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refuge office to enter the random draw can apply for this hunt by calling the deer weekend. Disabled youth hunters wheelchair during the statewide youth (11-15) permanently confined to a blinds are set aside for youth hunters process. Five disabled access hunting refuge office to enter the random draw apply for these hunts by calling the hunt weekends. Disabled hunters can to a wheelchair during the managed aside for hunters permanently confined (Muzzleloader) Hunt Area are set blinds within the Special Managed

Wheelchair-Confined Deer Hunts

Five disabled access hunting

(see muzzleloader section). process as the muzzleloader hunters apply for the hunt utilizing the same in early November: Youths (11-15) may A youth deer hunt is offered each year Youth Deer Hunt

www.missouriconservation.org/hunt/ apply directly for a hunt, go on-line to website at http://www.mdc.mo.gov/. To able to the public by visiting the State year. General information is availof Conservation by mid-summer each contacting the Missouri Department apply for annual muzzleloader hunt by managed draw system. Hunters may selected through the State of Missouri year for deer hunters who have been Muzzleloader Hunts are offered each (Muzzleloader) Deer Hunt Special Managed

Other Hunting Opportunities

Incidental take of raccoon or bobcat is allowed during the statewide furbearer season during any refuge hunt by legal means for that game species until the daily bag limit for that game species is taken.

Raccoon hunting with dogs or night hunts open refuge-wide during the state furbearer season by Special Use Permit only (contact refuge office for special

Feral hogs may be taken incidental to any refuge hunt with weapons legal for that hunt until the daily bag limit of game is taken No other hunting is allowed on the refuge.

Hunter Access Regulations

All hunters must enter and exit the refuge only on designated access roads and entry points. The primary access point for hunters is located at the entrance to Red Mill Drive on Bluff Road. Other designated access roads are located at School House, McGee, Duck Creek, and Rabbit Ridge (Co. Rd. 518). In addition, hunters may enter through designated refuge gates along Highway 51. Registered hunters may access the public hunt area and designated access roads 1 1/2 hours before legal shooting hours until 1 1/2 hours after legal shooting hours. From October 1st until March 1st, the Public Hunt Area is closed to all public use except for authorized hunters.

Hunter sign-in stations are located at key entry locations. All hunters are required to register daily at the StationsHunter Sign-In Stations and have in their possession a free refuge hunting brochure with the hunter's signature while hunting on the refuge. Before departing the refuge, hunters must also complete and provide hunt information on an OMB approved hunter harvest

report located at the exit kiosks.

hunter at all times. are under the immediate control of the fowl hunting only, provided the dogs hunting dogs is permitted for waterlegal sunrise until 1 p.m. The use of hours for waterfowl are 1/2 hour defore Pool 8 and Pool 7. Authorized hunting Creek Conservation Area to hunt in through a daily draw process at Duck season. Hunters are required to go be determined prior to the start of the be allowed only 3 days a week and will on habitat conditions. Pool 7 hunts will rent with the State season, dependent Pool 8 and Pool 7 and is open concur-Waterfowl hunting is available within

use and possess nontoxic shot on the shotgun. Shotgun hunters may only or sagairtres eartridges or season. Hunters may use a rifle the opening day of statewide archety hunting closes the evening before the State season except that squirrel Squirtel hunting is concurrent with Season (Firearm)

Fall Waterfowl Season (Firearm)

nontoxic shot on the refuge. hunters may only use and possess the youth turkey season. Shotgun with the State season and does include Spring turkey season is concurrent Spring Turkey Season (Firearm)

Spring and Summer Squirrel

Public Hunting Area

The Public Hunting Area is 12,649 acres that generally encompasses the area east of Ditch 6 and north of Ditch 11 while excluding such areas as Gum Stump Pool, Rockhouse Marsh (as posted), Monopoly Marsh (to water's edge), Hwy 51 Overlook Area, and the flooded impoundments (See Map).

