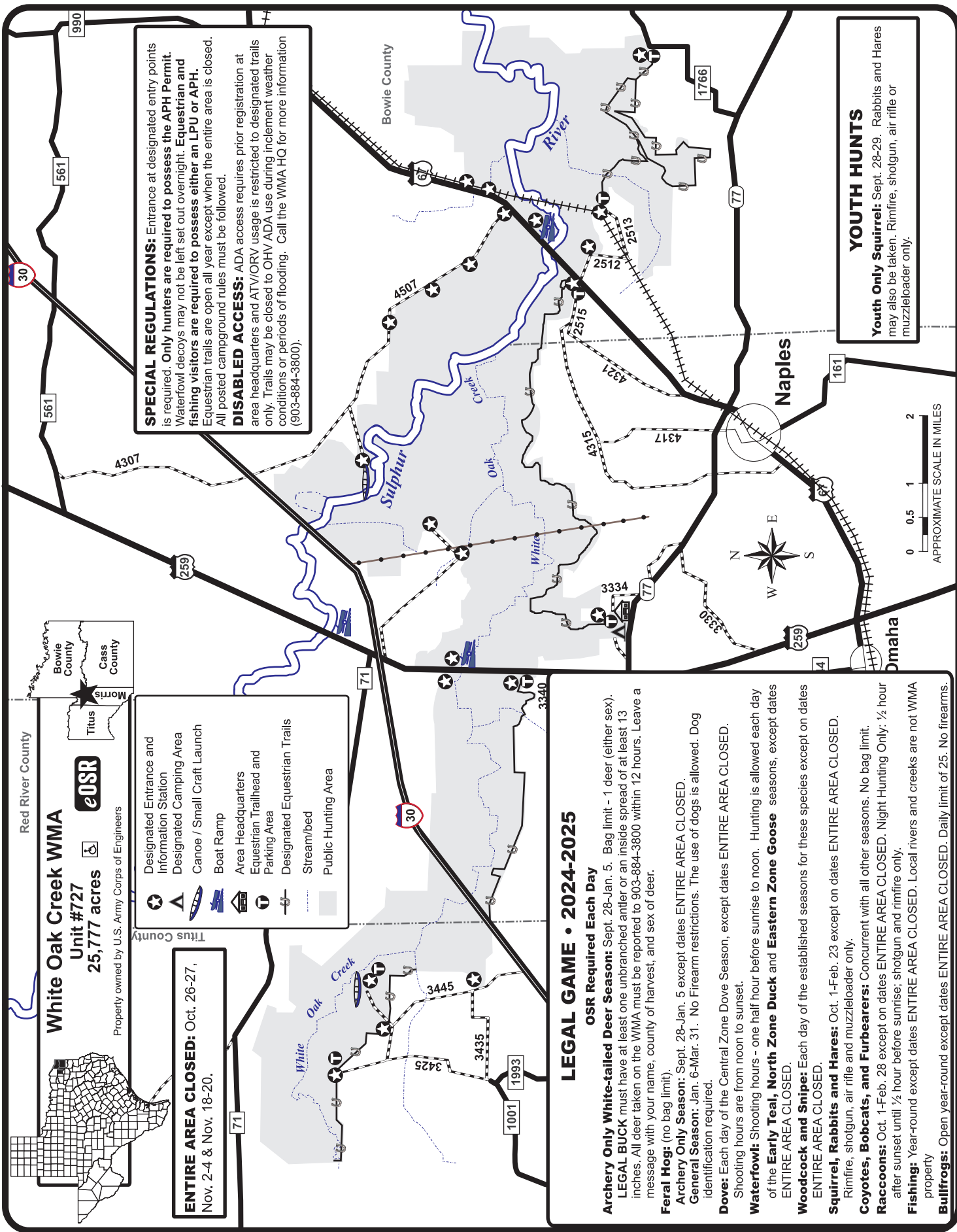
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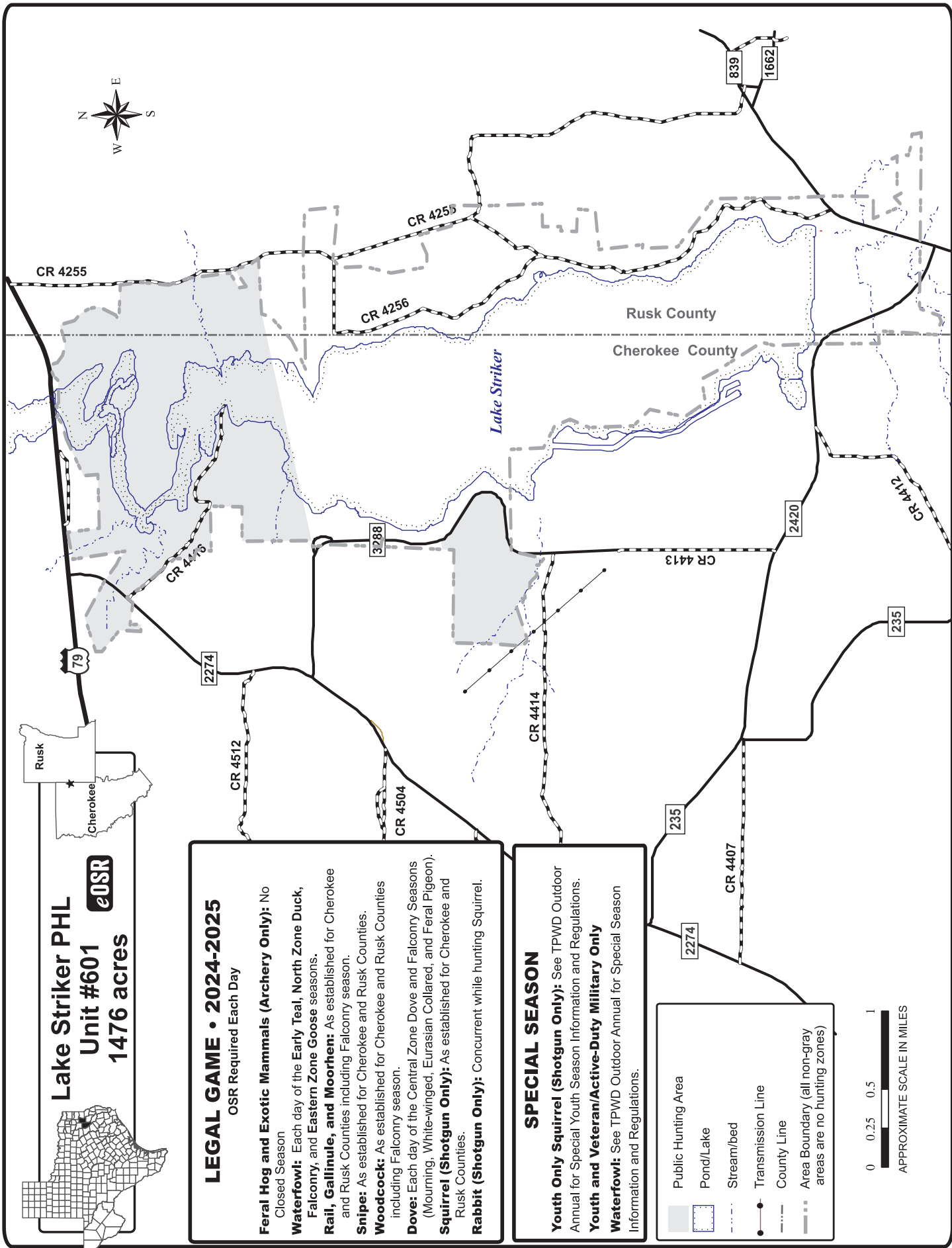
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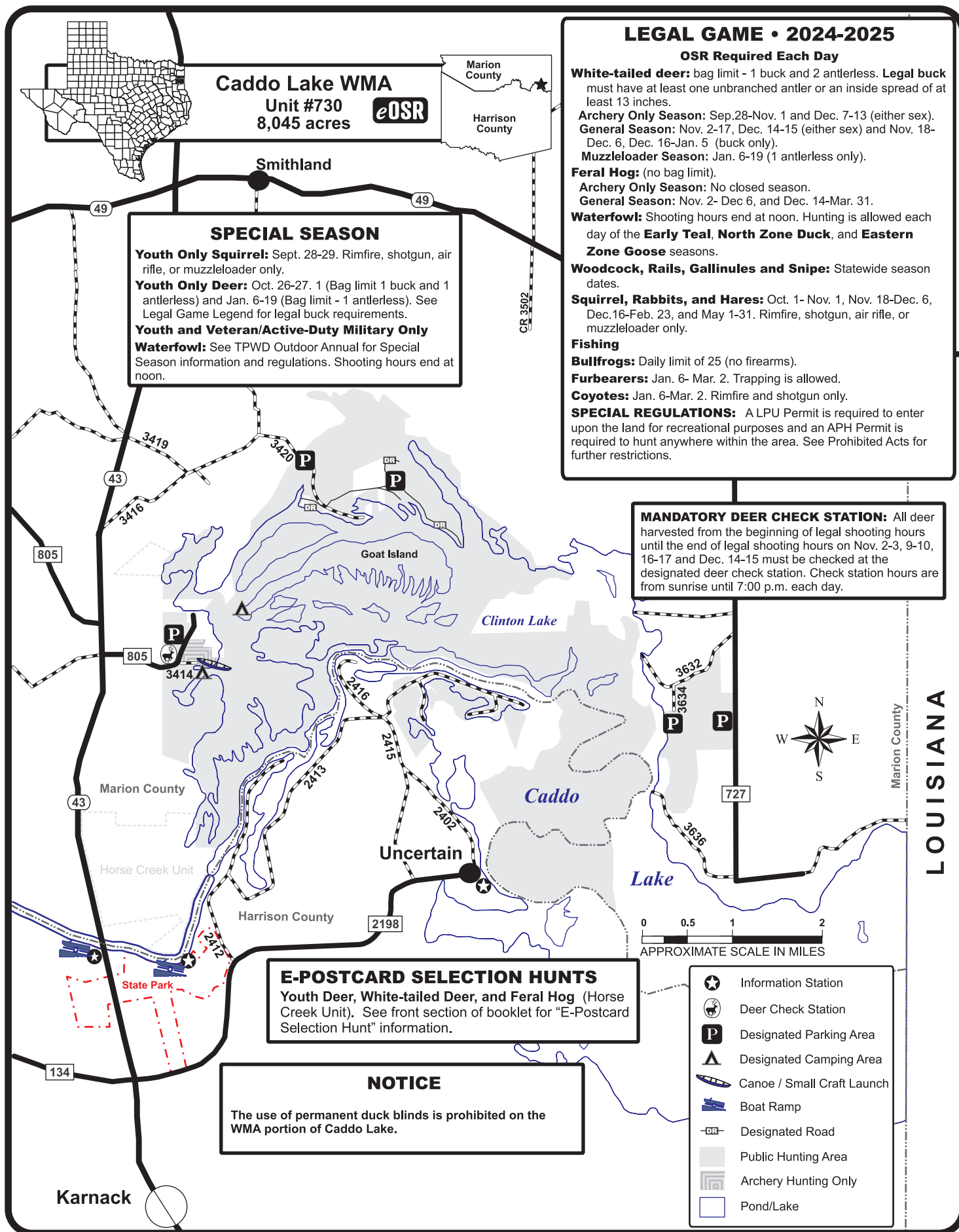
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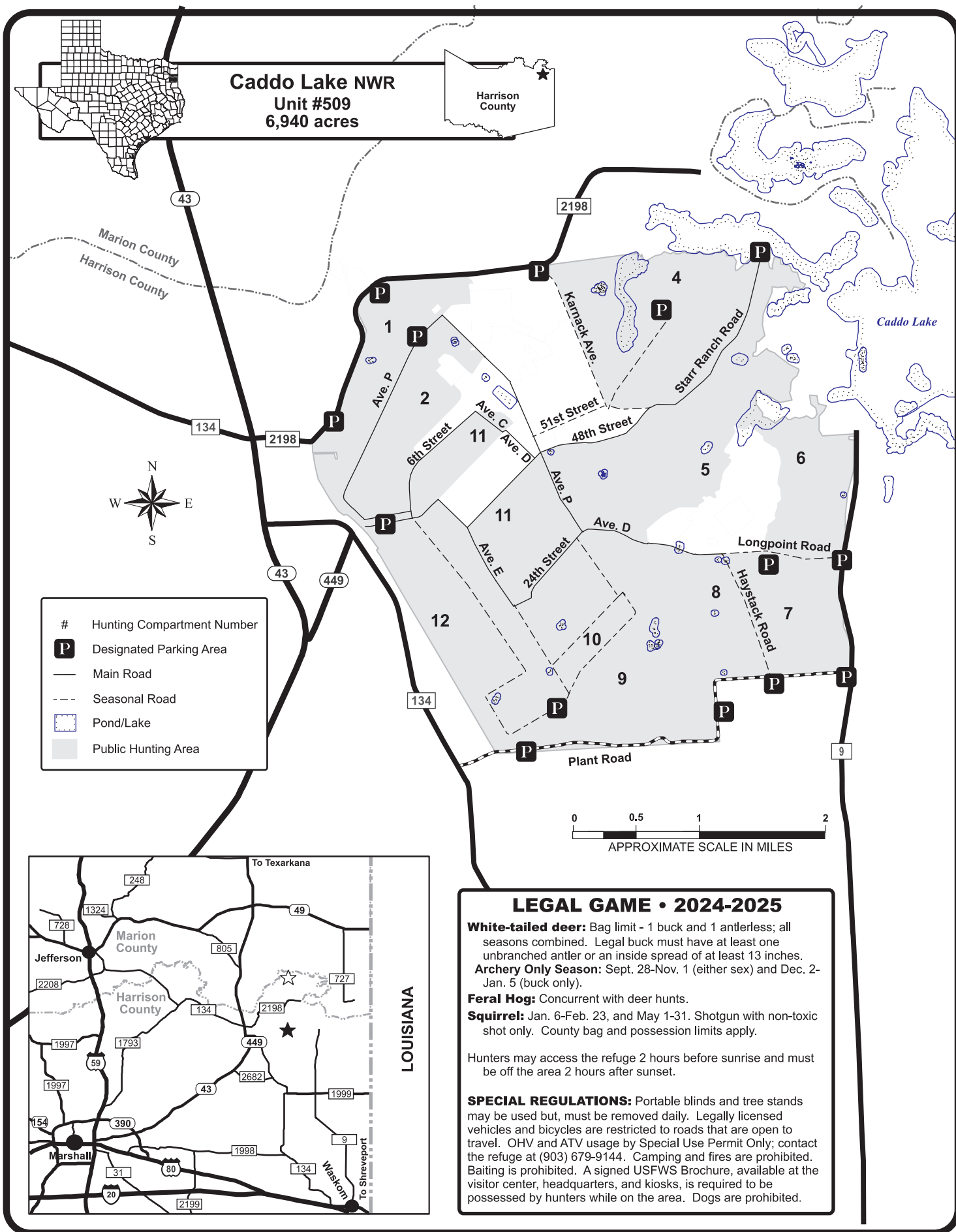
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your tax-deductible donation to:

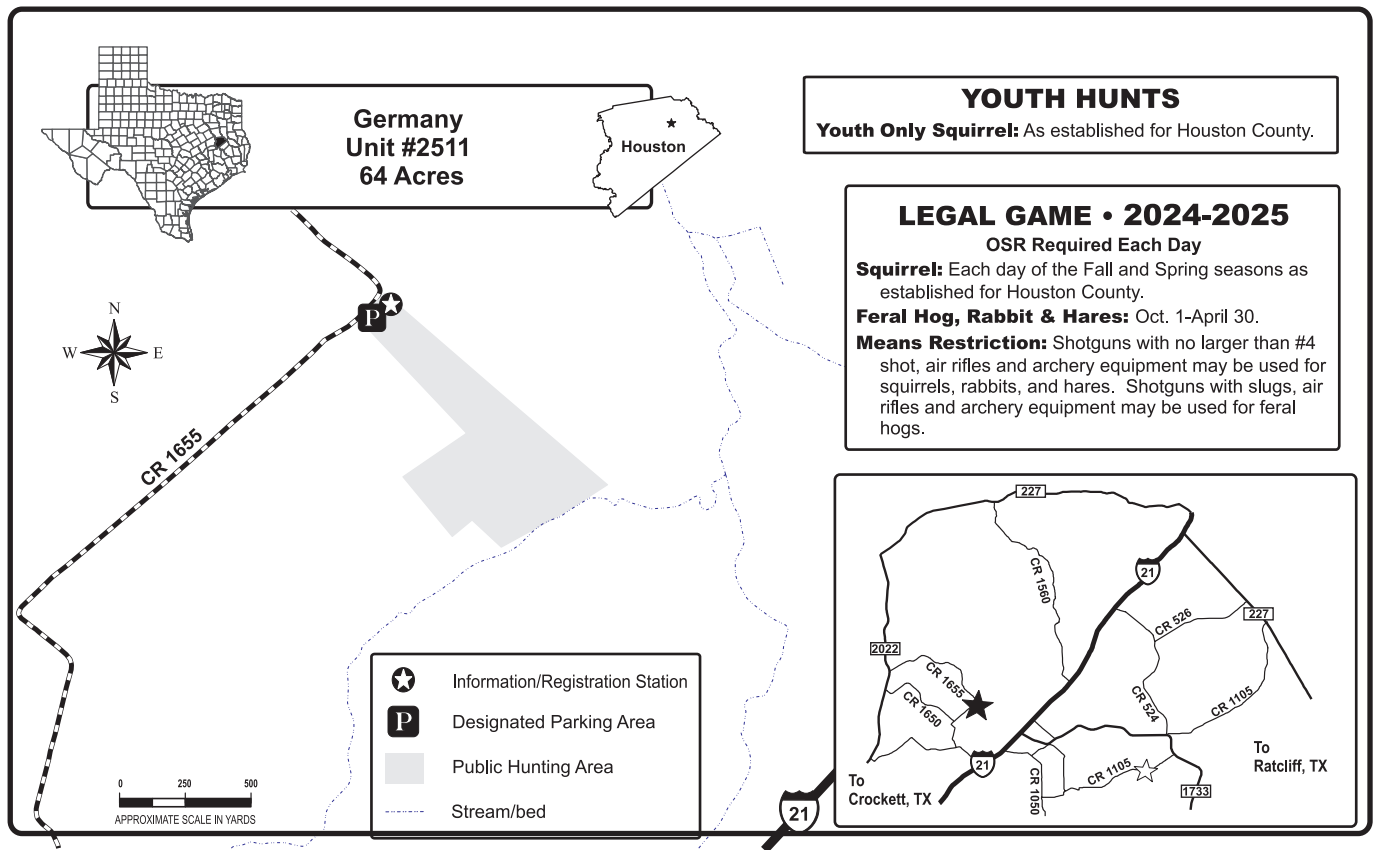
Operation Game Thief
Texas Parks and Wildlife Department
4200 Smith School Road
Austin, TX 78744











TICK-BORNE DISEASES IN TEXAS

Each year Texans contract Lyme disease, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, ehrlichiosis and relapsing fever. All of these diseases are transmitted by the bite of an infected tick. If caught early, these diseases can almost always be cured. If left untreated, they can be serious or even fatal.

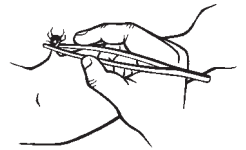
Early symptoms of these diseases mimic the "flu," and include fever, headache, tiredness, stiff neck or neck pain, muscle aches, and joint pain. Sometimes a rash is also present. If you develop flu-like symptoms (with or without a rash) after a tick bite, you should see a physician right away.

To protect yourself and your family

- Wear light-colored clothing so that ticks can easily be seen.
- Tuck pant legs into socks to keep ticks off of your skin.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and keep shirt tails tucked in.
- Use insect repellent according to package instructions.
- Inspect exposed skin every few hours for ticks.
- Do a thorough, full-body tick check when you come in and remove any attached ticks.
- Frequently check your pets for ticks. In addition to bringing ticks into your home, pets can contract tick-borne diseases.

To remove an attached tick

- Use tweezers to grasp the tick's mouthparts as close to the skin as possible.
- If tweezers are not available use a tissue to protect your fingers.
- With a steady motion, pull the tick straight out.
- After removal, you can mail the live tick to the Texas Department of Health Laboratory (address below) for identification and testing. Please use a container with a secure lid. Putting a small piece of tissue moistened with a single drop of water in the container will help keep the tick alive.



For More Information

For more information on tick-borne diseases in Texas, contact your local health department or the Texas Department of Health, 1100 West 49th St., Austin, TX 78756.

www.TickTexas.org

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

On-site registration is required.

Archery Only White-tailed Deer: Sept. 28-Nov. 1 and Dec. 1-31 (either sex). Bag limit: no more than 1 buck. LEGAL BUCK must have at least one unbranched antler or an inside spread of at least 13 inches.

Feral Hogs and Exotic Mammals: Sept. 1-Nov. 1, Dec. 1-31 and Jan. 13-Aug. 31. Legal means for taking feral hog are: **archery, air guns, arrow guns, muzzleloaders, and shotguns only.**

Baiting is legal for feral hogs after end of North Zone Duck Season until July 31. Use of dogs prohibited. **Waterfowl:** Shooting hours - one half hour before sunrise to noon. **Hunter access beyond parking areas begins at 4 a.m.**

Early Teal: Hunting is allowed each day of the Early Season.

North Zone Duck: Dec. 7-31 and Jan. 13-26. Hunting is allowed on Mon., Wed., and Sat. during the season except dates **ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.**

Rail and Gallinules: Sept. 14-29 and Dec. 1-25. Legal shooting hours are from sunrise to noon. Hunting on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturdays only.

Snipe: Dec. 1-31 and Jan. 13-Feb. 16 until the end of the statewide season. Legal shooting hours are from sunrise to noon. Hunting on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturdays only.

Woodcock: Dec. 18-31 and Jan. 13-31.

Dove: Sept. 1-Oct. 27 and Dec. 13-Dec. 31.

Squirrel: Oct. 1-Nov. 1, Dec. 1-31 Jan. 13-Feb. 23, and May 1-31 (shotgun, air guns and rimfire only). Use of dogs not allowed.

Rabbit & Hares: Sept. 1-Nov. 1, Dec. 1-31 Jan. 13-Aug. 31 (shotgun, air guns and rimfire only).

Bullfrogs: Sept. 1-Nov. 1, Dec. 1-31, and Jan. 13-Aug. 31 (daily limit of 25).

Crayfish and Fishing: Sept. 1-Nov. 1, Dec. 1-31 and Jan. 13-Aug. 31.

Furbearers and Predators: Sept. 1-Nov. 1, Dec. 1-31, and Jan. 13-Aug. 31.

Means Restriction: Firearms restricted to shotguns, muzzleloaders, and rimfire only. Non-toxic shot required for all migratory game bird hunting. Buckshot may be used for taking feral hogs.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Use of horses allowed Sept. 1-23 and Apr. 1-Aug. 31. **Note:** Do not place bait for feral hogs on roads, parking areas, or levees.

SPECIAL SEASON

Youth/Adult Squirrel: Sept. 28-29. Shotgun only.

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.

- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Camping Area
- Public Boat Ramp
- Area Headquarters
- Pond/Lake
- Public Hunting Area
- Waterfowl Sanctuary (Closed to Waterfowl Hunting)
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Stream/bed
- Transmission Line
- Pipeline

Alazan Bayou WMA

Blount Tract

Unit #747E

2,255 acres

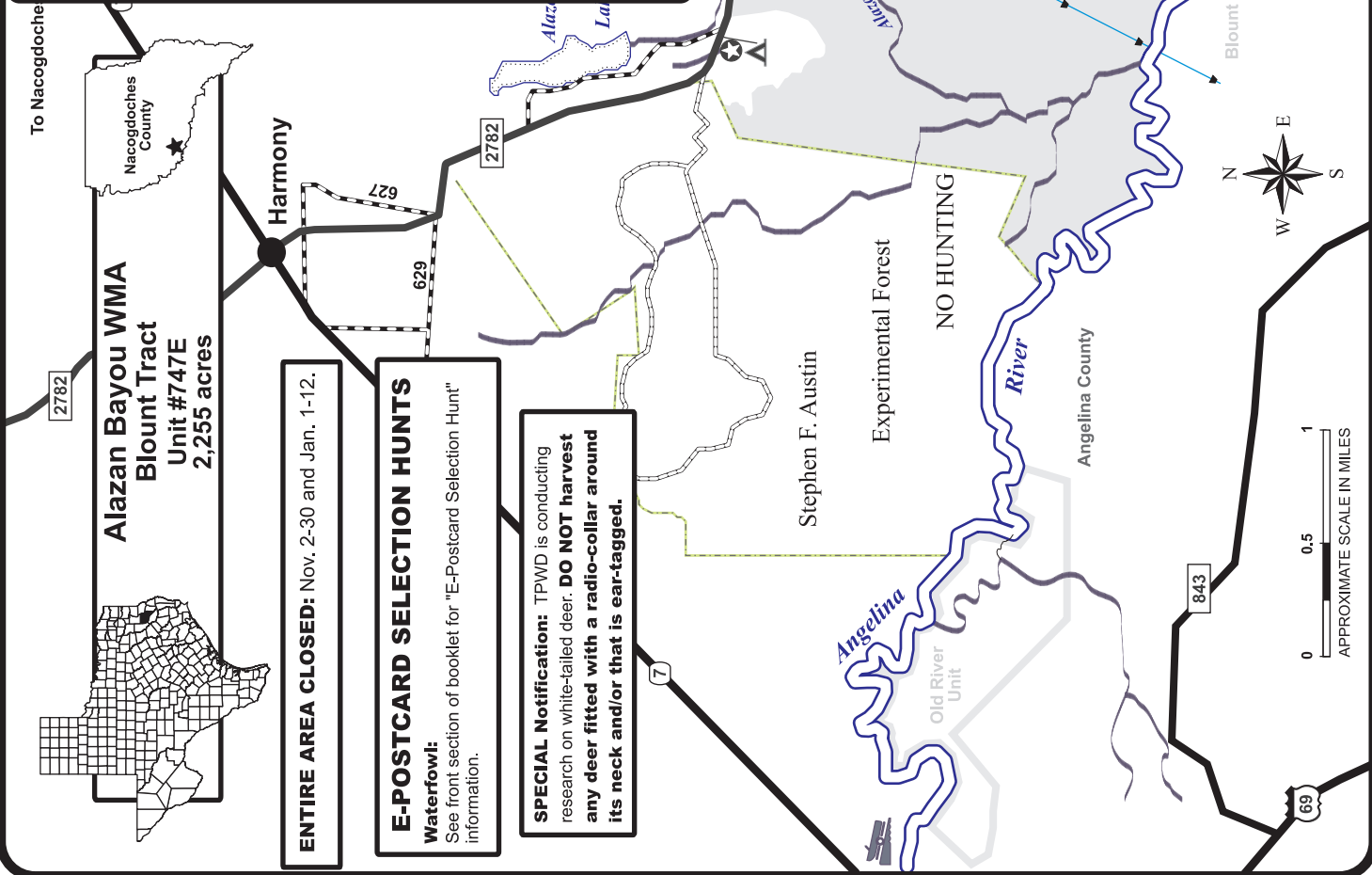
ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Nov. 2-30 and Jan. 1-12.

E-POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

Waterfowl:

See front section of booklet for "E-Postcard Selection Hunt" information.

SPECIAL Notification: TPWD is conducting research on white-tailed deer. **DO NOT harvest any deer fitted with a radio-collar around its neck and/or that is ear-tagged.**



LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Archery Only White-tailed Deer: Sept. 28-Dec. 2 (either sex) and Dec. 3-Jan. 5 (buck only). Bag limit - 1 buck and 2 antlerless. **LEGAL BUCK** must have at least one unbranched antler or an inside spread of at least 13 inches.

Feral Hogs and Exotic Mammals: Open year-round. Legal means for taking feral hog are: air guns, arrow guns, archery, crossbows, muzzleloaders, and shotguns with buckshot. Baiting is legal for feral hogs after the last day of waterfowl season until July 31. Dogs are prohibited. Daytime hunting only.

Waterfowl: Hunting is allowed on Tues., Thurs., and Sat. during the **Early Teal, North Zone Duck, Falconry**, and **Eastern Zone Goose** seasons. Shooting hours - one half hour before sunrise to noon.

Rail and Gallinules: Shooting hours end at noon. Hunting is allowed Tues., Thurs., and Sat. during the season established for these species including Falconry season.

Snipe: Shooting hours end at noon. Hunting is allowed Tues., Thurs., and Sat. during the season.

Woodcock: Each day during regular and Falconry seasons.

Dove: Each day of Central Zone Dove and Falconry Seasons.

Squirrel: Each day of East Texas Squirrel Season.

Rabbit & Hares: Open year round.

Bullfrogs: (daily limit of 25).

Crayfish

Predators

Furbearers: Sept. 1-Aug. 31, furbearers and predators only.

Means Restriction: Firearms restricted to shotguns, muzzleloaders, and rimfire only. Non-toxic shot required for all migratory game bird hunting.

Fishing

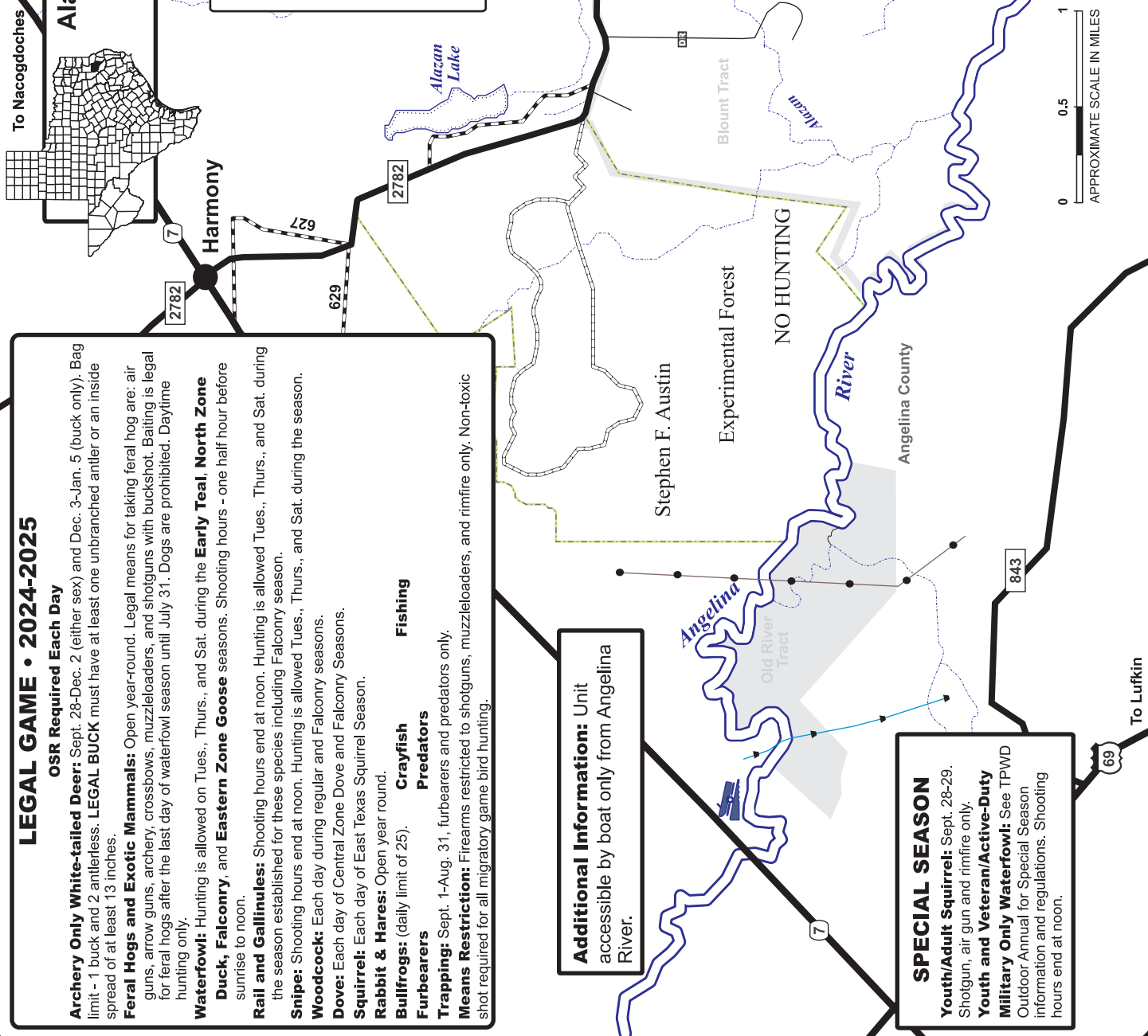
Additional Information: Unit accessible by boat only from Angelina River.

SPECIAL SEASON

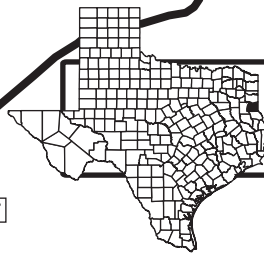
Youth/Adult Squirrel: Sept. 28-29. Shotgun, air gun and rimfire only.

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty

Military Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.



NOTE: Temporary road closures may be made by the department if current conditions warrant and will be identified by signs or barricades.



Sabine River Authority
Unit #630
7,484 acres **eOSR**

Panola County

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

White-tailed Deer: Bag limit - 1 buck and 2 antlerless (all seasons combined). **LEGAL BUCK** must have at least one unbranched antler or an inside spread of at least 13 inches.

Archery Only Season: As established for Panola County (either sex).

General Season: As established for Panola County (buck only).

Muzzleloader Season: As established for Panola County (either sex, buck must have at least one unbranched antler).

Feral Hog and Exotic Mammals: Open year-round (no bag limit). All legal firearms, air guns, arrow guns and archery equipment may be used. No dogs allowed.

Waterfowl: Shooting hours - one half hour before sunrise to noon. Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal, North Zone Duck, Falconry, and Eastern Zone Goose** seasons (including any special conservation season).

Woodcock, Rail, and Gallinule: Each day of Statewide and Falconry Seasons.

Snipe: Each day of Statewide Season.

Dove: Each day of the Central Zone and Falconry Season

Fishing Bullfrogs: daily limit of 25.

Crayfish Squirrel Furbearers

Predators Rabbits & Hares

Use of horses allowed only Sept. 1-Sept. 30 and Apr. 1-Aug. 31.

Means Restriction: Non-toxic shot required for all migratory game bird hunting.

SPECIAL SEASON

Youth/Adult Only Squirrel: Sept. 28-29, Shotgun and rimfire only.

Youth Only Deer: Oct. 26-27 (either sex) and Jan. 6-19 (either sex, buck must have at least one unbranched antler). See Legal Game Box for White-tailed Deer bag limit and legal buck requirements. See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Youth Season information and regulations

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Only Waterfowl: : See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.

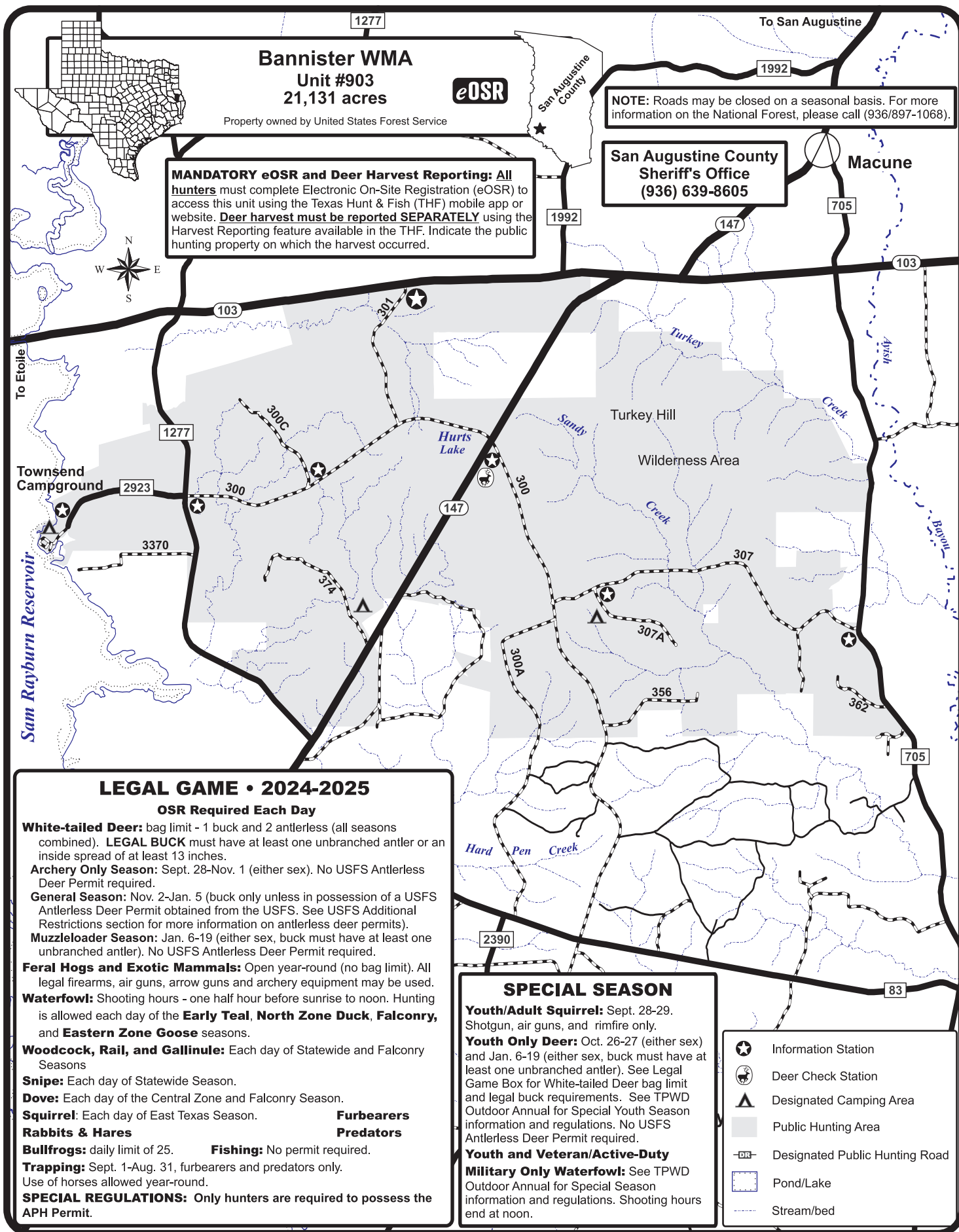
- Designated Camping Area
- Boat Ramp
- Public Hunting Area
- Reservoir/Islands
- Stream/bed
- Transmission Line

LOUISIANA

To Logansport



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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES



Bannister WMA Unit #903 21,131 acres

Property owned by United States Forest Service

eOSR

NOTE: Roads may be closed on a seasonal basis. For more information on the National Forest, please call (936/897-1068).

