



# 2015 Fall Deer & Turkey

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# General Information

## Definitions

**Deer:** White-tailed deer and mule deer.

**Antlered Deer:** A deer with at least one antler a minimum of 3 inches long, except that special antler-point restrictions apply in many counties. See Page 12.

**Take:** To hunt, pursue, wound, capture, or kill any wildlife in any manner. Also includes acts of assistance to other people attempting to take wildlife.

**Taker:** A person who takes or attempts to take wildlife.

## Hunter-Orange Requirement

**You must wear hunter orange if:**

- You are hunting any species of game during firearms deer season. Some exceptions are allowed. See below.
- You are hunting on an area that is having a managed firearms deer hunt.
- You are serving as a mentor to another hunter during firearms deer season or on an area that is having a managed firearms deer hunt.

To satisfy this rule, you must wear both a hunter-orange hat and a hunter-orange shirt, vest, or coat. The hunter-orange color must be plainly visible from all sides. Camouflage orange does not satisfy this rule.

**You don't have to wear hunter orange if:**

- You are hunting migratory game birds.
- You are archery hunting within municipal boundaries where the discharge of firearms is prohibited.
- You are hunting on federal or state land where deer hunting is restricted to archery or crossbow methods.
- You are archery hunting during the alternative methods portion.
- You are hunting in a county that is closed during the urban zones and antlerless portions.
- You are hunting small game or furbearers during the alternative methods portion.

## Assisting Other Deer and Turkey Hunters

You must have a filled or unfilled turkey hunting permit to call turkeys for another hunter. You must have a filled or unfilled deer hunting permit to assist others in taking deer, which includes participating in deer drives or enticing deer with calls or rattling antlers. It is illegal to shoot or take a deer or turkey for another hunter. Party hunting where hunters pool their permits is prohibited.

## Methods Prohibited

- Electronic calls and electronically activated calls may not be used or possessed while hunting deer or turkeys.
- Dogs may not be used to take deer or turkeys.
- Artificial lights may not be used to spot, locate, or take deer or turkeys.
- Night vision equipment and thermal imagery devices may not be used or possessed while hunting.
- Poisons and tranquilizing drugs may not be used. Arrows, bolts, and darts must not contain any chemical or explosive.
- Slingshots may not be used to take deer or turkeys.
- Wildlife may not be taken from or across a public roadway with a firearm, bow, or crossbow.
- Deer and turkeys may not be taken from or with the aid of motor-driven vehicles.
- Live decoys may not be used or possessed while hunting turkeys.
- Deer may not be taken while they are in a stream or other body of water, or from any boat with a motor attached, regardless of whether the motor is running or not.
- Deer may not be taken within any area enclosed by a fence greater than 7 feet in height, except in licensed hunting preserves.

## Baiting Regulations

- Use of bait — which includes grain or other feed placed or scattered so as to attract deer or turkeys — while hunting is illegal.
- An area is considered baited for 10 days after complete removal of the bait.
- A hunter can be in violation if they take or attempt to take a deer or turkey by the aid of bait where the hunter knows or reasonably should know that the area is or has been baited.
- It is illegal to place bait in a way that causes others to be in violation of the baiting rule.
- Doe urine and other scents, such as apple, acorn, and persimmon, may be used to attract deer while hunting, as long as the scents are not used on or with grain and other food products.
- Mineral blocks, including salt, are not considered bait. However, mineral blocks that contain grain or other food additives are prohibited.
- It is legal to hunt over a harvested crop field, but it is not legal to add grain or other crops, such as apples, to the field after it has been harvested.
- Manipulating crops, such as mowing or knocking them down, is not considered baiting for deer and turkeys; however, it is illegal to hunt waterfowl over manipulated crops.
- Additional rules apply in the Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Management Zones. See pages 6–9.

## Firearms Deer Hunting Season

The firearms deer hunting season is made up of five portions:

- Urban zones: Oct. 9–12, 2015, only in certain areas (see pages 24–25)
- Youth: Oct. 31–Nov. 1, 2015, and Jan. 2–3, 2016, statewide (see Page 26)
- November: Nov. 14–24, 2015, statewide (see Page 27)
- Antlerless: Nov. 25–Dec. 6, 2015, only in certain areas (see pages 28–29)
- Alternative methods: Dec. 19–29, 2015, statewide (see Page 30)

The November portion typically opens on the Saturday 12 days before Thanksgiving. The early youth portion typically opens two weeks prior to the November portion. These formulas are provided for reference only and are subject to change. Dates for each portion are set annually by the Conservation Commission. To allow hunters time to plan, the Commission announces firearms deer season dates in December of the previous year.

## Antlered Deer Limits

- You may take only one antlered deer during the firearms deer season. This includes all portions, including both youth portions.
- You may take two antlered deer using an archer's hunting permit during archery deer season. However, only one antlered deer may be taken before the November portion of firearms deer season.
- If you are drawn to participate in a managed hunt, you may take as many antlered deer as allowed at that specific hunt. Deer taken at a managed hunt do not count toward your firearms or archery season limits.

## Tree Stands on Conservation Department Areas

Portable tree stands may be placed or used only between Sept. 1 and Jan. 31 on Conservation Department areas. Unattended stands must be plainly labeled on durable material with your full name and address, or Conservation ID number. You may not use nails, screw-in steps, or any material that would damage the tree. Tree stands must be removed from the area before Feb. 1.

## Retrieval of Game

If you kill or injure a deer or turkey, you must make a reasonable effort to retrieve and include the animal in your season limit. However, this does not authorize trespass. It is illegal to leave or abandon commonly edible portions of game.

## Use of Dogs to Recover Legally Taken Game

You may use leashed dogs to track and recover mortally wounded deer or turkeys, provided you: (1) have exhausted other reasonable means of finding the animal, (2) contact

a conservation agent, (3) do not possess firearms or bows during dog-tracking activities, and (4) maintain control of the leashed dog at all times. Using dogs to recover game does not authorize trespass.

## Keep Carcasses Out of Streams and Lakes

It is illegal to place a deer carcass or any of its parts into any well, spring, brook, branch, creek, stream, pond, or lake.

## Giving Away Deer and Turkeys

You may give your deer or turkey to another person, but the game counts toward your season limit. Deer and turkeys that are given away must be labeled with the taker's full name, address, date taken, and Telecheck confirmation number.

## Possession, Storage, and Sale

Properly checked deer and turkeys may be possessed by anyone if labeled with the taker's full name, address, date taken, and Telecheck confirmation number. The Telecheck confirmation number must remain attached to the carcass until a meat processor begins working on the animal.

Deer left at commercial processing or cold storage plants must be claimed by May 1 following the season taken.

Turkeys may not be possessed after Feb. 15 following the season taken.

Legally obtained turkey bones and feathers, and deer heads, antlers, hides, and feet may be sold by the taker, but the taker must provide a bill of sale showing:

- The taker's full name and address
- The species and number of parts
- The full name and address of the buyer

For deer heads and/or antlers attached to skull plates, a dated bill of sale identifying the seller must be retained while the heads or antlers are in the buyer's possession.

Any person who finds a dead deer with antlers still attached to the skull plate may take the antlers, but must report the find to a conservation agent within 24 hours to receive authorization to possess the antlers.

No authorization is needed to possess, buy, and sell shed antlers not attached to the skull plate.

## Cervids Harvested Outside of Missouri

If you harvest a deer, elk, or moose out of state and bring the animal with the spinal column or head attached into Missouri, you must report the animal's entry within 24 hours at 877-853-5665 or [mdc.mo.gov/carcass](http://mdc.mo.gov/carcass). The carcass must be taken to a licensed meat processor or taxidermist within 72 hours of entry. Upper canine teeth and the items listed as safe to transport from the CWD Management Zones (see Page 7) do not require a phone call. If you are passing through Missouri on the way to another state, you are exempt from this requirement as long as you are not in Missouri longer than 24 hours.

# Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Information

Since 2001, the Conservation Department has tested more than 43,000 deer across the state for chronic wasting disease (CWD). As of June 2015, CWD has been detected in 26 free-ranging deer in Macon (19), Adair (6), and Cole (1) counties, and 11 captive deer in Linn (1) and Macon (10) counties. To slow the spread of CWD, the Department has enacted special regulations and will continue to test deer for the disease. To make these efforts successful, we need help from hunters, landowners, and the general public.

## Avoid Using Deer Attractants

Attracting deer using grain, salt, or minerals artificially concentrates many deer in a small area. This increases the chance of spreading CWD from one deer to another or from the environment to a deer.

In Adair, Chariton, Linn, Macon, Randolph, and Sullivan counties, grain, salt products, minerals, and other consumable products used to attract deer are prohibited year-round. However, the following exceptions are allowed:

- Feed placed within 100 feet of any residence or occupied building
- Feed placed in a manner that excludes access by deer
- Feed and minerals used solely for normal agricultural, forest management, or wildlife food plot production practices

Hunters in Boone, Callaway, Cole, Cooper, Knox, Miller, Moniteau, Morgan, Osage, Putnam, Schuyler, Scotland, and Shelby counties are strongly encouraged to avoid using deer attractants.

## Don't Move Deer Carcasses

Deer hunters throughout the state are encouraged to avoid moving deer carcasses to help prevent the spread of CWD. Minimize the risk of spreading CWD by moving only these deer parts:

- Meat that is cut and wrapped
- Meat that has been boned out
- Quarters or other portions of meat with no part of the spine or head attached
- Hides or capes from which all excess tissue has been removed
- Antlers, including antlers attached to skull plates or skulls cleaned of all muscle and brain tissue
- Finished taxidermy products

## Report Sick Deer

If you see a sick deer, please call your local conservation agent (see Page 62) or your regional Conservation Department office (see the inside front cover).

## Offer Your Input on Proposed Rule Changes

The Conservation Commission will be considering new regulations for 2016. At this time, the proposals listed below are not part of the *Wildlife Code*, and if they are made into law, they would take effect in 2016. Please take a look at the proposals and offer your input at [mdc.mo.gov/node/24141](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/24141).

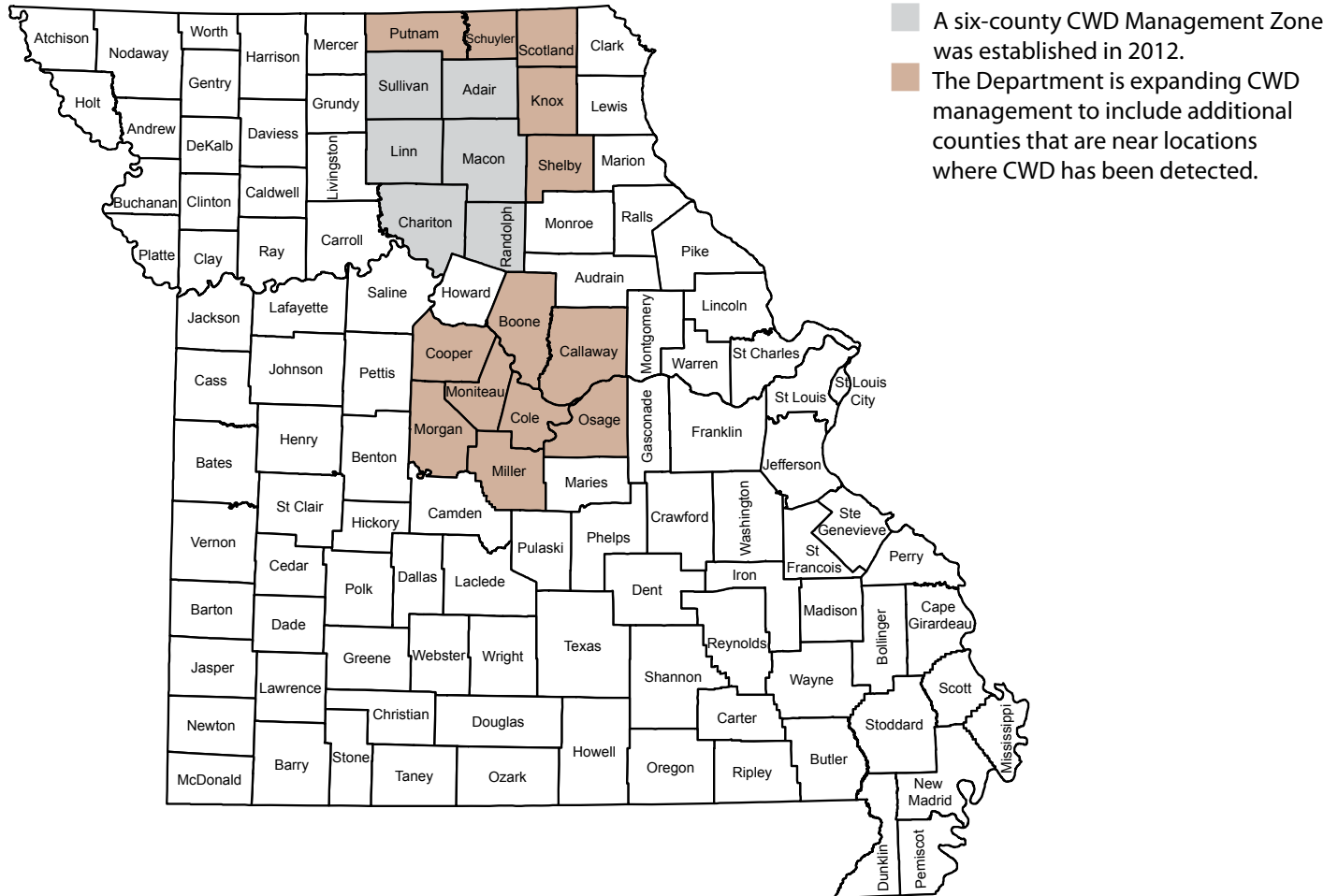
- The restriction on the use of deer attractants (grain, salt, mineral products) — which is currently in place in Adair, Chariton, Linn, Macon, Randolph, and Sullivan counties — may be expanded to include the new counties in the CWD Management Zones.
- Any hunter harvesting a deer in the CWD Management Zones during opening weekend of the November portion of firearms deer season may be required to have the deer sampled for CWD on the day of harvest.
- The transportation of whole deer carcasses out of the CWD Management Zones may be prohibited. Transportation of the following would still be allowed: meat that is cut and wrapped; meat that has been boned out; quarters or other portions of meat with no part of the spine or head attached; hides or capes from which all excess tissue has been removed; antlers, including antlers attached to skull plates or skulls cleaned of all muscle and brain tissue; and finished taxidermy products.
- The transportation of deer, elk, or other cervid carcasses into Missouri from another state may be prohibited, except meat that is cut and wrapped, the upper canine teeth from elk, and the other carcass parts listed in the bullet above.