Accessible

School House Accessible Trail offers paved access to three wheelchair accessible hunting blinds for large and small game hunting. The trail is available on a first-come, first-serve basis for hunters with disabilities and their partners.

Weapons

Weapons legally possessed for hunting on the refuge are the same as those prescribed by the state of Missouri.

Crossbows may be used by hunters per State regulations.

The discharging of firearms, including air guns or any other weapons, on a national wildlife refuge is strictly prohibited except as authorized for hunters with a valid refuge hunting brochure and permit while engaged in authorized activities during established seasons.

Dogs

Tagging

Other Restrictions Dogs are permitted for waterfowl and raccoon hunting only. Waterfowl hunting dogs must be leashed or under strict voice command at all times. All game harvested must be tagged as prescribed by state regulations and checked through authorized state harvest reporting procedures.

si əmsg to timil gad yliab ədt litnu legal hunting with archery equipment Peral hogs may be taken incidental to limit for that game species is taken. statewide seasons until the daily bag equipment concurrent with respective state archery season by use of archery and bobcats is allowed during the Incidental take of squirrels, raccoons, name, address, and phone number: must be clearly marked with owner's must remove stands daily. All stands Highland Auto Tour Road, hunters of Ditch 11 and south of the Ozark the area between Ditch 4 and 6, north after the State archery deer season. In from two weeks before until two weeks ber hunter is permitted on the refuge permit. Only one portable tree stand mrearing is allowed only with a firearm the State firearm season, archery overlapping Managed Hunts). During Ditch 4 is subject to closure during any October 31. (Note: Hunt Area west of Ozark Highland Auto Tour Road closes 6, north of Ditch 11 and south of the except the area between Ditch 4 and concurrent with the State season, Archery deer and turkey hunting are Fall Deer and Turkey Season (Archery)

seasons are offered on the refuge. and regulations. The following hunting Activities section for other restrictions over 18 years of age. See Prohibited contact) by a legally licensed hunter accompanied (in sight and normal voice Hunter Education Certified must be under 16 years of age who are not a Hunter Education Course. Hunters that they have successfully completed after January 1, 1980, must show proof shown on map. Hunters born on or is permitted only in designated areas refuge specific regulations. Hunting apply unless otherwise specified in the The State of Missouri regulations Hunting Regulations and Seasons

Prohibited Activities

- Trapping
- Use or possession of alcoholic beverages while hunting.
- Failure to remove boats, decoys, temporary blinds, and blind materials brought onto the refuge for waterfowl hunting at the end of each hunting day.
- The construction or use of permanent blinds, stands, or scaffolds for waterfowl hunting.
- The use of paint, non-biodegradable flagging, reflectors, tacks or other manmade materials to mark trails or hunting locations.
- The use of climbing spikes, nails, wires screws, bolts, or any item driven into a
- Distribution of bait or hunting with the aid of bait. Baiting includes, but is not limited to, the distribution of grains, feeds, salts, mineral blocks, meats, fruits, and other ingestible attractants.
- Spot-lighting to locate wildlife or for hunting of wildlife.
- Taking of any wildlife or plants (including cutting trees or brush) other than specified in this brochure.
- Searching for or removing any object of antiquity including arrowheads, pottery or other artifacts.
- Blocking of gates or roadways with vehicles.
- Camping/overnight parking and open campfires.
- Shed antler hunting.

Commercial Use

Any commercial use of a national wildlife refuge, including guided hunts, commercial fishing and filming are prohibited except as may be authorized by a refuge Special Use Permit.

outside the Mingo Wilderness Area. Electric trolling motors are permitted is prohibited on all refuge waters. erotom trod berewoq-enilozseg to for each person in a boat. The use personal flotation device is required 1 - End of February. An approved Marsh is closed to boats October end of Gumstump Pool. Monopoly 11, and the lateral ditch on the south permitted in Ditches I, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and Unring the hunt season, boats are only boats may not be left overnight. hunt area on the refuge; however, Hunters may use boats to access the

gates or field-access roads. ATV's are that are delineated on the refuge map.