San Augustine County
Sheriff's Office
(936) 639-8605

MANDATORY eOSR and Deer Harvest Reporting: All hunters must complete Electronic On-Site Registration (eOSR) to access this unit using the Texas Hunt & Fish (THF) mobile app or website. **Deer harvest must be reported SEPARATELY** using the Harvest Reporting feature available in the THF. Indicate the public hunting property on which the harvest occurred.



LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

White-tailed Deer: bag limit - 1 buck and 2 antlerless (all seasons combined). **LEGAL BUCK** must have at least one unbranched antler or an inside spread of at least 13 inches.

Archery Only Season: Sept. 28-Nov. 1 (either sex). No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.

General Season: Nov. 2-Jan. 5 (buck only unless in possession of a USFS Antlerless Deer Permit obtained from the USFS. See USFS Additional Restrictions section for more information on antlerless deer permits).

Muzzleloader Season: Jan. 6-19 (either sex, buck must have at least one unbranched antler). No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.

Feral Hogs and Exotic Mammals: Open year-round (no bag limit). All legal firearms, air guns, arrow guns and archery equipment may be used.

Waterfowl: Shooting hours - one half hour before sunrise to noon. Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal, North Zone Duck, Falconry, and Eastern Zone Goose** seasons.

Woodcock, Rail, and Gallinule: Each day of Statewide and Falconry Seasons

Snipe: Each day of Statewide Season.

Dove: Each day of the Central Zone and Falconry Season.

Squirrel: Each day of East Texas Season.

Rabbits & Hares

Bullfrogs: daily limit of 25.

Fishing: No permit required.

Trapping: Sept. 1-Aug. 31, furbearers and predators only. Use of horses allowed year-round.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Only hunters are required to possess the APH Permit.

**Furbearers
Predators**

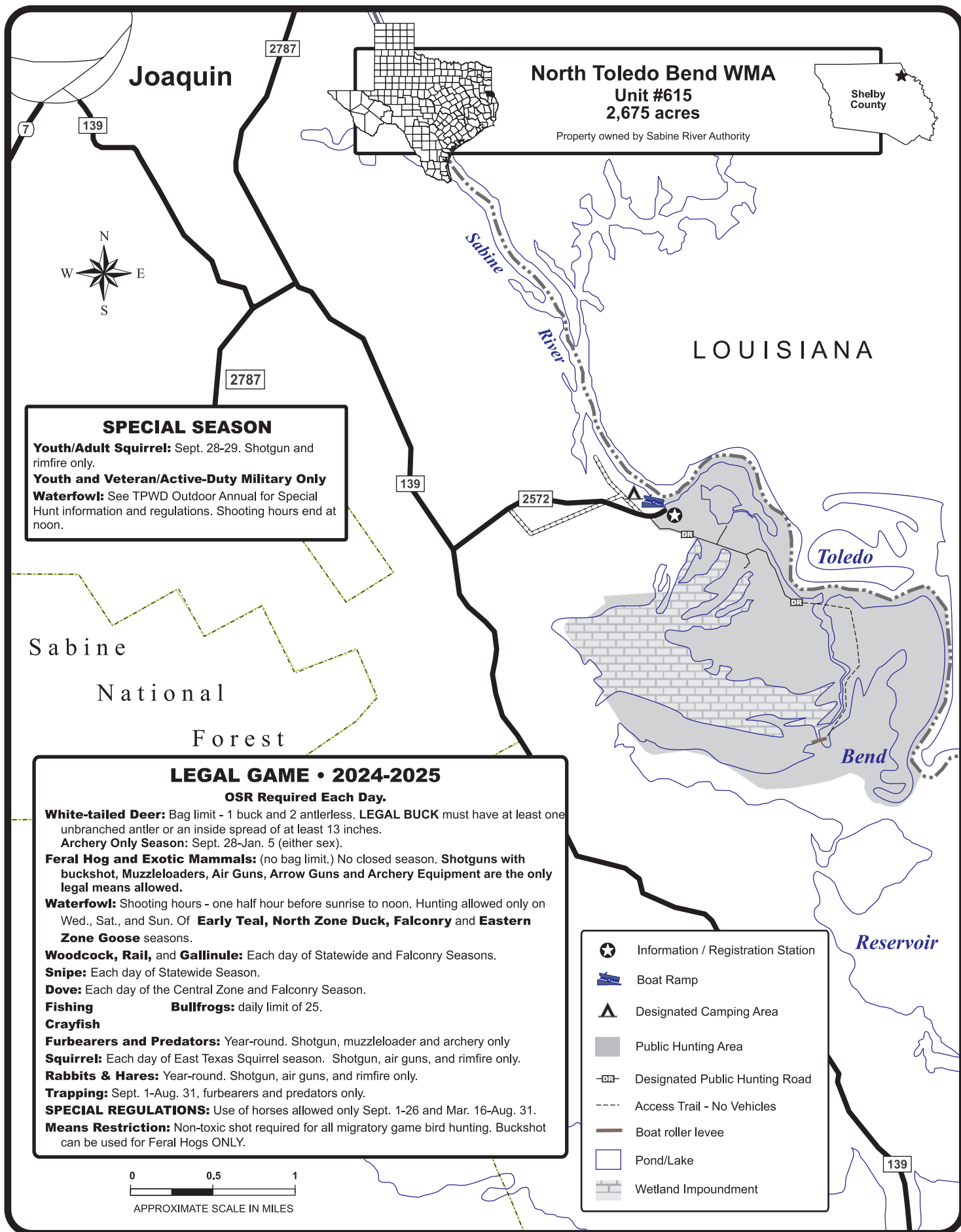
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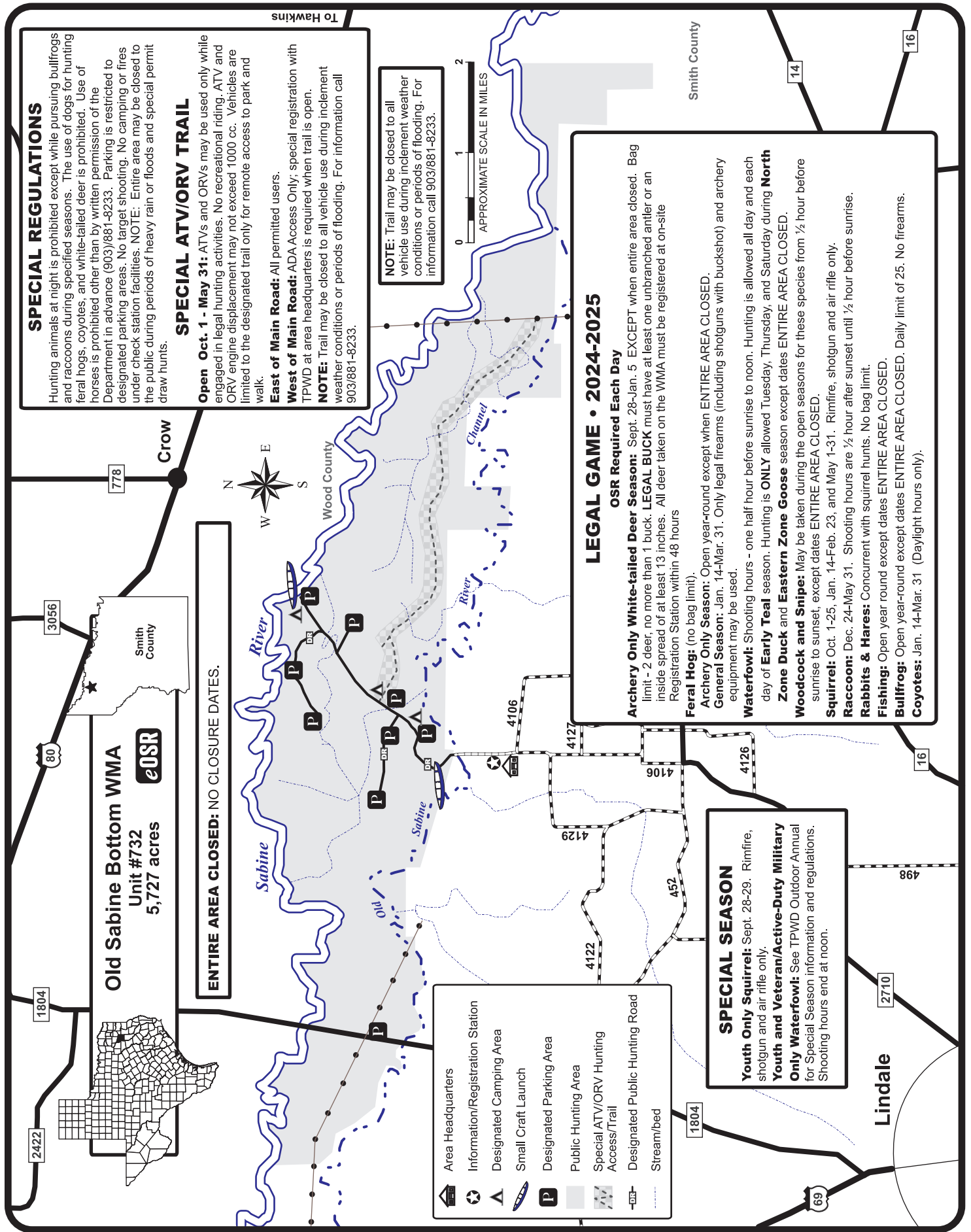
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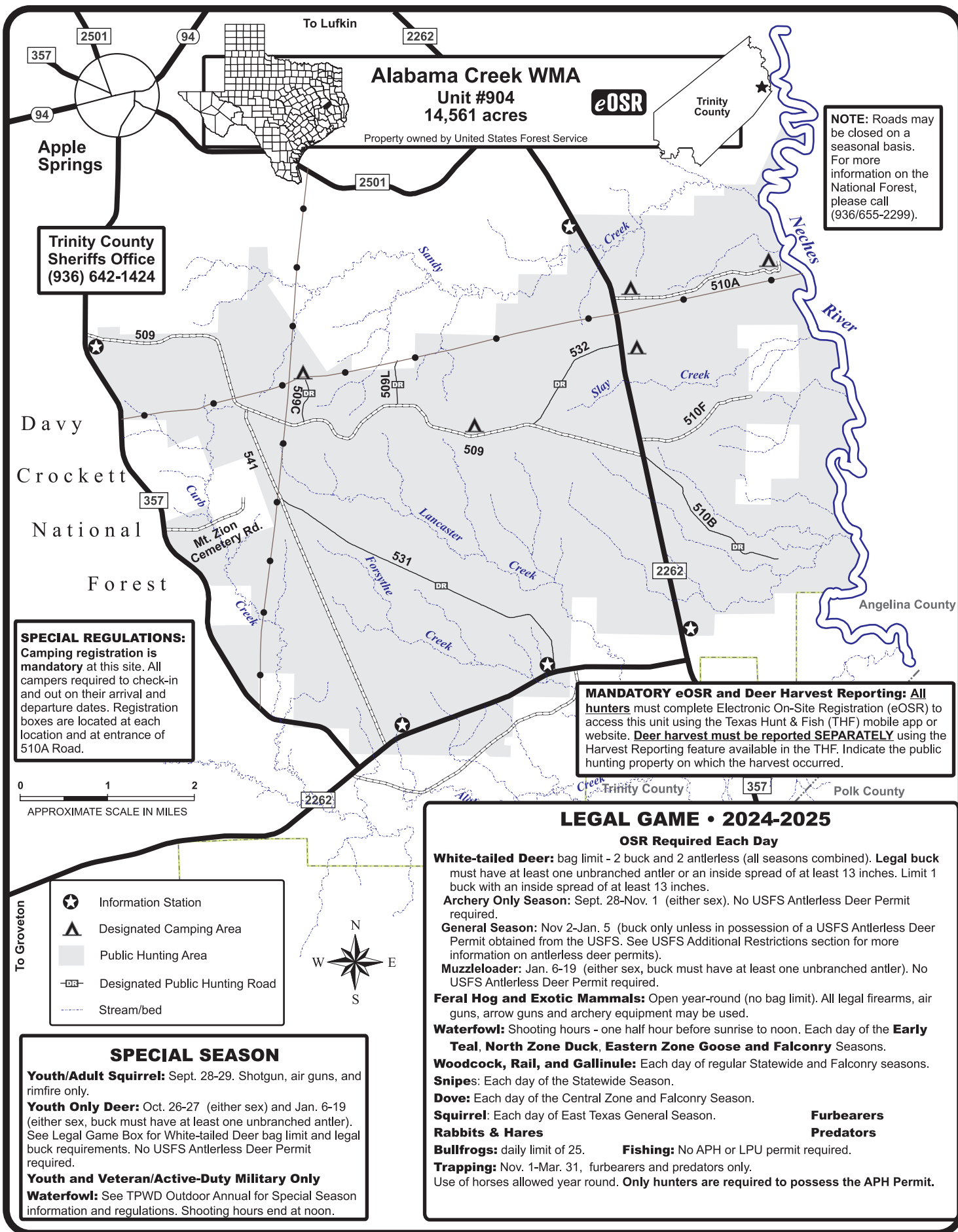
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Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.

- Information Station
- Deer Check Station
- Designated Camping Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed



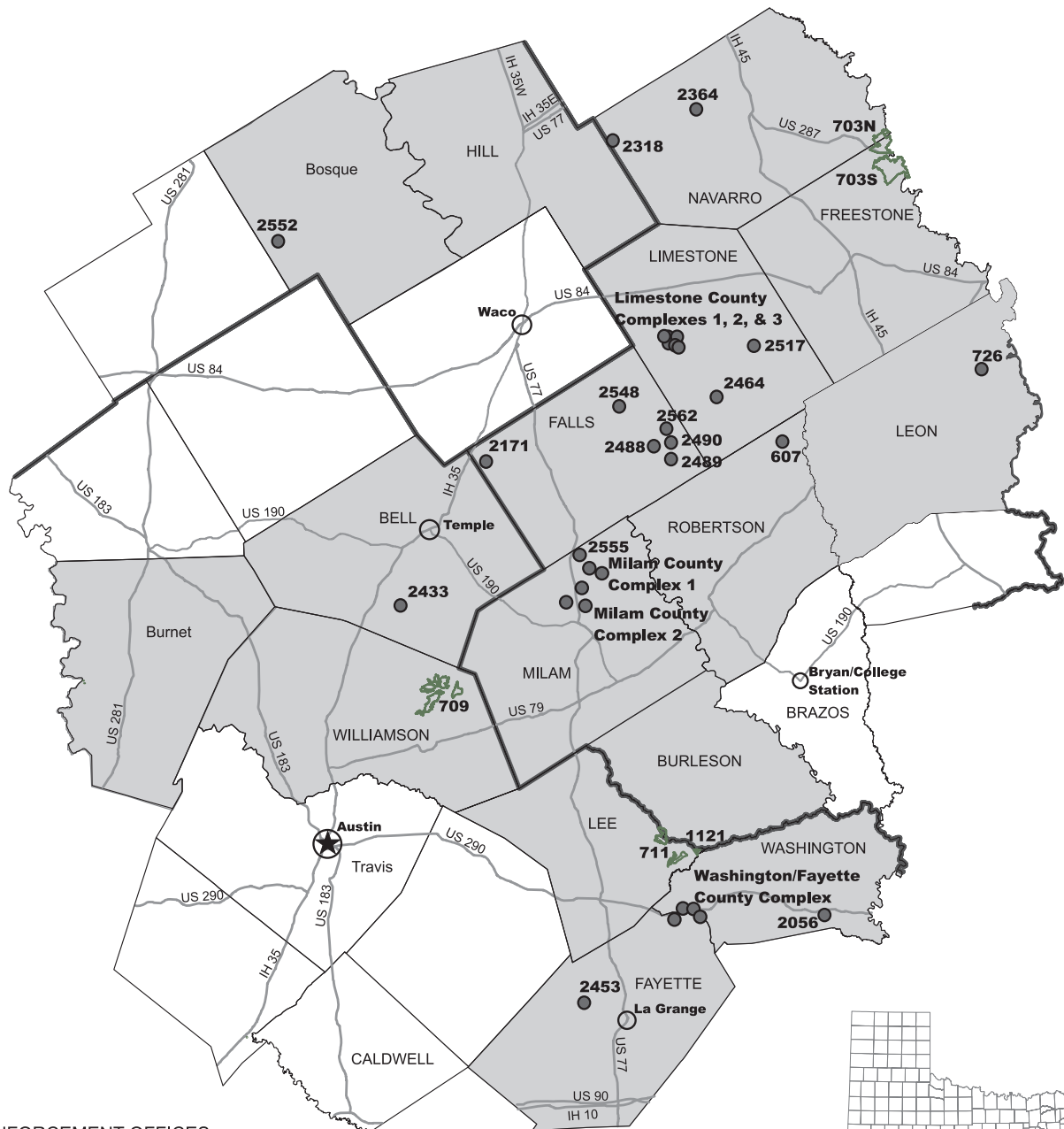




REGION 6 – AUSTIN/WACO

2024-2025


For enhanced individual area maps, please visit
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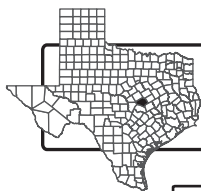
College Station (979) 696-4148
 Temple (254) 778-8913
 Waco (254) 867-7951

To report game violations, call
1-800-792-GAME

 Counties offering hunts by Annual Permit
 Total of 40,798 acres

REGION 6 – AUSTIN/WACO

PHR 6 HUNTING OPPORTUNITY OFFERED BY SPECIES																											
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90	Bell	2433	Holland Road					1							1												
90	Bosque	2552	Austin Branch Farm				1	1							1	1	1										
91	Falls	2562	Blue Ridge Cemetery				1	1	1	1																	1
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Holland Road Unit #2433 128 acres

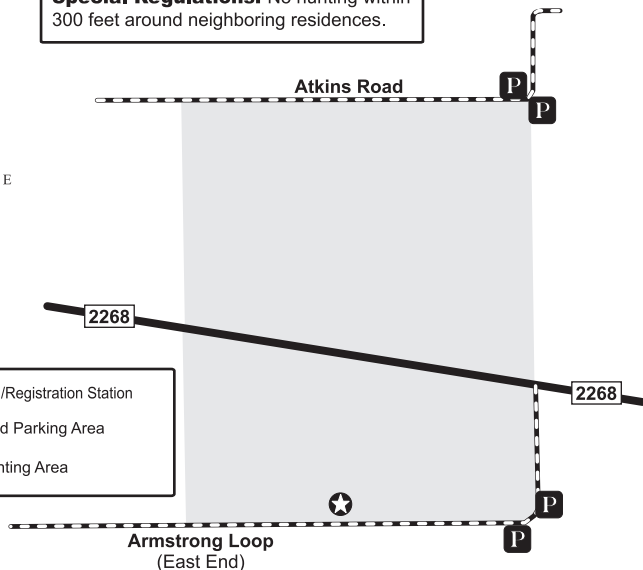
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Bell

Special Regulations: No hunting within 300 feet around neighboring residences.



- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area

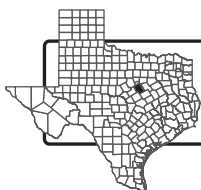
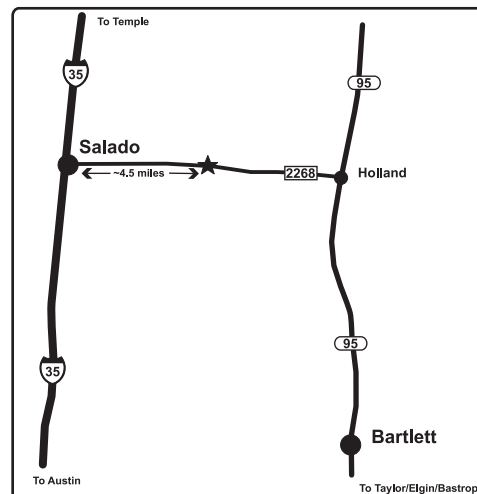


LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

Rabbits: May be taken while hunting dove.



Austin Branch Farm Unit #2552 131 acres

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Bosque

LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day

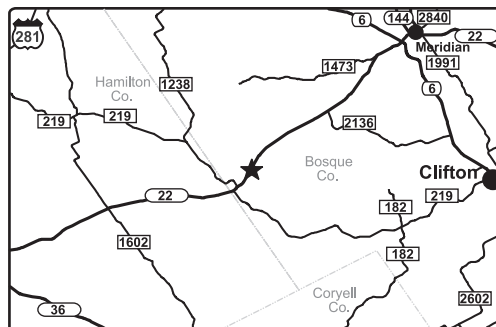
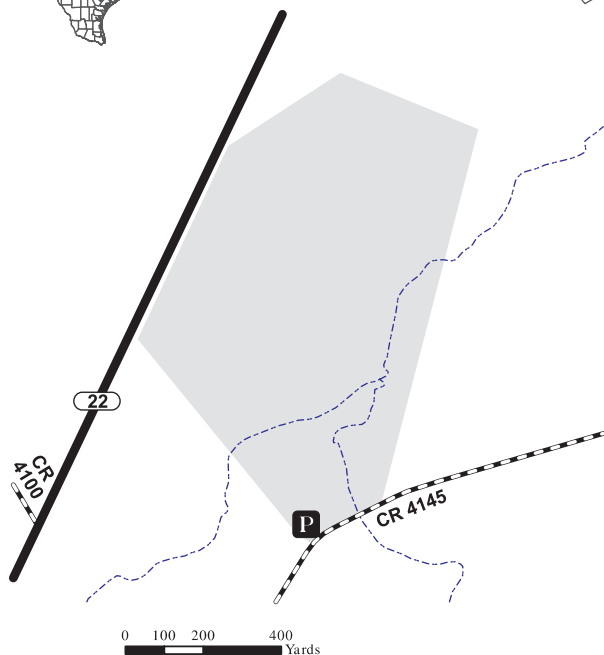
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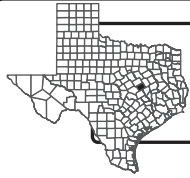
Rabbits and Hares: Concurrent with Dove season.

Coyotes, Bobcats, and Feral Hog: Concurrent with Dove season.

Special Regulations: No smoking allowed on premises. No grills or fires of any kind. No Dogs.

- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Stream/bed





Blue Ridge Cemetery

Unit #2562
182 acres

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Falls ★

NOTICE

No Trash Left In The Field Including
Shotgun Hulls.
Gate Combination 1017

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Dove: Each day of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared Dove).

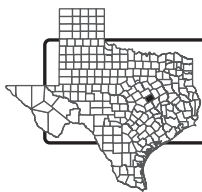
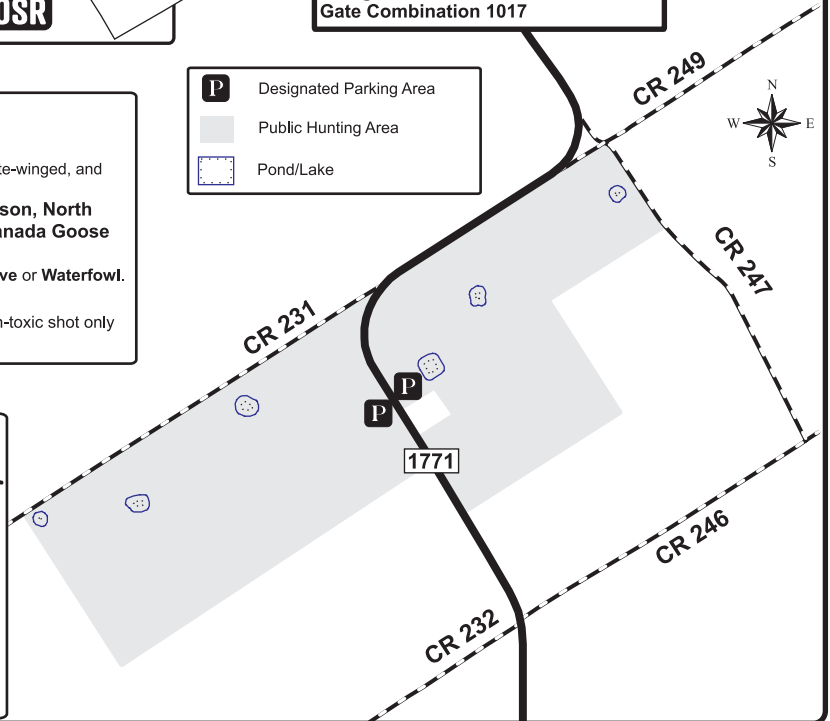
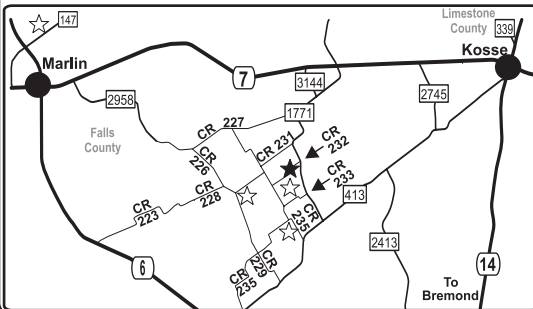
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Rabbits, Coyotes & Feral Hogs: May be taken while hunting Dove or Waterfowl.

Fishing: Rod and reel only.

Means Restriction: Shotgun only, with shot no larger than # 2. Non-toxic shot only for waterfowl.

- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake



Bruceville-Eddy

Unit #2171
262 acres

eOSR

Falls ★

Special Regulations: Each hunting party must contain at least one youth hunter to participate. Parking along county roads is prohibited.

Youth/Adult Only Area LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

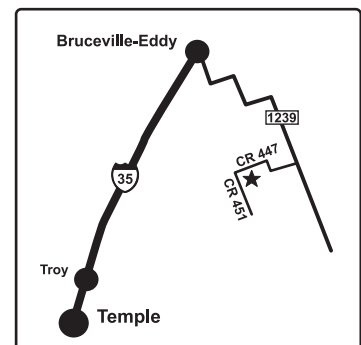
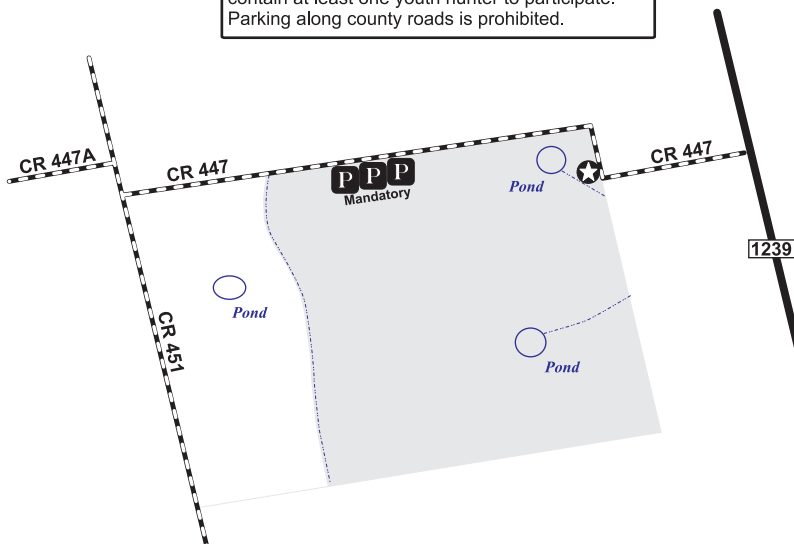
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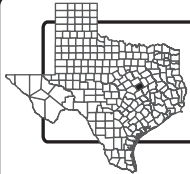
Dove: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal season

Rabbits: May be taken while hunting dove and teal.

- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Stream/bed





FM 1771
Unit #2490
307 acres

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Falls ★

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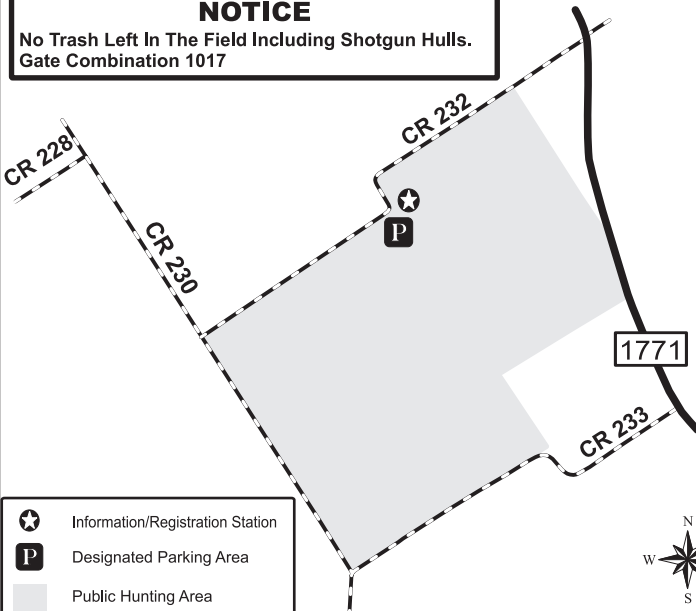
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Squirrel, Rabbits, Coyotes & Feral Hogs: May be taken while hunting **Dove or Waterfowl.**

Fishing: Rod and reel only.

Means Restriction: Shotgun only, with shot no larger than # 2. Non-toxic shot only for waterfowl.

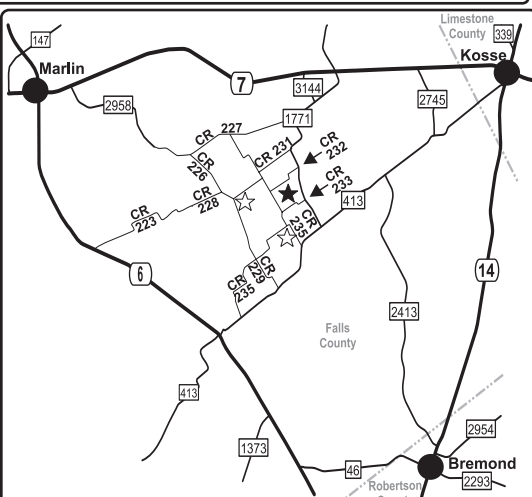
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★ Information/Registration Station

P Designated Parking Area

Public Hunting Area





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Use the app to:

- Electronically complete On-Site Registration
- Perform mandatory harvest reporting

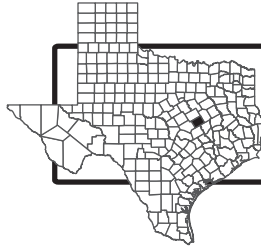


Scan the code or visit tpwd.texas.gov/huntandfish

TURKEY HUNTERS: Harvest reporting is now **MANDATORY** statewide.

SPECIAL SEASON

Youth White-tailed Deer (Archery only) and Youth Waterfowl and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Season:
See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations.



Marlin Lake Park

#2547
903 acres

eOSR

Property owned by City of Marlin

Falls



Means Restriction: Centerfire/rimfire rifles, pistols, and muzzle-loading firearms are PROHIBITED. Firearms are restricted to shotguns with non-toxic shot for migratory game birds and/or no larger than #2 shot. Non-toxic shot must be used for waterfowl hunting.

Special Regulations: Only hunters are required to possess the APH Permit. Access to the lake for fishing is allowed through the City of Marlin managed parks.

McClanahan

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OSR Required Each Day

White-tailed Deer: Archery Only; each day of the Archery and General seasons as established for Falls County in the TPWD Outdoor Annual.

Feral Hog: Archery Only; (no bag limit) open year around except during the archery and general deer seasons as established for Falls County.

Squirrel, Rabbits, Hares Furbearers and Predators: Archery, Air-Rifle, and Shotgun only; (no bag limit) open year around except during the archery and general deer seasons as established for Falls County. Hunting during daylight hours only.

Dove: Each day of Central Zone Dove season.

Waterfowl: Old Lake only, each day of the **Early Teal** and **North Zone Duck** seasons as established for Falls county.

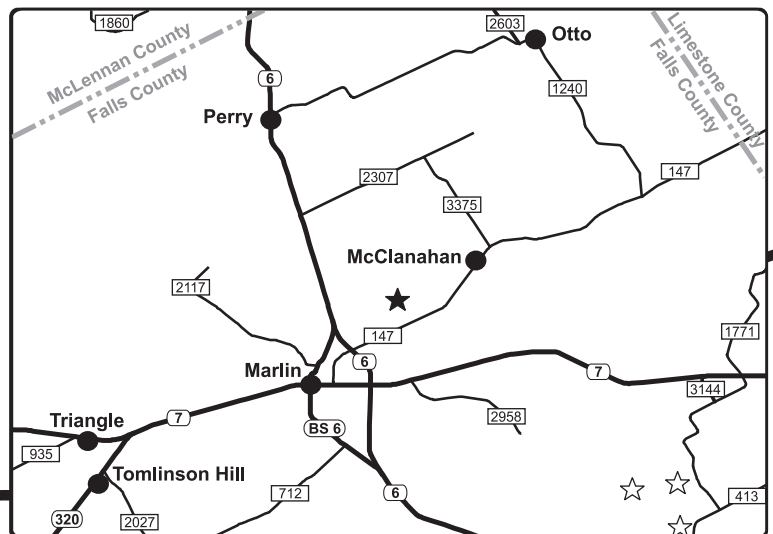
Gallinules, Snipe, Rail, and

Woodcock: Old Lake only, each day of the open seasons as established for Falls County for these species.

- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES



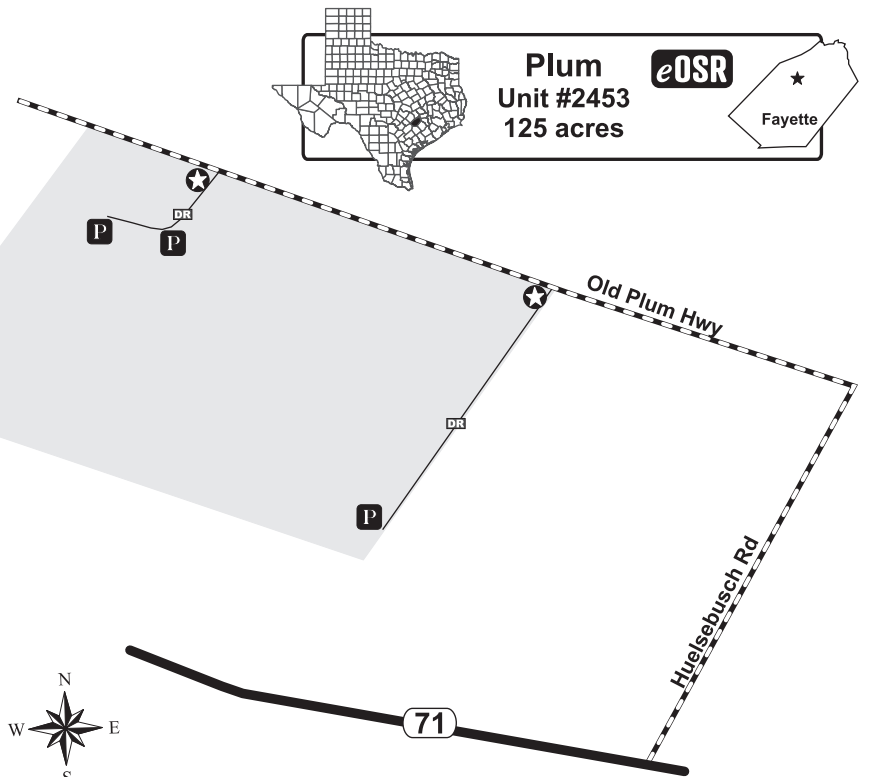
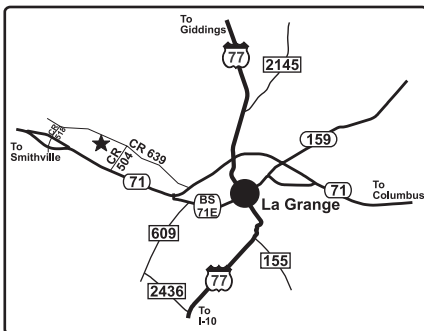
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OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Waterfowl: Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal, North Zone Duck**, and any **Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Only Duck Seasons**.

- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- DR— Designated Public Hunting Road



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OSR Required Each Day

Waterfowl (Youth Only): Nov. 27, Nov. 30, and Dec. 28-29.

Snipe season: Jan. 28-Feb. 16, provided these dates fall during the statewide open season for this species.

Squirrels, Rabbits, and Hares: May 1-31 (Air guns, rimfire and shotguns only).













Means Restriction: Shotguns are restricted to non-toxic shot for all migratory birds.

Special Regulations: Dogs are prohibited except each permit holder may possess one dog while hunting migratory birds, squirrel, rabbits, or hares. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions.

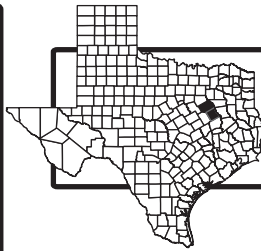
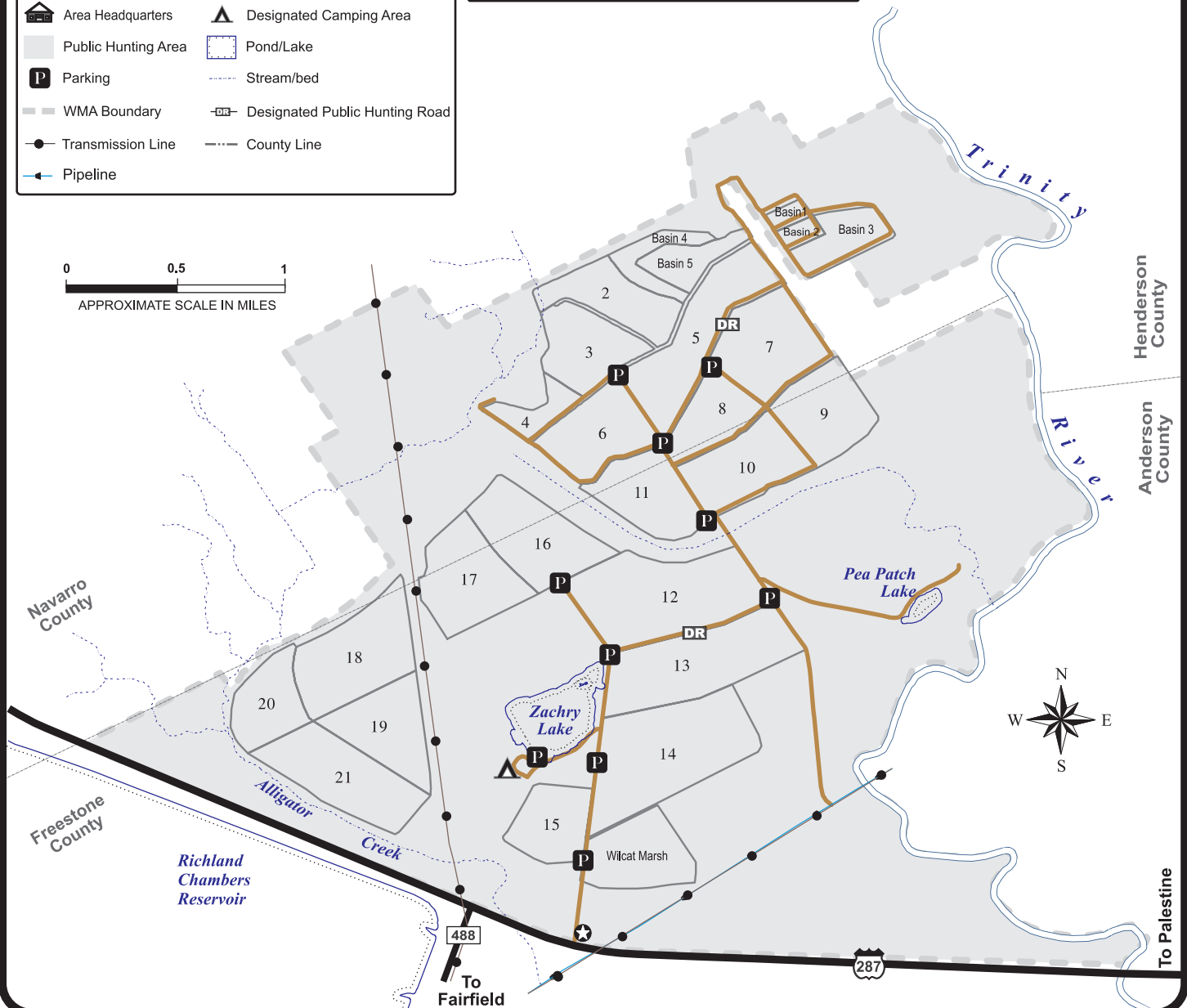
E-POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

Archery Deer, Early Teal, Feral Hog, Waterfowl and Youth/Adult Waterfowl.

See front section of booklet for Postcard Selection Hunt information.

-  Designated Entrance and Information Registration Station
-  Area Headquarters
-  Designated Camping Area
-  Public Hunting Area
-  Pond/Lake
-  Parking
-  Stream/bed
-  WMA Boundary
-  Designated Public Hunting Road
-  Transmission Line
-  County Line
-  Pipeline

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES



Richland Creek WMA
Carl Frentress Unit #703N
5,628 acres



GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION:

On-site registration is required for all visitors. General public access to the Area is during daylight hours through designated legal entry points only and only by APH or LPU Permit. Advanced written permission of area manager is required for equestrian use. For more information call (903/389-7080). For more detailed map information, please see aerial photos on our website at <http://www.tpwd.texas.gov/huntwild/hunt/>.

ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Sept. 13-Oct. 10, Oct. 25-27, Nov. 4-24, Dec. 2-22, and Dec. 30-Jan. 26.

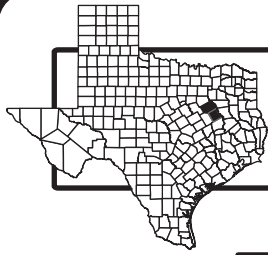
Noon Opening Dates: Oct. 11, 28, Nov. 25, Dec. 23 and Jan. 27.

SPECIAL SEASON

Waterfowl: Shooting hours - one half hour before sunrise until noon. Hunter access begins at 5:00 a.m. No motorized vessels allowed. See page xv for youth hunting information and regulations.

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty

Military Only Waterfowl: Nov. 2-3. Snipe, rail, gallinules may also be taken during these hunt days and shooting hours provided these hunt dates fall within the open seasons for these species.



Richland Creek WMA

Trinity Unit #703S
9,029 acres



ENTIRE AREA CLOSED:
Sept. 1-Apr. 27.

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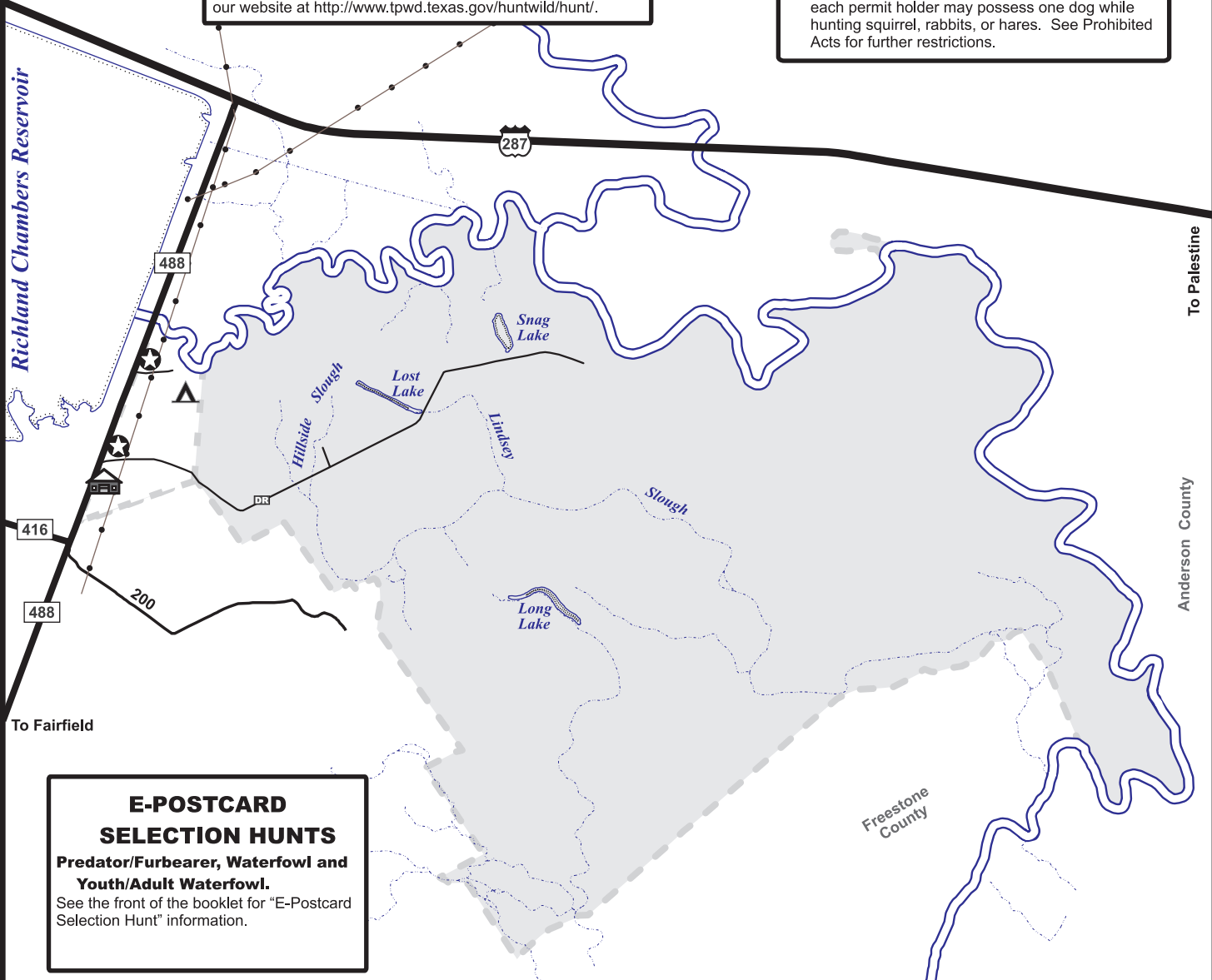
OSR Required Each Day

Squirrel, Rabbits & Hares: May 1-31. Air guns, rimfire, and shotgun only. Shooting hours and bag limits correspond to those for Freestone County.

Fishing: Open year-round during daylight hours only; except dates entire area closed.

Special Regulations: Dogs are prohibited except each permit holder may possess one dog while hunting squirrel, rabbits, or hares. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions.

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E-POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

**Predator/Furbearer, Waterfowl and
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Selection Hunt" information.



- ★ Designated Entrance and Information Registration Station
- 🏠 Area Headquarters
- ▲ Designated Camping Area
- Public Hunting Area
- ▭ Pond/Lake
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Stream/bed



Limestone County Complex 1

State Highway 164

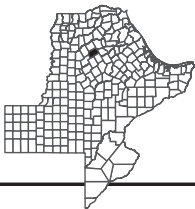
(Unit #2048) 165 acres

State Highway 164 South

(Unit #2403) 136 acres

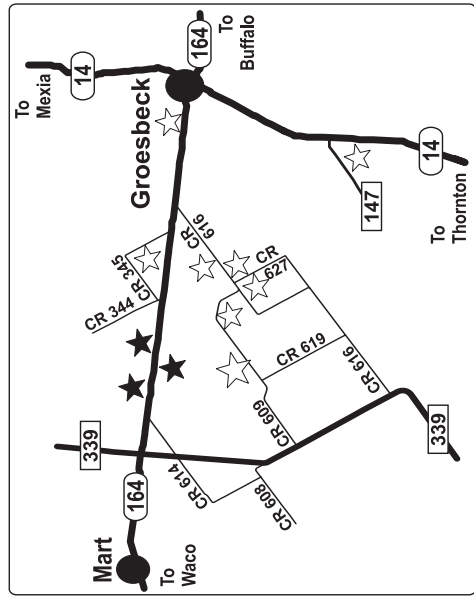
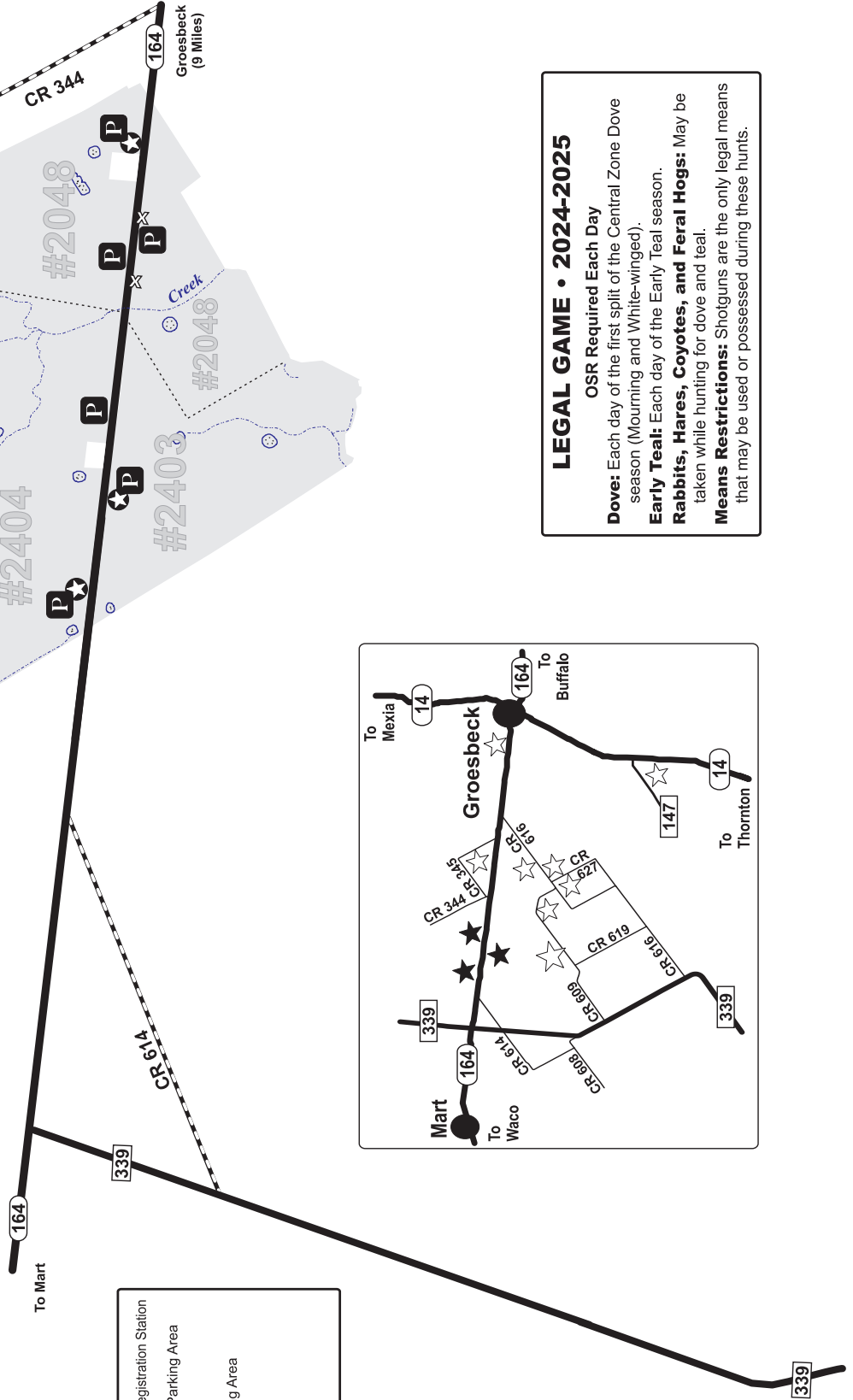
State Highway 164 West

(Unit #2404) 270 acres



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OSR Required Each Day

Doves: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal season.

Rabbits, Hares, Coyotes, and Feral Hogs: May be taken while hunting for dove and teal.

Means Restrictions: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

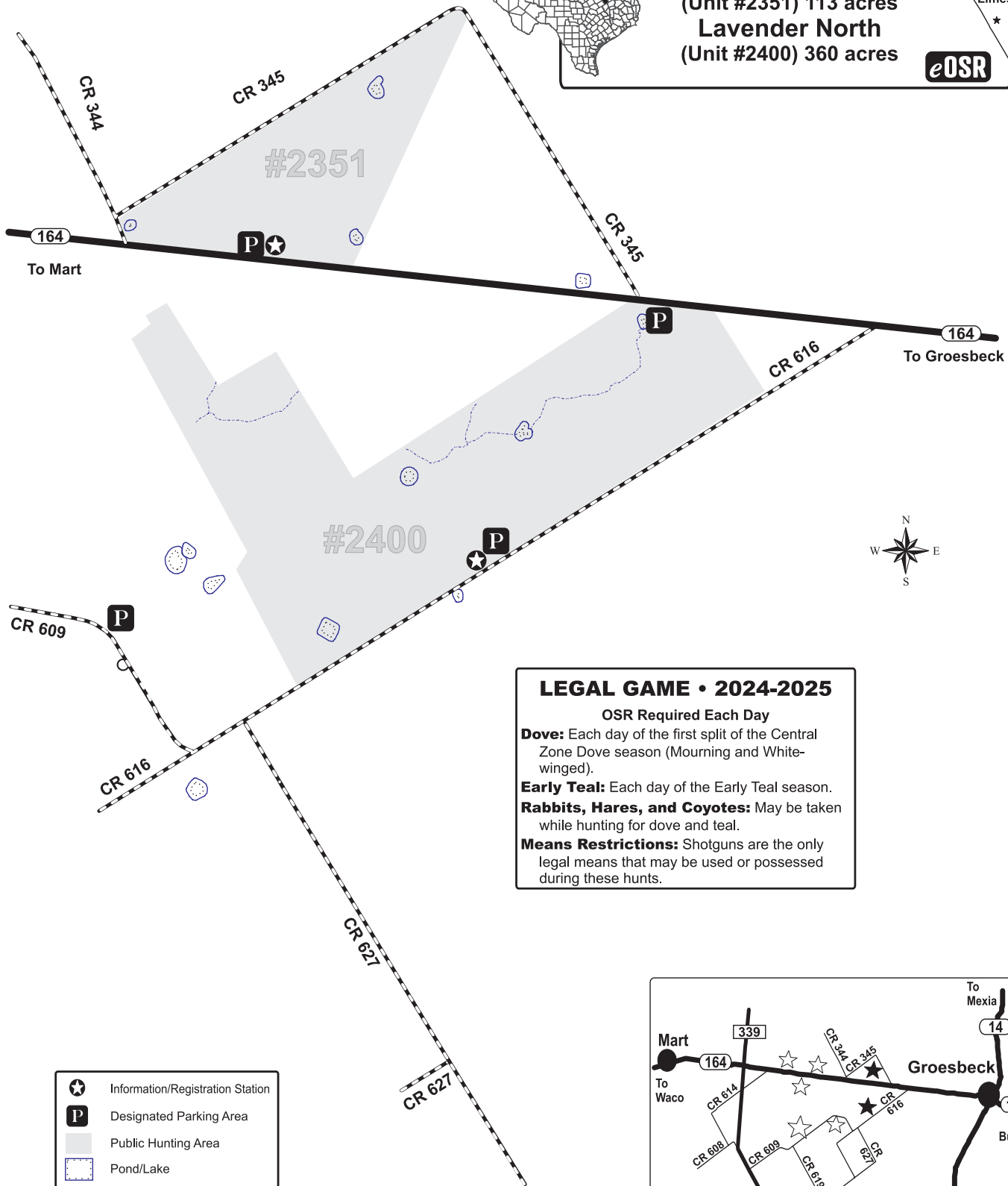
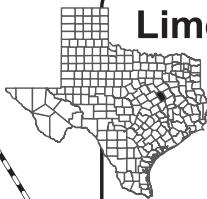
#2351 Special Regulations: No feral hogs.

Limestone County Complex 2

Beevill Branch
(Unit #2351) 113 acres
Lavender North
(Unit #2400) 360 acres

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OSR Required Each Day

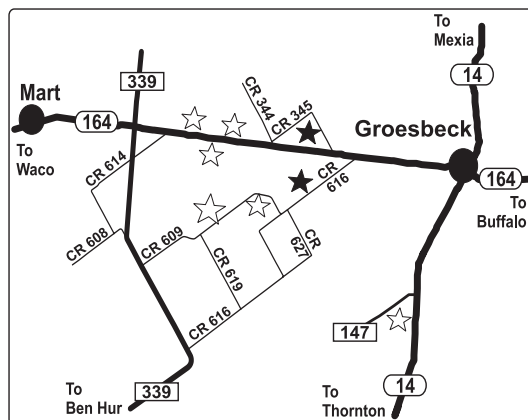
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Rabbits, Hares, and Coyotes: May be taken while hunting for dove and teal.

Means Restrictions: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed
- Fence



Limestone County Complex 3

Elm Creek

(Unit #2334) 800 acres

County Road 609

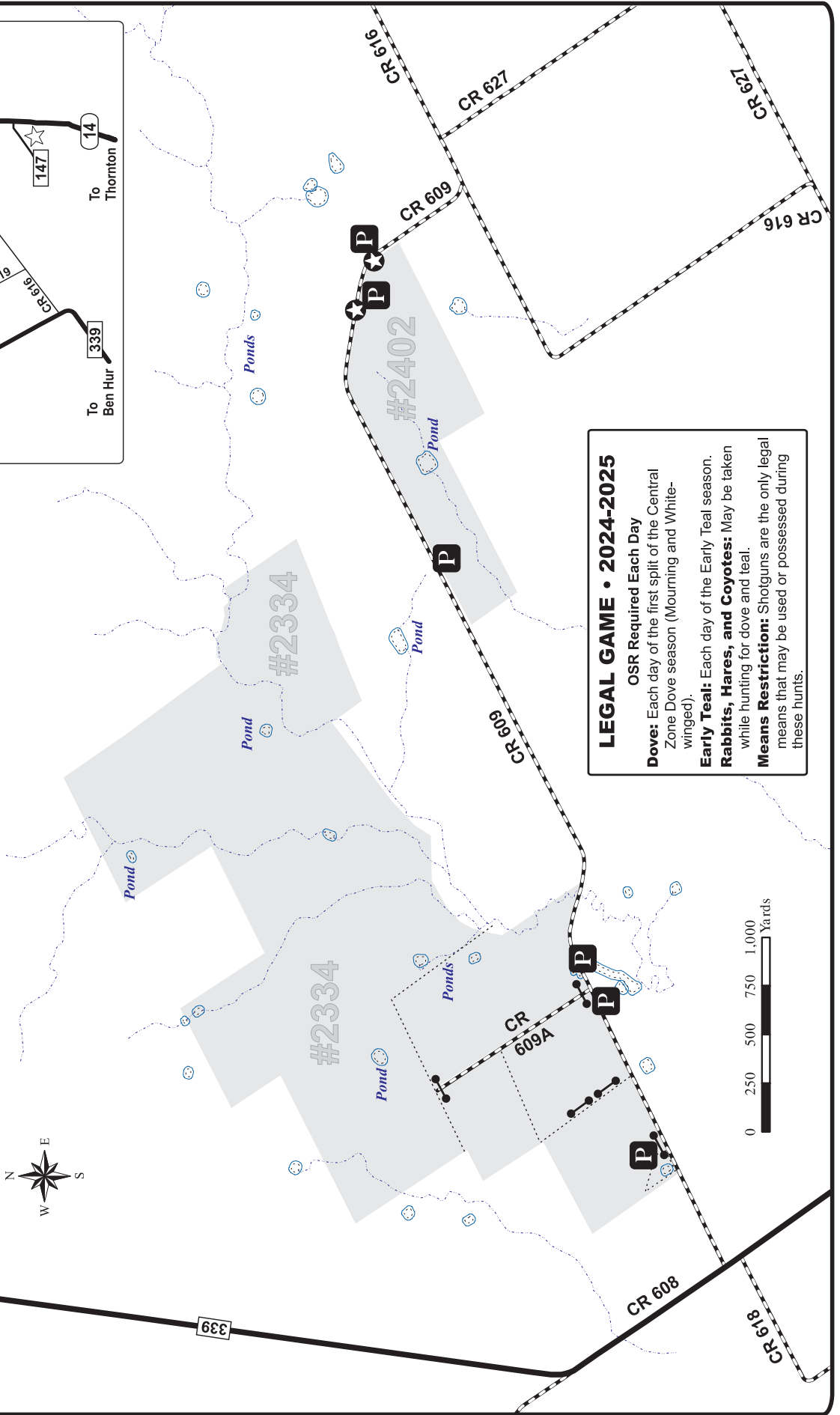
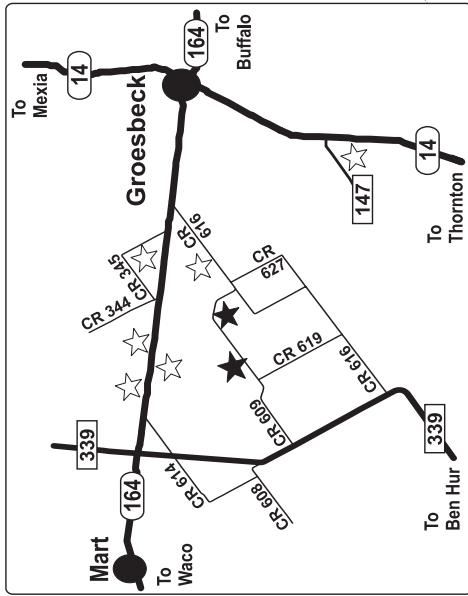
(Unit #2402) 133 acres

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Limestone



	Information/Registration Station
	Designated Parking Area
	Gate/Designated Entrance
	Public Hunting Area
	Pond/Lake
	Stream/bed
	Fence



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OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal season.

Rabbits, Hares, and Coyotes: May be taken while hunting for dove and teal.

Means Restriction: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

Milam County Complex 1

Farm Road 1445 North

(Unit # 2156) 523 acres

Little Pond Creek

(Unit #2325) 202 acres



Milam

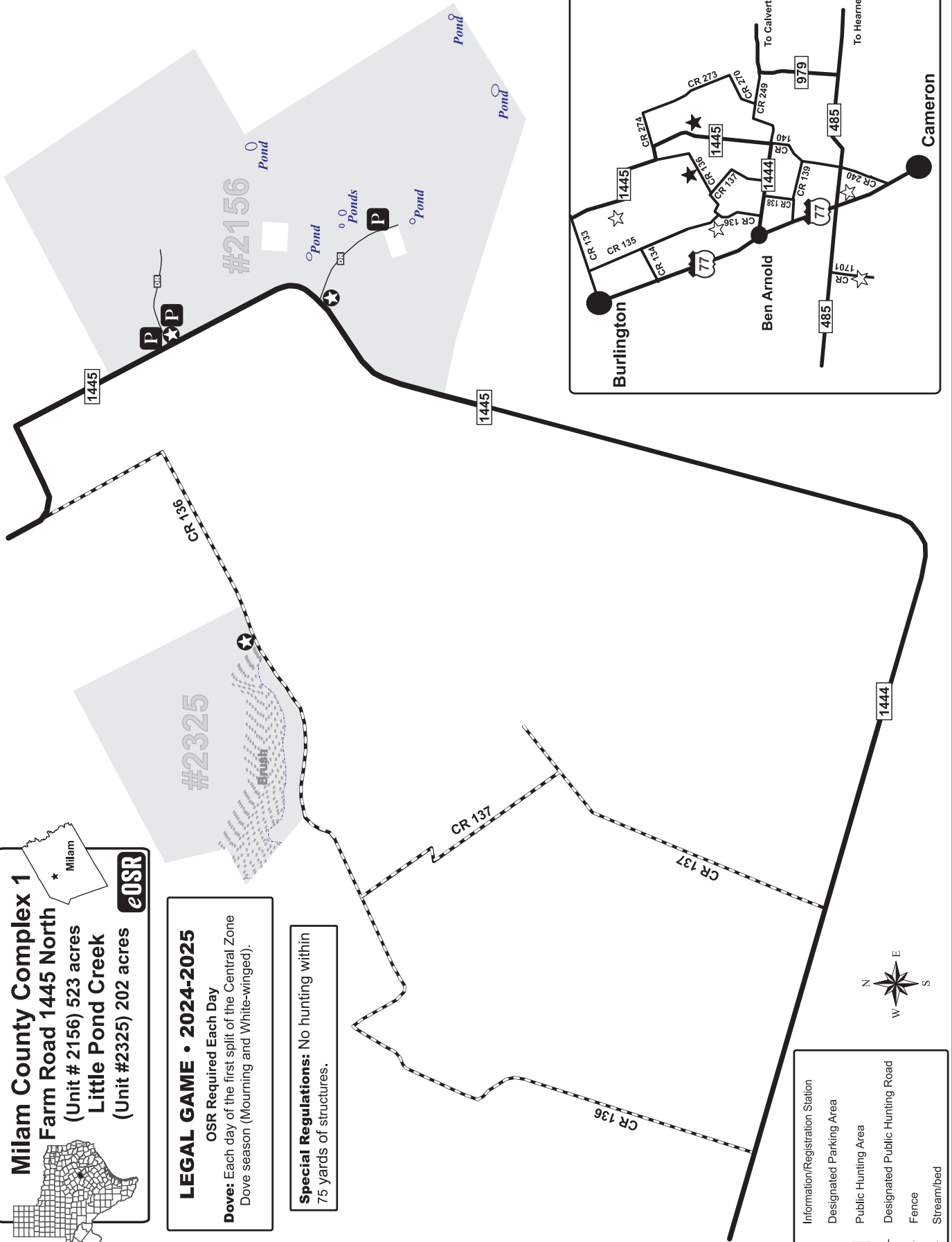
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OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

Special Regulations: No hunting within 75 yards of structures.



Milam County Complex 2

Ben Arnold

(Unit # 2484) 227 acres

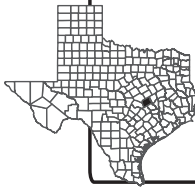
Shotgun

(Unit #2485) 71 acres

FM 485

(Unit #2486) 68 acres

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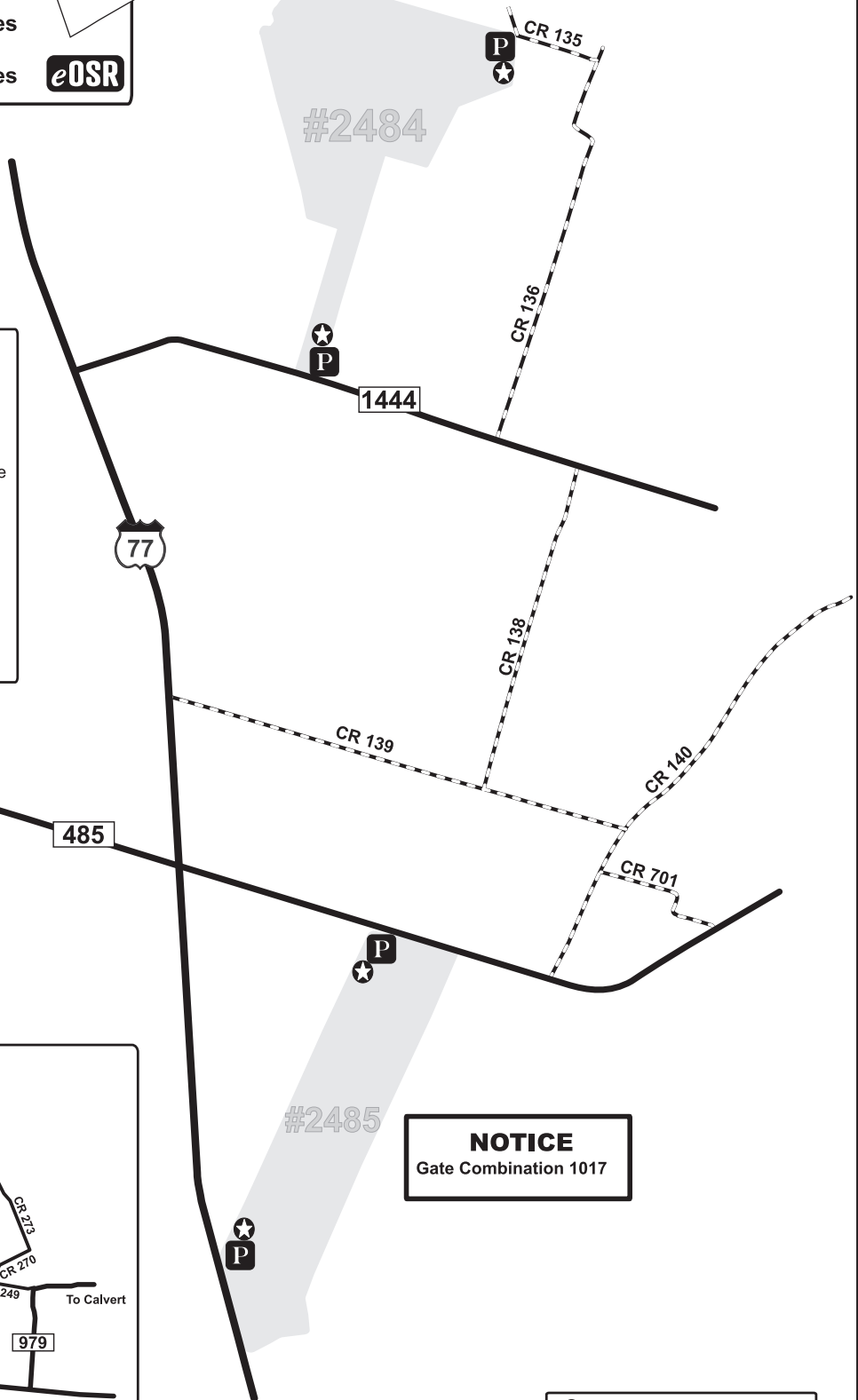
Dove: Each day of the of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, and Eurasian Collared Dove).

Waterfowl: Hunting is allowed each day of the Early Teal Season, Youth and Veteran Waterfowl Days, North Zone Duck, Early Canada Goose and Eastern Zone Goose.

Rabbits, Coyotes & Feral Hogs: May be taken while hunting Dove or Waterfowl.

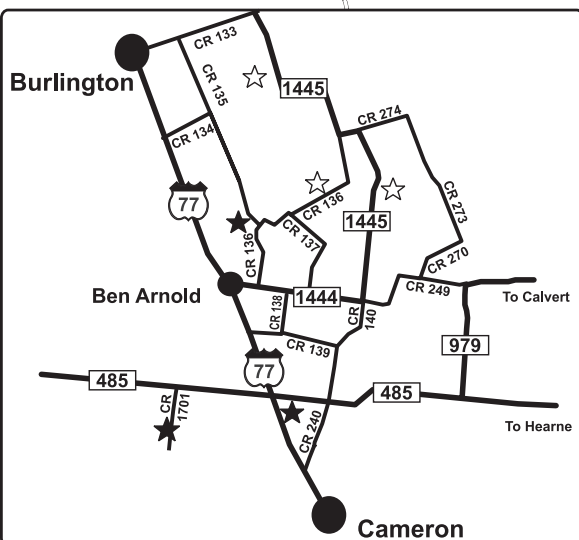
Fishing: Rod and reel only.

Means Restriction: Shotgun only, with shot no larger than # 2. Non-toxic shot only for waterfowl.