# CWD Management Zones



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To slow the spread of CWD, special regulations and guidelines apply in Adair, Boone, Callaway, Chariton, Cole, Cooper, Knox, Linn, Macon, Miller, Moniteau, Morgan, Osage, Putnam, Randolph, Schuyler, Scotland, Shelby, and Sullivan counties.



# Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Information

## Get Your Deer Tested for CWD

If you harvest a deer within the CWD Management Zones (see map on Page 7), please donate a tissue sample from your deer to help the Conservation Department monitor CWD. Removing a sample is free and takes little time. Simply take your deer to one of the locations listed in the tables below. Get test results for your deer by entering your Conservation ID number at [mdc.mo.gov/node/19829](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/19829).

**Tissue samples will be collected at these Conservation Department offices during normal business hours from Sept. 15 to Jan. 15. Sample collections will also be available on the following weekend days: Nov. 14, 15, and 21.**

County	City	Location	Address	Phone
Adair	Kirksville	Northeast Regional Office	3500 S. Baltimore St.	660-785-2420
Boone	Columbia	Central Regional Office and Conservation Research Center	3500 E. Gans Rd.	573-815-7900
Cole	Jefferson City	Conservation Headquarters	2901 W. Truman Blvd.	573-751-4115

**Tissue samples will be collected at the following locations on Nov. 14, 15, and 21 (unless otherwise noted).**

Adair	Brashear	Willowbend Inc.	305 Hwy. 6 East	
Boone	Ashland	Crane's Meat Processing	11657 Englewood Rd.	
Boone	Centralia	Tune's Locker Plant	114 W. Sneed St.	
Callaway	Auxvasse	R&R Processing	1780 Old U.S. Hwy. 54	
Callaway	Fulton	Central Missouri Meat and Sausage	5009 Pendergras Rd.	
Chariton	Marceline	King's Processing & Catering	33181 Hwy. WW	
Chariton	Salisbury	Salisbury Meat Market & Processing	29047 Market Ln.	
Cole	Centertown	Longfellow's Garden Center**	12007 Lookout Tr.	
Cole	Russellville	Russellville Meat Locker	9702 Millbrook Rd.	
Cooper	Booneville	USDA Service Center	17066 Hwy. 87	
Knox	Edina	Pick-A-Dilly	102 S. 1st St.	
Linn	New Boston	New Boston Fire Department**	15831 Hwy. 129	
Linn	Purdin	Purdin Processing	100 C St.	
Linn	Brookfield	Sprague's Locker	26700 Hwy. 11	
Macon	Macon	Special D Meats	30637 Lake St.	
Macon	La Plata	Buck Ridge Butcher Shop*	11245 Grouse Ave.	
Miller	Tuscumbia	Tuscumbia Eagle Stop	1911 Hwy. 52	
Miller	Brumley	JR's Quick Mart	989 Hwy. C	
Miller	Eldon	Cedar Junction C-Store	662 Hwy. Y	
Moniteau	Fortuna	Smith Creek Custom Processing	37122 Bethel Church Rd.	
Moniteau	California	Gerlach's Custom Butcher Shop	25333 Hwy. 87	
Morgan	Versailles	Leinbach Custom Butchering*	17754 Hwy. K	
Osage	Loose Creek	Scherf Processing	1039 Hwy. DD	
Osage	Loose Creek	Russell's Custom Processing	581 Hwy. DD	
Putnam	Unionville	McCormack's Station	28637 Hwy. 136	
Randolph	Moberly	Country Meat Shop	1515 W. Outer Rd.	
Schuyler	Lancaster	North Side of Lancaster Square	Hwy. 136 East	
Schuyler	Queen City	Mast Meats*	600 Hwy. 63	



County	City	Location	Address	Phone
Scotland	Rutledge	Rutledge Meat Processing*	RR 1 Box 131	
Scotland	Memphis	Scotland County Fairgrounds	Junction of Hwy. 136 & Hwy. 15	
Shelby	Shelbyville	Shelby County Court House, North End	100 E. Main St.	
Sullivan	Milan	Sinclair "Hometown"	53381 Commercial Dr.	

\*Sampling is not available at these locations on Sunday, Nov. 15.

\*\*Sampling at these locations will take place daily from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Nov. 14–24.

**Tissue samples will be collected at these locations between Sept. 15 and Jan. 15. Exact dates and times vary; call before you go for more information.**

Adair	Novinger	Backwoods Taxidermy	17526 Bethel Ridge Rd.	660-488-5899
Adair	Novinger	Little River Taxidermy	19254 Mt. Moriah Tr.	660-341-2955
Boone	Columbia	Columbia Taxidermy Studio	4815 EE. St. Charles Rd.	573-474-6058
Callaway	Columbia	Woodland Wonders Taxidermy	1446 Jade Rd.	573-474-2226
Callaway	New Bloomfield	Jordan Taxidermy	9411 State Rd. BB	573-295-4418
Cole	Henley	Full Draw Taxidermy	5322 Red Mule Ln.	573-619-1907
Cole	Jefferson City	Fire Creek Whitetail	8033 Deer Haven Rd.	573-694-7726
Cole	Jefferson City	Kaiser's Taxidermy	6601 Bode Ferry Rd.	573-301-2308
Cooper	Boonville	Gary Sharp Taxidermy	17882 Christa Ln.	660-882-6793
Knox	Baring	Wilson's Taxidermy	45341 State Hwy. C	660-341-5672
Knox	Knox City	Countryside Taxidermy	57688 State Hwy. T	314-704-1507
Linn	Brookfield	Park's Outdoor	26271 Image Rd.	660-375-3600
Linn	Brookfield	Petty's Taxidermy & Guns	28204 Hwy. F	660-258-7803
Linn	Marceline	Mike's Taxidermy	808 E. Hauser St.	660-376-3782
Macon	Excello	Pettig's Taxidermy	29982 Laser St.	660-651-5220
Macon	Excello	Sugar Creek Taxidermy	39772 Hwy. C	660-651-9229
Macon	Macon	Tony Winkler	33860 Lowland Rd.	660-651-7069
Macon	Macon	Cutting Edge Taxidermy	215A N. Rollins St.	660-414-5287
Miller	Eldon	Stacks Taxidermy	104 E. 4th St.	573-746-6000
Moniteau	Tipton	Wesley's Taxidermy	73022 Manito Lake Rd.	573-353-5690
Moniteau	California	Schlup's Cedar Ridge Taxidermy	32959 Hwy. K	573-796-4824
Morgan	Rocky Mount	Changing Seasons Taxidermy	27570 Sequoia Dr.	573-216-2652
Osage	Bonnots Mill	All Game Taxidermy	48 Cote Desein Ln.	573-897-4154
Osage	Linn	Image Taxidermy Studio	3785 Hwy. U	573-897-2819
Putnam	Lucerne	Valentine Taxidermy	16767 State Hwy. 139	660-988-1886
Putnam	Unionville	Josh Gills	29919 133rd St.	660-342-2721
Randolph	Huntsville	Garland's Wildlife Artistry	234 Hwy. JJ	660-277-4339
Randolph	Moberly	Mid-Missouri Taxidermy	2073 Hwy. EE	660-651-8021
Schuyler	Glenwood	Kevin Cooley Taxidermy	17325 State Hwy. H	660-216-6933
Scotland	Gorin	Spooky Hollow Taxidermy	RR 1 Box 48	660-998-4388
Scotland	Memphis	Brassfield's Taxidermy	1016 Mi Lor St.	660-465-7754
Sullivan	Milan	Doug's Taxidermy	53995 Sumter Rd.	816-536-0013

# Hunting Other Game

Other game may be hunted during firearms deer season, but there are some restrictions. Please refer to the table below.

Species	Portion of Firearms Deer Hunting Season	Special Restrictions	Is Hunter Orange Required?
<b>Quail and Pheasants</b>	November portion Antlerless portion in open areas	Shot must be no larger than No. 4. This restriction does not apply to landowners and lessees hunting on land they own or lease.	Yes
	Alternative methods portion	None	No
	All other portions	None	Yes
<b>Rabbits and Squirrels</b>	November portion Antlerless portion in open areas	Only pistols, revolvers, rifles, or shotguns may be used. These firearms must fire .22 caliber or smaller rimfire cartridges or shot no larger than No. 4. This restriction does not apply to landowners and lessees hunting on land they own or lease.  Dogs may not be used during daylight hours of the November portion in Butler, Carter, Dent, Iron, Madison, Oregon, Reynolds, Ripley, Shannon, and Wayne counties.	Yes
	Alternative methods portion	None	No
	All other portions	None	Yes
<b>Waterfowl</b>	All portions	None	No
<b>Other Migratory Game Birds</b>	November portion Antlerless portion in open areas	Shot must be no larger than No. 4.	No
	All other portions	None	No
<b>Crows</b>	November portion Antlerless portion in open areas	Only pistols, revolvers, rifles, or shotguns may be used. These firearms must fire .22 caliber or smaller rimfire cartridges or shot no larger than No. 4. This restriction does not apply to landowners and lessees hunting on land they own or lease.	Yes
	Alternative methods portion	None	No
	All other portions	None	Yes
<b>Furbearers</b>	November portion Antlerless portion in open areas	Dogs may not be used during daylight hours from Nov. 1 through the end of the November portion statewide and the antlerless portion in open areas.  In addition to a resident small game hunting permit or Nonresident Furbearer Hunting and Trapping Permit, you must also possess an unfilled firearms deer hunting permit.	Yes
	Alternative methods portion	In addition to a resident small game hunting permit or Nonresident Furbearer Hunting and Trapping Permit, you must also possess an unfilled firearms deer hunting permit.	No
	All other portions	In addition to a resident small game hunting permit or Nonresident Furbearer Hunting and Trapping Permit, you must also possess an unfilled firearms deer hunting permit.	Yes

# Feral Hogs

Feral hogs destroy habitat, eat wildlife, compete with native animals for food, degrade water quality, and spread diseases to people, pets, and livestock. They are a menace that must be eradicated.

A feral hog is defined as any hog, including Russian and European wild boar, that is not conspicuously identified by ear tags or other identification and is roaming freely on public or private land without the landowner's permission.

It is illegal to release feral hogs on public land or private land that is not fenced to contain them. **If you see someone releasing hogs, please report them immediately to your local conservation agent or call Operation Game Thief at 800-392-1111.**

The Conservation Department and the USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service are working together to eradicate feral hogs in Missouri. Hunters shooting feral hogs complicates efforts to remove these pests. If you are afield for other game and encounter a feral hog, please call the number below to report it as soon as possible.

With your help, we can eliminate these dangerous, destructive pests from Missouri.