In addition to the refuge permit,

on the dash of automobiles when on Refuge permits should be displayed

Mingo National Wildlife Refuge

Hearing impaired persons may contact

http://www.fws.gov/refuge/mingo

www.facebook.com/MingoNWR

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Mingo through the Federal Relay Number

24279 State Highway 51

Puxico, Missouri 63960

573/222 3589

at 1 800/877 8339.

1 800/344 WILD

http:www.fws.gov/

available. Otherwise, do not block traffic. Designated parking areas are not interfere with the normal flow of alongside roads in a manner that will needs. Vehicles may be parked to adverse weather or management Roads may be closed at any time due All vehicles are restricted to roads Vehicles

when hunting on the refuge. state required licenses and permits regulations. Hunters must possess all egular do gaibastsraban laubivibai The signed brochure acknowledges

except Special Management Hunts. hunting permit for all Refuge hunts of this brochure serves as a refuge possession of the hunter, the cover on the refuge. When signed and in the participating in other hunter activities brochure when scouting, hunting, or tront cover of the current hunting hunters must sign and possess the

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refuge permit: The following may be used as a mode of transportation. bicycle, equestrian animal, or other vehicle is defined as a non-commercial For the purposes of this regulation, a permit upon entry onto the refuge. vehicle are required to possess a refuge Persons on foot or one occupant of each Refuge Permits

■ Interagency Access Pass (free) Interagency Senior Pass (\$10.00)

Federal Duck Stamp (\$25.00)

■ Daily Entrance Permit (\$3.00)

Refuge Specific Annual Pass (\$12.00)

please call the refuge with questions. hunting area, and property boundaries; to become familiar with the regulations, visiting the refuge, please take the time ensure your safety and enjoyment while contents by refuge and state officers. To bag limits, boats, vehicles, and their permits, licenses, hunting equipment, refuge are subject to inspections of Regulations. Individuals using the forth in Title 50, Code of Federal Mingo National Wildlife Refuge are set The hunting regulations specific to General Regulations

River, and Monopoly Marsh swamp along Stanley Creek, Mingo untrammeled bottomland hardwood bns teerof bnslqu evitiming to acre Mingo Wilderness consisting the Federally designated 7,730western portion of the refuge includes 700 acres of grassland openings. The cropland and moist-soil units, and and natural streams, 1,275 acres of hardwood forest, 5,000 acres of marsh consists of 15,000 acres of bottomland Mingo Basin. The 21,592-acre refuge the bottomland hardwood forest in the for migratory waterfowl and to protect serve as a resting and wintering area of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to established in 1944 under the authority Mingo National Wildlife Refuge was The Refuge

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Mingo

National Wildlife Refuge Hunting Regulations



Mingo National Wildlife Refuge **General Hunt Permit**

Read and sign this brochure before scouting, hunting, or engaging in hunt activities on Mingo National Wildlife Refuge. The signed brochure cover in your possession acknowledges your understanding of refuge hunting regulations. This is an annual brochure. To save tax dollars. please use this brochure for the entire season.