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Gate Combination 1017



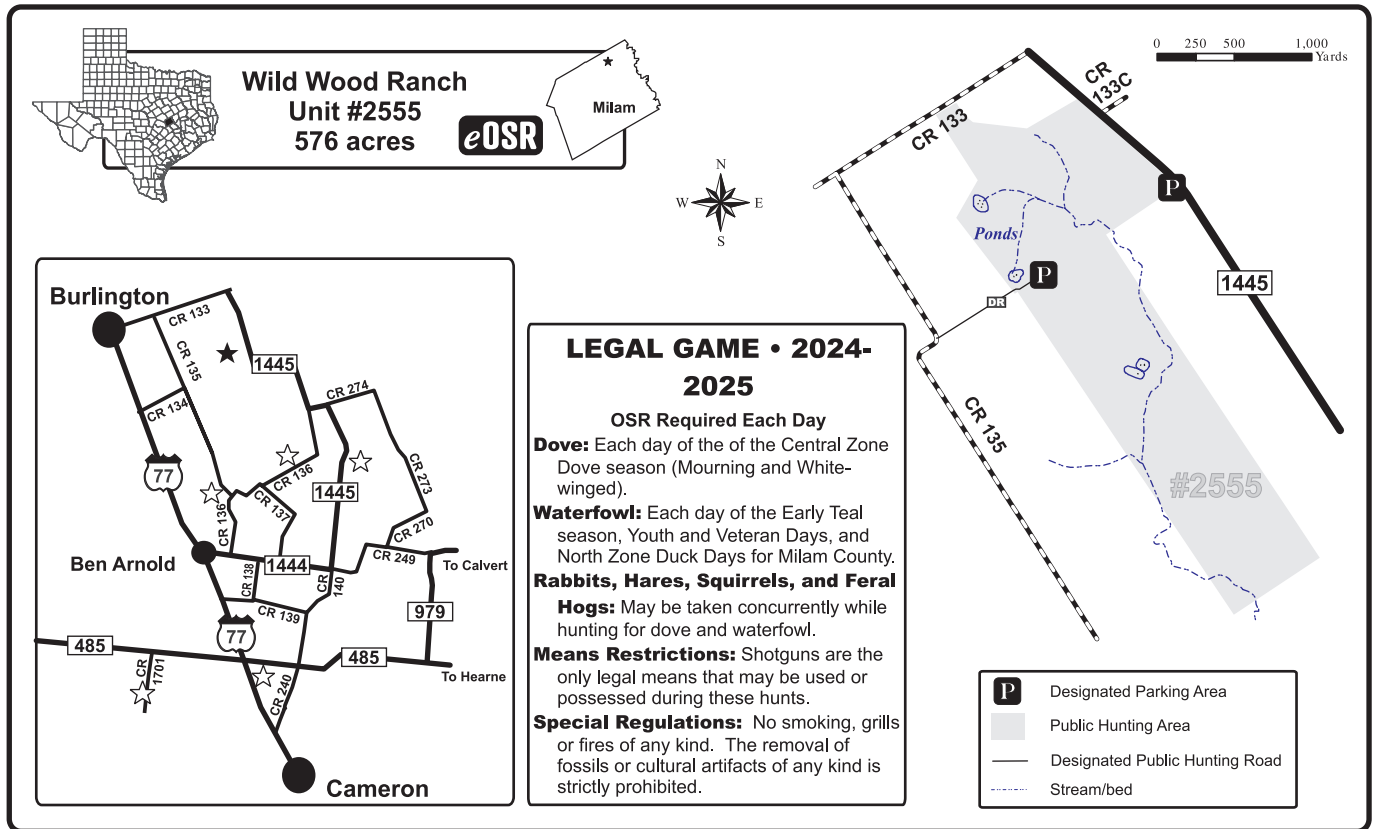
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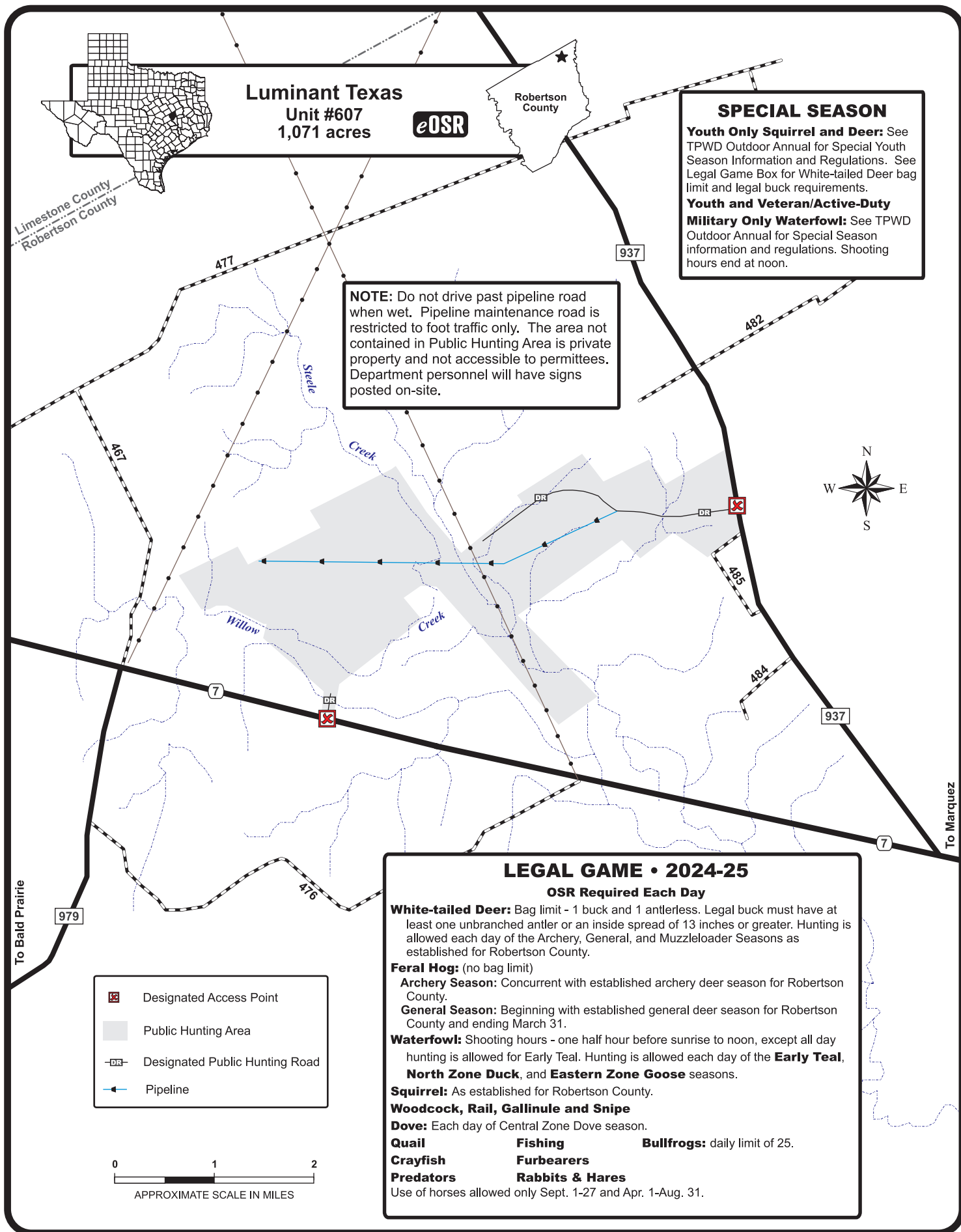


Designated Parking Area



Public Hunting Area

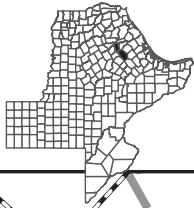




Washington-Fayette County Complex

Carmine West
(Unit #2314) 170 acres
Carmine East
(Unit #2315) 110 acres
Gerland
(Unit #2548) 395 acres
Trailer Park Road
(Unit #2560) 88 acres

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Unit 2314, 2315 and 2560 LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day
Dove: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

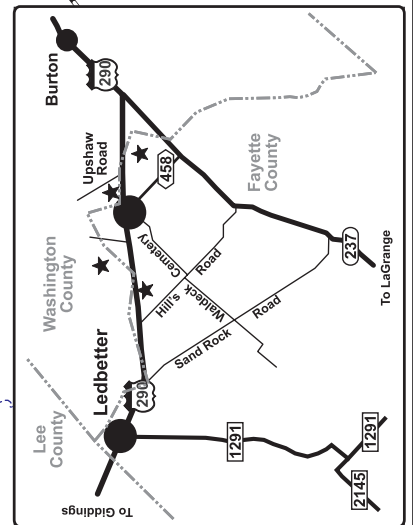
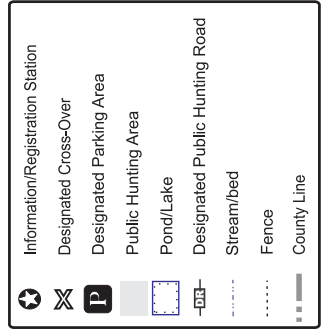
Special Regulations: No dogs allowed.
No hunting within 100 yards of oil wells, buildings or structures.

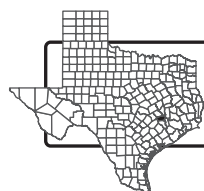
CAUTION: "Hunters may encounter 'Free-Roaming Pets' and tame ducks!"

Unit 2548 LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

OSR Required Each Day
Dove: Each day of First and Second Split of the Central Zone Dove season.
Notice: Entrance only through designated entrance, parking along county road prohibited.

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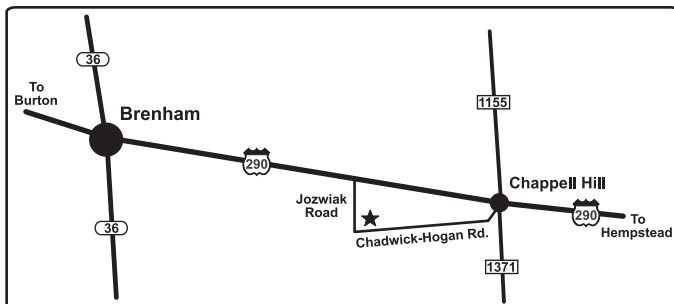
Jozwiak Road
Unit #2056
88 acres

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Special Regulations: No Dogs allowed. Vehicles restricted to designated parking areas only. Keep gates closed to prevent escape of livestock.

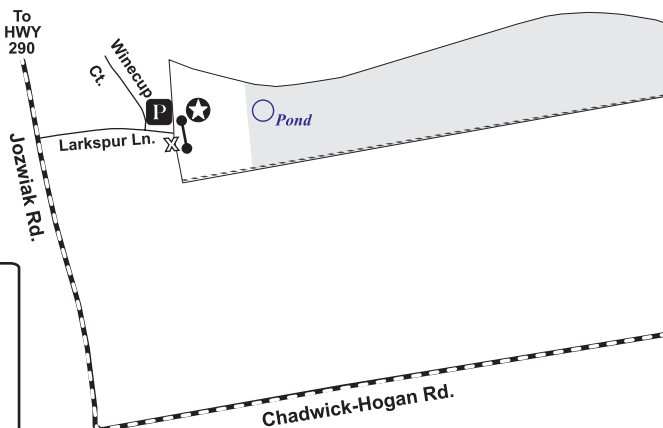
- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Gate/Designated Entrance
- Cross-Over
- Public Hunting Area
- Fence



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OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the first split of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).



TICK-BORNE DISEASES IN TEXAS

Each year Texans contract Lyme disease, Rocky Mountain spotted fever, ehrlichiosis and relapsing fever. All of these diseases are transmitted by the bite of an infected tick. If caught early, these diseases can almost always be cured. If left untreated, they can be serious or even fatal.

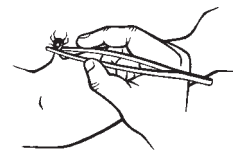
Early symptoms of these diseases mimic the "flu," and include fever, headache, tiredness, stiff neck or neck pain, muscle aches, and joint pain. Sometimes a rash is also present. If you develop flu-like symptoms (with or without a rash) after a tick bite, you should see a physician right away.

To protect yourself and your family

- Wear light-colored clothing so that ticks can easily be seen.
- Tuck pant legs into socks to keep ticks off of your skin.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and keep shirt tails tucked in.
- Use insect repellent according to package instructions.
- Inspect exposed skin every few hours for ticks.
- Do a thorough, full-body tick check when you come in and remove any attached ticks.
- Frequently check your pets for ticks. In addition to bringing ticks into your home, pets can contract tick-borne diseases.

To remove an attached tick

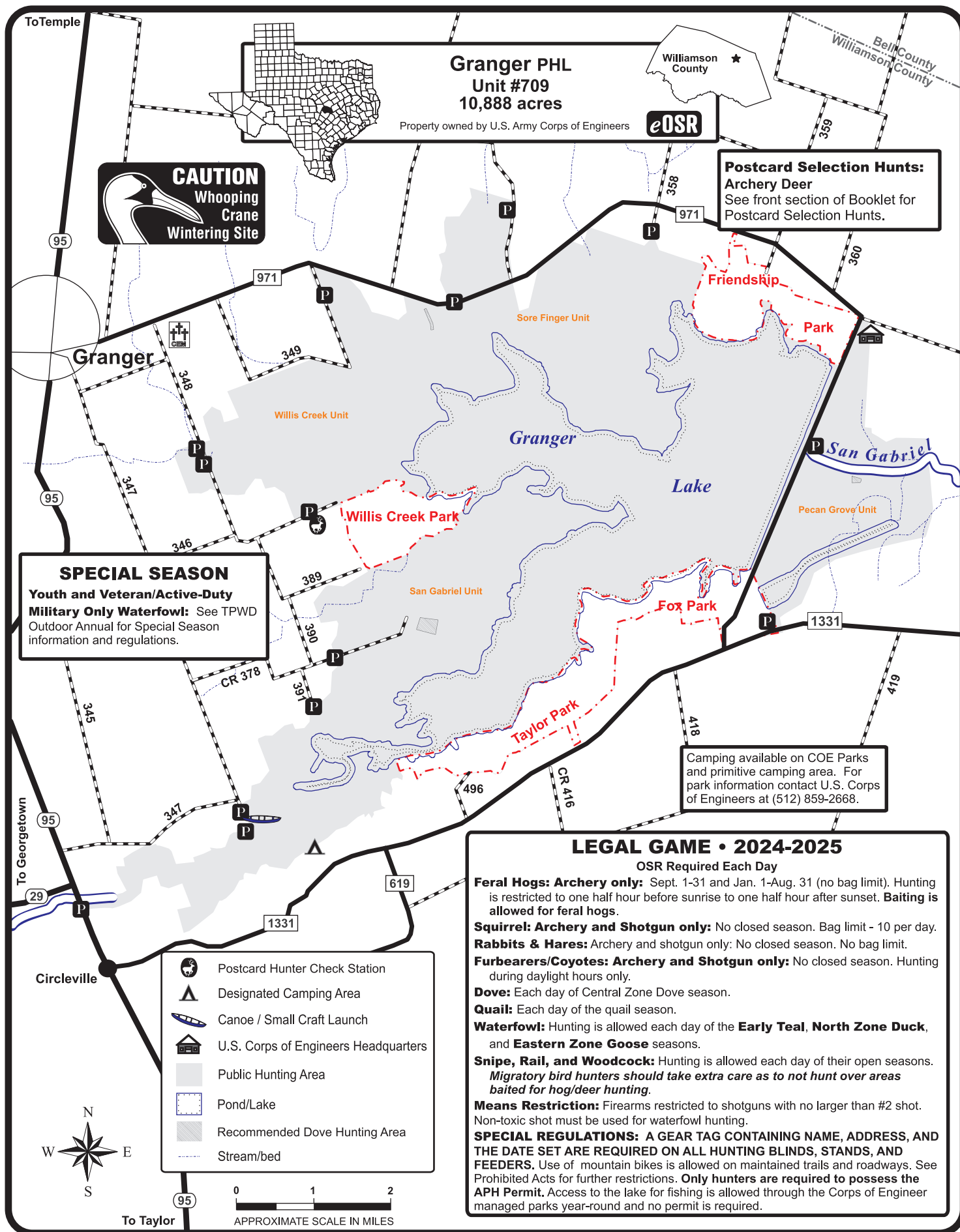
- Use tweezers to grasp the tick's mouthparts as close to the skin as possible.
- If tweezers are not available use a tissue to protect your fingers.
- With a steady motion, pull the tick straight out.
- After removal, you can mail the live tick to the Texas Department of Health Laboratory (address below) for identification and testing. Please use a container with a secure lid. Putting a small piece of tissue moistened with a single drop of water in the container will help keep the tick alive.



For More Information

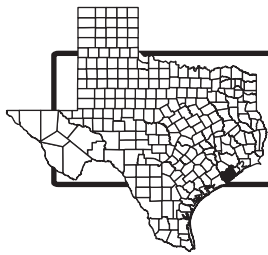
For more information on tick-borne diseases in Texas, contact your local health department or the Texas Department of Health, 1100 West 49th St., Austin, TX 78756.

www.TickTexas.org



REGION 7 – HOUSTON/BEAUMONT

PHR 7 HUNTING OPPORTUNITY OFFERED BY SPECIES																												
Page	County	Unit #	Unit Name	Deer - Archery	Deer - General	Deer-Muzzleloader	Feral Hog	Exotic Mammals	Dove	Teal	Waterfowl	Conservation Season	Sandhill Cranes	Other Migratory Birds	Quail	Squirrel	Rabbit	Coyotes	Furbearers	Trapping	Fishing	V/A Squirrel	V/A Waterfowl	V/A Feral Hog	V/A Teal	Youth Deer	Youth Waterfowl	Veteran Waterfowl
113	Brazoria	716	Nannie Stringfellow WMA						1	1	1		1	1		1	1				1		1				1	1
114	Brazoria	721	Justin Hurst WMA						1																			
115	Brazoria	721D	Justin Hurst WMA North Stringfellow Pasture						1																			
116	Hardin	2537	Holland Cemetery				1									1	1											
118	Jefferson	783N	Big Hill Unit - J.D. Murphree WMA				1			1	1			1							1		1				1	1
119	Jefferson	783S	Salt Bayou Unit - J.D. Murphree WMA				1			1	1			1							1		1				1	1
120	Jefferson	1055	Sea Rim SP							1	1			1													1	1
121	Jefferson	2228	South China Road						1	1	1	1		1			1										1	1
121	Jefferson	2070	Latta Road						1								1											
122	Jefferson	2226	Bordages Road						1								1											
122	Liberty	2493	Gum Slough				1									1	1											
123	Matagorda	729	Mad Island WMA						1	1	1	1	1	1													1	1
124	Orange	738	Nelda Stark Unit - Lower Neches WMA							1	1			1			1				1						1	1
125	Orange	728	Old River Unit - Lower Neches WMA							1	1			1			1				1						1	1
126	Orange	712	Tony Houseman/Blue Elbow Swamp WMA				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1					1	1
127	Walker	1044	Huntsville SP														1											
128-129	Walker/San Jacinto/ Montgomery	905	Sam Houston National Forest WMA	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1			1	1	1	1
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Nannie Stringfellow WMA

Unit #716
3,666 acres



HUNTS BY E-POSTCARD

Youth/Adult Feral Hog

Feral Hog

Waterfowl:

See front section of booklet for "E-Postcard Selection Hunt" information.

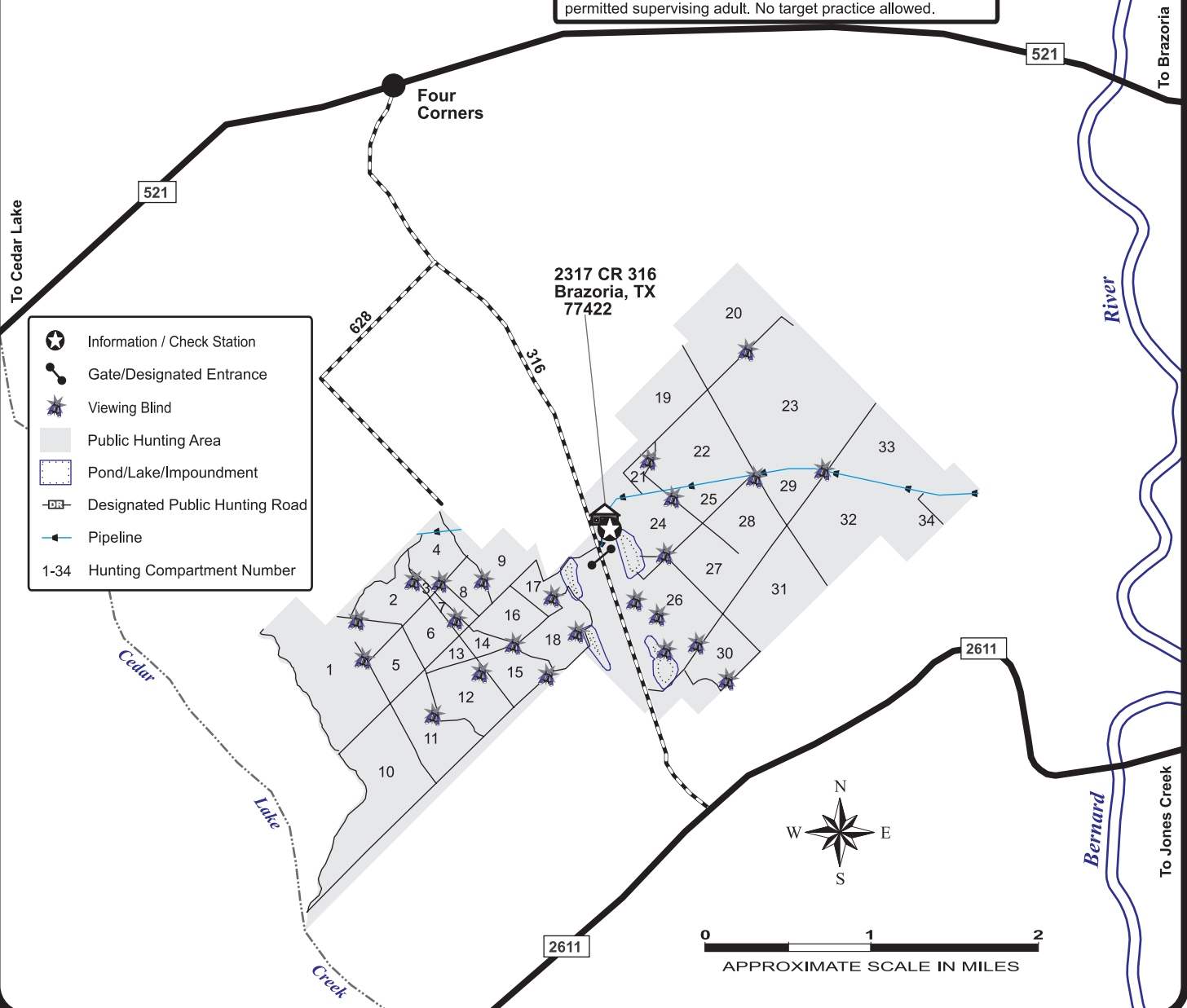
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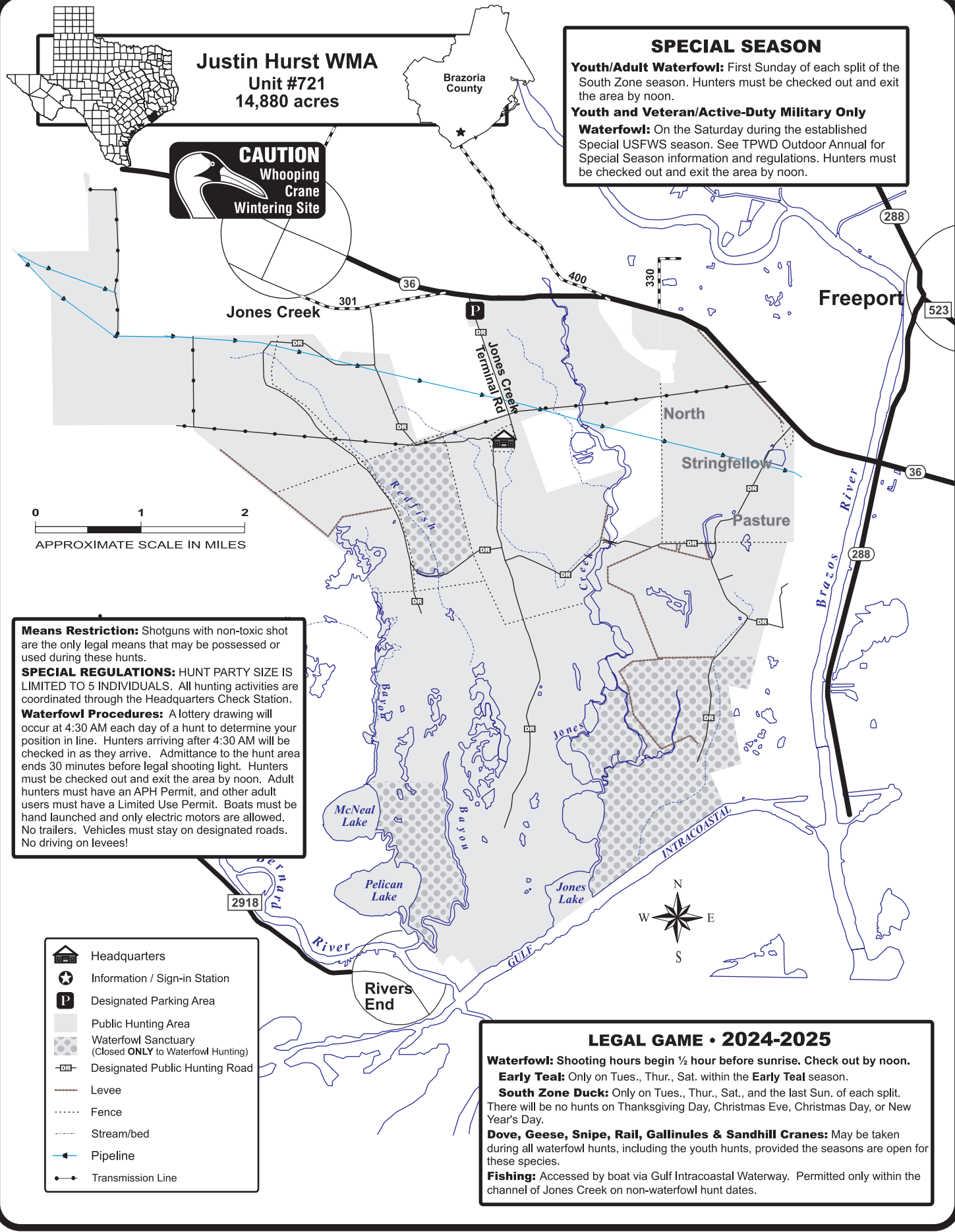
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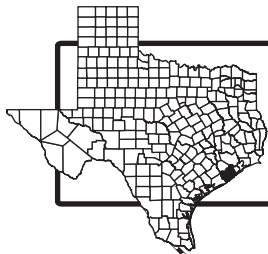
Squirrel, Rabbits, and Hares: Oct. 23, Nov. 20, and Jan. 11 (bag limit 10 squirrels and 3 rabbits per day). Shooting hours end at noon. ATVs are recommended. No dogs allowed.

Means Restriction: Firearms are restricted to shotguns and rimfire rifles only. Air rifles may be used for hunting squirrels, rabbits and hares only.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Gates open one hour before legal shooting hours. All hunters must check-in and check-out at designated check station. An **Annual Public Hunting Permit** is required to participate during the Squirrel hunts. All fees waived for persons under 17 years old accompanied by a permitted supervising adult. No target practice allowed.







Justin Hurst WMA
North Stringfellow Pasture
Unit #721D
1,409 acres

eOSR



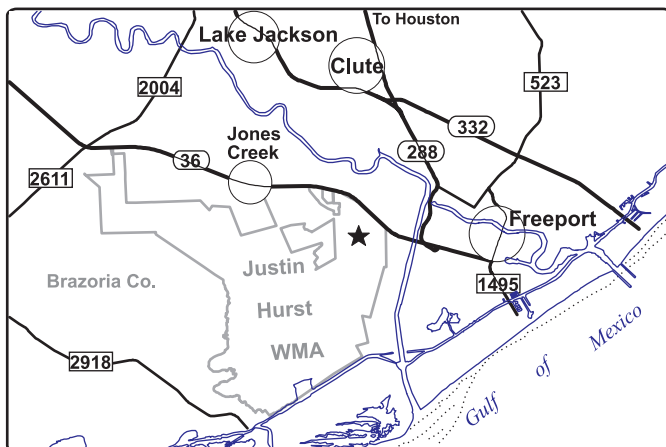
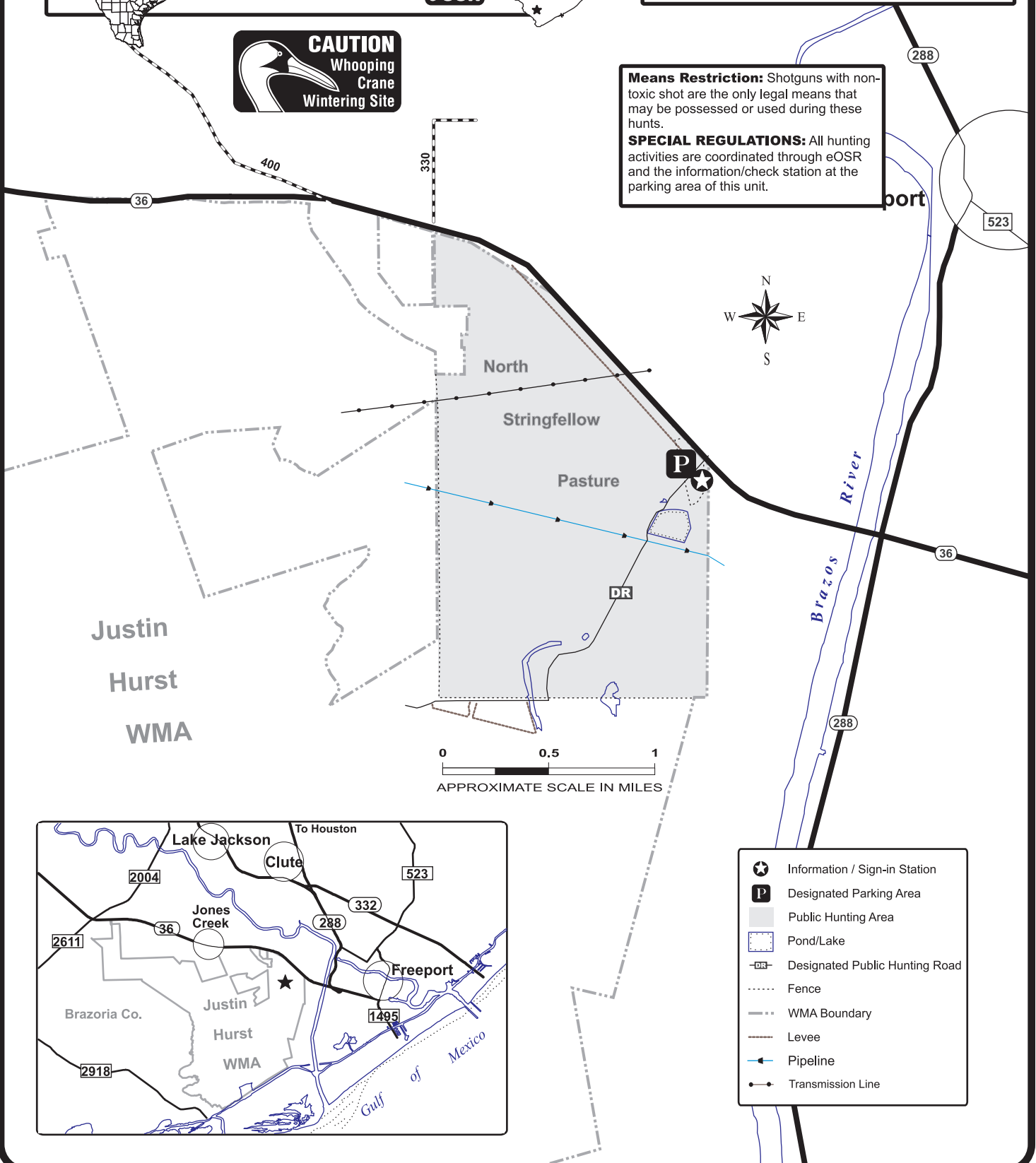
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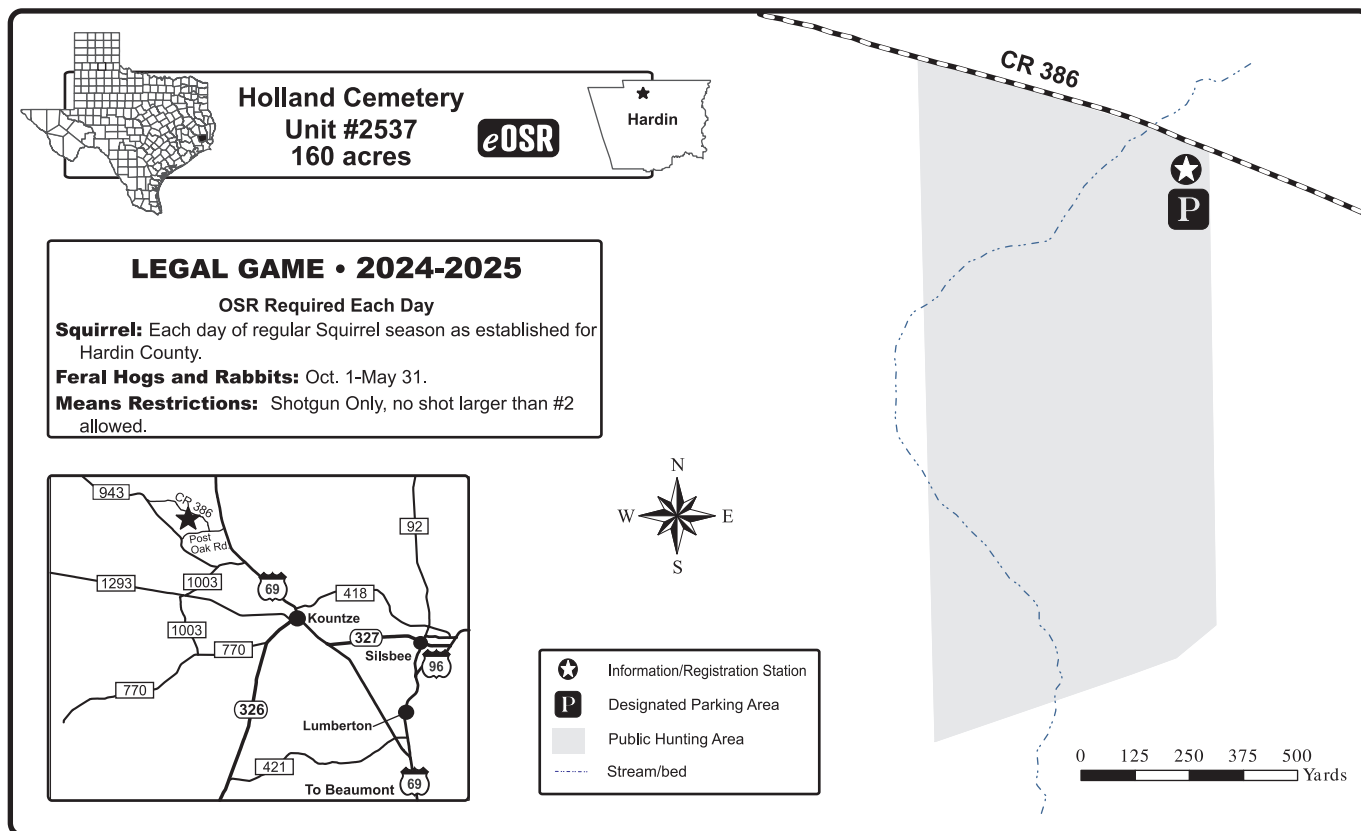
Dove: Each day of the Special White Winged Dove Days and the First Split of South Zone Dove.

Means Restriction: Shotguns with non-toxic shot are the only legal means that may be possessed or used during these hunts.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: All hunting activities are coordinated through eOSR and the information/check station at the parking area of this unit.