**Report Feral Hog Sightings  
573-522-4115, ext. 3296**



## Regulation Changes Being Considered For Conservation Areas

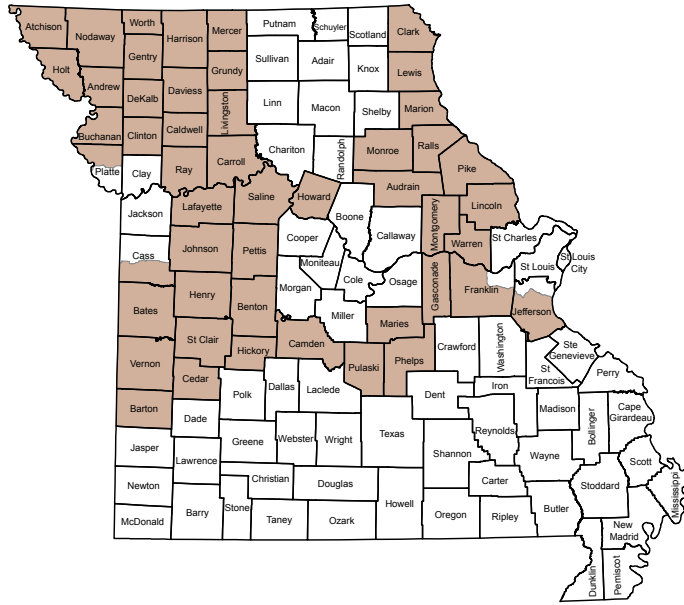
For the 2016–2017 deer season, the Department is considering changing some of the hunting methods that are allowed on conservation areas, and we'd like to hear from you.

To see a list of the conservation areas with proposed changes to hunting methods and to provide your comments, visit [mdc.mo.gov/node/18891](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/18891) from Sept. 1 to Nov. 30, 2015. This webpage will not be available before Sept. 1.

For the current methods allowed on conservation areas, see the tables on pages 40–49.

# Antler-Point Restriction

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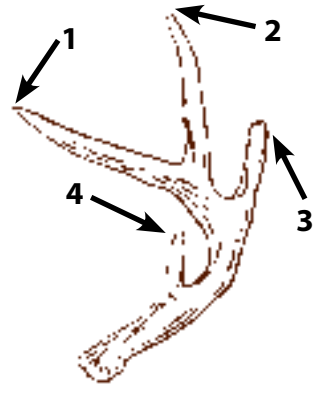


In the shaded areas on the map above, only bucks that have at least four antler points on one side of their rack may be taken during the archery and firearms deer hunting seasons (except the youth portions). The antler-point restriction applies to portions of Cass, Franklin, Jefferson, and Platte counties NOT included in the urban zones. See description of these boundaries on Page 25.

## How to Count Points

Each of the following counts as a point:

1. The end of the main beam
2. An antler point, if it is at least 1 inch long
3. Any broken tine that is at least 1 inch long
4. The brow tine, if it is at least 1 inch long



## LEGAL

**Does and button bucks**



**Bucks with spikes less than 3 inches long**



**Bucks with at least four points on one side**

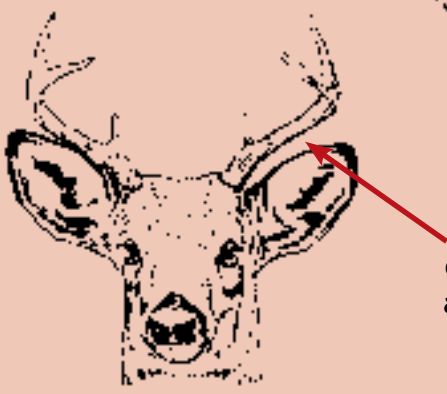
## PROTECTED

Protected deer include all antlered deer (defined as having at least one antler 3 inches or longer) that do not have a minimum of at least four points on one side.

**Bucks with spikes more than 3 inches long**



**Bucks that do not have at least four points on one side**



# Hunters May See Collared Deer



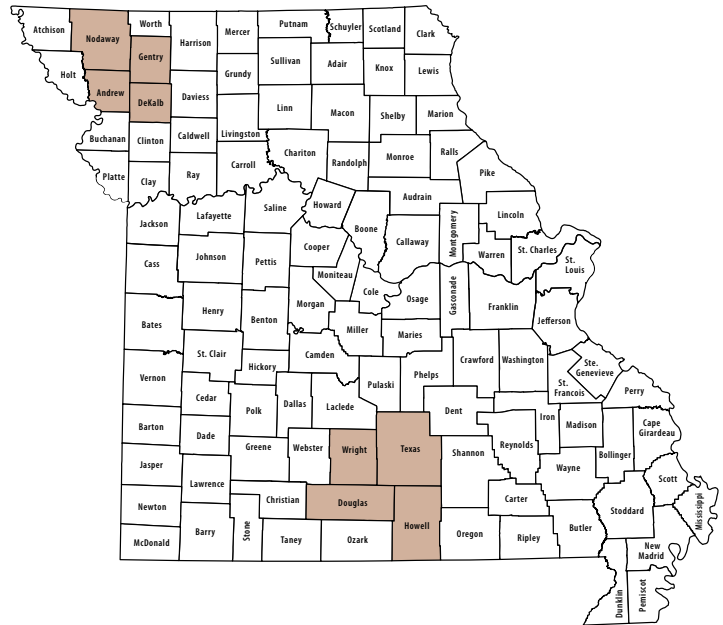
Hunters in the Ozarks and northwestern Missouri may see deer wearing GPS collars during hunting season.

The Conservation Department and the University of Missouri are working together to learn more about the survival, reproduction, and movement patterns of white-tailed deer. Their findings will be used to guide deer population models, disease management protocols, and localized deer management efforts.

As part of this research project, male and female deer of all ages will be captured and fitted with GPS collars in four Ozark counties (Douglas, Howell, Texas, and Wright) and four northwestern counties (Andrew, DeKalb, Gentry, and Nodaway). The collared deer will then be released, and their movements and survival will be monitored.

During the hunting season, it is important to NOT let the presence of a collar influence your decision on whether or not to harvest a deer. If you normally would shoot a deer that happens to be collared, please do so. Likewise, if you normally would pass on a deer, please do not let the presence of a collar cause you to take a shot. If you harvest a collared deer, or one that has a small metal ear tag, please call the number listed on the collar or tag as soon as possible.

For more information about this research project, contact Missouri Department of Conservation Deer Biologist Emily Flinn at [Emily.Flinn@mdc.mo.gov](mailto:Emily.Flinn@mdc.mo.gov) or 573-815-7901, ext. 3619.



Deer will be captured and fitted with GPS collars in the counties shaded brown in the map above.

# Permits

Anyone who hunts, takes, or attempts to take deer or turkeys in any way must have the required permit(s). Each hunter must sign, carry, and show, upon request, his or her permit to any officer who enforces the *Wildlife Code of Missouri*.

## Points to Remember

- You must have your signed permits on hand when you go afield to hunt.
- **New!** You may use the MO Hunting app to carry your permits afield. See box on Page 15.
- Permits cannot be exchanged or refunded.
- Deer and fall turkey permits may be used in any order, and multiple permits may be filled on the same day, except during the early youth portion when only one deer may be taken.
- Before purchasing antlerless deer hunting permits, nonresidents must first purchase a Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or a Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit, depending on the type of antlerless permit they want to use.
- Residents do not have to purchase a Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or Resident Archer's Hunting Permit before purchasing antlerless deer hunting permits.
- You do not have to purchase any-deer and antlerless deer permits at the same time.

## Hunter-Education Requirement

You must complete an approved hunter-education course before you can purchase firearms deer and turkey hunting permits unless:

- You were born before Jan. 1, 1967.
- You are 6–15 years old. Please see additional requirements found in "Youth Permits."
- You are 16 years or older and are using an Apprentice Hunter Authorization. Please see additional requirements found in "Apprentice Hunter Authorization."
- You are using resident landowner permits and hunting on land you own or lease. **Note:** If you are mentoring a hunter who is not hunter-education certified and not using landowner permits, you must be at least 18 years old and hunter-education certified even if you are hunting on your own land. Mentors born before Jan. 1, 1967, are exempt from this requirement.
- You have a developmental disability. See Rule 3 CSR 10-5.205 of the *Wildlife Code of Missouri*.

If you can prove you completed a hunter-education course in another state, you are not required to take Missouri's course. You must be 11 years or older to enroll in Missouri's hunter-education course. For more information, visit [mdc.mo.gov/node/3722](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/3722).

## Youth Permits

You must be 6 years or older to hunt deer or turkeys. Youth age 6 through 15, whether they are hunter-education certified or not, can purchase resident or nonresident deer and turkey hunting permits at reduced prices. See Page 16.

If a youth is hunter-education certified and hunting on a resident or nonresident firearms deer or turkey hunting permit, he or she may hunt alone. However, if a youth is not hunter-education certified, he or she must hunt in the immediate presence of a properly licensed adult who has in his or her possession a valid hunter-education certification card or was born before Jan. 1, 1967. The adult, however, may not hunt deer with a firearm during the youth portions of the firearms deer season.

In addition, adults accompanying youths hunting deer must wear hunter orange. Regardless of age, the youth must be capable of holding, aiming, and shooting the firearm by himself or herself.

## Apprentice Hunter Authorization

To help introduce adults to hunting, the Conservation Department allows hunters age 16 and older who are not hunter-education certified to hunt with firearms, as long as they:

- First purchase the Apprentice Hunter Authorization for \$10;
- Then purchase a firearms hunting permit for the season they want to hunt, for example a Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit; and
- Hunt in the immediate presence of a properly licensed adult mentor who is hunter-education certified or was born before Jan. 1, 1967. The mentor must have a filled or unfilled permit for the prescribed season.

**Note:** The Apprentice Hunter Authorization allows you to purchase firearms permits throughout the permit year, and it can be purchased for two permit years. After the second year, you will be required to become hunter-education certified if you want to continue hunting with firearms.

## Definitions

**Immediate presence:** Close enough for normal conversation, without shouting.

**Properly licensed:** Possessing a valid firearms hunting permit for the appropriate season (i.e., either a filled or unfilled firearms deer or a fall firearms turkey hunting permit).

**Adult:** Someone age 18 or older.

## Purchasing Permits

You may purchase your fall deer and turkey hunting permits beginning July 1 using any of the methods below.

- Over the counter from any permit vendor. Buy early to avoid long lines. No surcharges will be assessed.
- Online anytime using the e-Permits System at [mdc.mo.gov/epermits](http://mdc.mo.gov/epermits). Use your credit card and pay a \$1 surcharge. Print your permit at home and have it in hand immediately.
- **New!** From your smartphone using the MO Hunting app. Use your credit card and pay a \$1 surcharge. Your valid permit will appear on the app immediately after purchase.
- By telephone at 800-392-4115. Use your credit card and pay a \$2 surcharge. Allow 10 days for delivery.

**Note:** No-cost resident landowner permits also are available. See pages 18–19 for details.

**Replacing permits:** Lost or damaged permits can be replaced using any of the methods above. A replacement permit costs \$2 plus any applicable surcharge. E-Permits can be saved on a personal computer and reprinted for free if the original permit is lost or damaged. As with other permits, e-Permits may not be shared, and additional copies of an e-Permit do not provide additional valid permits to use.

**New!** The MO Hunting app keeps a valid copy of all your permits conveniently on your smartphone. With this free app for iOS and Android devices, there's no need to purchase replacement permits.

## Who May Purchase Resident Deer and Turkey Permits?

- Any person who does not claim resident privileges in another state or country, and whose actual residence and legal permanent home address are both in Missouri, and have been for at least 30 days before applying for the permit. Owning real estate or attending a Missouri school does not in itself make you a legal resident.
- Missouri residents employed by the United States in the District of Columbia or serving in the U.S. armed forces. (Immediate family members who reside with them also may purchase resident permits.)
- All members of the U.S. armed forces stationed and residing in Missouri on permanent change of station status and immediate family members residing with them.
- Any honorably discharged military veteran having a service-related disability of 60 percent or greater, or who was a prisoner of war during military service; must carry certified statement of eligibility from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs while hunting or purchasing permits.
- Any member of the U.S. military currently assigned as a patient to a Warrior Transition Brigade, Warrior Transition Unit, or a military medical center; must carry orders showing assignment to a Warrior Transition Brigade, Warrior

## MDC's MO Hunting App Makes Permits Easy



This fall, you'll have a quick, easy, and convenient new option for carrying your permits afield, voiding a permit after harvesting a deer or turkey, and Telechecking your harvest.