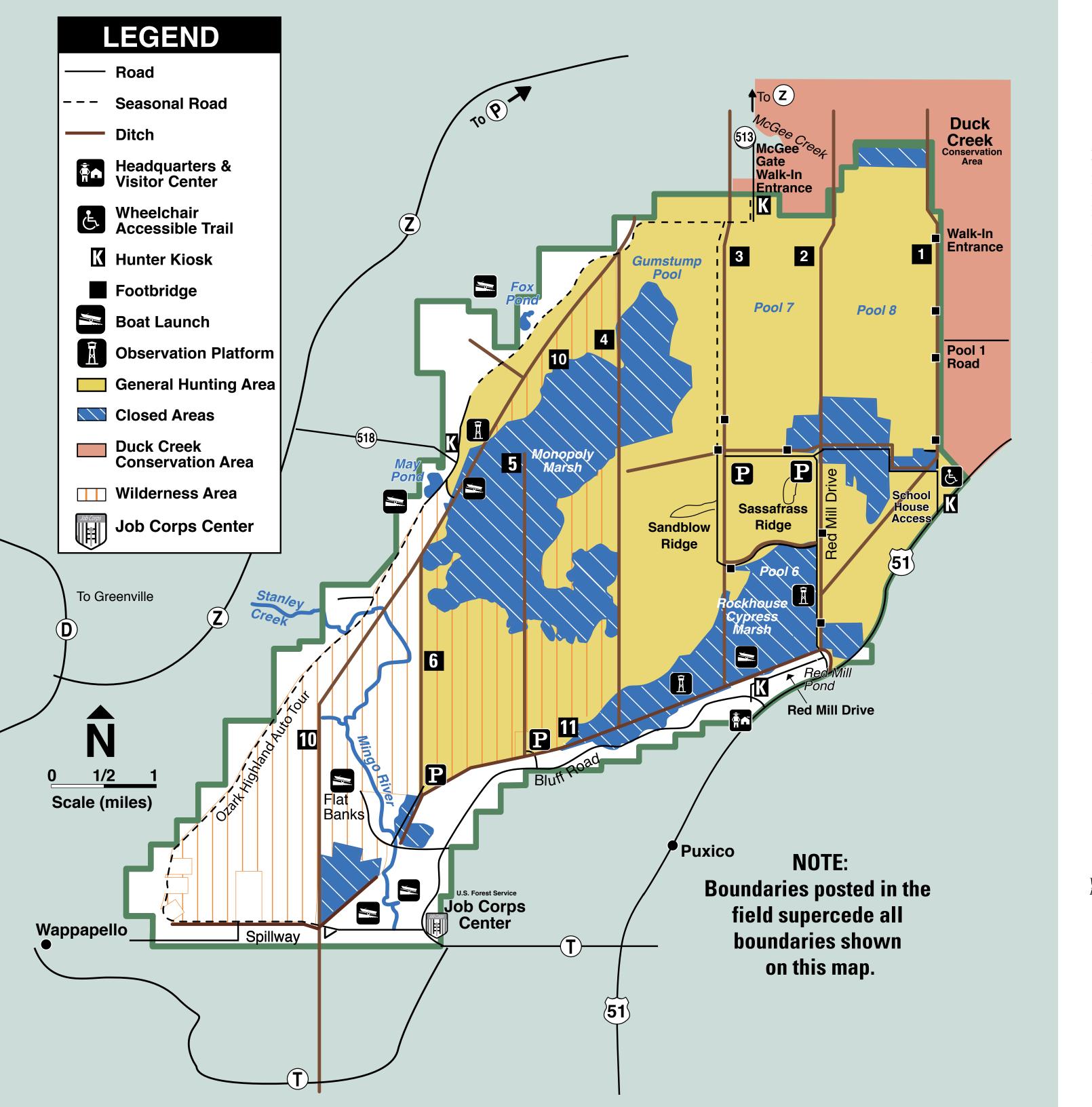
I have read and understand the refuge hunting regulations.

Signature (signed brochures are not transferable)

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Rely on Signs, Not the Map

To avoid trespass on private property, know the meaning of these signs and area regulations. Authorized activities on refuge land include hunting, fishing, hiking, wildlife observation, canoeing, nature photography, environmental education and interpretation.

Refuge Boundary These signs mark the boundary of the refuge. It is important to understand they DO NOT prohibit access, only unauthorized uses.



UNAUTHORIZED ENTRY PROHIBITED

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Public
Hunt Area
This area is
open to hunting
at specific times.



Limited public hunting under Federal and State laws

Consult Manager for current regulations.

Hunting Prohibited



Sanctuary
Area
This area is
off limits to
the public
unless otherwise
specified.



Vehicles Prohibited NO VEHICLES BEYOND THIS POINT