- Information / Sign-in Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Designated Public Hunting Road
- Fence
- WMA Boundary
- Levee
- Pipeline
- Transmission Line



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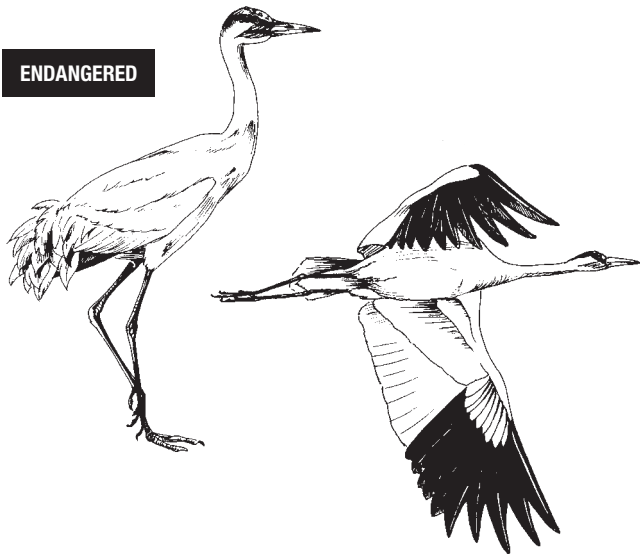
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WHOOPING CRANES AND OTHER SIMILAR SPECIES

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or email: whoopingcranes@tpwd.state.tx.us

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WHOOPING CRANES – ENDANGERED

White with black wingtips, red cap and red malar stripe

Juveniles have a mixture of white and brown body feathers, with black wingtips

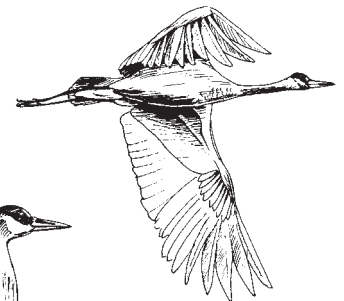
Necks long, extended straight forward in flight

Wingspan: 7-1/2 feet

Legs extend beyond tail in flight

Slow wingbeat

Flocks of 2 to 7, sometimes migrate with sandhill cranes



WOOD STORKS

White, with black tail and black along entire edge of wings

Neck long, extended straight, bare and dark near head; heavy bill curved down

Wingspan: 5-1/2 feet

Long legs extend beyond tail in flight

Flaps slowly, glides and soars

May be seen in groups or as single birds



SANDHILL CRANES

Gray, with dark wingtips; may appear white in some light

Neck long, extended straight forward in flight

Wingspan: 6-1/2 feet

Legs extend beyond tail in flight

Slow wingbeat

Flocks of 2 to hundreds

SNOW GOOSE AND ROSS'S GOOSE

White with black wingtips

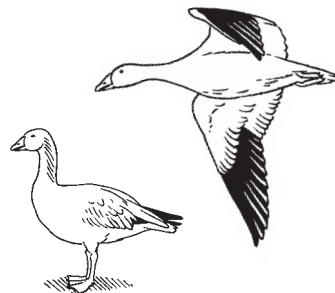
Wingspan: 4-1/2 feet

Short legs

Rapid wingbeat

Flocks of 20 to hundreds

Usually noisy



AMERICAN WHITE PELICANS

White wings with black edgings extending almost to body

Long neck, folded in flight

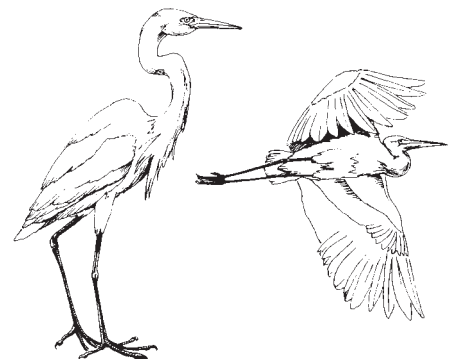
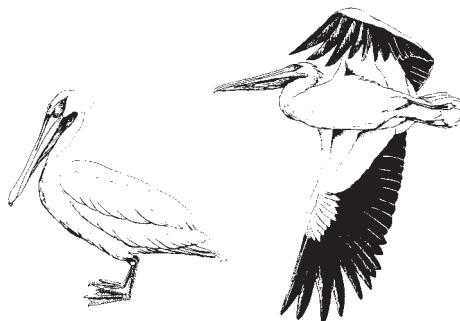
Wingspan: 9 feet

Short legs, do not extend beyond tail in flight

Long, yellow bill

Often in flocks of 20 or more

Usually circle while soaring



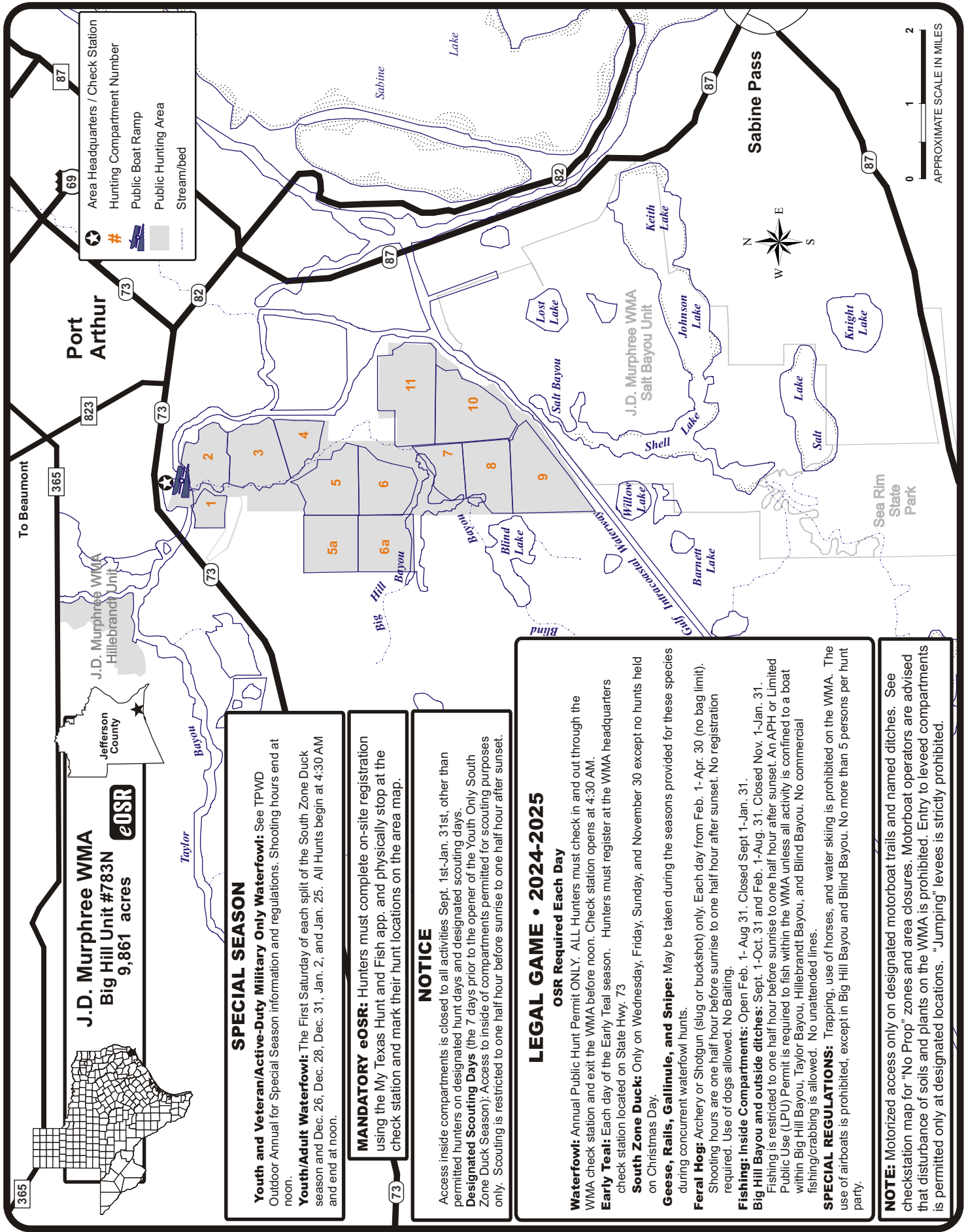
GREAT EGRET

An all-white heron with 4-1/2 foot wingspan and bright yellow beak

Long legs

Neck usually tucked in flight

Slightly smaller than sandhill cranes when standing



SPECIAL SEASON

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.

Youth/Adult Waterfowl: The First Saturday of each split of the South Zone Duck season and Dec. 26, Dec. 28, Dec. 31, Jan. 2, and Jan. 25. All Hunts begin at 4:30 AM and end at noon.

MANDATORY eOSR: Hunters must complete on-site registration using the My Texas Hunt and Fish app, and physically stop at the check station and mark their hunt locations on the area map.

NOTICE

Access inside compartments is closed to all activities Sept. 1st-Jan. 31st, other than permitted hunters on designated hunt days and designated scouting days.

Designated Scouting Days (the 7 days prior to the opener of the Youth Only South Zone Duck Season): Access to inside of compartments permitted for scouting purposes only. Scouting is restricted to one half hour before sunrise to one half hour after sunset.

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OSR Required Each Day

Waterfowl: Annual Public Hunt Permit ONLY. ALL Hunters must check in and out through the WMA check station and exit the WMA before noon. Check station opens at 4:30 AM.

Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal season. Hunters must register at the WMA headquarters check station located on State Hwy. 73

South Zone Duck: Only on Wednesday, Friday, Sunday, and November 30 except no hunts held on Christmas Day.

Geese, Rails, Gallinule, and Snipe: May be taken during the seasons provided for these species during concurrent waterfowl hunts.

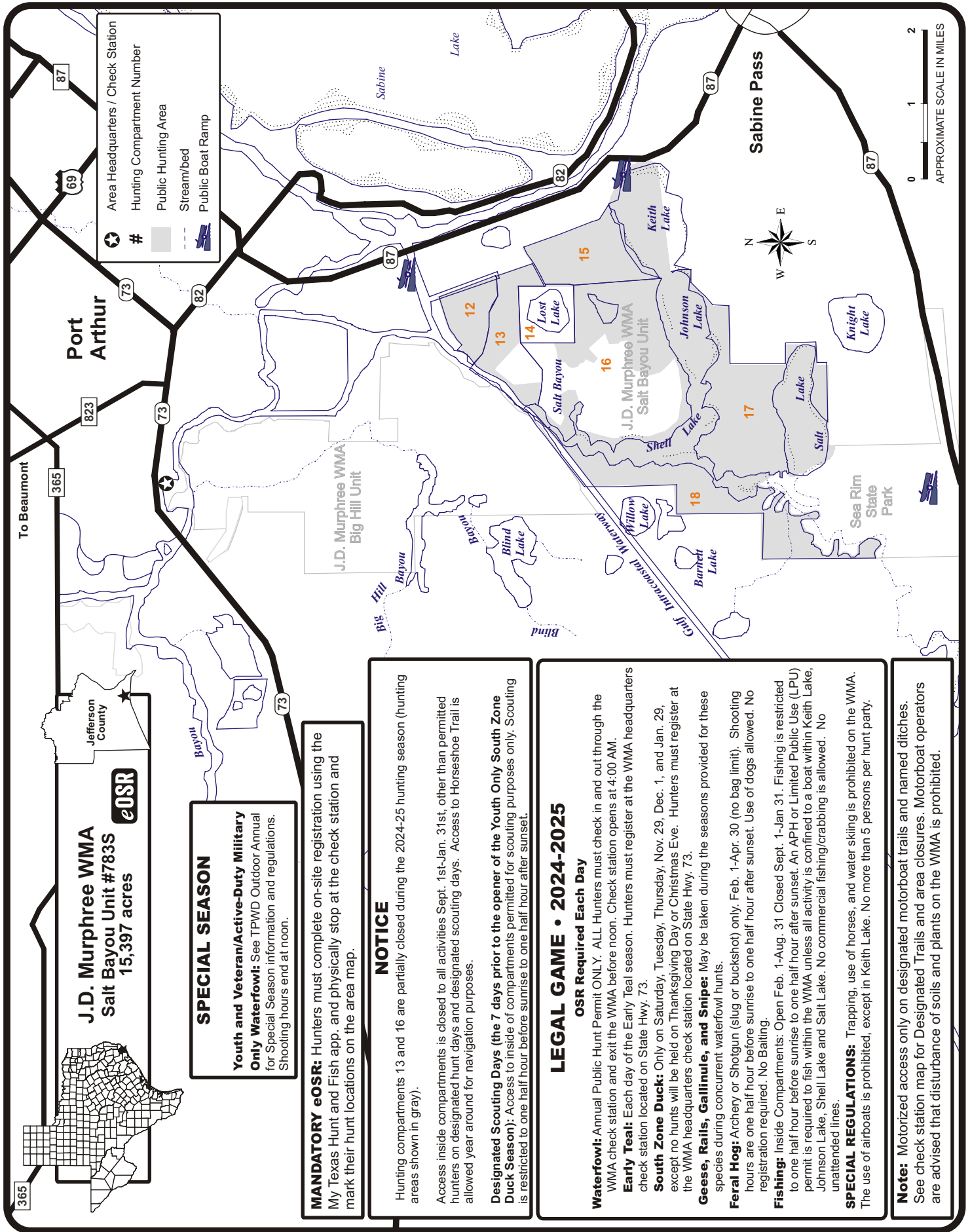
Feral Hog: Archery or Shotgun (slug or buckshot) only. Each day from Feb. 1-Apr. 30 (no bag limit). Shooting hours are one half hour before sunrise to one half hour after sunset. No registration required. Use of dogs allowed. No Baiting.

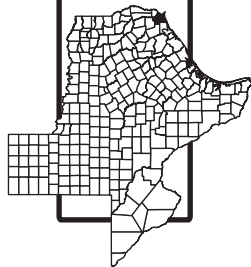
Fishing: Inside Compartments: Open Feb. 1-Aug 31. Closed Sept 1-Jan. 31.
Big Hill Bayou and outside ditches: Sept. 1-Oct. 31 and Feb. 1-Aug. 31. Closed Nov. 1-Jan. 31.

Fishing is restricted to one half hour before sunrise to one half hour after sunset. An APH or Limited Public Use (LPU) Permit is required to fish within the WMA unless all activity is confined to a boat within Big Hill Bayou, Taylor Bayou, Hillebrandt Bayou, and Blind Bayou. No commercial fishing/crabbng is allowed. No unattended lines.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Trapping, use of horses, and water skiing is prohibited on the WMA. The use of airboats is prohibited, except in Big Hill Bayou and Blind Bayou. No more than 5 persons per hunt party.

NOTE: Motorized access only on designated motorboat trails and named ditches. See checkstation map for "No Prop" zones and area closures. Motorboat operators are advised that disturbance of soils and plants on the WMA is prohibited. Entry to leveed compartments is permitted only at designated locations. "Jumping" levees is strictly prohibited.





**Sea Rim SP
Unit #1055
300 acres**

eOSR

Jefferson
County



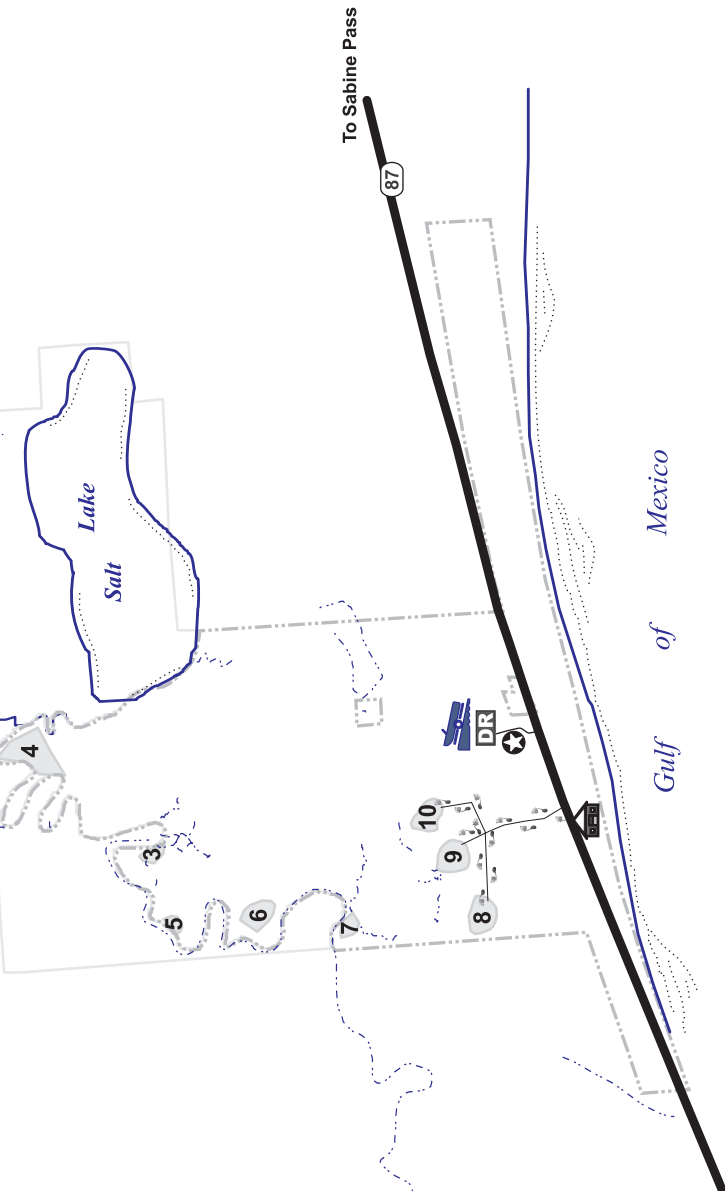
ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Sept. 16-17.

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military

Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.



NOTE: See Check Station maps for designated "No Prop" zones.



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OSR Required Each Day

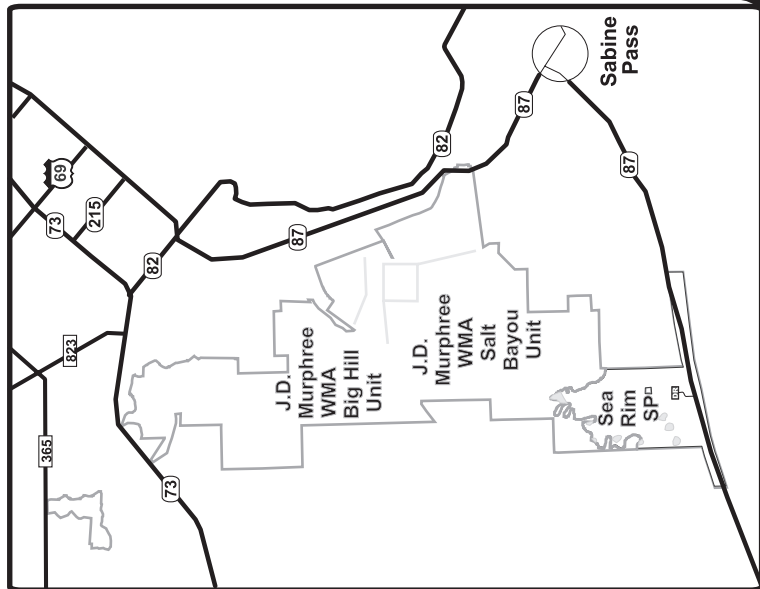
Waterfowl: All Hunters must check out before noon.

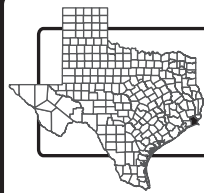
Early Teal: Each day of Early Teal, season except dates ENTIRE AREA Closed.

South Zone Duck: During the dates established for Jefferson County, only on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. No hunts on Thanksgiving, Christmas, or New Year's Day.

Rail, Gallinules, and Snipe: May be taken with non-toxic shot only during waterfowl hunts provided the seasons are open for these species.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Persons using the hunt area must read and obey all regulations posted at the information station. Hunters may only enter the hunt area after 4:30 a.m. on designated hunt days and must leave by noon each day. Hunters must park in the designated numbered parking sites for numbered hunting site used. No vehicles allowed in parking sites before 4:30 a.m. or after 12:00 noon on any hunt day. Hunters must queue on Hwy 87 on the east side of Park Road 69. Hunters cannot queue before 4:30 p.m. the day before the hunt. No unattended vehicles permitted in queue. The hunt area can accommodate eight hunting parties; first 32 hunters on first-come, first-serve basis each hunt day. There are no longer any reservable sites. Access to the walk-in area is by foot only and requires a one mile walk through the marsh. Access to the boat-in area is from the park's boat ramp.





South China Road (Unit #2228) 1,036 acres

eOSR

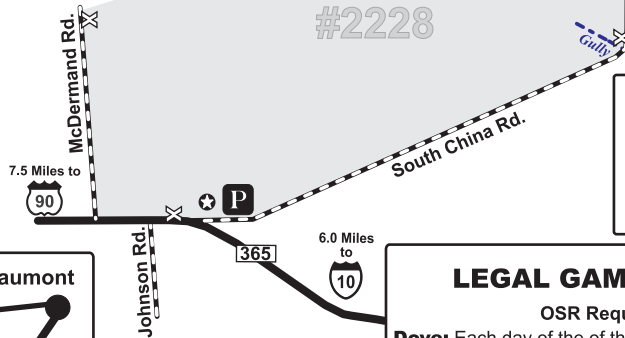
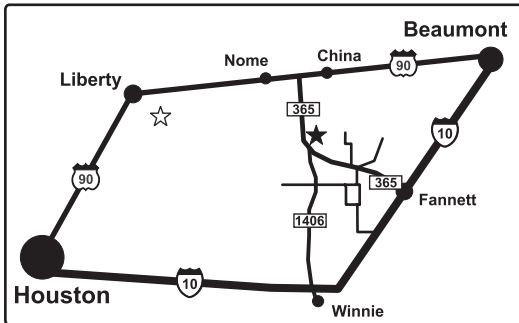


SPECIAL SEASON

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty

Military Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and Regulations.

Special Regulations: Gates should always remain closed. No ATVs or ORVs. Do not destroy or disturb standing crops.



- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Designated Cross-Over

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OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the of the Central Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

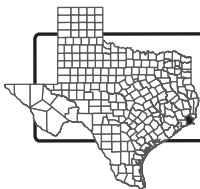
Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal season.

Waterfowl: Each day of the North Zone Duck and Eastern Zone Goose seasons.

Snipe: Each day of Wilson's Snipe season.

Rabbits: May be taken while hunting dove and waterfowl.

Means Restrictions: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed during these hunts.



Latta Road Unit #2070 1,641 acres

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OSR Required Each Day

Dove:

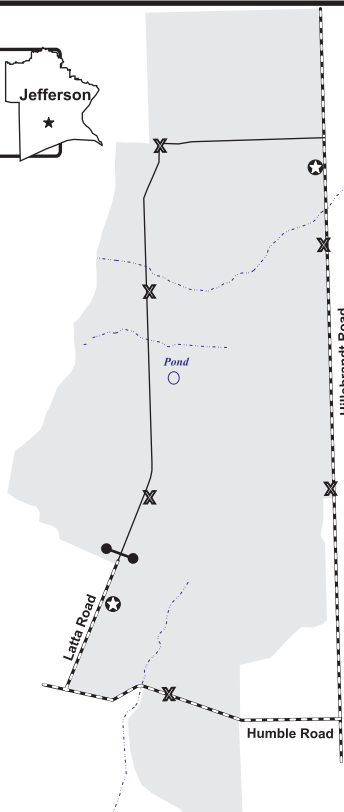
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Regular Season: Each day of South Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

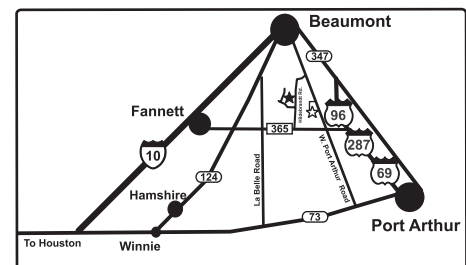
Rabbits: May be taken while hunting dove.

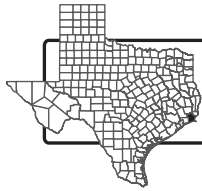
Means Restrictions: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed.

Special Regulations: Gates should always remain closed. No ATVs or ORVs. Do not destroy or disturb standing crops.



- Information/Registration Station
- Public Hunting Area
- Designated Cross-Over
- Gate
- County Road
- Stream/bed





Bordages Road

Unit #2226

1272 acres

eOSR



Special Regulations: Qualified disabled persons using ATVs or ORVs are responsible for closing all gates and gaps immediately after crossing, whether entering or leaving the premises, except when gate or gap is already open.

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OSR Required Each Day

Dove:

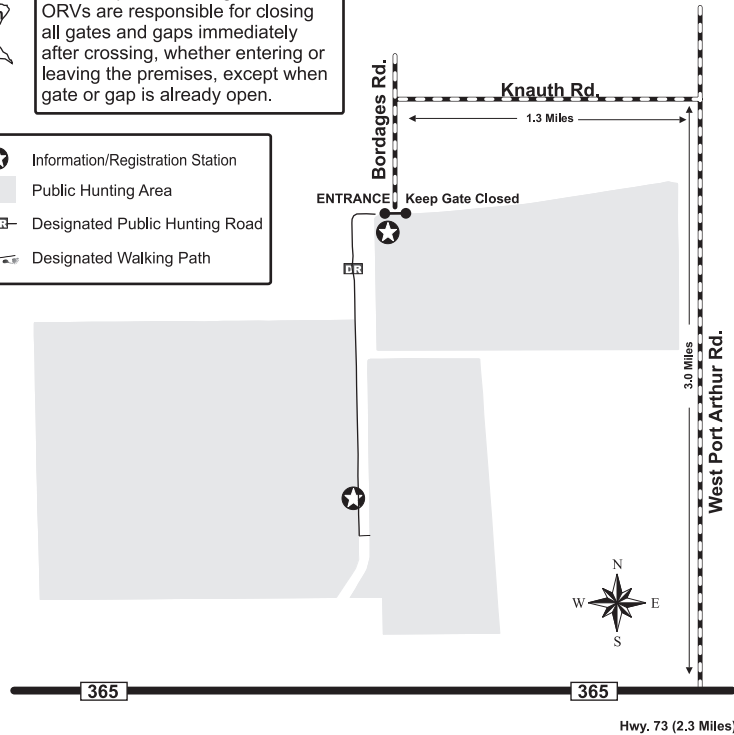
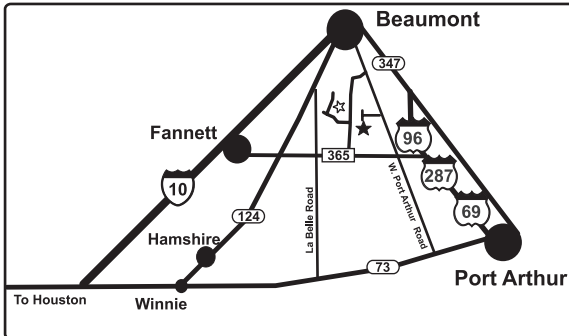
Special Season: CLOSED.

Regular Season: Each day of the first split of the South Zone Dove season (Mourning and White-winged).

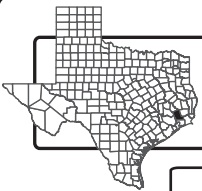
Rabbits: May be taken while hunting dove.

Means Restrictions: Shotguns are the only legal means that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

- ★ Information/Registration Station
- Public Hunting Area
- DR Designated Public Hunting Road
- Designated Walking Path



Hwy. 73 (2.3 Miles)



Gum Slough

Unit #2493

246 acres

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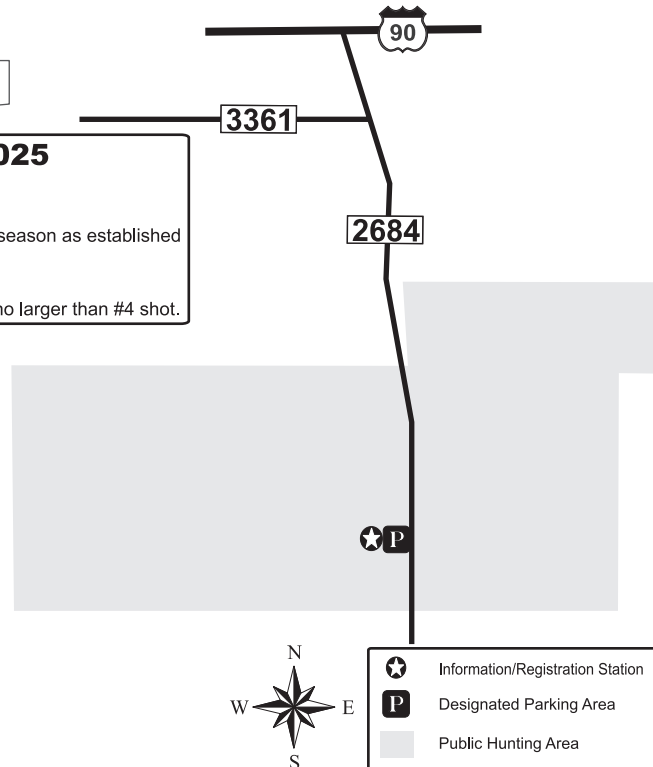
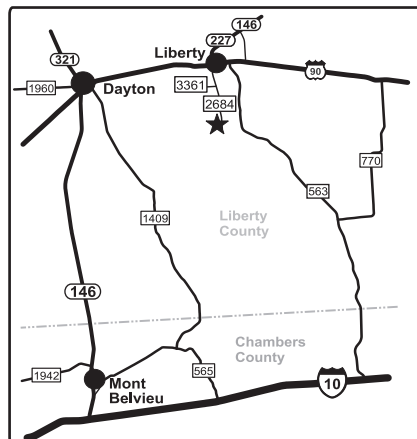
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Archery Only Feral Hogs: Oct. 1 - May 31. No bag limit.

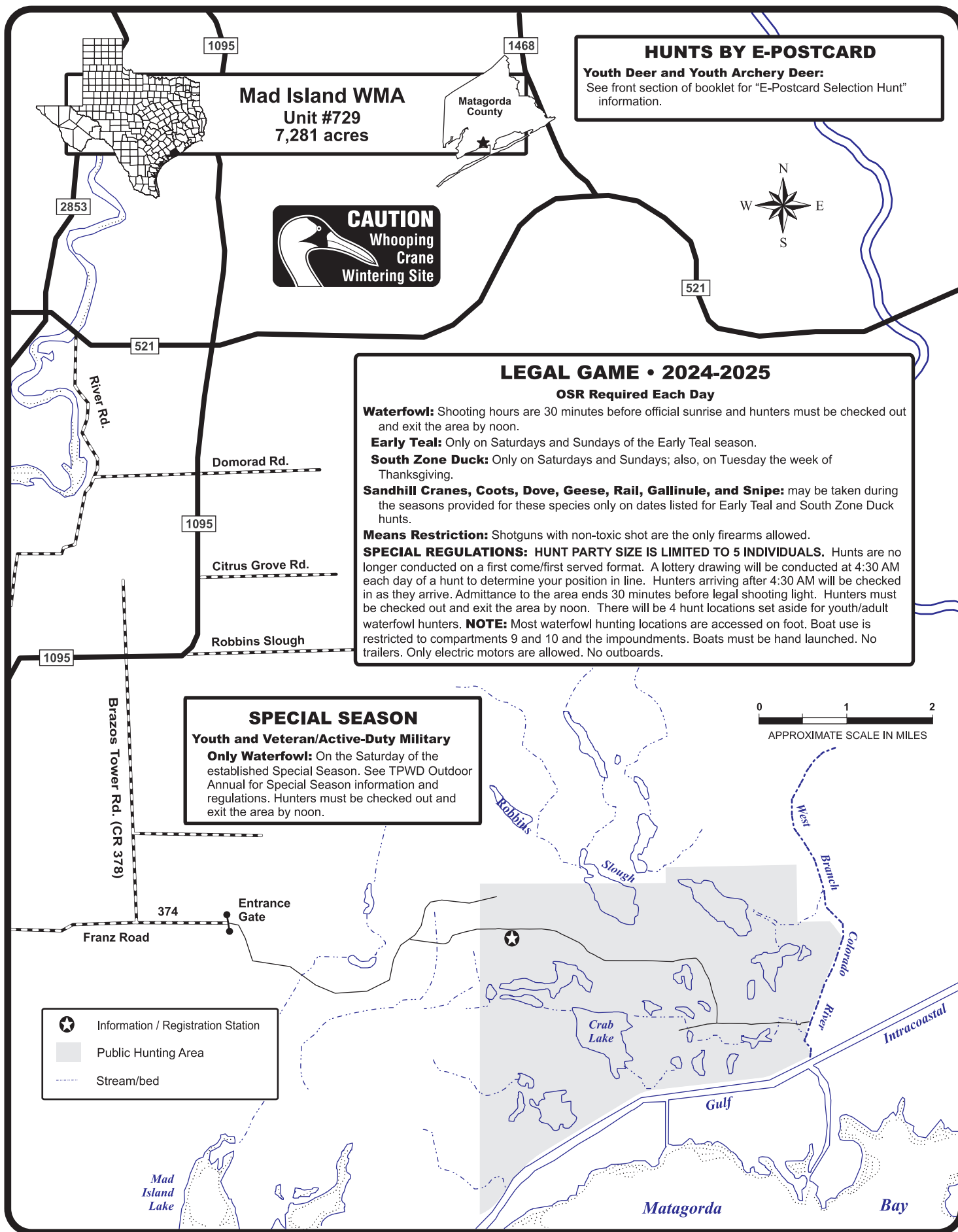
Squirrel: Each day of the Youth Only and Regular Squirrel season as established for Liberty County. Bag Limit 10 Squirrels.

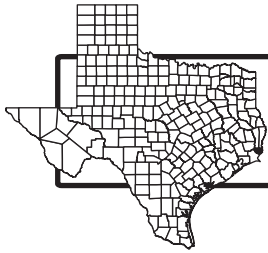
Rabbit & Hares: Oct. 1-Feb. 25. No bag limit.

Means Restriction: Firearms restricted to shotguns with no larger than #4 shot.

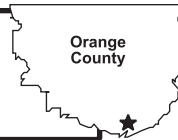


- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area





Lower Neches WMA
Nelda Stark Unit #738
868 acres



- Information Station
- Public Hunting Area

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OSR Required Each Day

Waterfowl: Hunts begin at 4:30 AM and end at sunset the same day.

Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal Season.

South Zone Duck: Only on Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday.

Geese, Woodcock, Rail, Gallinules, and Snipe: during the established seasons for these species on hunt dates and times designated for waterfowl.

Rabbits & Hares: Feb. 1-29 (no bag limit). Hunting is restricted to 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes after sunset.

Feral Hogs: Feb. 1-April 30 (no bag limit).

Fishing: Within the designated hunt area, fishing is allowed Sept. 1-Oct. 31 and Feb. 1-Aug. 31.

Closed Nov. 1-Jan. 31. The rest of the WMA is open year-round. Fishing is restricted to 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes after sunset. No commercial crabbing or bait fishing allowed on the area. Bank fisherman must possess an APH or LPU Permit.

Means Restriction: Shotguns are the only means allowed on the area. Non-toxic shot is required for waterfowl, rabbits, and hares. Buckshot is allowed for feral hogs.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Hunters may enter the WMA (main gate) no earlier than 4:30 a.m. and must leave by one hour after sunset. No unattended vehicles except during permitted hunts. Access to the designated hunt area is restricted to foot and non-motorized boats only during the Early Teal and South Zone Duck Season. Temporary blinds may be constructed using natural vegetation. Airboats restricted to non-vegetated areas only. No overnight camping. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions. Note: There are no longer designated hunt sites on this unit, a 200-yard distance must be kept between all hunt parties. Maximum of 5 persons per hunt party.

SPECIAL SEASON

Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty

Military Only Waterfowl: Each day of the special season. Hunts begin at 4:30 AM and end at sunset the same day. See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations.



Lower Neches

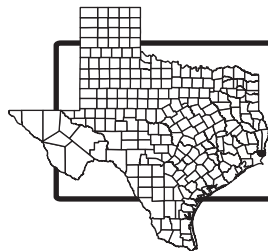
Wildlife Management Area

Orangefield

Bridge City

NOTE: Access to the designated hunt area on designated hunt days is restricted to hunters only. The remainder of the WMA is open year-round. The designated hunt area is by foot only and requires up to one-half mile walk on improved trails. Canoes and pirogues are recommended. Motorboat operators are advised that disturbance of soils and plants on WMAs is prohibited. Uprooting seagrasses using a propeller is prohibited by law.

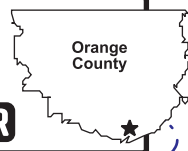
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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES



Lower Neches WMA Old River Unit # 728 4,386 acres

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Waterfowl: Hunts begin at 4:30 AM and end at noon the same day.

Early Teal: Each day of the Early Teal Season.

South Zone Duck: Each day of the South Zone Duck Season as established for Orange County.

East of Hwy. 87/73: Only on Wed., Fri., and Sun. The hunt area between Lake Street and Hwy 87/73 is non-motorized access only.

West of Hwy. 87/73: Only on Tues., Thurs., and Sat. Motorized access restricted to perimeter waters of Wetland Restoration Area and the Leveed impoundment west of Hwy 87.

Geese, Woodcock, Rails, Gallinules, and Snipe: During the established seasons for these species only on hunt dates and times designated for waterfowl.

Rabbits and Hares: Feb. 1-29 (no bag limit). Hunting from 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes after sunset.

Fishing: Within the designated hunt area, fishing is allowed Sept. 1-Oct. 31 and Feb. 1-Aug. 31. Closed Nov. 1-Jan. 31. Fishing is restricted to 30 minutes before sunrise until 30 minutes after sunset. No commercial crabbing or bait fishing allowed on the Area. Bank anglers must possess a valid APH or LPU Permit.

Means Restriction: Shotguns with non-toxic shot only.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Hunters may enter the WMA no earlier than 4:30 a.m. During the period of Sept. 1-Feb. 28, access to the WMA is restricted to foot and non-motorized boats EXCEPT from 4:30 a.m. to end of legal shooting hours on designated hunt days. Temporary blinds may be constructed using natural vegetation (brush, cane, etc. - no lumber, wire, or other construction materials allowed). The WMA is open year round to permitted users. See Prohibited Acts for further restrictions. Maximum of 5 persons per party.