The Conservation Department's popular MO Hunting app is about to get even better. The free app, which is available for Apple and Android mobile devices, will be updated in July. Combined with its previous functionality, the updated app will allow you to:

- Purchase permits through the app.
- See all the hunting, fishing, and trapping permits you have purchased — even if they were purchased from a traditional vendor, online, or by telephone.
- Carry valid, electronic permits afield. (A corresponding regulation change will allow electronic permits to suffice as legal permits.)
- Electronically “notch” (void) your deer and turkey permits directly from the app.
- Telecheck your deer or turkey through MO Hunting, using an easy-to-fill form. Telecheck will upload a confirmation number to the app. **Note:** Wildlife labeling requirements still apply. See Page 56.

To log into MO Hunting, you'll need your Conservation ID number. This nine-digit number can be found on the back of your Heritage Card below the bar code or on any current or previous permit. For help locating your Conservation ID number, call 573-751-4115 during regular business hours and ask for the Permits office, or go to [mdc.mo.gov/node/5127](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/5127).

MO Hunting is available in the Google Play and iTunes stores. You can also get MO Hunting and learn more about the app at [mdc.mo.gov/mobile/mobile-apps](http://mdc.mo.gov/mobile/mobile-apps).

Transition Unit, or admissions verification to a military medical center while hunting or purchasing permits.

- Nonresidents who are registered students attending a public or private secondary, post secondary, or vocational school in Missouri and who live in Missouri while attending school; must carry evidence of a Missouri residence and student status while hunting. **Note:** Nonresident students who qualify for resident permits must purchase them at Conservation Department offices.
- Immigrants who possess an I-551 Resident Alien Card and who do not claim resident privileges in another state or country, and whose actual residence and legal permanent home address are both in Missouri, and have been for at least 30 days before purchasing a permit.

# Resident and Nonresident Permits

## Resident Permits

### Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season. See restrictions on pages 24–30.

Age 16 and older .....	\$17
Age 6–15 <sup>1</sup> .....	\$8.50

### Resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit<sup>2</sup>

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season in selected areas. See map on Page 17.

Age 16 and older .....	\$7
Age 6–15 <sup>1</sup> .....	\$3.50

### Resident Managed Deer Hunting Permit<sup>3</sup>

For deer during a prescribed managed hunt. Valid for the number of deer allowed by the managed hunt.

Age 16 and older .....	\$17
Age 11–15 <sup>4</sup> .....	\$8.50

### Resident Archer's Hunting Permit

For two deer and two turkeys during archery deer and turkey season, for small game during prescribed seasons, and to sell furbearers taken by hunting.

Age 16 and older .....	\$19
Age 6–15 .....	\$9.50

### Resident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during archery deer season in open counties. See map on Page 20. These may be purchased in any number.

Age 16 and older .....	\$7
Age 6–15 .....	\$3.50

### Resident Fall Firearms Turkey Hunting Permit

For two turkeys during fall firearms turkey season.

Age 16 and older .....	\$13
Age 6–15 <sup>1</sup> .....	\$6.50

## Nonresident Permits<sup>5</sup>

### Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season. See restrictions on pages 24–30.

Age 16 and older .....	\$225
Age 6–15 <sup>1</sup> .....	\$8.50

### Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit<sup>2</sup>

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season in selected areas. See map on Page 17. You must buy a Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or a Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit to buy these permits.

Age 16 and older .....	\$25
Age 6–15 <sup>1</sup> .....	\$3.50

### Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit<sup>3</sup>

For deer during a prescribed managed hunt. Valid for the number of deer allowed by the managed hunt.

Age 16 and older .....	\$225
Age 11–15 <sup>4</sup> .....	\$8.50

### Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit

For two deer and two turkeys during archery deer and turkey season, and for small game, except furbearers, during prescribed seasons.

Age 16 and older .....	\$225
Age 6–15 .....	\$9.50

### Nonresident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during archery deer season in open counties. See map on Page 20. These may be purchased in any number. You must buy a Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit to buy these permits.

Age 16 and older .....	\$25
Age 6–15 .....	\$3.50

### Nonresident Fall Firearms Turkey Hunting Permit

For two turkeys during fall firearms turkey season.

Age 16 and older .....	\$110
Age 6–15 <sup>1</sup> .....	\$6.50

<sup>1</sup> If not hunter-education certified, a youth hunting on a firearms permit must be in the immediate presence of a properly licensed adult who is hunter-education certified or exempt by age. See Page 14.

<sup>2</sup> Antlerless deer hunting permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined).

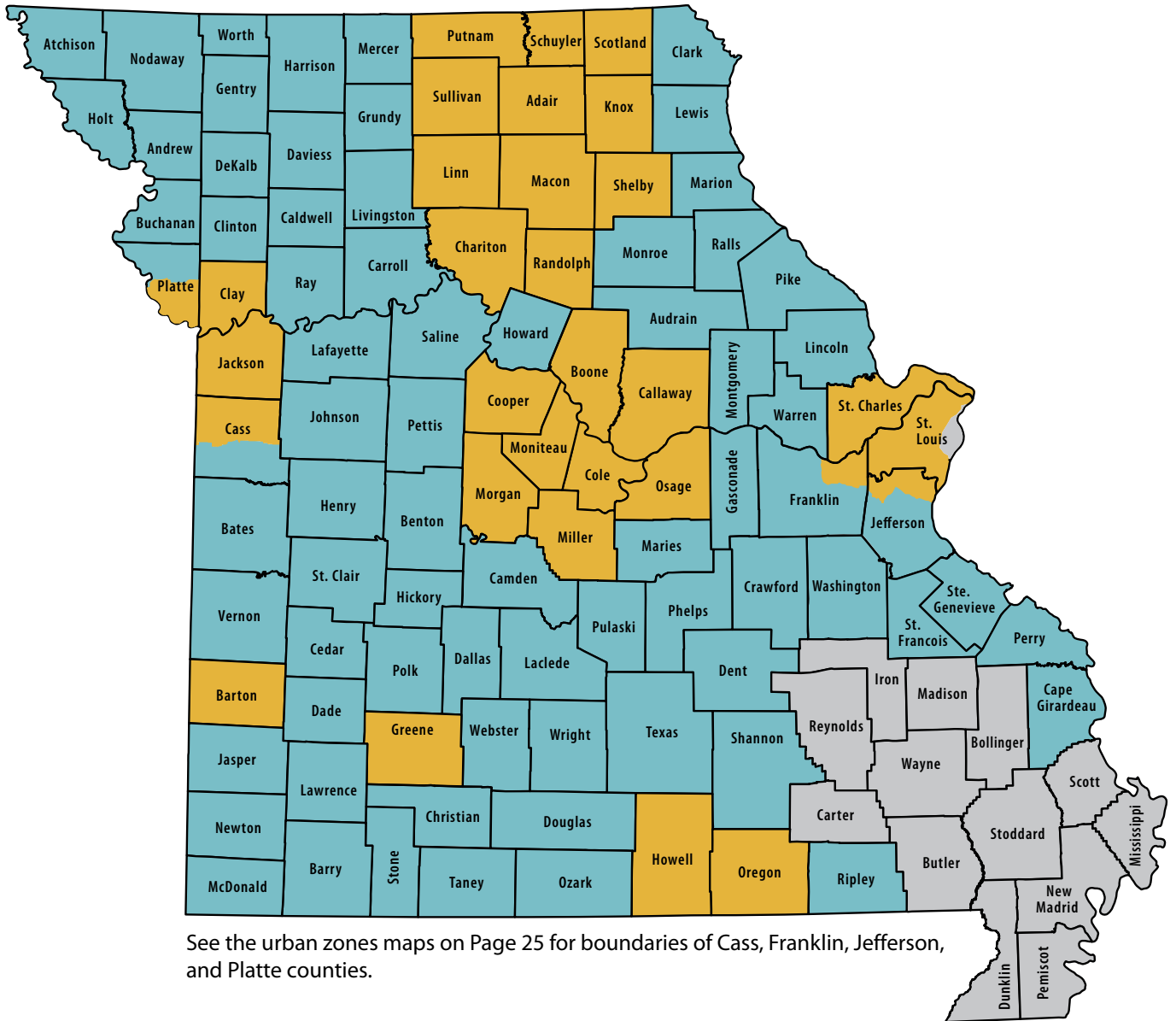
<sup>3</sup> Application is required. Participation is awarded through a drawing. See pages 32–39.

<sup>4</sup> You must be hunter-education certified to participate in a muzzleloading, historic methods, shotgun, or firearms managed hunt.

<sup>5</sup> All nonresidents must purchase nonresident permits to hunt deer or turkeys in Missouri, except for qualifying students, disabled veterans, and military members assigned as a patient to a Warrior Transition Brigade/Unit or military medical center. See Page 15.



# Firearms Antlerless Permits



See the urban zones maps on Page 25 for boundaries of Cass, Franklin, Jefferson, and Platte counties.

## When Can These Permits Be Used?

They can be used during all portions of the firearms season. However, some areas are closed to firearms hunting during the urban zones (see pages 24–25) and antlerless portions (see pages 28–29).

## How Many Firearms Antlerless Permits Can You Fill?

You may fill the antlerless permit limit in each county or county section in which you choose to hunt. See map above for county limits. Resident landowners and lessees with at least 75 acres may harvest additional antlerless deer using no-cost Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits. See pages 18–19.

- You may fill two firearms antlerless deer hunting permits in these counties or county sections during firearms deer season (all portions combined).
- You may fill one firearms antlerless deer hunting permit in these counties or county sections during firearms deer season (all portions combined).
- During firearms season, antlerless deer may be taken only on an any-deer permit or a landowner antlerless deer hunting permit.

# Landowner Permits

All deer and turkey hunters, including landowners and lessees, must have valid deer and/or turkey hunting permits. Resident landowners and lessees who meet the qualifications listed in the blue box to the right may obtain no-cost resident landowner permits from July 1 through Jan. 15 using any of the methods below.

- Over the counter from any permit vendor. Go early to avoid long lines. No surcharges will be assessed.
- Online using the e-Permits System at [mdc.mo.gov/epermits](http://mdc.mo.gov/epermits). Use your credit card and pay a \$1 surcharge. Print your permit at home and have it in hand immediately.
- **New!** From your smartphone using the MO Hunting app. Use your credit card and pay a \$1 surcharge. Your valid permit will appear on the app immediately after purchase.
- By telephone at 800-392-4115. Use your credit card and pay a \$2 surcharge. Allow 10 days for delivery.

## Please Have on Hand the Following Information:

- Your Conservation ID number, Heritage Card number, Social Security number, or driver's license number
  - The county or counties where your land is located
  - The number of acres you own or lease and reside on
- Note:** Landowners may be required to submit proof of ownership if it cannot be verified through county plat books.

## Qualifying resident landowners and lessees:

- Must abide by season dates, methods, limits, and tagging/checking requirements.
- Must use landowner permits only on their qualifying property. To hunt on other land, landowners and lessees must purchase regular permits.
- Must be at least 6 years old to obtain landowner permits.
- May use their landowner permits to take deer on their land during archery deer season and all portions of the firearms season including the urban zones and antlerless portions (if their property is located in one of the open areas).
- With 75 or more acres in more than one county must comply with landowner antlerless deer limits for each county. See Page 17.
- May fill a Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Permit and a purchased any-deer permit. **However, each hunter may take only one antlered deer during the firearms deer hunting season.** Therefore, landowners and lessees who take an antlered deer on one any-deer permit must take an antlerless deer on the other any-deer permit. Deer taken on a managed deer hunting permit or in accordance with the archery deer hunting season do not count toward this limit.
- May fill their no-cost landowner antlerless permits and also purchase and fill additional antlerless permits according to county limits shown on the map on Page 17.

## Qualifications For Landowner Permits

- Any Missouri resident who owns at least 5 continuous acres, and his or her immediate household members age 6 or older  
**Note:** Landowners do not need to live on their land to qualify for landowner permits; they must, however, be Missouri residents.
- Any Missouri resident who leases and lives on at least 5 continuous acres owned by others, and his or her immediate household members age 6 or older  
**Note:** Participation in a hunting lease alone does not qualify an individual for landowner permits.
- Any Missouri resident who is a general partner of a partnership, an officer of a resident or foreign corporation, an officer or managing member of a resident limited liability company, or an officer of a benevolent association organized pursuant to Chapter 352 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri when the before mentioned organization owns at least 5 continuous acres. In the case of corporate ownerships, all registered officers of a corporation can qualify, and they are not required to reside on the land. People who own stock in a corporation (shareholders) do not qualify.

**Note:** Immediate household member is anyone, related or unrelated, whose legal residence is the same as the qualifying landowner or lessee for at least the last 30 days. Family members whose legal residence is elsewhere do not qualify.