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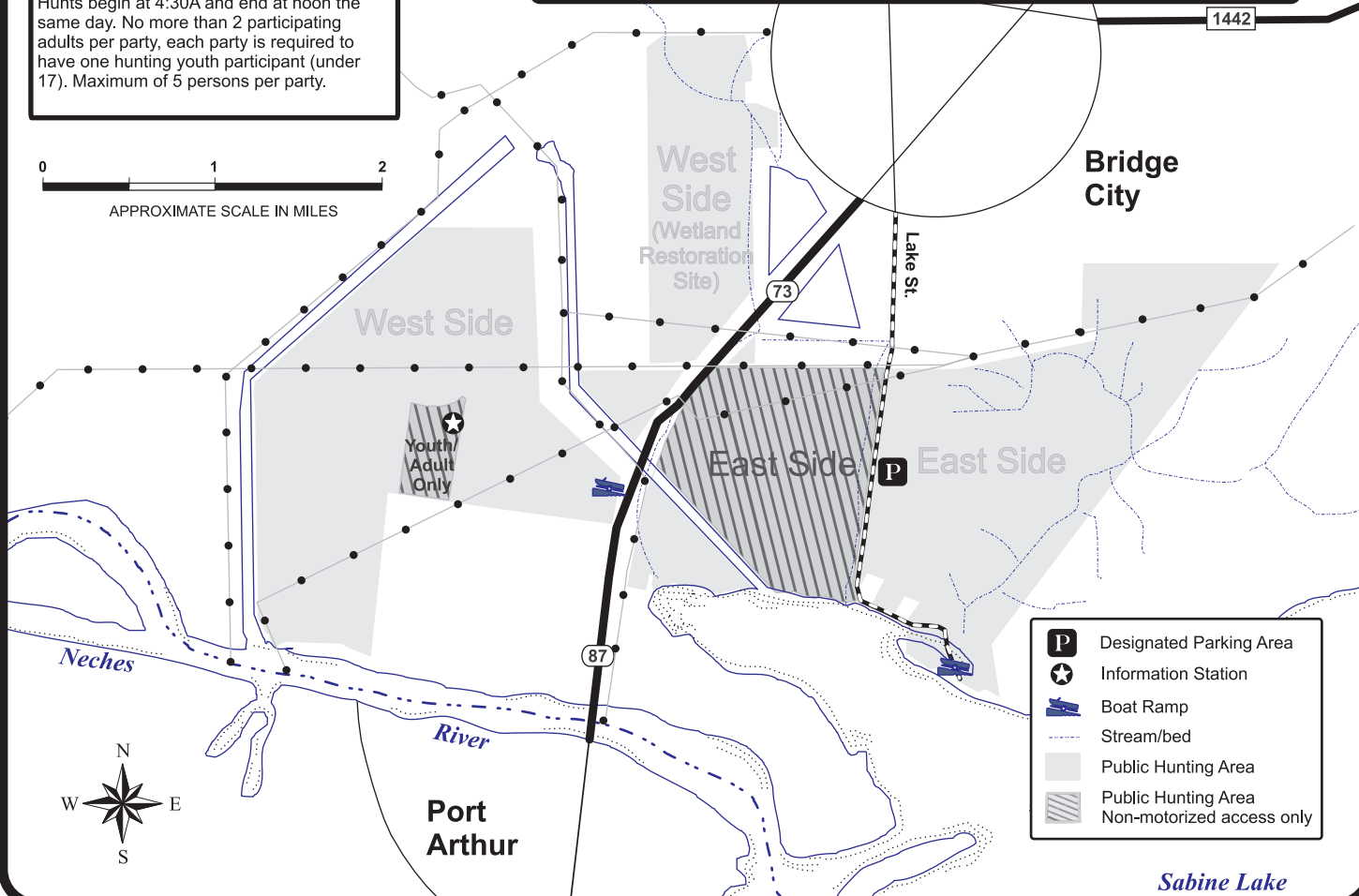
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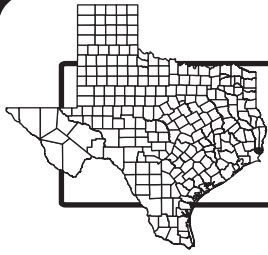
See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations.

Youth/Adult Only Area: Each day of Early Teal Season and each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of Regular Waterfowl Season as established for Orange County.

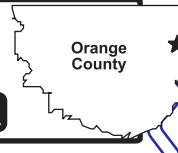
Hunts begin at 4:30A and end at noon the same day. No more than 2 participating adults per party, each party is required to have one hunting youth participant (under 17). Maximum of 5 persons per party.

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES





**Tony Houseman/
Blue Elbow Swamp WMA**
Unit #712
4,328 acres



LOUISIANA

SPECIAL SEASON

Youth/Adult Squirrel: Sept. 28-29.
**Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty
Military Only Waterfowl:** Shooting
hours end at noon. See TPWD Outdoor
Annual for Special Season information
and regulations.

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OSR Required Each Day

Feral Hogs and Exotic Mammals: (no bag limit) No closed season. Only legal firearms (except shotguns with buckshot), air guns, arrow guns, archery equipment, and crossbows may be used. No baiting allowed.

Waterfowl: Shooting hours end at noon. Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal** and **North Zone Duck, Falconry**, and **Eastern Zone Goose** seasons (including any special conservation season).

Woodcock, Rail, and Gallinule: Each day of the regular Statewide and Falconry seasons for these species.

Snipe: Each day of Statewide Season.

Dove: Each day of Central Zone Dove and Falconry Season.

Squirrel: Each day of East Texas Squirrel Season.

Furbearers and Predators: (Limit 1 per day) No closed season. Concurrent shooting hours for feral hog.

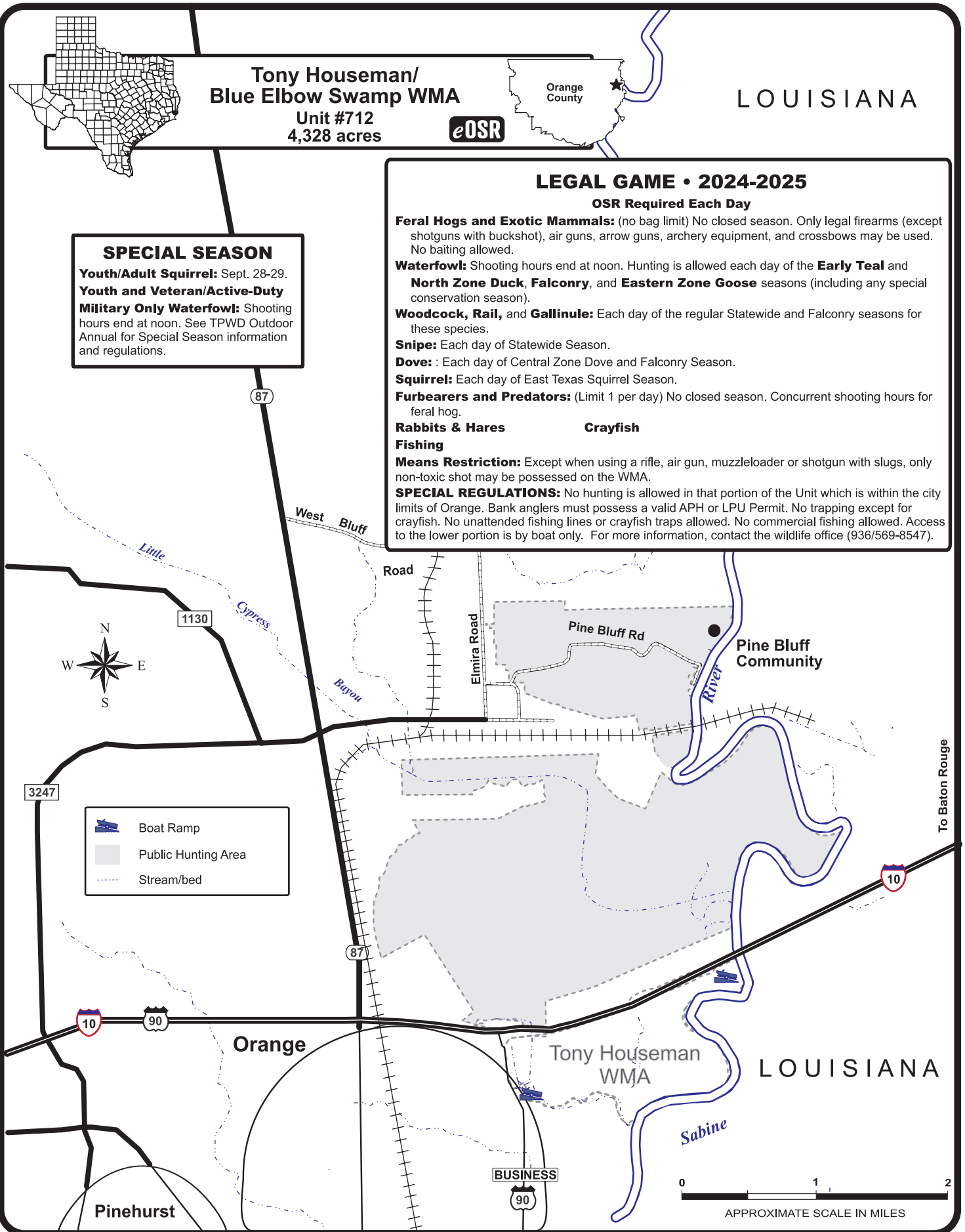
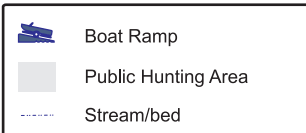
Rabbits & Hares

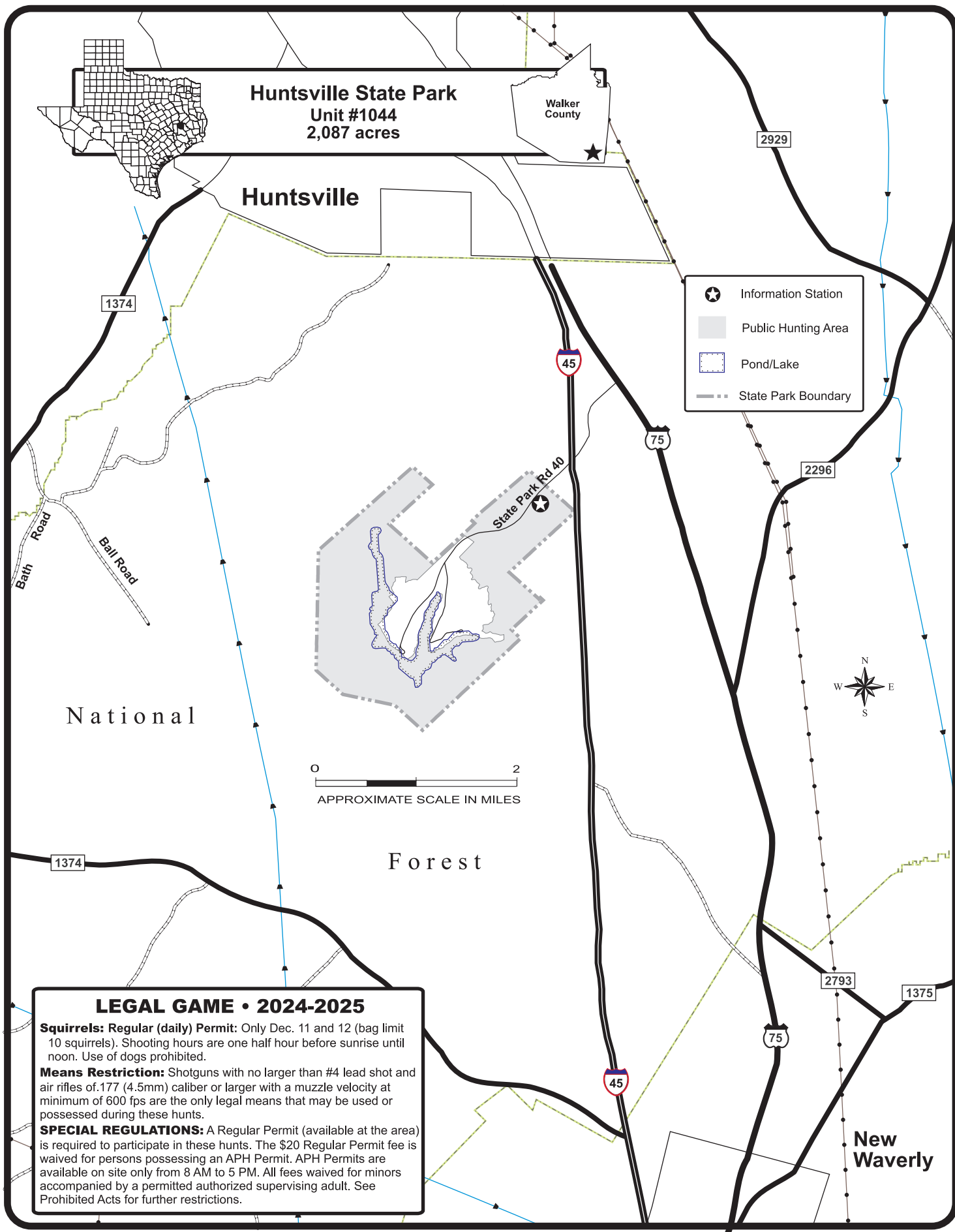
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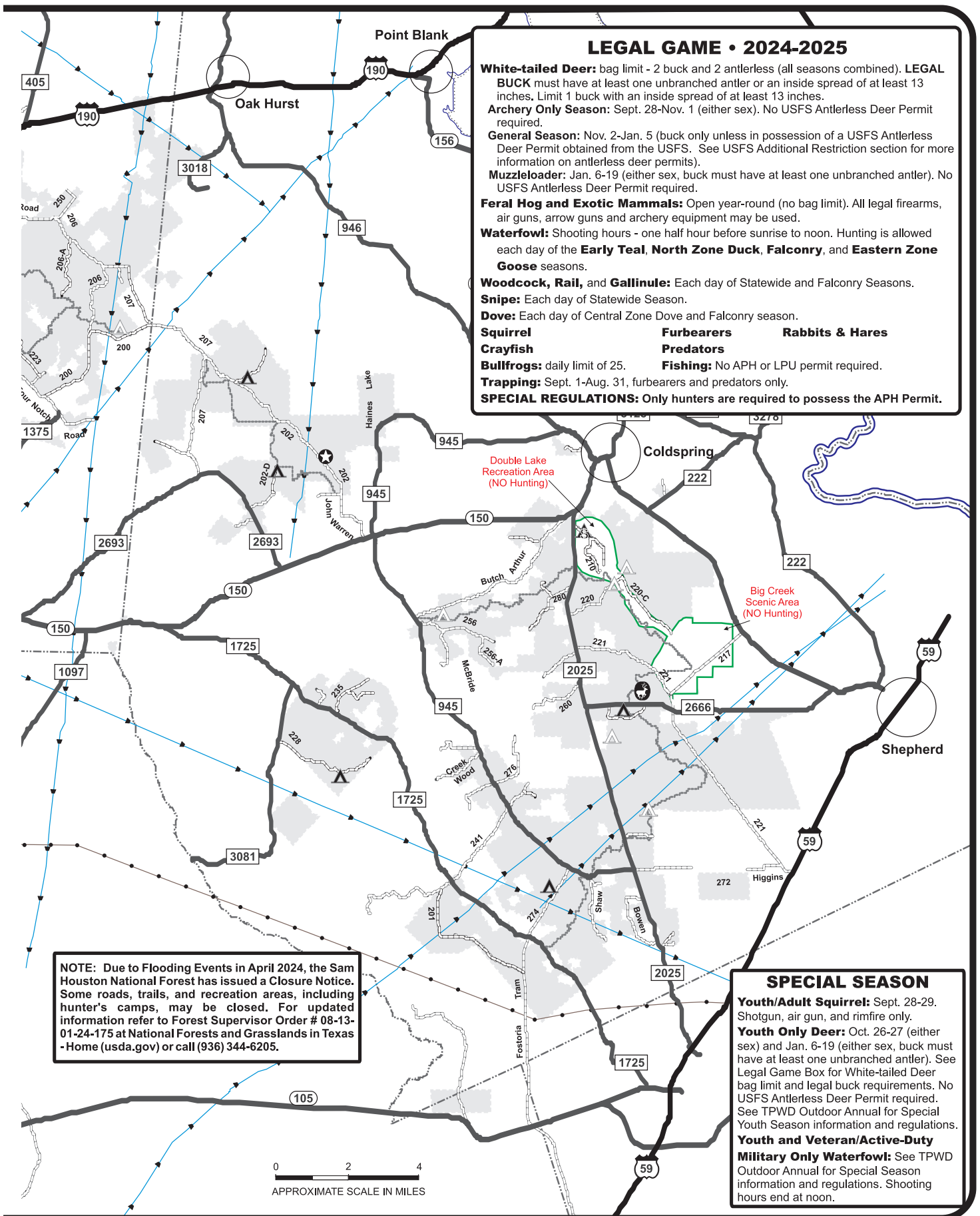
Fishing

Means Restriction: Except when using a rifle, air gun, muzzleloader or shotgun with slugs, only non-toxic shot may be possessed on the WMA.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: No hunting is allowed in that portion of the Unit which is within the city limits of Orange. Bank anglers must possess a valid APH or LPU Permit. No trapping except for crayfish. No unattended fishing lines or crayfish traps allowed. No commercial fishing allowed. Access to the lower portion is by boat only. For more information, contact the wildlife office (936/569-8547).







LEGAL GAME • 2024-2025

White-tailed Deer: bag limit - 2 buck and 2 antlerless (all seasons combined). **LEGAL BUCK** must have at least one unbranched antler or an inside spread of at least 13 inches. Limit 1 buck with an inside spread of at least 13 inches.

Archery Only Season: Sept. 28-Nov. 1 (either sex). No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.

General Season: Nov. 2-Jan. 5 (buck only unless in possession of a USFS Antlerless Deer Permit obtained from the USFS. See USFS Additional Restriction section for more information on antlerless deer permits).

Muzzleloader: Jan. 6-19 (either sex, buck must have at least one unbranched antler). No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required.

Feral Hog and Exotic Mammals: Open year-round (no bag limit). All legal firearms, air guns, arrow guns and archery equipment may be used.

Waterfowl: Shooting hours - one half hour before sunrise to noon. Hunting is allowed each day of the **Early Teal, North Zone Duck, Falconry, and Eastern Zone Goose** seasons.

Woodcock, Rail, and Gallinule: Each day of Statewide and Falconry Seasons.

Snipe: Each day of Statewide Season.

Dove: Each day of Central Zone Dove and Falconry season.

Squirrel

Furbearers

Rabbits & Hares

Crayfish

Predators

Bullfrogs: daily limit of 25.

Fishing: No APH or LPU permit required.

Trapping: Sept. 1-Aug. 31, furbearers and predators only.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Only hunters are required to possess the APH Permit.

NOTE: Due to Flooding Events in April 2024, the Sam Houston National Forest has issued a Closure Notice. Some roads, trails, and recreation areas, including hunter's camps, may be closed. For updated information refer to Forest Supervisor Order # 08-13-01-24-175 at National Forests and Grasslands in Texas -Home (usda.gov) or call (936) 344-6205.

SPECIAL SEASON

Youth/Adult Squirrel: Sept. 28-29. Shotgun, air gun, and rimfire only.

Youth Only Deer: Oct. 26-27 (either sex) and Jan. 6-19 (either sex, buck must have at least one unbranched antler). See Legal Game Box for White-tailed Deer bag limit and legal buck requirements. No USFS Antlerless Deer Permit required. See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Youth Season information and regulations.

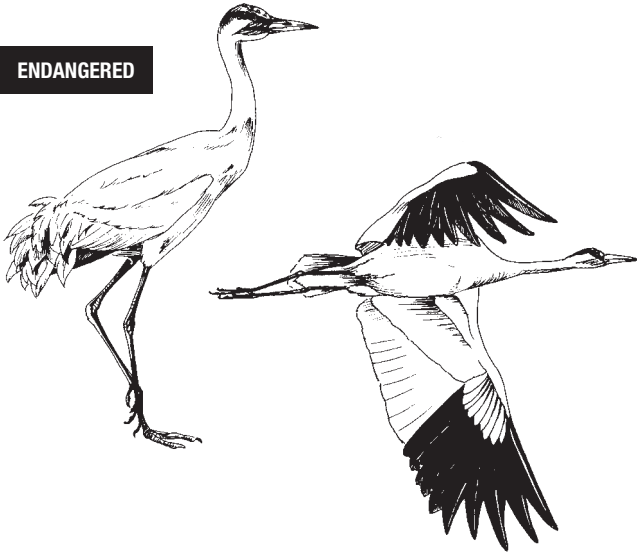
Youth and Veteran/Active-Duty Military Only Waterfowl: See TPWD Outdoor Annual for Special Season information and regulations. Shooting hours end at noon.

WHOOPING CRANES AND OTHER SIMILAR SPECIES

For more information, visit www.tpwd.state.tx.us/whoopingcranes/
or email: whoopingcranes@tpwd.state.tx.us

TEXAS
PARKS &
WILDLIFE

ENDANGERED



WHOOPING CRANES – ENDANGERED

White with black wingtips, red cap and red malar stripe

Juveniles have a mixture of white and brown body feathers, with black wingtips

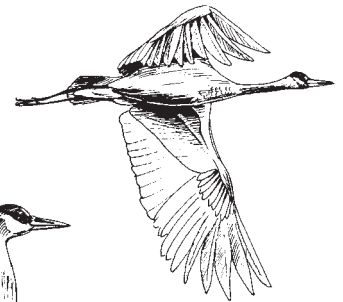
Necks long, extended straight forward in flight

Wingspan: 7-1/2 feet

Legs extend beyond tail in flight

Slow wingbeat

Flocks of 2 to 7, sometimes migrate with sandhill cranes



WOOD STORKS

White, with black tail and black along entire edge of wings

Neck long, extended straight, bare and dark near head; heavy bill curved down

Wingspan: 5-1/2 feet

Long legs extend beyond tail in flight

Flaps slowly, glides and soars

May be seen in groups or as single birds



SANDHILL CRANES

Gray, with dark wingtips; may appear white in some light

Neck long, extended straight forward in flight

Wingspan: 6-1/2 feet

Legs extend beyond tail in flight

Slow wingbeat

Flocks of 2 to hundreds

SNOW GOOSE AND ROSS'S GOOSE

White with black wingtips

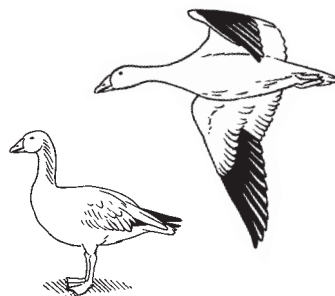
Wingspan: 4-1/2 feet

Short legs

Rapid wingbeat

Flocks of 20 to hundreds

Usually noisy



AMERICAN WHITE PELICANS

White wings with black edgings extending almost to body

Long neck, folded in flight

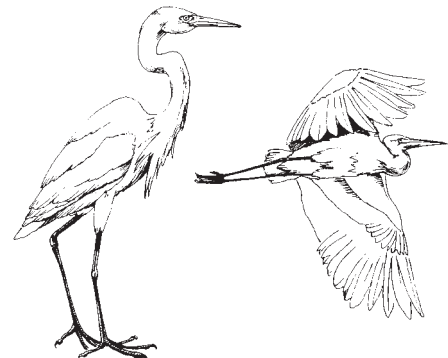
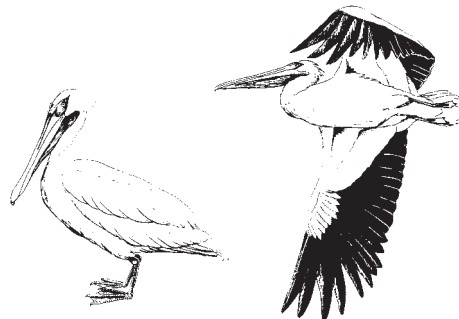
Wingspan: 9 feet

Short legs, do not extend beyond tail in flight

Long, yellow bill

Often in flocks of 20 or more

Usually circle while soaring



GREAT EGRET

An all-white heron with 4-1/2 foot wingspan and bright yellow beak

Long legs

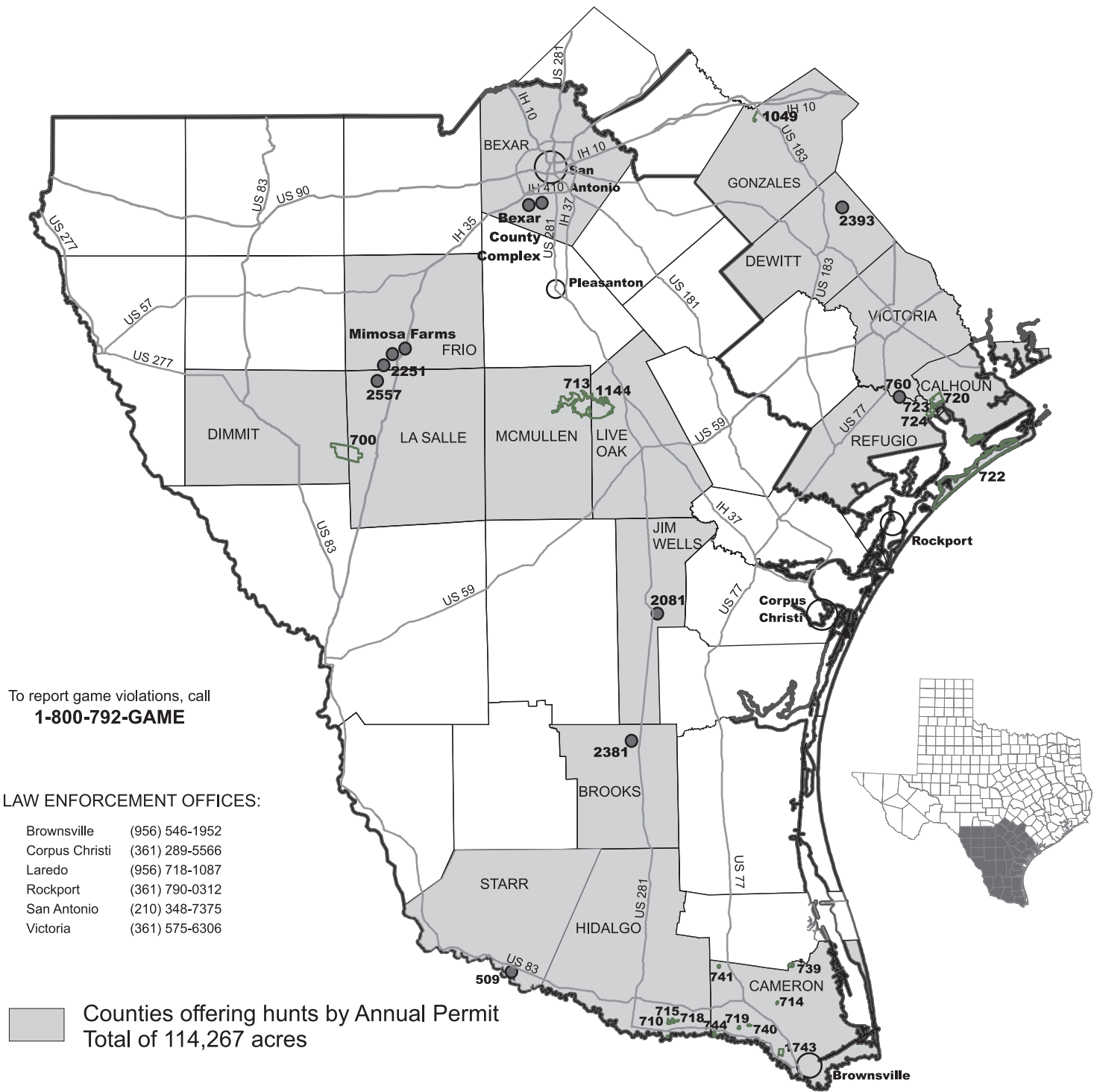
Neck usually tucked in flight

Slightly smaller than sandhill cranes when standing

REGION 8 – SAN ANTONIO/CORPUS CHRISTI

2024-2025

For enhanced individual area maps, please visit
www.tpwd.texas.gov/APH



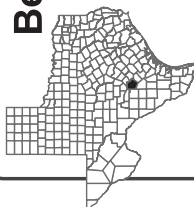
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PHR 8 HUNTING OPPORTUNITY OFFERED BY SPECIES																									
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Bexar County Complex

Somerset Road
(Unit #2469) 520 acres
Lone Star Pass
(Unit #2470) 540 acres

eOSR

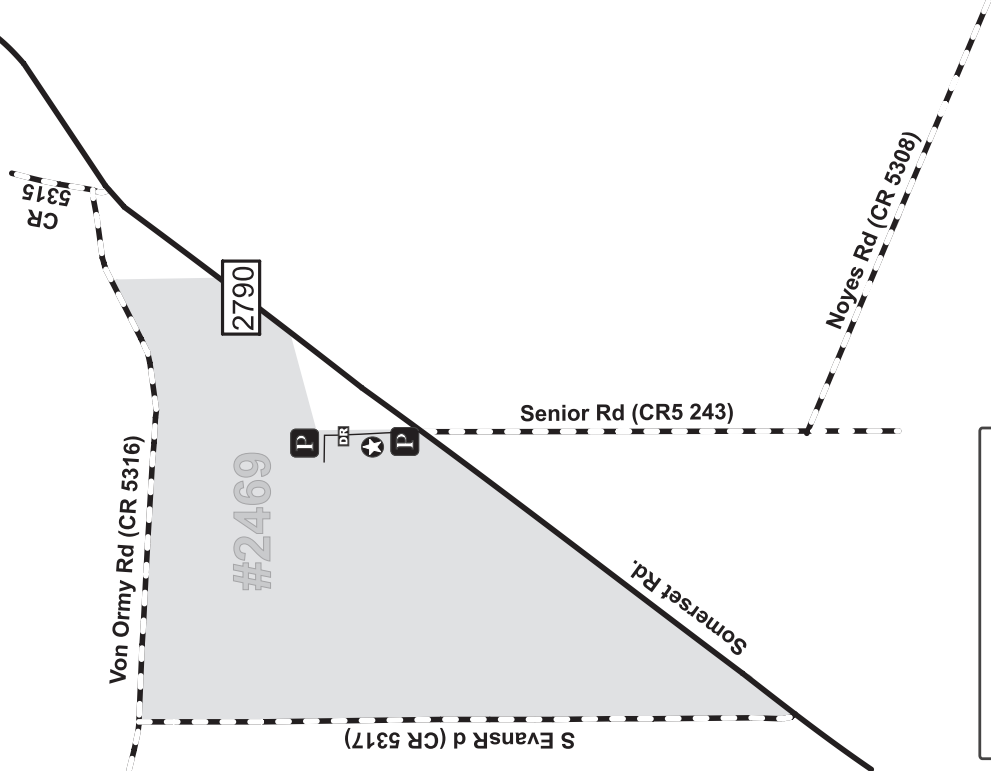


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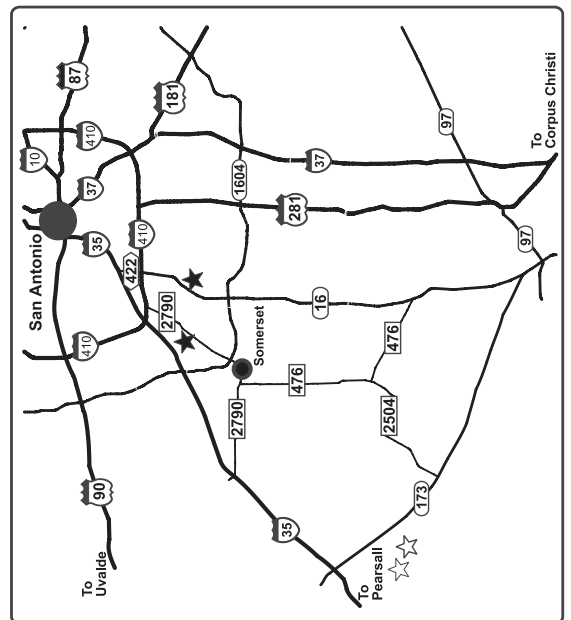
Dove:
Regular Season: Each day of the first split of Central Zone Dove Season (Mourning, White-winged, Feral Pigeons, and Eurasian Collared Dove).
Rabbits: May be taken while hunting dove.

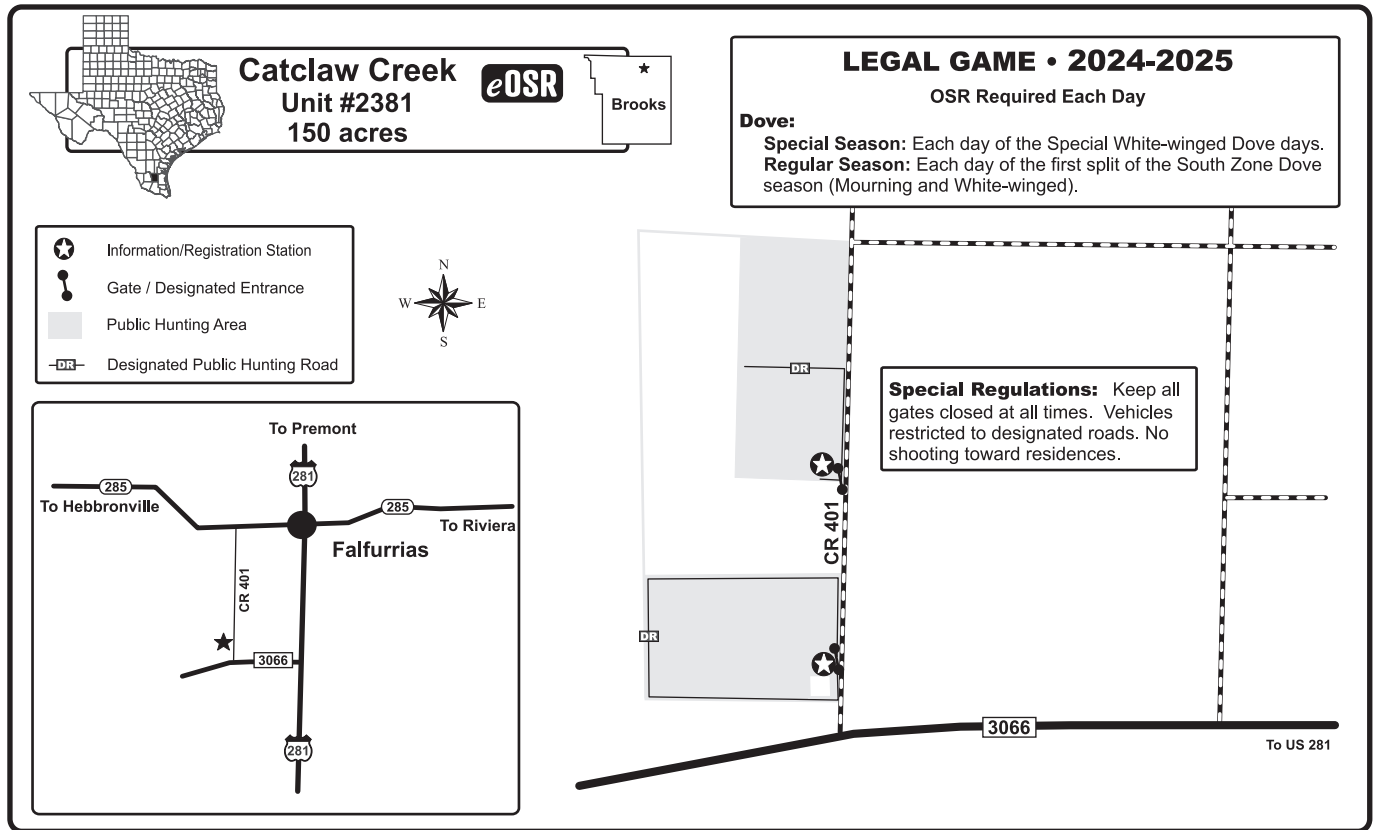
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OSR Required Each Day



- Information/Registration Station
- Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Designated Public Hunting Road





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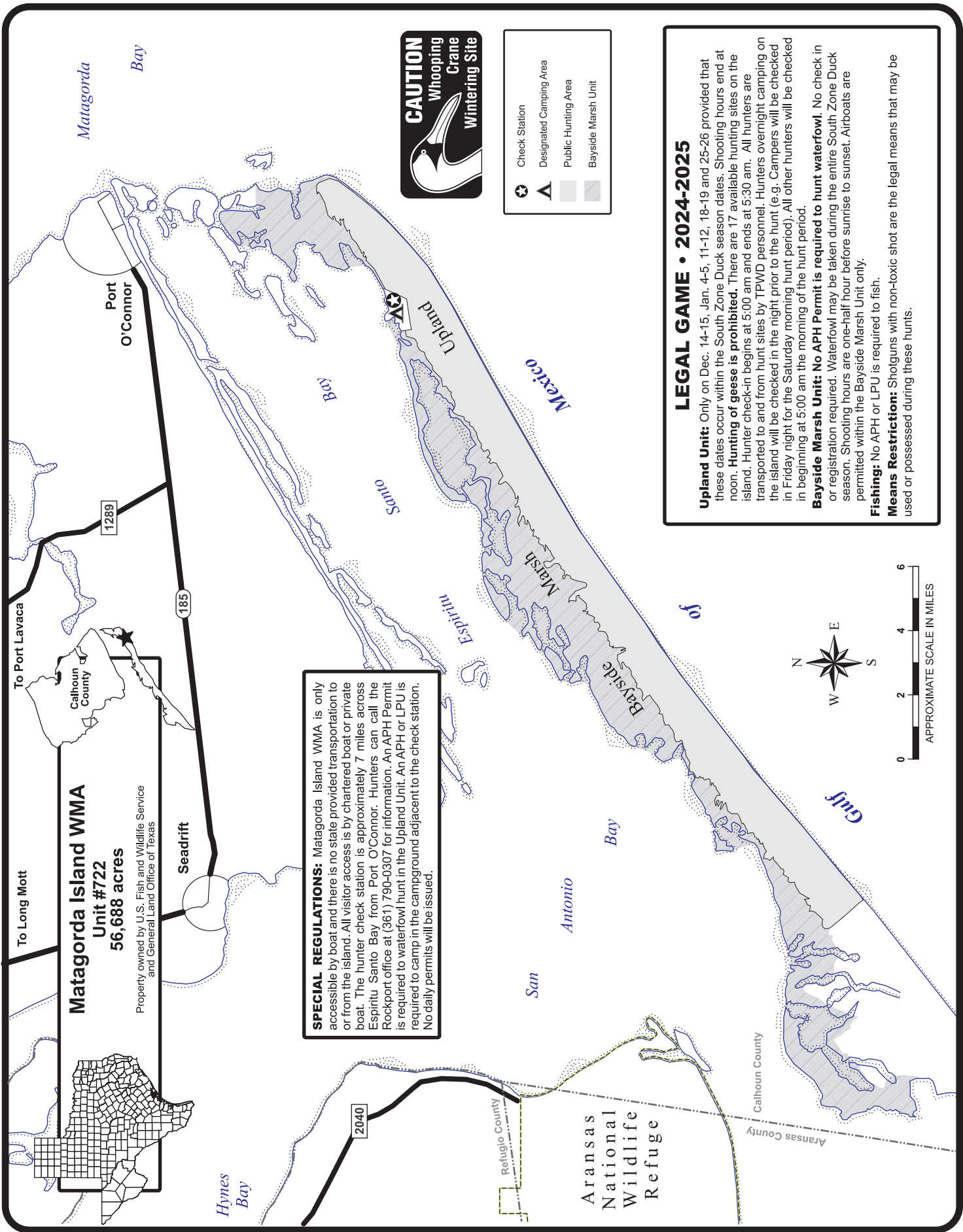
- Electronically complete On-Site Registration
- Perform mandatory harvest reporting

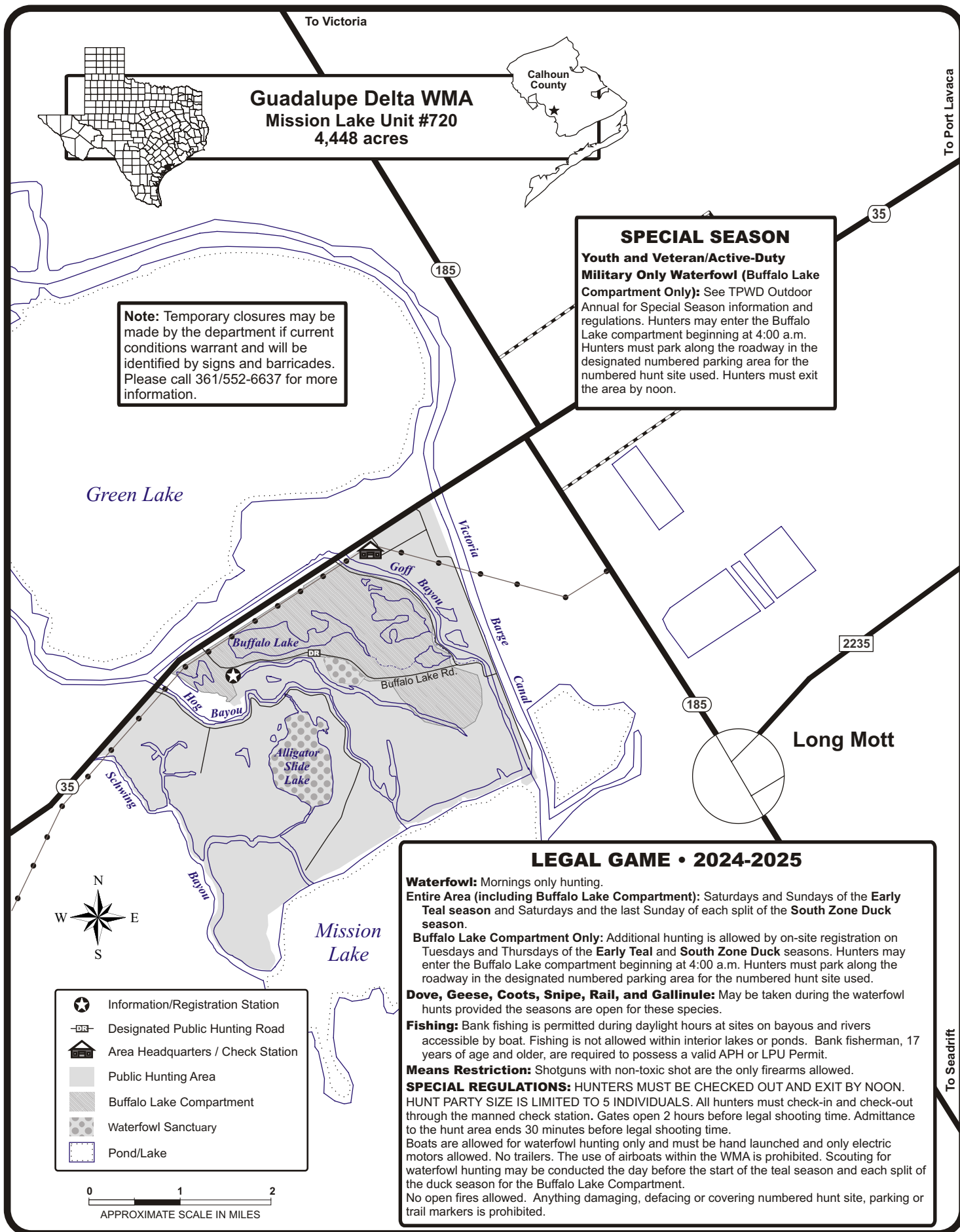


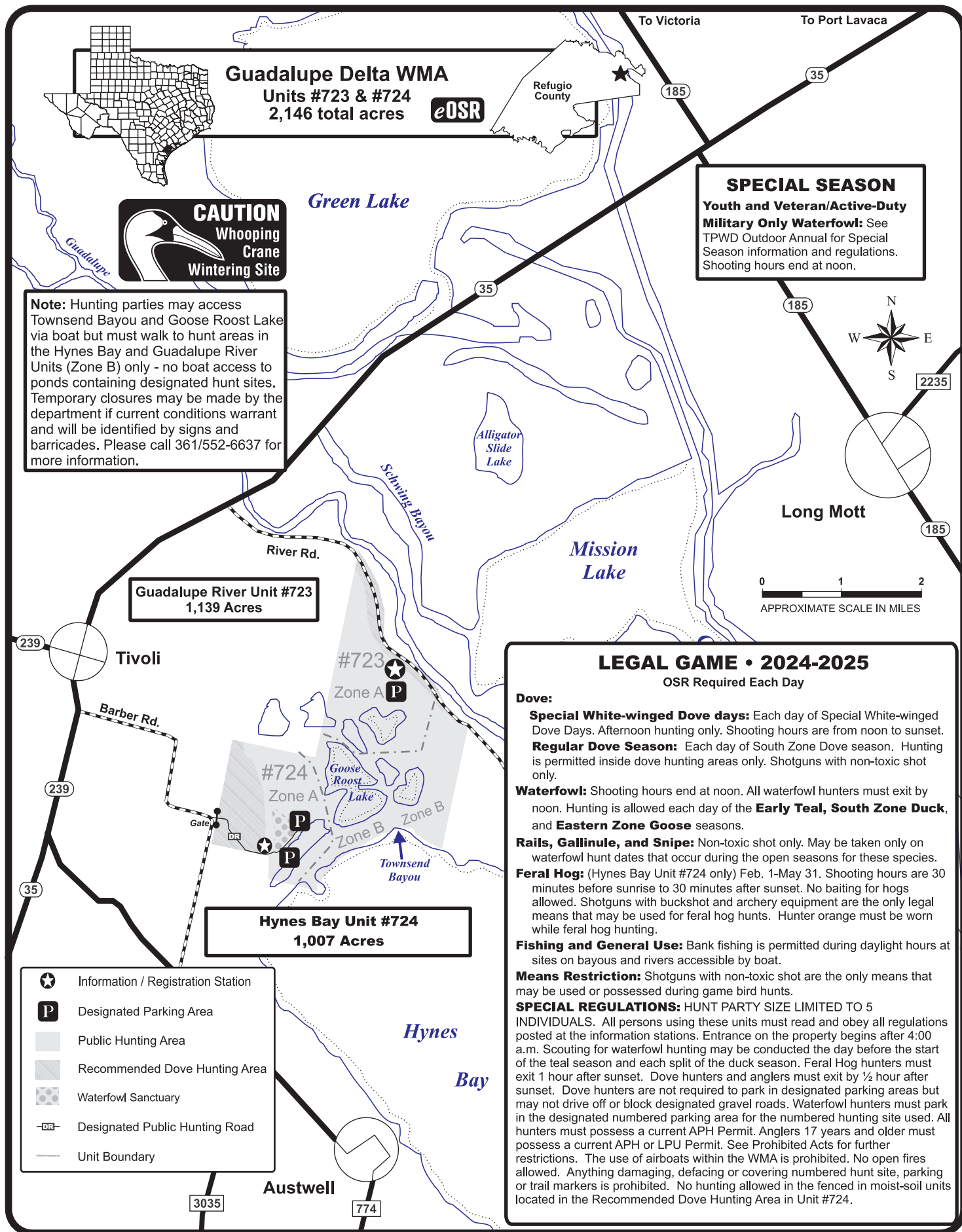
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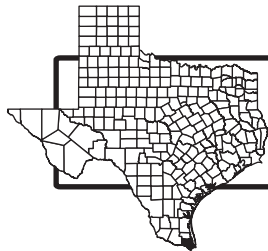
TURKEY HUNTERS:

Harvest reporting is now **MANDATORY** statewide.









Resaca de la Palma SP

Unit #1743

252 acres

Cameron
County

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

Dove:

Special Season: Regular (daily) Permit: Sept. 1-2 and 6-8. Shooting hours are from noon to sunset.

Dove: Regular (daily) Permit: Sept. 14-15 and Sept. 21-22.

Means Restriction: Shotguns are the only firearms that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: A **Regular Permit** (available at park Visitor's Center) is required to participate during these hunts. Hunters may purchase the \$20 Regular Permit at the park's Visitor Center (entrance off New Carmen Ave.) or may use the APH Permit. The \$20 Regular Permit fee is waived for persons possessing an APH Permit and for supervised minors. See Texas Parks and Wildlife Outdoor Annual for Dove regulations.

-  Information/Registration Station
-  Designated Access Point
-  Public Hunting Area
-  SP Boundary



281

New Carmen Avenue

Water
Tower

Veterans
Memorial
High
School

Charger Ln.

281

To Brownsville

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES

Resaca

De La Palma

State Park

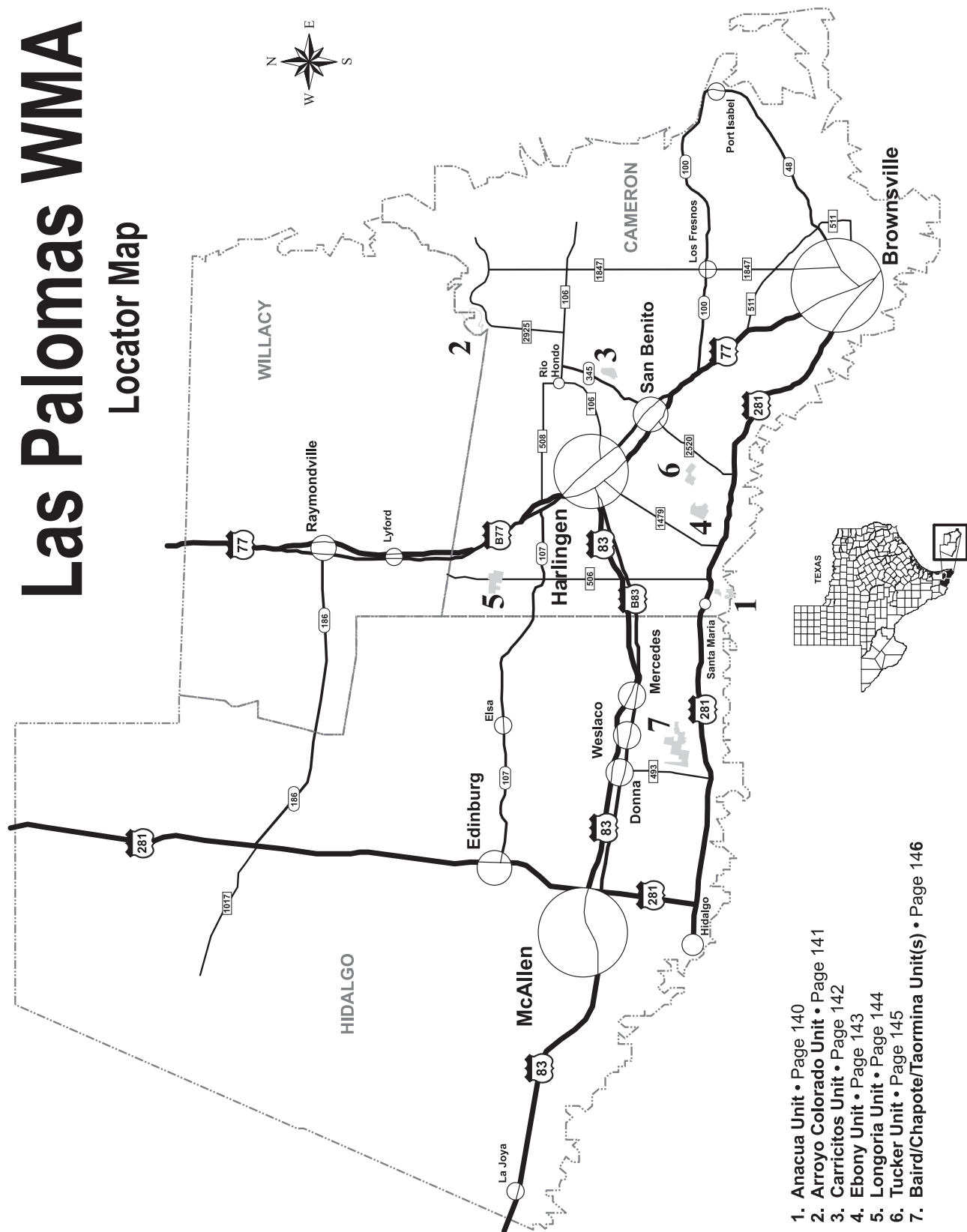
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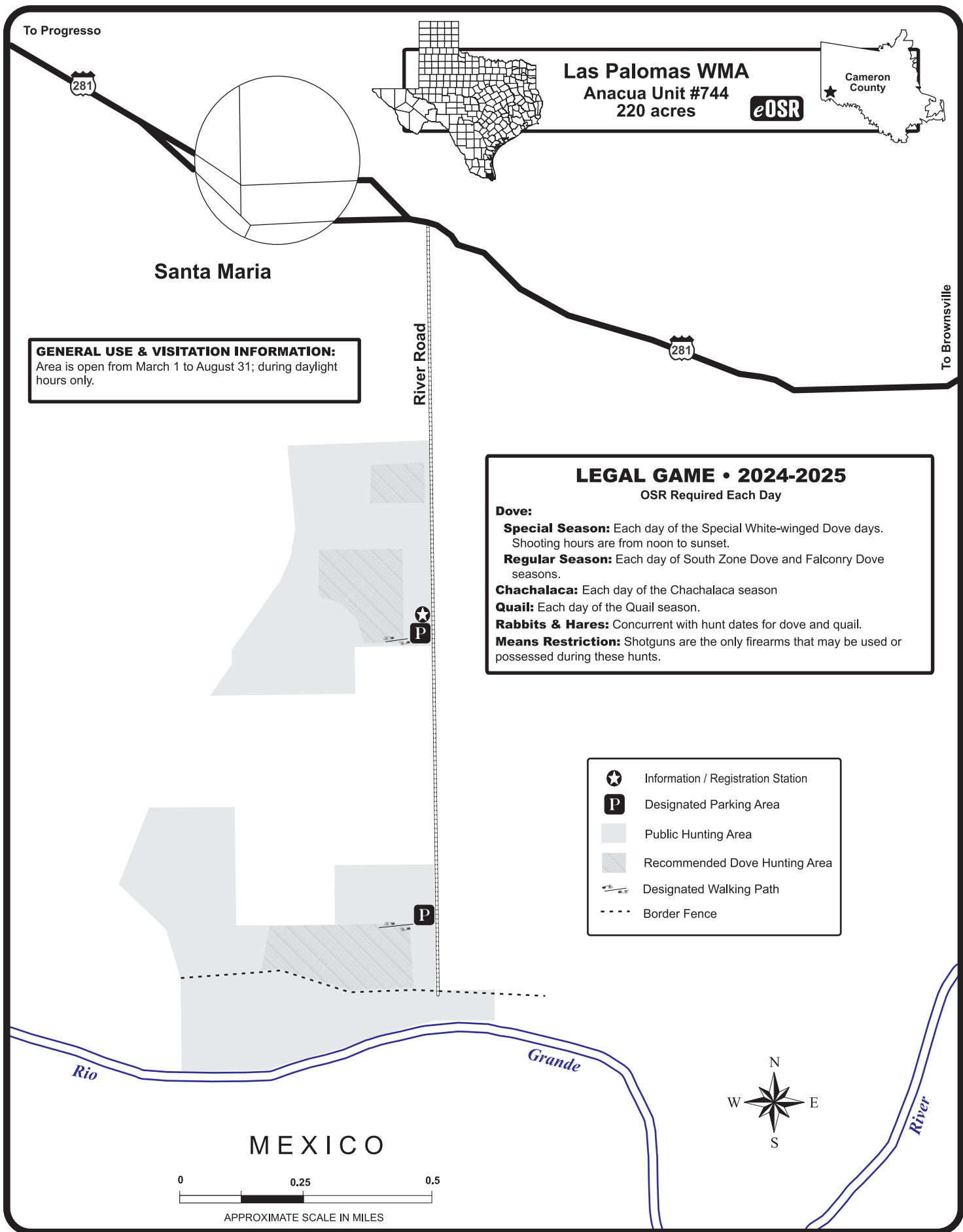
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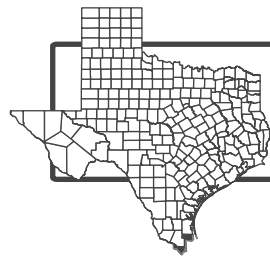
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LAS PALOMAS WMA

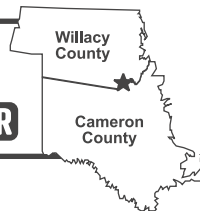
Las Palomas WMA Locator Map







Las Palomas WMA
Arroyo Colorado Unit #739
57 acres



Willacy County

Willacy County

Cameron County

ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Nov. 2-3, Nov. 11-15, Nov. 23-24, Nov. 29-Dec. 1, Dec. 14-15, Dec. 27-30, Jan. 10-12.



Information Station



Public Hunting Area



Information Station



Designated Public Hunting Road

GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION:

Area is open from March 1 to August 31; during daylight hours only.

Las Palomas WMA

Colorado

2925

To Laguna Atascosa
National Wildlife Refuge

Cameron County

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OSR Required Each Day

Dove:

Special Season: Each day of the Special White-winged Dove days. Shooting hours are from noon to sunset.

Regular Season: Each day of the South Zone Dove and Falconry Dove seasons, except dates ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.

Quail: Each day of the Quail season.

Chachalaca: Each day of the Chachalaca season.

Rabbits & Hares: Concurrent with hunt dates for dove and quail.

Means Restriction: Shotguns are the only firearms that may be used or possessed during these hunts.

Willacy County

Cameron County

Arroyo

2925

Johnson Road

Centerline Road

Alexander Road

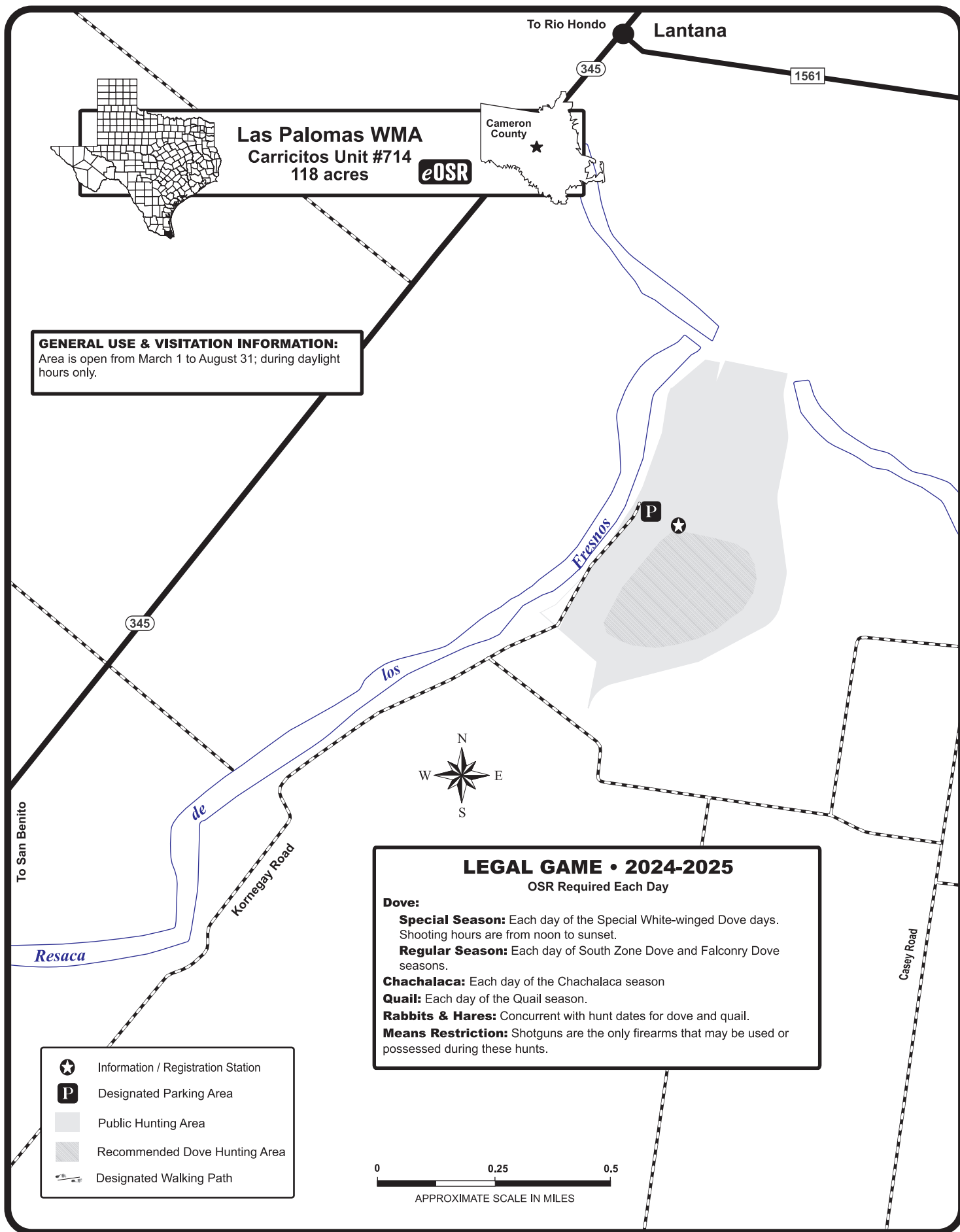
Tauberd Road

To FM 106 and
Rio Hondo

North Olmito Road



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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES



Rangerville

675

Las Palomas WMA
Ebony Unit #719
266 acres

eOSR

Cameron
County

509

1479

Jimenez Road

675

GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION:

Area is open from March 1 to August 31; during daylight hours only.



Information Station



Public Hunting Area



Recommended Dove Hunting Area



Stream/bed



Field Road

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OSR Required Each Day

Dove:

Special Season: Each day of the Special White-winged Dove days. Shooting hours are from noon to sunset.

Regular Season: Each day of South Zone Dove and Falconry Dove seasons.

Quail: Each day of the Quail season.

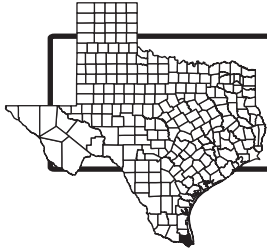
Chachalaca: Each day of the Chachalaca season.

Rabbits & Hares: Concurrent with hunt dates for dove and quail.

Means Restriction: Shotguns are the only firearms that may be used or possessed during these hunts.



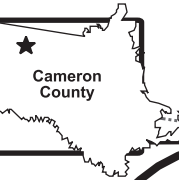
APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES



Las Palomas WMA

Longoria Unit #741
373 acres

eOSR



Sebastian

506

Willacy County
Cameron County

GENERAL USE & VISITATION INFORMATION:

Area is open from March 1 to August 31; during daylight hours only.



Information Station



Designated Parking Area



ADA Compliant Access Trail



Public Hunting Area



Recommended Dove Hunting Area



Designated Public Hunting Road

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OSR Required Each Day

Dove:

Special Season: Each day of Special White-winged Dove days. Shooting hours are from noon to sunset.

Regular Season: Each day of South Zone Dove and Falconry Dove seasons, except dates ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.

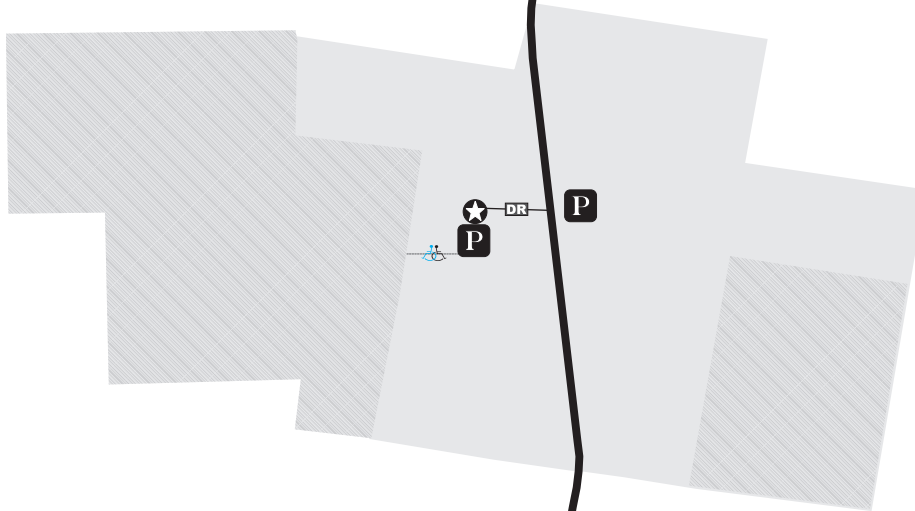
Chachalaca: Each day of the Chachalaca season

Quail: Each day of the Quail season, except dates ENTIRE AREA CLOSED.

Rabbits & Hares: Concurrent with hunt dates for dove and quail.

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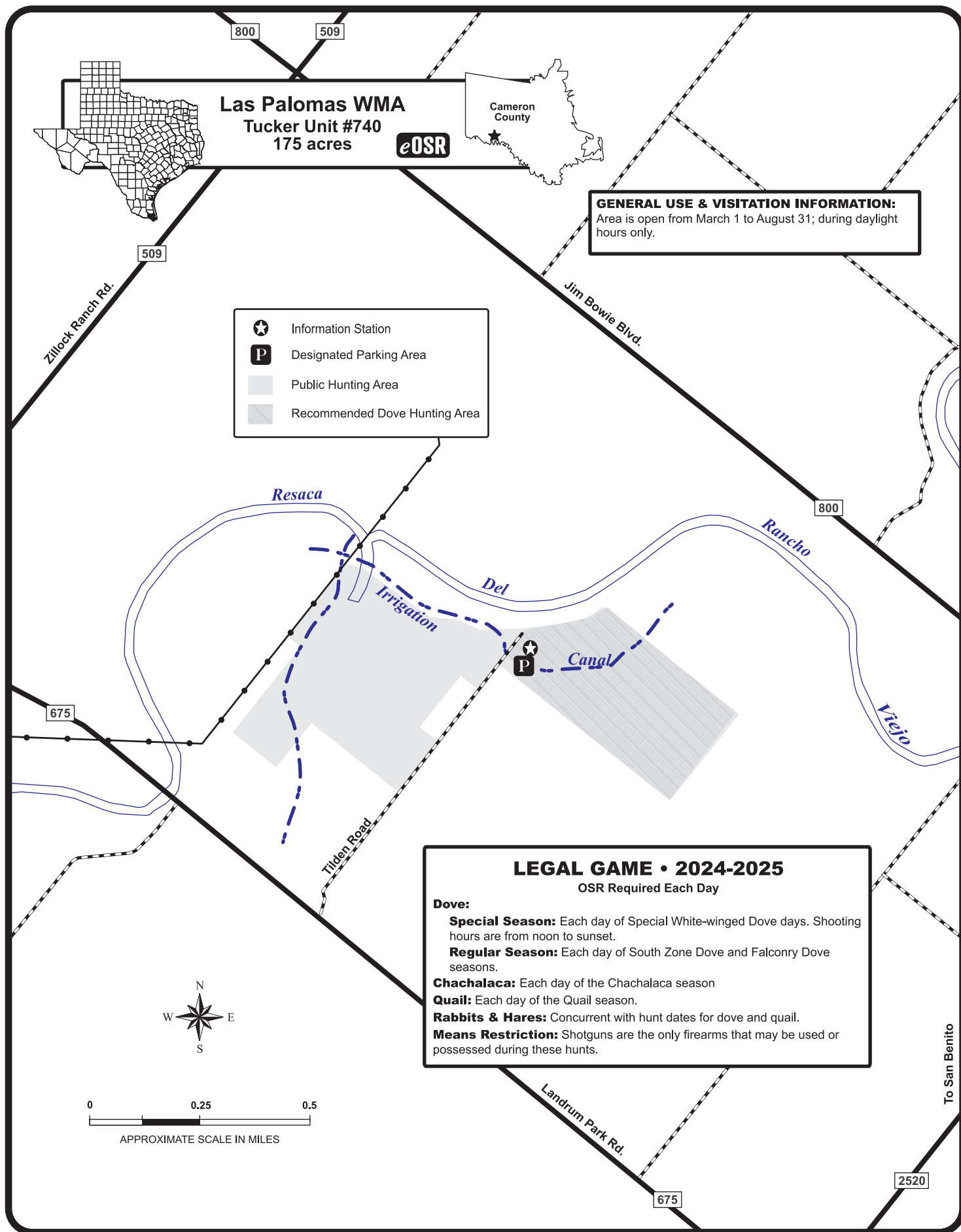
ENTIRE AREA CLOSED: Jan. 18-19 and 25-26.

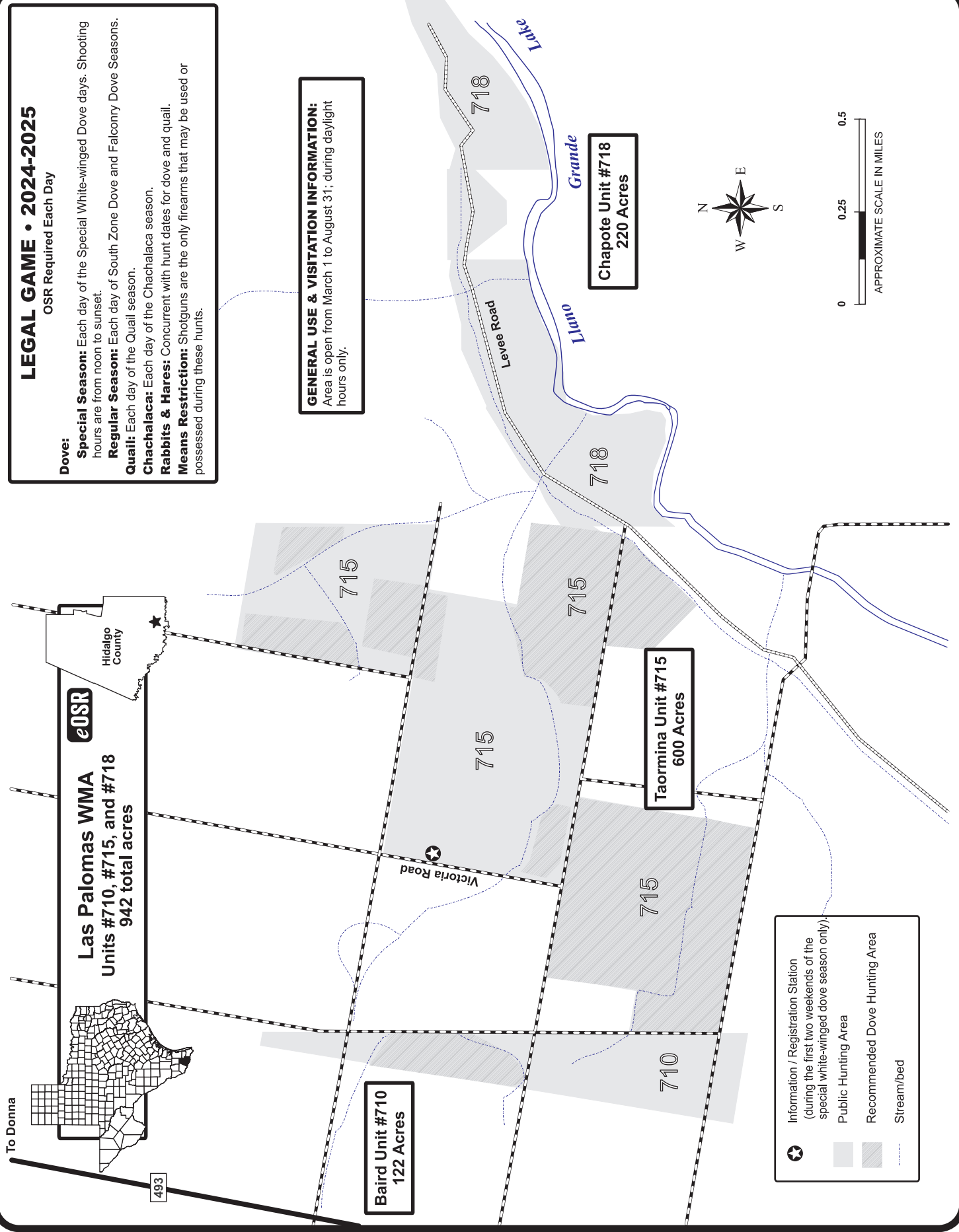


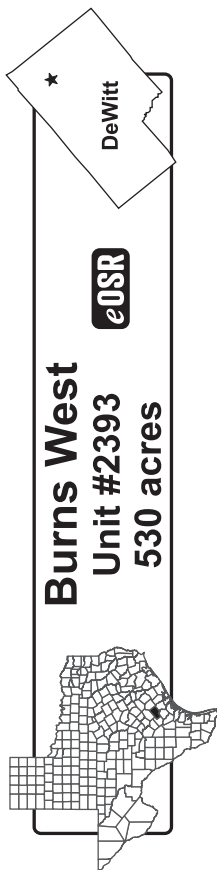
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To Santa Rosa

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APPROXIMATE SCALE IN MILES







Burns West
Unit #2393
530 acres

eOSR

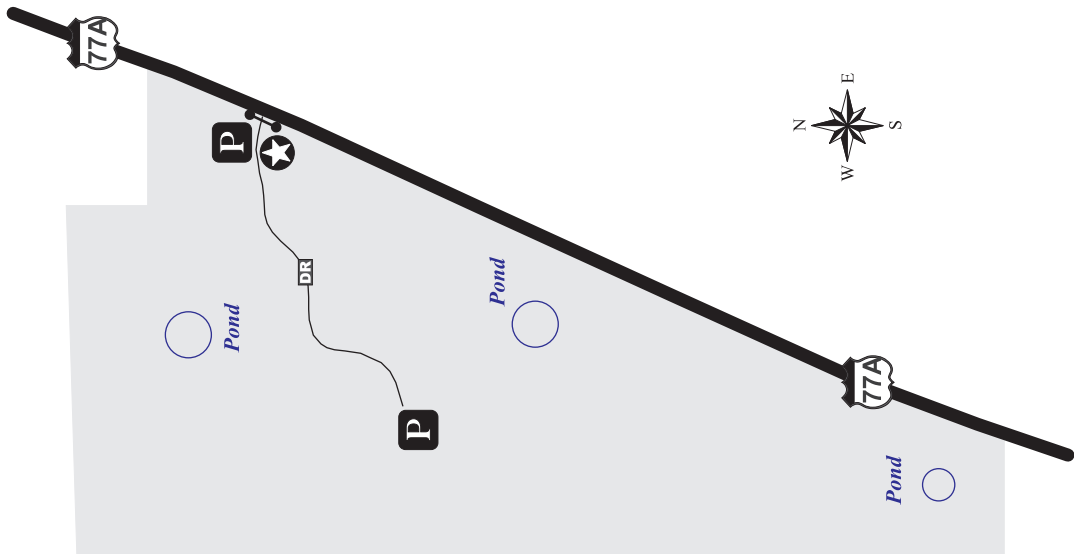
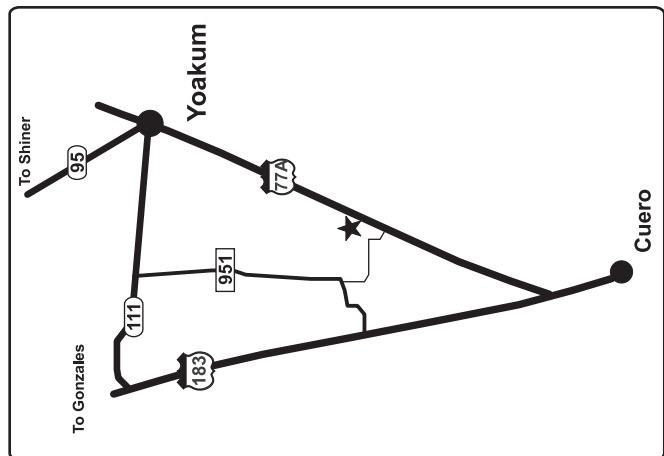
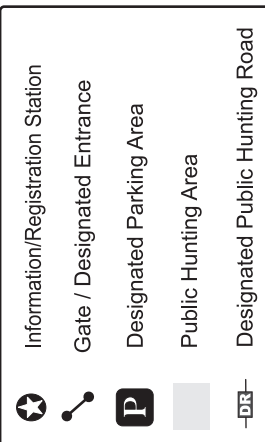
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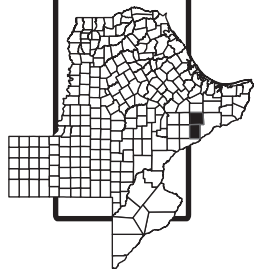
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OSR Required Each Day

Dove: Each day of the Special White-winged Dove days, First and Second Split of the South Zone Dove season (Mourning, White-winged, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

Special Regulations: The entrance gate must remain locked at all times. The combination is the unit number (2393). During wet weather use entrance parking area only.