**Qualifying resident landowners and lessees who have at least 5 acres, and all members of their immediate household age 6 or older, may each receive:**

- One Resident Landowner Fall Firearms Turkey Hunting Permit
- One Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit
- One Resident Landowner Archer's Hunting Permit
- Two Resident Landowner Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits depending upon county availability (see Page 20)

**Qualifying resident landowners and lessees who have 75 or more acres located in a single county or at least 75 continuous acres bisected by a county boundary, and all members of their immediate household age 6 or older, may each receive:**

- All of the landowner permits listed above
- Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits depending upon county availability (see map below)

**Resident Landowner Permits**

All landowner permits are valid only on qualifying property. Hunters must be at least 6 years old to obtain landowner permits. Hunter-education certification is not required to obtain landowner permits.

**Resident Landowner Fall Firearms Turkey Hunting Permit**

For two turkeys during fall firearms turkey season.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

**Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit**

For one deer (of either sex) during firearms deer season.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

**Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit**

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

**Resident Landowner Archer's Hunting Permit**

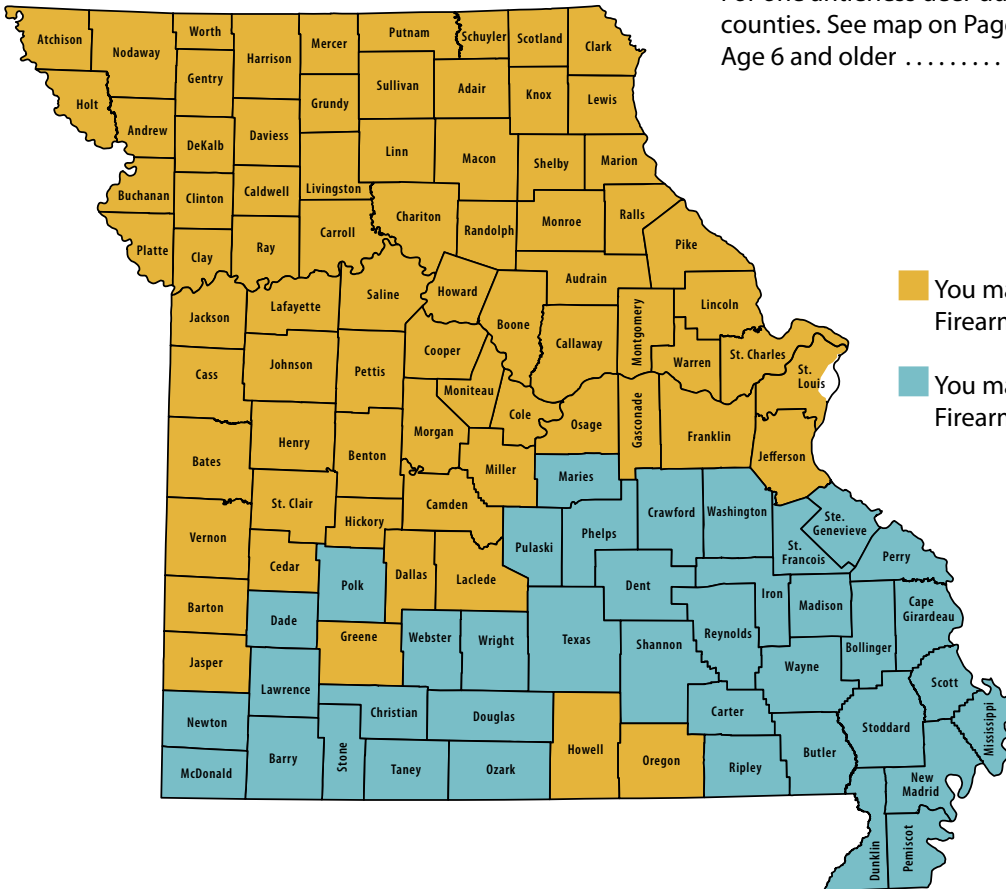
For two deer and two turkeys during archery deer and turkey season, for small game during prescribed seasons, and to sell furbearers taken by hunting.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

**Resident Landowner Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit**

For one antlerless deer during archery deer season in open counties. See map on Page 20.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost



- You may receive two Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits.
- You may receive one Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit.

# Archery Deer and Turkey Season

ARCHERY DEER AND TURKEY SEASON

## Dates

- Sept. 15–Nov. 13, 2015
- Nov. 25, 2015–Jan. 15, 2016

## Location

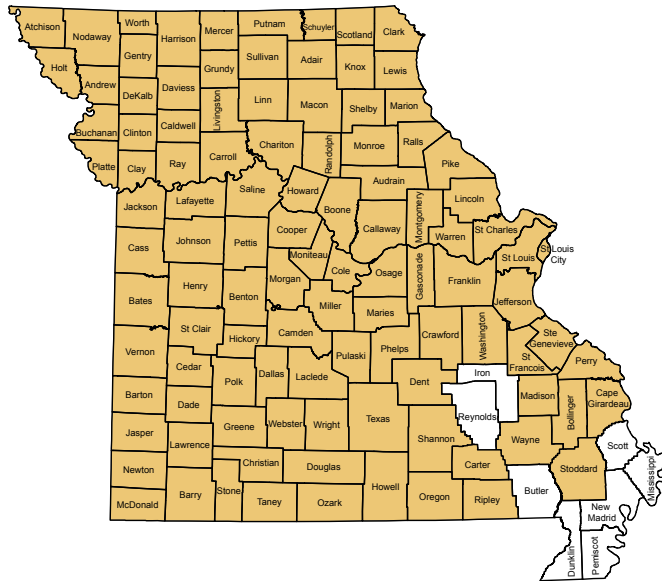
Statewide

## Shooting Hours

One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset

## Limits

- Two turkeys of either sex. Both may be taken on the same day.
- Using an archer's hunting permit, two deer, which may be of either sex, but only one antlered deer may be taken before Nov. 14.
- An antler-point restriction applies in some counties. See Page 12.
- Using antlerless permits, any number of antlerless deer in open counties. See map below.



Hunters may fill any number of archery antlerless deer hunting permits during the archery deer season in the counties shaded in the map above.

## Allowed

- Longbows, compound bows, and recurve bows of any draw weight
- Hand-held string-releasing devices
- Illuminated sights, scopes, and quickpoint sights
- Atlatls

## Prohibited

- A bow fastened to a stock or other device that maintains the bow in a drawn position
- Any sighting device that casts a beam of light on the game
- Use of electronic calls, electronically activated calls, bait, dogs, or night vision equipment
- Live decoys may not be used to take turkeys.
- Archers hunting deer or turkeys during the archery season may not be in possession of a firearm. Some exceptions apply. See 3 CSR 10-7.432 and 3 CSR 10-7.455 of the *Wildlife Code of Missouri*.

## Valid Permits

### Resident Archer's Hunting Permit

For two deer and two turkeys during archery deer and turkey season, for small game during prescribed seasons, and to sell furbearers taken by hunting.

Age 16 and older .....	\$19
Age 6–15 .....	\$9.50

### Resident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during archery deer season in open counties (see map at left). These may be purchased in any number.

Age 16 and older .....	\$.7
Age 6–15 .....	\$3.50

### Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit

For two deer and two turkeys during archery deer and turkey season, and for small game, except furbearers, during prescribed seasons.

Age 16 and older .....	\$225
Age 6–15 .....	\$9.50

### Nonresident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during archery deer season in open counties (see map at left). These may be purchased in any number. You must buy a Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit to buy these permits.

Age 16 and older .....	\$25
Age 6–15 .....	\$3.50

### Resident Landowner Archer's Hunting Permit

For two deer and two turkeys during archery deer and turkey season, for small game during prescribed seasons, and to sell furbearers taken by hunting.

Age 6 and older .....	No-cost
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### Resident Landowner Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during archery deer season in open counties (see map at left).

Age 6 and older .....	No-cost
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## Bowhunters: We Need Your Help!

### *Please participate in the Bowhunter Observation Survey.*

The Conservation Department needs bowhunters to record the deer, turkeys, and furbearers they see while hunting. This information helps biologists gauge the health of wildlife populations and set hunting regulations.

It's easy to participate. Just send an email by Sept. 1 to **Rachel.Boss@mdc.mo.gov**. Write "Bowhunter Observation Survey" in the subject line, and don't

forget to include your name and mailing address. You can also send your name and address to:

**Bowhunter Observation Survey**  
Missouri Department of Conservation  
3500 East Gans Road  
Columbia, MO 65201

We'll send you a diary to record the deer, turkeys, and furbearers you see

while bowhunting. At the end of the season, drop the postage-paid diary in the mail. Once Conservation Department biologists tally the information, they'll send you a summary of sightings for the entire state and return your diary if requested.

**Note:** If you have previously signed up for the survey, you do not need to do so again.

# Fall Firearms Turkey Season

## Dates

Oct. 1–31, 2015

## Location

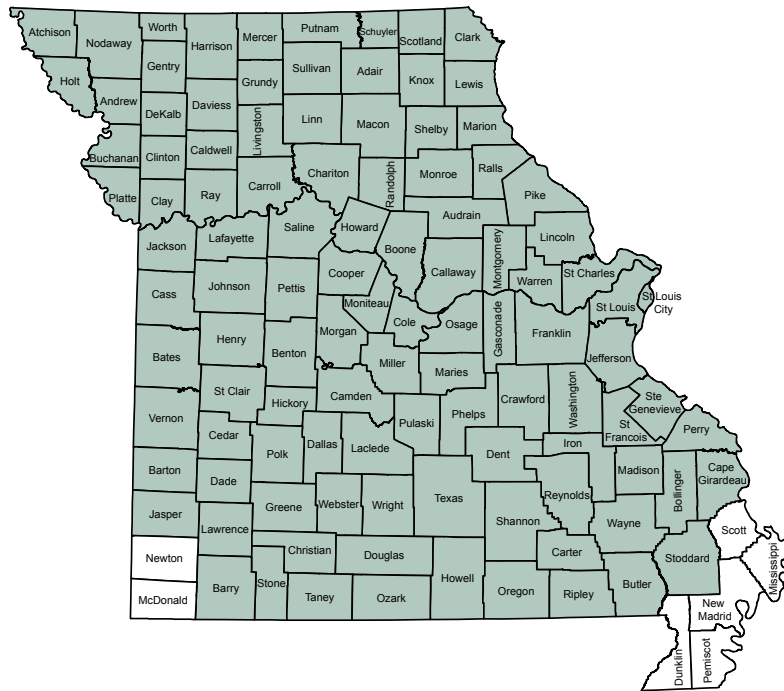
All counties except Dunklin, McDonald, Mississippi, New Madrid, Newton, Pemiscot, and Scott (see map below)

## Shooting Hours

One-half hour before sunrise to sunset

## Limits

Two turkeys of either sex. Both may be taken on the same day.



FALL FIREARMS TURKEY SEASON

## Allowed

- Shotguns (including .410) with shot not larger than No. 4
- Longbows, compound bows, and recurve bows of any draw weight
- Hand-held string-releasing devices
- Illuminated sights, scopes, and quickpoint sights
- Atlatls

## Prohibited

- Shotguns capable of holding more than three shells in magazine and chamber combined
- Shot larger than No. 4 (in use or possession)
- A bow fastened to a stock or other device that maintains the bow in a drawn position
- Rifles, pistols, and other firearms that propel a single projectile at one discharge
- Any sighting device that casts a beam of light on the game
- Use of electronic calls, electronically activated calls, live decoys, bait, or dogs
- Anyone hunting turkeys during the fall firearms turkey season may not be in possession of both a firearm and a bow. Some exceptions apply. See 3 CSR 10-7.455 of the *Wildlife Code of Missouri*.

## Valid Permits

### Resident Fall Firearms Turkey Hunting Permit

For two turkeys during fall firearms turkey season.

Age 16 and older .....	\$13
Age 6–15 .....	\$6.50

### Nonresident Fall Firearms Turkey Hunting Permit

For two turkeys during fall firearms turkey season.

Age 16 and older .....	\$110
Age 6–15 .....	\$6.50

### Resident Landowner Fall Firearms Turkey Hunting Permit

For two turkeys during fall firearms turkey season.

Age 6 and older .....	No-cost
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# Urban Zones Portion

## Dates

Oct. 9–12, 2015

## Location

Only areas shown on the maps on Page 25

## Shooting Hours

One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset

## Limits

- Only antlerless deer may be harvested during the urban zones portion.
- You may fill only two firearms antlerless deer hunting permits in each urban zone county or section of a county during firearms deer season (all portions combined).