Chaparral WMA Unit #700 15,200 acres

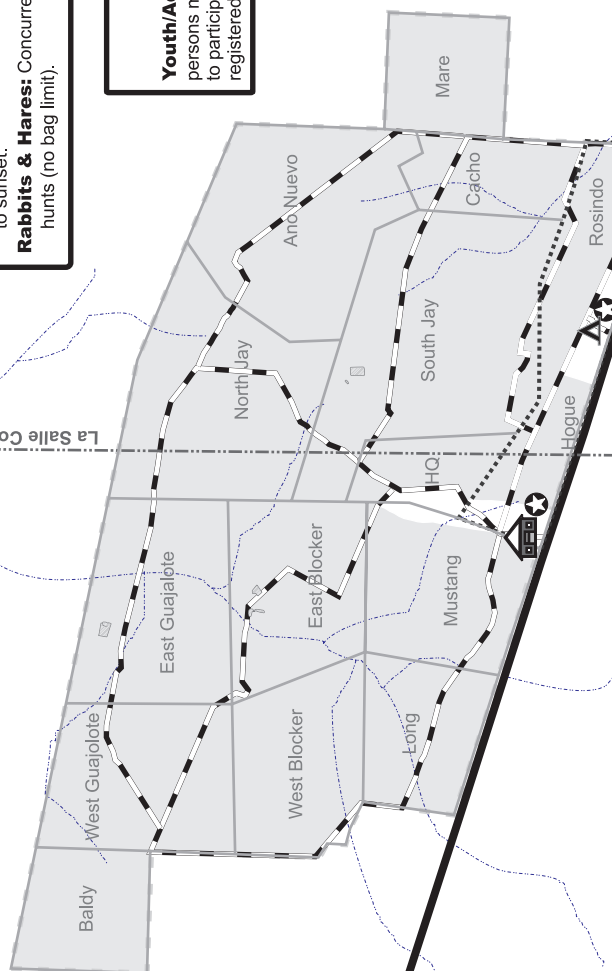
Dimmit County

La Salle County

To Cotulla

To Laredo

To Catarina



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ALL PUBLIC USERS MUST REGISTER AT THE AREA HEADQUARTERS.

NOTE: Only the following species are legal to hunt and only on the dates designated below. Hunters are limited to the first 150 persons registered per day.

Dove:

Special Season: Sept. 1-2, Sept. 6-8, and Sept. 13.

Regular Season: Sept. 14-15, Sept. 26-29, Oct. 3-6.

Falconry Season: Concurrent with dates for regular dove and quail season.

Quail: Oct. 26-27, Jan. 4-5, Jan. 21-22, Jan. 28-29. Shooting hours are ½ hour before sunrise to sunset.

Rabbits & Hares: Concurrent with hunt dates and times for dove and quail, including youth hunts (no bag limit).

Special Season

Youth/Adult Quail: Oct. 19-20. Each party of 4 persons must have at least 1 youth under 17 years of age to participate. Hunters are limited to the first 150 persons registered per day.

E-POSTCARD SELECTION HUNTS

Multi-Species.

See front section of booklet for E-Postcard Selection Hunt information.

NOTICE

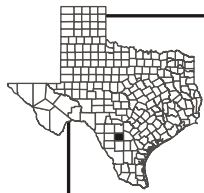
No general seasons for big game. All deer, javelina, and feral hog hunts are by drawn special permit only. See the Public Hunt Draw System on the TPWD website for more information.

ENTIRE AREA CLOSED TO GENERAL PUBLIC USE: Sep. 1-Mar. 31.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: Falconers must visibly wear a minimum of 400 square inches of daylight fluorescent orange material, with at least 144 square inches appearing on both the chest and the back and orange headwear. **All shotgun hulls, shell boxes and other trash must be retrieved from the field by hunters and disposed of off the WMA.** Portions of the Chaparral WMA will be closed due to ongoing Mineral Activities or Research on the Area. Such closures are necessary for safety reasons but will be limited by staff to provide as quality an experience as possible. Removing plants, shed antlers, artifacts, skulls, and/or live animals is prohibited. Killing of rattlesnakes or any other wildlife species other than legal game animals is prohibited. The use of ATVs/ORVs is prohibited. The use of horses is prohibited. Overnight access is limited to the designated campsites ONLY. **Open period for general public use on the WMA is Apr. 1 - Aug. 31** and is limited to the area designated on the area map (Hogue & Rosendo Pastures Only). On-site Registration is required at the Area Headquarters or Camping Area Kiosk for all visitors year-round. No permit required for the Driving or Walking trails. Other visitation by appointment is available for educational groups, field days, or special interest. Visit the Chaparral WMA Facebook page for further information or call the Area office at 830/676-3413 or e-mail at cwma@tpwd.texas.gov.



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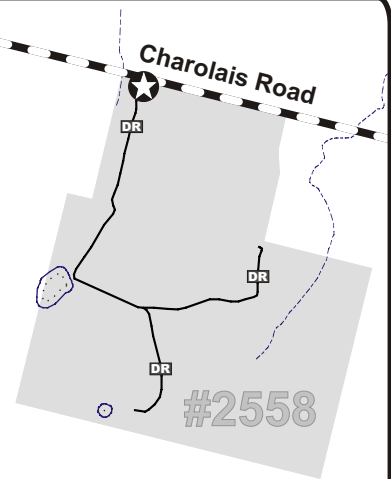


Mimosa Farms
Coleman Unit #2418
408 acres
Young Unit #2558
246 acres

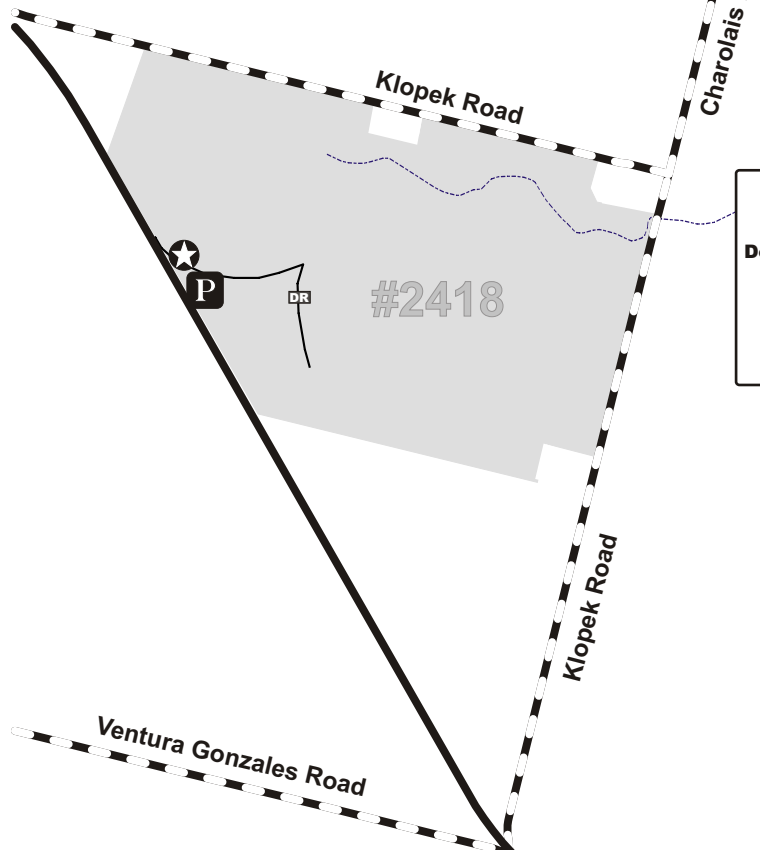
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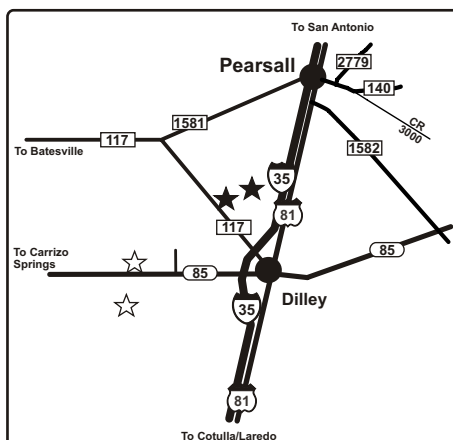
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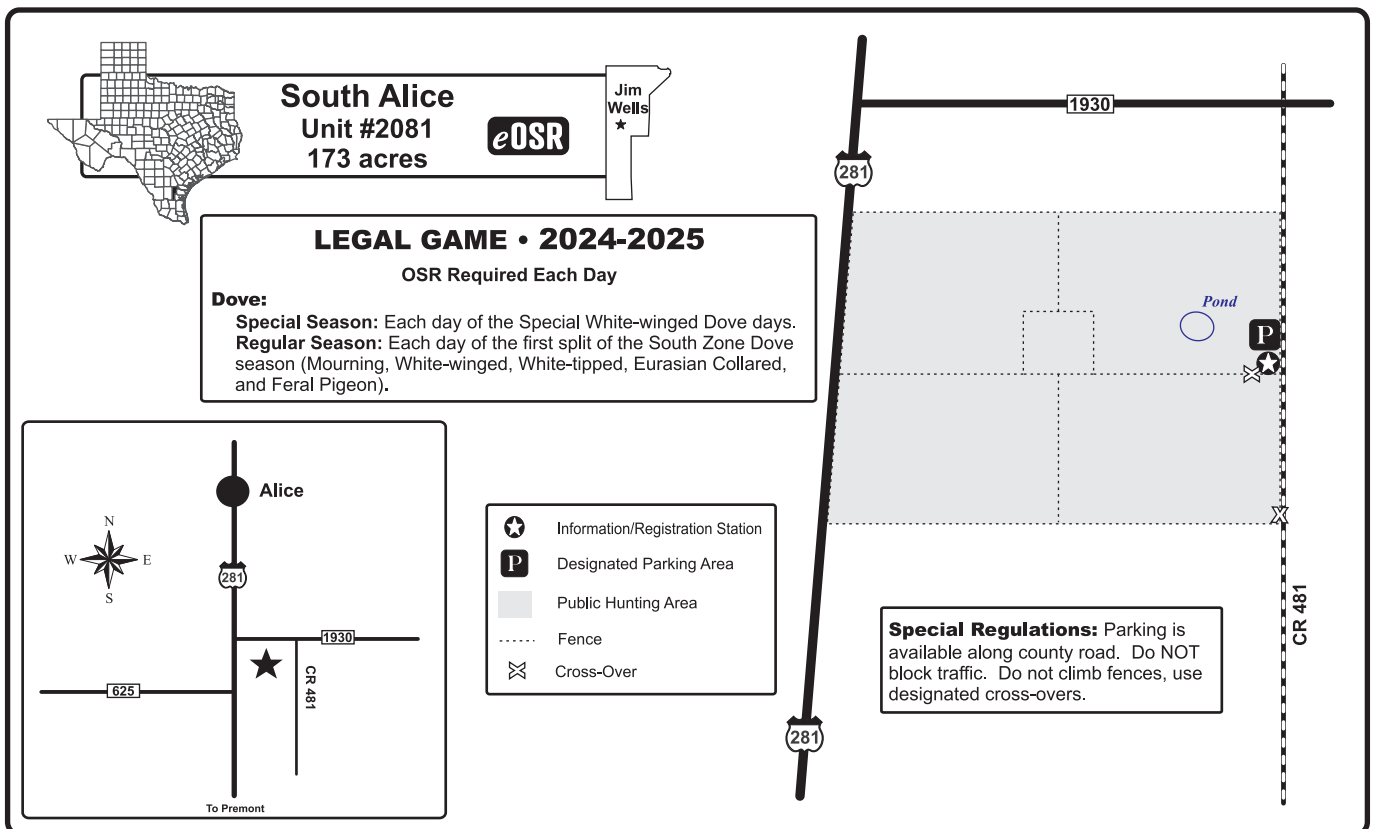
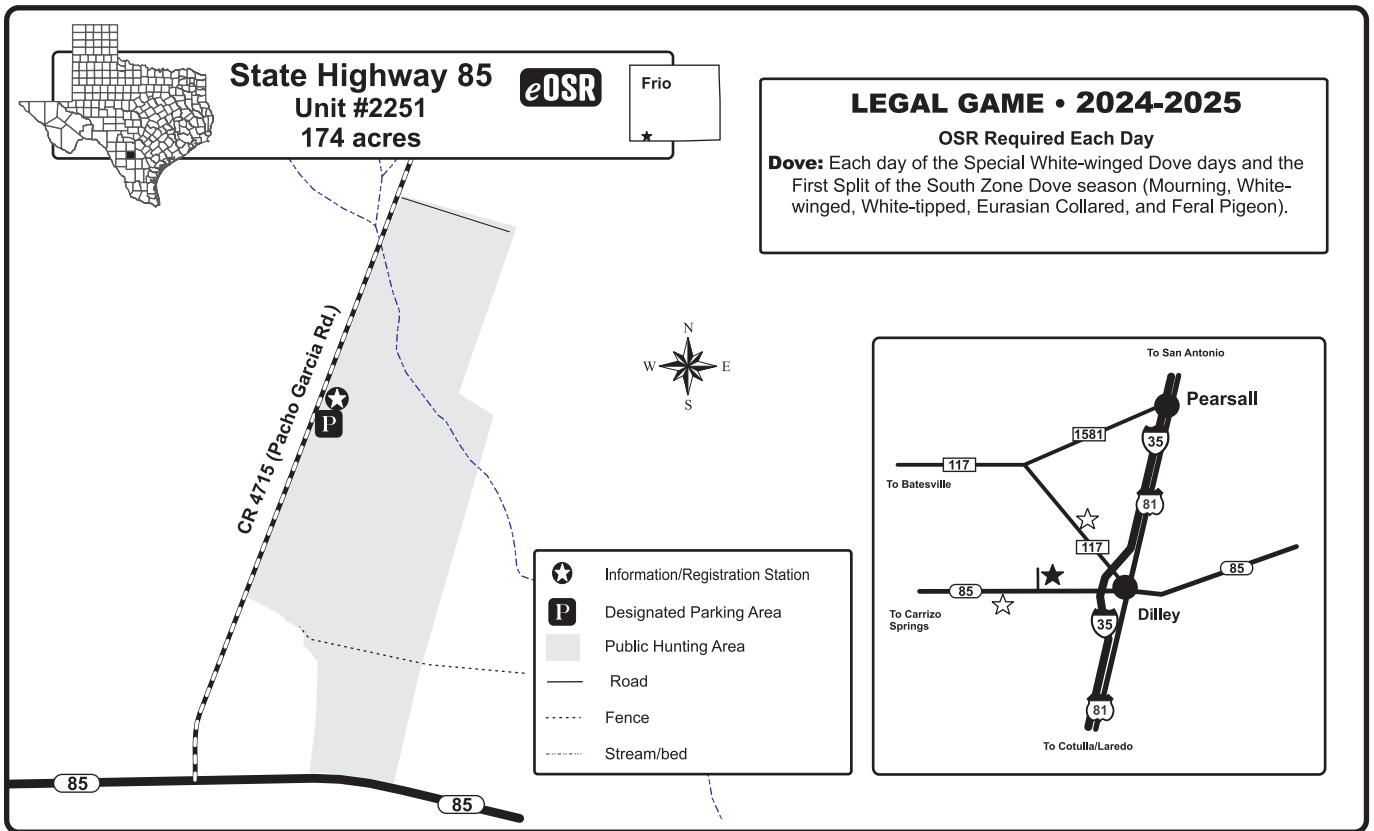
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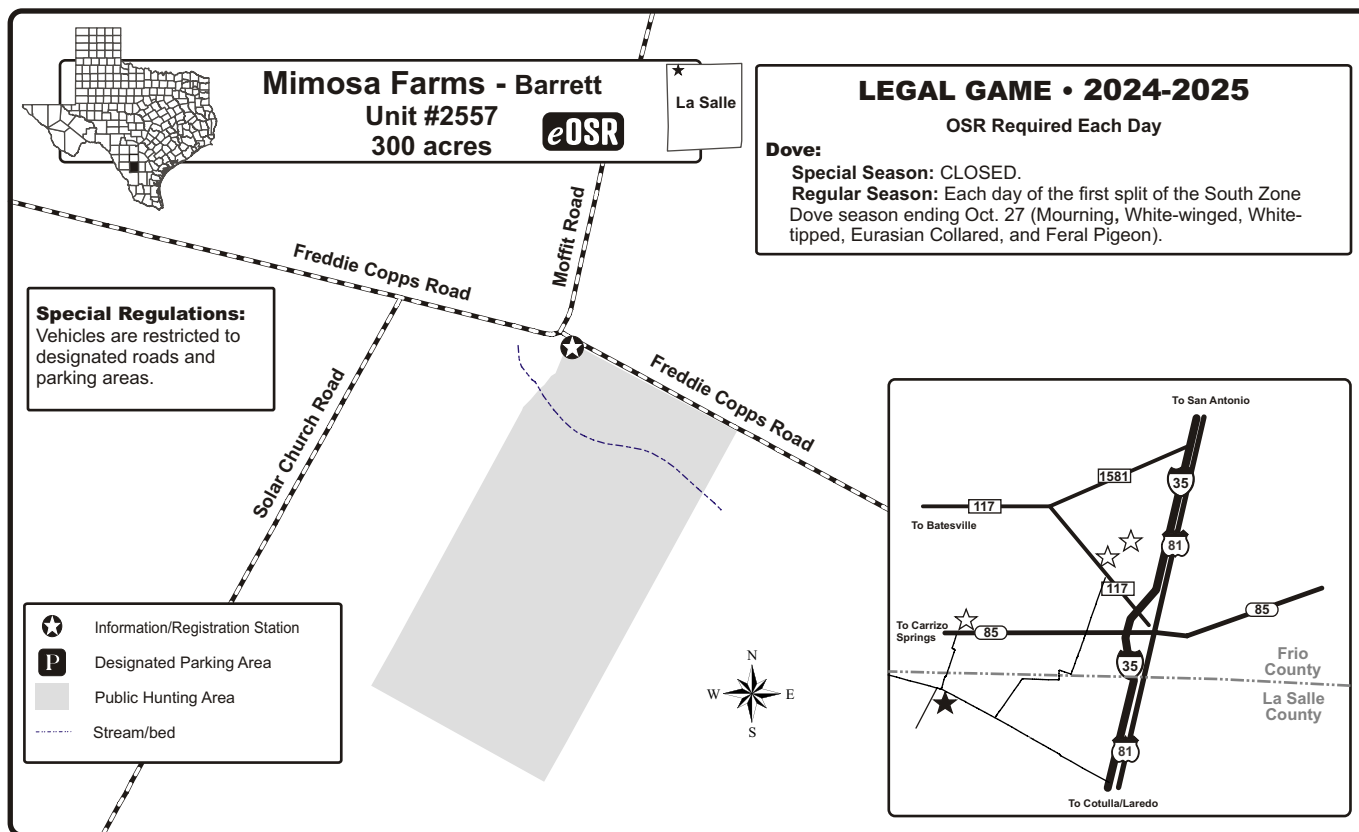
Regular Season: Each day of the first split of the South Zone Dove season ending Oct. 27 (Mourning, White-winged, White-tipped, Eurasian Collared, and Feral Pigeon).

Special Regulations: Vehicles are restricted to designated roads and parking areas.

- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Public Hunting Area
- Pond/Lake
- Stream/bed
- DR- Designated Public Hunting Road







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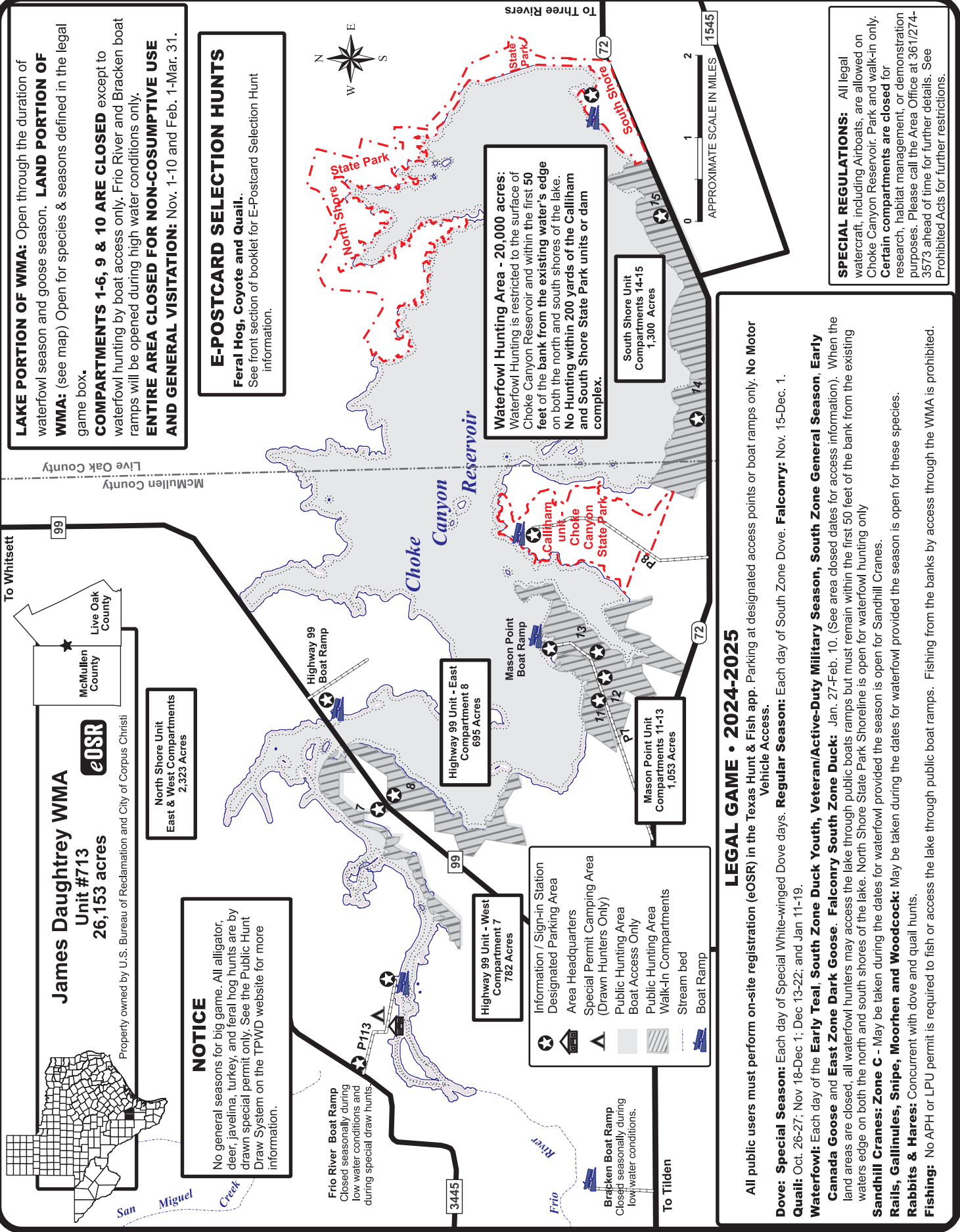
- Electronically complete On-Site Registration
- Perform mandatory harvest reporting

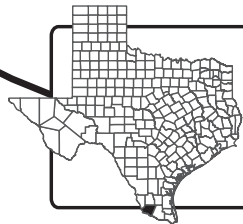


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TURKEY HUNTERS:

Harvest reporting is now
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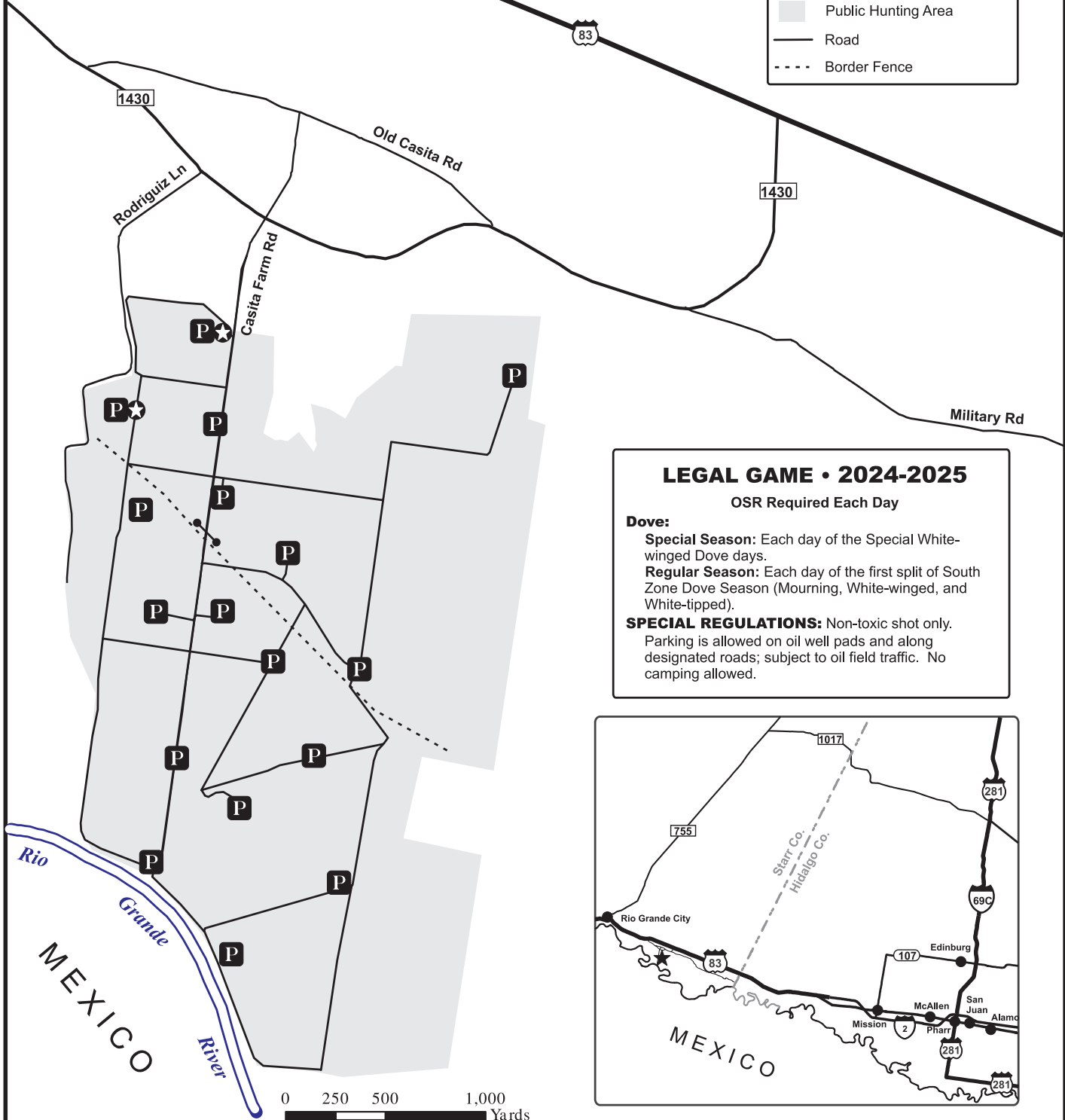


Lower Rio Grande Valley NWR La Casita East Unit #506 1400 acres

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- ★ Information/Registration Station
- P Designated Parking Area
- Gate / Designated Entrance
- Public Hunting Area
- Road
- - - Border Fence



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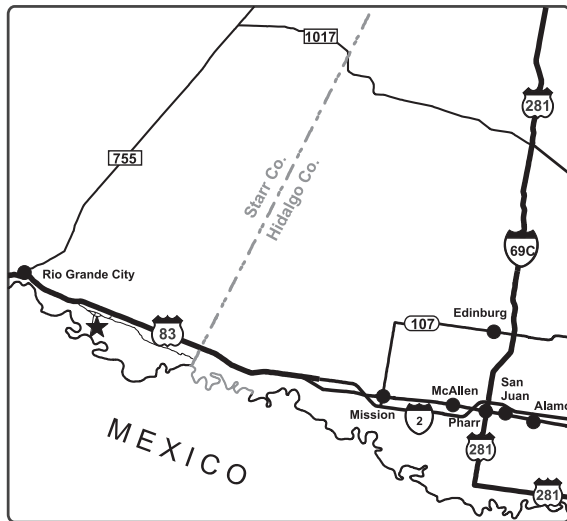
Dove:

Special Season: Each day of the Special White-winged Dove days.

Regular Season: Each day of the first split of South Zone Dove Season (Mourning, White-winged, and White-tipped).

SPECIAL REGULATIONS:

Non-toxic shot only.
Parking is allowed on oil well pads and along designated roads; subject to oil field traffic. No camping allowed.



SCHEDULE OF RECREATIONAL USE AND VISITATION OF PUBLIC HUNTING LANDS

September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2025

Recreational use is defined as any activity other than hunting or fishing. The following is a schedule of provisions for recreational visitation on certain units of public lands listed in this Map Booklet. The types of public visitation, access permit required, and on-site registration requirements are indicated for each unit. **Recreational users are advised to check with the area for specific information on recreational activities. IMPORTANT: Public hunts may be in progress on these areas during times recreational access is allowed.** You are advised to check the unit maps to determine hunt dates before you plan your visit. At times when hunting with firearms is authorized, all general users within the hunt area must meet established requirements for visibly wearing 400 square inches of hunter orange material with at least 144 square inches appearing on both chest and back and orange headwear.

APH = Annual Public Hunting Permit

LPU = Limited Public Use Permit

COE = U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

XX = No permit required of persons using only driving tours or nature trails.

USFS = U.S. Forest Service

NOTE: Individuals need have only one of the required permits for the specified area.

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Page	Unit Number	Area Name	General Visitation	Access Permit	On-Site Registration	Driving Tour	Nature Trail	Day Use Only	Camping	Wildlife Viewing	Hiking	Bicycling	Equestrian
5	702	Matador WMA (806/492-3405)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes	●			●	●	●		
6	751	Playa Lakes WMA - Taylor Lakes Unit (806/492-3405)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes			●		●	●		
14-15	755	Gene Howe WMA (806/323-8642)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes				●	●	●		
32	701	Black Gap WMA (432/376-2216)	portions open year-round; contact area manager for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes	●	●		●	●	●	●	●
33	725	Elephant Mountain WMA (432/364-2228)	contact area manager for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes	●			●	●	●		
40	1096	Lake Colorado City SP (325/728-3931)	governed by state park rules	park	yes		●		●	●	●		
42	1001	Abilene SP (325/572-3204)	governed by state park rules	park	yes		●		●	●	●	●	
43	1166	San Angelo SP (325/947-2687)	governed by state park rules	park	yes		●		●	●	●	●	●
44	502	Twin Buttes PHL (325/651-4844)	open year-round	APH or LPU	yes			●	●	●	●	●	
52-53	501	Ray Roberts PHL (COE) (940/627-5475)	open year-round	none	yes			●		●	●		
56	731	Cooper WMA (COE) (903/945-3132)	open year-round	none	no			●		●	●	●	
58-59	901	Caddo Grasslands WMA (USFS) (940/627-5475)	open year-round	none	yes				●	●	●	●	●
60	602	Bois D'Arc Lake PHL (NTWCD) (469) 626-4760	open year-round	none	yes			●					
62	1155	South Sulphur Unit-Cooper Lake SP (903/945-5256)	governed by state park rules	park	yes		●		●	●	●		●
65	708	Tawakoni WMA (903/881-8233)	open year-round	APH or LPU	no				●	●	●		●
66	705	Pat Mayse WMA (COE) (903/328-9597)	contact area manager for specifics	APH or LPU	no				●	●	●		●
71	733	Big Lake Bottom WMA (903/389-7080)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes					●			
72	754	Gus Engeling WMA (903/928-2251)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes	●			●	●			
74	727	White Oak Creek WMA (COE) (903/884-3800)	open year-round	none	no			●		●	●		●
75	601	Lake Striker PHL (903/854-2404 Private Marina)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes			●	●				
76	730	Caddo Lake WMA (903/679-9817)	open year-round	APH or LPU	no				●	●	●	●	
79	707	Angelina Neches/Dam B WMA (COE) (936/569-8547)	open year-round	none	yes		●		●	●	●	●	
80-81	747	Alazan Bayou WMA (936/569-8547)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes				●	●			●
82	630	Sabine River Authority 630 (936/569-8547)	open year-round	APH or LPU	no				●	●	●	●	●
83	902	Moore Plantation WMA (USFS) (409/625-1940)	open year-round	none	yes				●	●	●	●	●
84	903	Bannister WMA (USFS) (936/897-1068)	open year-round	none	yes				●	●	●	●	●

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85	615	North Toledo Bend WMA (936/639-1879)	open year-round	APH or LPU	yes				●	●	●		●
86	732	Old Sabine Bottom WMA (903/881-8233)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes				●	●	●	●	●
87	904	Alabama Creek WMA (USFS) (936/553-7641)	open year-round	none	yes	●			●	●	●	●	●
96-97	703	Richland Creek WMA (903/389-7080)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes				●	●	●	●	●
98	711	Somerville PHL (COE) (979/289-2392)	contact the WMA for specifics	none	yes			●		●	●	●	
107	607	Luminant Texas 607 (979/696-4148)	open year-round	APH or LPU	yes					●	●	●	●
110	709	Granger PHL (COE) (512/859-2668)	portions open year-round; contact the WMA for specifics	none	no				●	●	●	●	
113	716	Nannie Stringfellow WMA (979/323-9669)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes					●			
114-115	721	Justin Hurst WMA (979/323-9669)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU or XX	yes		●	●		●	●	●	
118-119	783	J.D. Murphree WMA (409/736-2551)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes			●		●			
120	1055	Sea Rim SP (409/971-2559)	governed by state park rules	park	yes		●		●	●	●		
123	729	Mad Island WMA (979/323-9669)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes			●		●			
124-125	728	Lower Neches WMA (409/736-2551)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	no		●	●		●	●		
126	712	Tony Houseman/Blue Elbow Swamp WMA (936/569-8547)	open year-round	APH or LPU	yes		●	●		●	●		
127	1044	Huntsville SP (936/295-5644)	governed by state park rules	park	yes		●		●	●	●	●	●
128-129	905	Sam Houston National Forest WMA (USFS) (936/344-6205)	open year-round	none	yes				●	●	●	●	●
135	722	Matagorda Island WMA (361/205-1510)	portions open year-round; contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes				●	●	●	●	
136-137	720	Guadalupe Delta WMA (361/552-8637)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes			●		●			
138	1743	Resaca de la Palma SP (956/350-2920)	governed by state park rules	park	yes		●	●		●	●		
140-146		Las Palomas WMA Units (956/532-3009)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes		●			●	●		
148	700	Chaparral WMA (830/676-3413)	contact area manager for additional details; open Apr. 1-Aug. 31	APH or LPU or XX	yes	●	●	●	●	●		●	
152	713	James E. Daughtrey WMA (361/274-3573)	contact the WMA for specifics	APH or LPU	yes					●			