**New!** The Columbia/Jefferson City Urban Zone has been eliminated.

### Allowed

- Methods allowed during the urban zones portion are the same as those listed on Page 26.

### Prohibited

- Some methods may be prohibited by local ordinances. For example, some cities allow only archery methods.
- Methods prohibited during the urban zones portion are the same as those listed on Page 26.

### Valid Permits

#### Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season. During the urban zones portion, you may take only antlerless deer with this permit.

Age 16 and older .....	\$17
Age 6–15 .....	\$8.50

#### Resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 16 and older .....	\$7
Age 6–15 .....	\$3.50

#### Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season. During the urban zones portion, you may take only antlerless deer with this permit.

Age 16 and older .....	\$225
Age 6–15 .....	\$8.50

#### Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. You must buy a Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or a Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit to buy these permits. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 16 and older .....	\$25
Age 6–15 .....	\$3.50

#### Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one deer (of either sex) during firearms deer season. This permit is valid only on property for which it is issued. During the urban zones portion, you may take only antlerless deer with this permit.

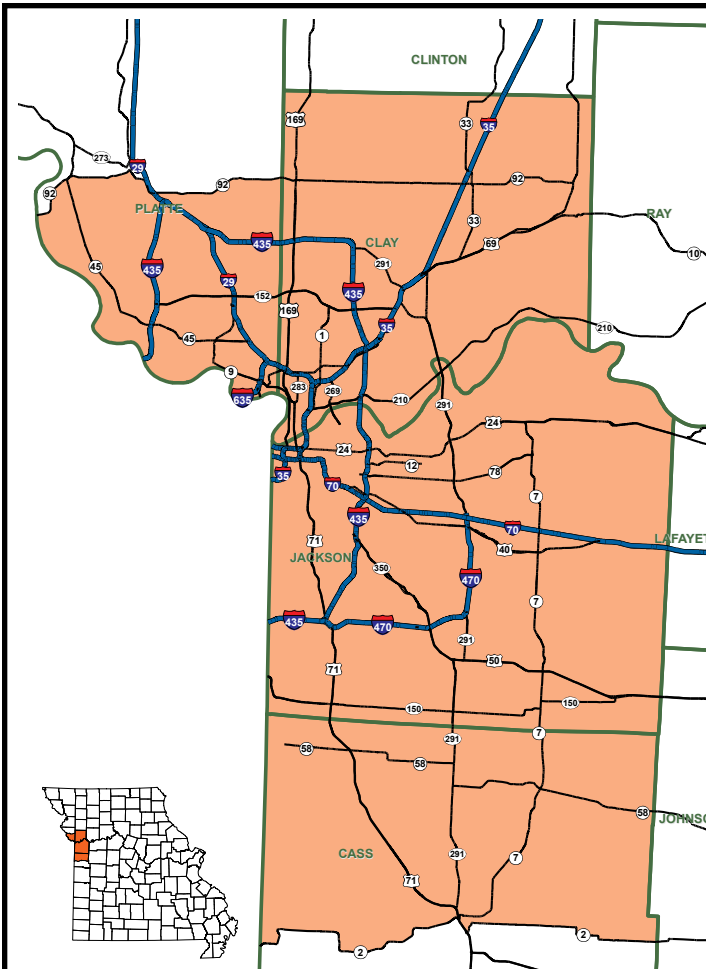
Age 6 and older .....	No-cost
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#### Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. These permits are valid only on property for which they are issued.

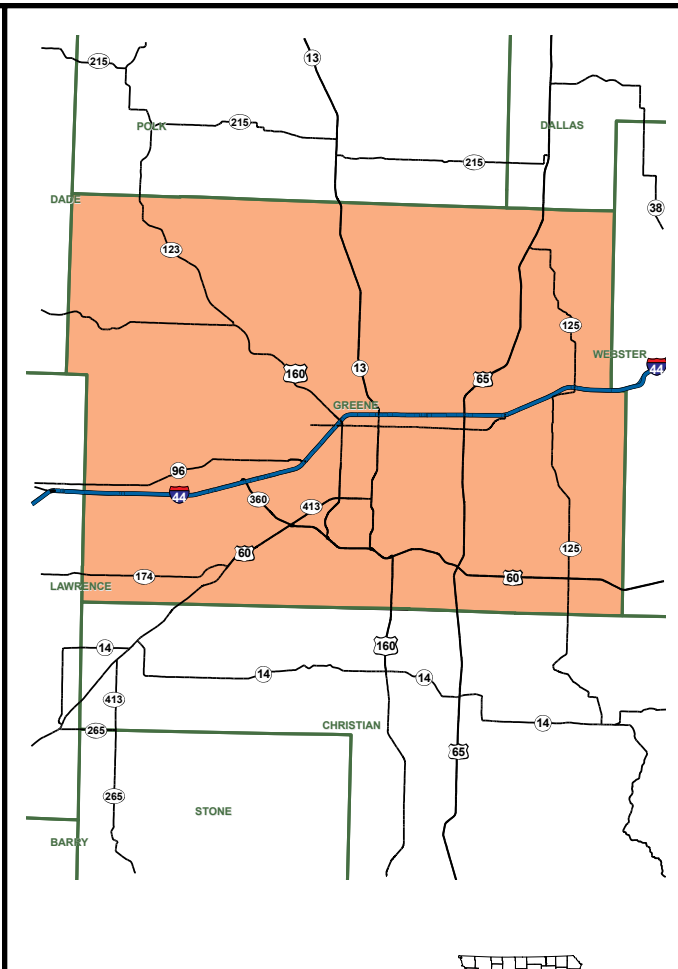
Age 6 and older .....	No-cost
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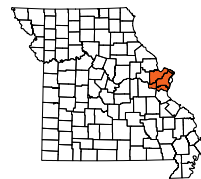
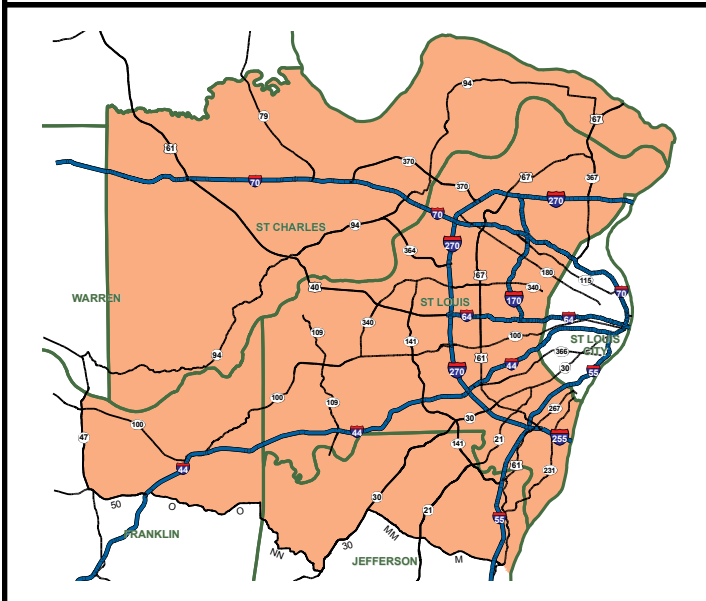
### Kansas City Urban Zone

- Portion of Platte County south of Hwy. 92
- Portion of Cass County north of Route 2
- All of Clay and Jackson counties



### Springfield Urban Zone

- All of Greene County



### St. Louis Urban Zone

- All of St. Charles and St. Louis counties
- Portion of Franklin County north and east of a line from Hwy. 47 south to U.S. 50, east to I-44, east to Hwy. O, east to Hwy. NN, south on NN to the Jefferson County line
- Portion of Jefferson County north of a line from Hwy. NN to Hwy. 30, east to Hwy. MM, east to Hwy. M, east to U.S. 61, south to Glaize Creek, east to the Mississippi River

# Youth Portions

## Dates

To participate, you must be at least 6 and no older than 15 on the opening day of the early youth portion.

- Early Youth Portion: Oct. 31–Nov. 1, 2015
- Late Youth Portion: Jan. 2–3, 2016

## Location

Statewide

## Shooting Hours

One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset

## Limits

- Only one deer (of either sex) may be taken during the early youth portion. If you have more than one permit, you must use them in another portion.
- Only one antlered deer may be taken during firearms deer season (all portions combined).
- Each county has a limit on the number of firearms antlerless deer hunting permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.
- The antler-point restriction does not apply during the youth portions.

## Allowed

- Centerfire pistols, revolvers, or rifles using expanding-type bullets such as lead or copper
- Shotguns (including .410) with slugs only
- Air-powered guns, .40 caliber or larger, charged only from an external high-compression power source (external hand pump, air tank, or air compressor)
- Muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms, .40 caliber or larger and capable of firing only a single projectile at one discharge. In-lines and scopes are allowed.
- Multiple-barreled muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms and/or muzzleloading or cap-and-ball handguns, including revolvers, .40 caliber or larger, are allowed and may be carried in addition to a muzzleloading or cap-and-ball rifle.
- Longbows, compound bows, and recurve bows of any draw weight. Hand-held string-releasing devices, illuminated sights, scopes, and quickpoint sights are allowed.
- Crossbows
- Atlatls

## Prohibited

- Self-loading firearms with capacity of more than 11 cartridges in magazine and chamber combined
- Ammunition propelling more than one projectile at a single discharge (such as buckshot)
- Full hard metal case projectiles
- Fully automatic firearms
- Any sighting device that casts a beam of light on the game
- Electronic calls or electronically activated calls
- Night vision equipment
- Use of bait
- Use of dogs
- Additional methods may be prohibited by local ordinances.

## Valid Permits

### Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season.

Age 6–15.....\$8.50

### Resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 6–15.....\$3.50

### Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season.

Age 6–15.....\$8.50

### Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. You must buy a Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or a Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit to buy these permits. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 6–15.....\$3.50

### Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one deer (of either sex) during firearms deer season. This permit is valid only on property for which it is issued.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

### Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. These permits are valid only on property for which they are issued.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

# November Portion

## Dates

Nov. 14–24, 2015

## Location

Statewide

## Shooting Hours

One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset

## Limits

- Only one antlered deer may be taken during the firearms deer season (all portions combined).
- An antler-point restriction applies in some counties. See Page 12.
- Each county has a limit on the number of firearms antlerless deer hunting permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

## Allowed

- Centerfire pistols, revolvers, or rifles using expanding-type bullets such as lead or copper
- Shotguns (including .410) with slugs only
- Air-powered guns, .40 caliber or larger, charged only from an external high-compression power source (external hand pump, air tank, or air compressor)
- Muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms, .40 caliber or larger and capable of firing only a single projectile at one discharge. In-lines and scopes are allowed.
- Multiple-barreled muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms and/or muzzleloading or cap-and-ball handguns, including revolvers, .40 caliber or larger, are allowed and may be carried in addition to a muzzleloading or cap-and-ball rifle.
- Longbows, compound bows, and recurve bows of any draw weight. Hand-held string-releasing devices, illuminated sights, scopes, and quickpoint sights are allowed.
- Crossbows
- Atlatls

## Prohibited

- Self-loading firearms with capacity of more than 11 cartridges in magazine and chamber combined
- Ammunition propelling more than one projectile at a single discharge (such as buckshot)
- Full hard metal case projectiles
- Fully automatic firearms
- Any sighting device that casts a beam of light on the game
- Electronic calls or electronically activated calls
- Night vision equipment
- Use of bait
- Use of dogs
- Additional methods may be prohibited by local ordinances.

## Valid Permits

### Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season.

Age 16 and older . . . . .	\$17
Age 6–15 . . . . .	\$8.50

### Resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 16 and older . . . . .	\$7
Age 6–15 . . . . .	\$3.50

### Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season.

Age 16 and older . . . . .	\$225
Age 6–15 . . . . .	\$8.50

### Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. You must buy a Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or a Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit to buy these permits. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 16 and older . . . . .	\$25
Age 6–15 . . . . .	\$3.50

### Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one deer (of either sex) during firearms deer season. This permit is valid only on property for which it is issued.

Age 6 and older . . . . .	No-cost
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### Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. These permits are valid only on property for which they are issued.

Age 6 and older . . . . .	No-cost
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# Antlerless Portion

## Dates

Nov. 25–Dec. 6, 2015

## Location

See map on Page 29. Areas in white are closed to firearms hunting during the antlerless portion.

## Shooting Hours

One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset

## Limits

- You may harvest only antlerless deer during this portion of firearms deer season.
- Some counties and county sections are closed to firearms hunting during this portion. The remaining counties have limits on the number of firearms antlerless deer hunting permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See map on Page 29.

### Allowed

- Centerfire pistols, revolvers, or rifles using expanding-type bullets such as lead or copper
- Shotguns (including .410) with slugs only
- Air-powered guns, .40 caliber or larger, charged only from an external high-compression power source (external hand pump, air tank, or air compressor)
- Muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms, .40 caliber or larger and capable of firing only a single projectile at one discharge. In-lines and scopes are allowed.
- Multiple-barreled muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms and/or muzzleloading or cap-and-ball handguns, including revolvers, .40 caliber or larger, are allowed and may be carried in addition to a muzzleloading or cap-and-ball rifle.
- Longbows, compound bows, and recurve bows of any draw weight. Hand-held string-releasing devices, illuminated sights, scopes, and quickpoint sights are allowed.
- Crossbows
- Atlatls

### Prohibited

- Self-loading firearms with capacity of more than 11 cartridges in magazine and chamber combined
- Ammunition propelling more than one projectile at a single discharge (such as buckshot)
- Full hard metal case projectiles
- Fully automatic firearms
- Any sighting device that casts a beam of light on the game
- Electronic calls or electronically activated calls
- Night vision equipment
- Use of bait
- Use of dogs
- Additional methods may be prohibited by local ordinances.

### Valid Permits

#### Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer during firearms deer season. During the antlerless portion, you may take only antlerless deer with this permit. Some counties are closed during the antlerless portion. See map on Page 29.

Age 16 and older ..... \$17  
Age 6–15.....\$8.50

#### Resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined), and some counties are closed during the antlerless portion. See map on Page 29.

Age 16 and older .....\$7  
Age 6–15.....\$3.50

#### Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer during firearms deer season. During the antlerless portion, you may take only antlerless deer with this permit. Some counties are closed during the antlerless portion. See map on Page 29.

Age 16 and older ..... \$225  
Age 6–15.....\$8.50

#### Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. You must buy a Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or a Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit to buy these permits. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined), and some counties are closed during the antlerless portion. See map on Page 29.

Age 16 and older ..... \$25  
Age 6–15.....\$3.50

#### Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one deer (of either sex) during firearms deer season. During the antlerless portion, you may take only antlerless deer with this permit. Some counties are closed during the antlerless portion. See map on Page 29. This permit is valid only on property for which it is issued.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

#### Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. These permits are valid only on property for which they are issued. Some counties are closed during the antlerless portion. See map on Page 29.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost



# Alternative Methods Portion

## Dates

Dec. 19–29, 2015

## Location

Statewide

## Shooting Hours

One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset

## Limits

- Only one antlered deer may be taken during the firearms deer season (all portions combined).
- An antler-point restriction applies in some counties. See Page 12.
- Each county has a limit on the number of firearms antlerless deer hunting permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

## Allowed

- Muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms, .40 caliber or larger and capable of firing only a single projectile at one discharge. In-lines and scopes are allowed.
- Multiple-barreled muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms and/or muzzleloading or cap-and-ball handguns, including revolvers, .40 caliber or larger, are allowed and may be carried in addition to a muzzleloading or cap-and-ball rifle.
- Centerfire pistols or revolvers using expanding-type bullets such as lead or copper
- Air-powered guns, .40 caliber or larger, charged only from an external high-compression power source (external hand pump, air tank, or air compressor)
- Longbows, compound bows, and recurve bows of any draw weight. Hand-held string-releasing devices, illuminated sights, scopes, and quickpoint sights are allowed.
- Crossbows
- Atlatls

## Prohibited

- Any rifle capable of being loaded by any means other than the muzzle
- Shotguns
- Self-loading firearms with capacity of more than 11 cartridges in magazine and chamber combined
- Ammunition propelling more than one projectile at a single discharge (such as buckshot)
- Full hard metal case projectiles
- Fully automatic firearms
- Any sighting device that casts a beam of light on the game
- Electronic calls or electronically activated calls
- Night vision equipment
- Use of bait
- Use of dogs
- Additional methods may be prohibited by local ordinances.

## Valid Permits

### Resident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season.

Age 16 and older ..... \$17  
Age 6–15.....\$8.50

### Resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 16 and older .....\$7  
Age 6–15.....\$3.50

### Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlered or antlerless deer statewide during firearms deer season.

Age 16 and older ..... \$225  
Age 6–15.....\$8.50

### Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. You must buy a Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit or a Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit to buy these permits. Antlerless permits may be purchased in any number, but each county has a limit on the number of antlerless permits you may fill during firearms deer season (all portions combined). See Page 17.

Age 16 and older ..... \$25  
Age 6–15.....\$3.50

### Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit

For one deer (of either sex) during firearms deer season. This permit is valid only on property for which it is issued.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost

### Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit

For one antlerless deer during firearms deer season. These permits are valid only on property for which they are issued.

Age 6 and older ..... No-cost



# Managed Deer Hunts

Missouri offers numerous managed deer hunts for archery, crossbow, muzzleloading, and modern firearms from mid-September through mid-January. Hunters are selected by a weighted random drawing.

## Limit

One managed deer hunting permit allows you to take the number of deer allowed at the hunt you are attending. Deer taken at a managed hunt do not count toward your archery or firearms season limits.

## Points to Remember

- You may apply for only one managed deer hunt each year. **If you apply for more than one, you will be disqualified from this year's drawing and will not receive a preference point.**
- Youth who apply for a youth-only hunt may not also apply for a regular managed deer hunt.
- If you cannot attend, another hunter cannot take your place. Only those hunters who applied and were drawn may attend.
- Individuals not drawn for a managed deer hunt may not accompany a hunter who was successfully drawn.
- Some managed hunts require hunters to attend a mandatory pre-hunt orientation. If you cannot attend the orientation, do not apply for these hunts.
- If you have a methods exemption, you may use a crossbow in an archery managed deer hunt.
- If you apply as one of a party on the application or as an individual, your chances of being drawn for a managed deer hunt are the same as everyone else's.
- If you are not drawn for a managed hunt this year, you will earn one preference point that will increase your odds the next time you apply.
- ATVs are prohibited on managed deer hunting areas.
- If you have a medical condition that limits your mobility, please contact the manager of the area on which you want to hunt before applying for a managed hunt. Some areas may not have the access you require, and you may want to apply for a hunt on a different area.
- Most conservation areas remain open to the public during managed hunts.
- Go to [mdc.mo.gov/node/4279](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/4279) for a summary of how many people applied for last year's managed hunts and how many deer were taken.

## Valid Permits

### Resident Managed Deer Hunting Permit

A single permit allows you to take the number of deer allowed at the hunt you are attending. Permits are available beginning Sept. 1 to successful managed hunt applicants.

Age 16 and older .....	\$17
Age 11–15 .....	\$8.50

### Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit

A single permit allows you to take the number of deer allowed at the hunt you are attending. Permits are available beginning Sept. 1 to successful managed hunt applicants.

Age 16 and older .....	\$225
Age 11–15 .....	\$8.50



## Wheelchair-Confined Hunters

Any hunter permanently confined to a wheelchair is automatically allowed to participate in one or more managed deer hunts at:

- August A. Busch Memorial Conservation Area
- Burr Oak Woods Conservation Area
- Caney Mountain Conservation Area
- James A. Reed Memorial Wildlife Area
- Peck Ranch Conservation Area

These hunts are part of the Managed Deer Hunt Program and are not limited to disabled hunters. Mail a written request **by July 31** indicating the hunts you would like to attend along with a physician's statement to:

Missouri Department of Conservation  
Attn: Managed Deer Hunts  
PO Box 180  
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0180

Each hunter may be accompanied by an attendant/caregiver while hunting, but that person may not hunt unless he or she has applied and was successfully drawn for the same hunt. Wheelchair-confined hunters may participate in more than one managed deer hunt, but must purchase a managed deer hunting permit for each hunt they attend.



## When to Apply

July 1–31, 2015

**Note:** The application timeframe has been shortened so hunters have more time to be notified of their selection for early-season managed hunts.

## Who Can Apply

You must be 11 or older by the date of the hunt. Youth hunters may apply singly or with one other youth hunter for youth-only hunts, but not as a group. If applying for any other hunt, hunters may apply individually or as a group of up to six.

## How to Apply

**Step 1:** If you are applying for a disabled person's hunt, follow the instructions in the blue box on Page 38. If you are applying for any other managed hunt, designate one member of your group to go online. That person must have the following information:

- The hunt number for the managed hunt
- The Conservation ID number of each hunter in the group. A Social Security number is not the same as a Conservation ID number. Your Conservation ID number is located on the back of your Conservation Heritage Card and on your permit. If you need an ID number, call 573-751-4115 during regular business hours to have one assigned.

**Important:** To ensure that your preference point earned last year is used, be sure to use the same Conservation ID number you used last year. For future reference, print your confirmation page and save it.

**Step 2:** Complete the worksheet on this page before going online so you will have all the information ready.

**Step 3:** Go online at [mdc.mo.gov/node/11252](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/11252). If you have correctly entered all the required information, you will see a message confirming your application.

**Step 4:** Print out or write down your confirmation number to save for future reference.

## Find Out if You've Been Selected

From Sept. 1 through Jan. 15, go online at [mdc.mo.gov/node/11252](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/11252). Be prepared to enter your Conservation ID number (the same ID number you used when you applied) when you check the drawing results. You also must provide your same Conservation ID number when you buy your managed deer hunting permit.

All successful applicants will receive in the mail an area map and other information regarding the hunt. We must have your correct address so you will receive the information you need. If your address has changed, contact your local Department office during regular business hours. See inside front cover.

Successful applicants can purchase their permit beginning Sept. 1 wherever permits are sold.

## Youth-Only Managed Hunts

To apply for a youth-only managed hunt, you must be 11 to 15 years old at the time of the hunt. If you are drawn to participate, you must:

- Obtain hunter-education certification before the managed hunt or pre-hunt orientation (if orientation is required);
- Purchase a Resident or Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit;
- Be accompanied by an adult sponsor (age 18 or older) who is hunter-education certified or exempt, and has a filled or unfilled firearms deer hunting permit; and
- Attend a pre-hunt orientation with your adult sponsor at some locations.

**Note:** Hunter-education certification is not required to apply for a managed hunt, but must be achieved before the hunt or pre-hunt orientation (if orientation is required). Minimum age to enroll in a hunter-education course is 11. Adult sponsors born before Jan. 1, 1967, are exempt from the hunter-education requirement.

## Managed Deer Hunt Application Worksheet

Hunt No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Method: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Hunter **Conservation ID number(s)** (found on your hunting or fishing permit, or on the **back** of your Conservation Heritage Card below the bar code. Use the same number you used last year.):

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

# Managed Deer Hunts

Hunt No.	Location	County	Date	Number of Hunters Drawn	Limit	Mandatory Pre-Hunt Orientation
<b>Archery</b> (1 hunt — longbow, recurve bow, compound bow, or atlatl only)						
1	Bicentennial CA <sup>1</sup>	Newton	Oct. 31–Nov. 13	30	C	Oct. 21
<b>Archery without Atlatl</b> (2 hunts — longbow, recurve bow, or compound bow only)						
2	Fellows Lake CP <sup>1,2</sup>	Greene	Sept. 26–Nov. 8	25	D	Sept. 18
3	Lake Springfield CP <sup>1,2,7</sup>	Greene	Nov. 28–Jan. 3	15	G	Nov. 19
<b>Archery or Crossbow without Atlatl</b> (12 hunts — longbow, recurve bow, compound bow, or crossbow only)						
4	Blue and Gray CP <sup>2,3</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 24–Nov. 8	20	G	
5	Blue and Gray CP <sup>2,3</sup>	Jackson	Dec. 5–20	20	G	
6	Blue River Parkway CP Zone 1 <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 24–Nov. 8	15	G	Oct. 17
7	Blue River Parkway CP Zone 2 <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 24–Nov. 8	20	G	Oct. 17
8	Blue River Parkway CP Zone 3 <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 24–Nov. 8	10	G	Oct. 17
9	Blue River Parkway CP Zone 4 <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 24–Nov. 8	10	G	Oct. 17
10	Blue Springs Lake CP <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 31–Nov. 15	25	G	Oct. 24
11	Blue Springs Lake CP <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 28–Dec. 13	25	G	Nov. 21
12	Jerry Smith Park/Saeger Woods CA <sup>1</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 2–Jan. 15	30	F	Oct. 24
13	Landahl Park CP <sup>1,2,3</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 21–Dec. 3	25	G	Nov. 7
14	Longview Lake CP <sup>2,3</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 24–Nov. 8	50	G	
15	Longview Lake CP <sup>2,3</sup>	Jackson	Dec. 5–20	50	G	
<b>Archery or Crossbow</b> (33 hunts — longbow, recurve bow, compound bow, crossbow, or atlatl only)						
16	August A. Busch CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Charles	Sept. 15–27	150	C	
17	August A. Busch CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Charles	Oct. 10–23	150	C	
18	August A. Busch CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Charles	Dec. 14–31	300	C	
19	Burr Oak Woods CNC <sup>1</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 2–6	9	C	Nov. 1

MANAGED DEER HUNTS

## Location Code:

**CA** = Conservation Area  
**CNC** = Conservation Nature Center  
**CP** = City or County Park  
**ML** = Management Lands  
**NWR** = National Wildlife Refuge  
**SP** = State Park  
**WA** = Wildlife Area

**Limit Code:** When you purchase your managed deer hunting permit, you will receive permits to take the number of deer allowed at the hunt you are attending.

**A** = 1 antlerless deer  
**B** = 1 deer of either sex  
**C** = 2 deer, but only 1 antlered  
**D** = 2 deer, but only 1 antlered; must take and check in antlerless deer before taking antlered deer  
**E** = 2 antlerless deer

**F** = 3 deer, but only 1 antlered  
**G** = 3 deer, but only 1 antlered; must take and check in 1 antlerless deer before taking antlered deer  
**H** = 3 antlerless deer  
**I** = 1 antlered deer  
**J** = Managed hunt permits are not available for this hunt. You must purchase firearms permits and abide by firearms season limits. Deer taken at this hunt count toward your firearms season limit.

Hunt No.	Location	County	Date	Number of Hunters Drawn	Limit	Mandatory Pre-Hunt Orientation
20	Burr Oak Woods CNC <sup>1</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 9–13	9	C	Nov. 1
21	Burr Oak Woods CNC <sup>1</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 16–20	9	C	Nov. 1
22	Burr Oak Woods CNC <sup>1</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 23–27	9	C	Nov. 1
23	Caney Mountain CA	Ozark	Dec. 5–6	100	B	
24	Columbia Bottom CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Louis	Nov. 7–15	40	C	
25	Columbia Bottom CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Louis	Dec. 19–31	40	C	
26	Forest 44 CA	St. Louis	Oct. 7–21	75	C	
27	Forest 44 CA	St. Louis	Dec. 1–31	100	C	
28	James A. Reed WA <sup>1,2,4</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 2–13	50	D	Nov. 1
29	Klamberg (Roger) Woods CA <sup>1</sup>	St. Louis	Nov. 10–12	5	G	Nov. 9
30	Marais Temps Clair CA	St. Charles	Sept. 15–27	20	B	
31	Marais Temps Clair CA	St. Charles	Oct. 30–Nov. 9	20	B	
32	Otter Slough CA	Stoddard	Sept. 15–30	15	C	
33	Otter Slough CA	Stoddard	Oct. 3–18	15	C	
34	Otter Slough CA	Stoddard	Oct. 24–Nov. 8	15	C	
35	Otter Slough CA	Stoddard	Nov. 28–Dec. 13	15	C	
36	Otter Slough CA	Stoddard	Dec. 26–Jan. 15	15	C	
37	Peck Ranch CA <sup>4</sup>	Carter/Shannon	Oct. 24–26	200	B	
38	Powder Valley CNC <sup>1</sup>	St. Louis	Nov. 7–9	8	G	Nov. 6
39	Rockwoods Range	St. Louis	Nov. 1–30	75	C	
40	Rockwoods Range	St. Louis	Dec. 1–31	75	C	
41	Rockwoods Reservation <sup>1</sup>	St. Louis	Nov. 9–13	10	D	Nov. 7
42	Rockwoods Reservation <sup>1</sup>	St. Louis	Nov. 16–20	10	D	Nov. 7

<sup>1</sup> Hunters must attend a pre-hunt orientation; those who do not attend are disqualified.

<sup>2</sup> Hunters may take turkeys according to season limits on the archer's hunting permit prior to filling the managed deer hunt quota.

<sup>3</sup> Participants must pay a \$10 administrative fee to Jackson County. If chosen for this hunt, please call 816-503-4800 for fee deadlines. Antlers are not an allowed method for hunts in Jackson County Parks.

<sup>4</sup> Antlered deer must have at least one antler with at least four points.

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<sup>7</sup> This hunt has limited access. The majority of hunting units are most easily accessed by boat.

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<sup>9</sup> More than 2,000 acres of state-designated wilderness are open for this hunt.

# Managed Deer Hunts

Hunt No.	Location	County	Date	Number of Hunters Drawn	Limit	Mandatory Pre-Hunt Orientation
43	Rockwoods Reservation <sup>1</sup>	St. Louis	Nov. 30–Dec. 4	10	D	Nov. 7
44	Rockwoods Reservation <sup>1</sup>	St. Louis	Dec. 7–11	10	H	Nov. 7
45	Weldon Spring CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Charles	Sept. 15–27	150	C	
46	Weldon Spring CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Charles	Oct. 10–23	150	C	
47	Weldon Spring CA <sup>2</sup>	St. Charles	Dec. 14–Jan. 15	300	C	
48	Whetstone Creek CA	Callaway	Oct. 1–Nov. 8	50	C	Sept. 26

## Muzzleloader or Cap-and-Ball Firearms Only (8 hunts — in-lines and scopes are allowed)

49	Caney Mountain CA	Ozark	Oct. 17–19	250	B	
50	Current River SP	Shannon	Dec. 19–23	18	B	
51	Current River SP	Shannon	Dec. 25–29	18	B	
52	Forest 44 CA	St. Louis	Nov. 9–10	30	C	
53	Forest 44 CA	St. Louis	Nov. 16–17	30	C	
54	James A. Reed WA <sup>1,4</sup>	Jackson	Nov. 16–20	40	D	Nov. 16
55	Mingo NWR <sup>1</sup>	Stoddard/Wayne	Dec. 5–6	100	C	Dec. 4
56	Peck Ranch CA <sup>4</sup>	Carter/Shannon	Dec. 5–6	200	B	

## Historic Methods (4 hunts — muzzleloader, cap-and-ball, long/recurve/compound/crossbow, atlatl only; in-lines and scopes are allowed)

57	August A. Busch CA	St. Charles	Nov. 14–16	100	E	
58	August A. Busch CA	St. Charles	Nov. 21–23	100	B	
59	Marais Temps Clair CA	St. Charles	Jan. 1–15	20	B	
60	Pelican Island Natural Area	St. Louis	Nov. 7–9	80	G	

## Shotguns (2 hunts — with slugs only)

61	Columbia Bottom CA	St. Louis	Nov. 28–Dec. 4	20	B	
62	Marais Temps Clair CA	St. Charles	Oct. 1–14	20	B	

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**E** = 2 antlerless deer

**F** = 3 deer, but only 1 antlered  
**G** = 3 deer, but only 1 antlered; must take and check in 1 antlerless deer before taking antlered deer  
**H** = 3 antlerless deer  
**I** = 1 antlered deer  
**J** = Managed hunt permits are not available for this hunt. You must purchase firearms permits and abide by firearms season limits. Deer taken at this hunt count toward your firearms season limit.

Hunt No.	Location	County	Date	Number of Hunters Drawn	Limit	Mandatory Pre-Hunt Orientation
<b>Shotguns, Muzzleloaders, or Cap-and-Ball Firearms Only</b> (1 hunt — slugs only with shotguns; in-lines and scopes are allowed)						
63	Weldon Spring U.S. Army Training Area <sup>1,4</sup>	St. Charles	Dec. 11–13	30	C	Dec. 10
<b>Firearms</b> (15 hunts — centerfire, shotguns with slugs, air-powered guns only)						
64	Atlanta CA	Macon	Nov. 25–Dec. 6	20	E	
65	Clarence Cannon NWR <sup>1,4</sup>	Pike	Jan. 2–3	12	D	Jan. 2
66	Crowder SP	Grundy	Dec. 12–13	100	H	
67	Cuivre River SP	Lincoln	Dec. 12–13	150	H	
68	Lamine River CA	Cooper/Morgan	Dec. 11–13	75	H	
69	Lamine River CA	Cooper/Morgan	Jan. 8–10	75	H	
70	Pershing SP	Linn	Dec. 12–13	150	H	
71	Pomme de Terre SP (Pittsburgh half)	Hickory	Dec. 12–13	8	H	
72	St. Francois SP <sup>9</sup>	St. Francois	Dec. 12–13	70	H	
73	St. Joe SP	St. Francois	Dec. 12–13	150	H	
74	Swan Lake NWR <sup>1</sup>	Chariton	Dec. 4–6	15	I	Dec. 4
75	Union Ridge CA	Sullivan/Adair/ Putnam	Nov. 25–Dec. 6	25	E	
76	Weldon Spring CA	St. Charles	Nov. 14–16	100	A	
77	Weldon Spring CA	St. Charles	Nov. 21–23	100	B	
78	Whetstone Creek CA	Callaway	Nov. 23–25	25	D	Nov. 22 or Nov. 23
<b>Youth-Only Shotguns</b> (2 hunts — with slugs only)						
Youth must be at least 11 years old and hunter-education certified to hunt in a managed youth deer hunt.						
79	Burr Oak Woods CNC <sup>1</sup>	Jackson	Oct. 31–Nov. 1	10	B	Oct. 30
80	Columbia Bottom CA <sup>1</sup>	St. Louis	Oct. 24–25	30	B	Oct. 10

<sup>1</sup> Hunters must attend a pre-hunt orientation; those who do not attend are disqualified.

<sup>2</sup> Hunters may take turkeys according to season limits on the archer's hunting permit prior to filling the managed deer hunt quota.

<sup>3</sup> Participants must pay a \$10 administrative fee to Jackson County. If chosen for this hunt, please call 816-503-4800 for fee deadlines. Atlatls are not an allowed method for hunts in Jackson County Parks.

<sup>4</sup> Antlered deer must have at least one antler with at least four points.

<sup>5</sup> Only first-time deer hunters may apply for this hunt. A parent or guardian must accompany the youth during this 1.5 day hunting experience that includes spending a night in deer camp. Only people who have not acquired a deer hunting permit in the past are eligible.

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<sup>9</sup> More than 2,000 acres of state-designated wilderness are open for this hunt.

# Managed Deer Hunts

Hunt No.	Location	County	Date	Number of Hunters Drawn	Limit	Mandatory Pre-Hunt Orientation
<b>Youth-Only Firearms</b> (13 hunts — centerfire, shotguns with slugs, air-powered guns only) Youth must be at least 11 years old and hunter-education certified to hunt in a managed youth deer hunt.						
81	August A. Busch CA <sup>1</sup>	St. Charles	Oct. 31–Nov. 1	60	B	Oct. 17
82	Charles W. Green CA <sup>1,5</sup>	Boone	Oct. 31–Nov. 1	5	B	
83	Current River SP	Shannon	Nov. 14–18	10	B	
84	Current River SP	Shannon	Nov. 20–24	10	B	
85	Davisdale CA <sup>1</sup>	Howard	Oct. 24–25	35	G	Oct. 23 or Oct. 24
86	Mingo NWR <sup>1</sup>	Stoddard/Wayne	Nov. 7–8	50	B	Oct. 17 or Nov. 6
87	Ozark National Scenic Riverways — Big Spring Area <sup>1</sup>	Carter	Oct. 10–11	10	E	Oct. 10
88	Peck Ranch CA	Carter/Shannon	Oct. 10–11	65	B	
89	Pony Express Lake CA <sup>1</sup>	DeKalb	Oct. 23–25	20	C	Oct. 22
90	Seat Memorial CA <sup>1</sup>	Gentry/Worth	Nov. 28–29	15	D	Nov. 28
91	Smithville Lake ML <sup>1</sup>	Clay	Dec. 12–13	30	C	Dec. 11
92	Swan Lake NWR <sup>1</sup>	Chariton	Dec. 4–6	15	I	Dec. 4
93	Weldon Spring CA <sup>1</sup>	St. Charles	Oct. 31–Nov. 1	60	B	Oct. 17
	There are 17 hunts exclusively for people with disabilities. Apply for the Swan Lake hunt using the online system (see instructions on Page 33). Apply for all other hunts by calling the hunt location during normal business hours from July 1–31, or by Oct. 1 for the Smithville Lake hunt.					
	<b>Disabled Youth-Only Firearms</b> (1 hunt — centerfire, shotguns with slugs, air-powered guns only) Youth must be at least 11 years old and hunter-education certified to hunt in a managed youth deer hunt.					
	Mingo NWR <sup>1</sup> (573-222-3589)	Stoddard/Wayne	Nov. 7–8	5	B	Oct. 17 or Nov. 6

MANAGED DEER HUNTS

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Hunt No.	Location	County	Date	Number of Hunters Drawn	Limit	Mandatory Pre-Hunt Orientation
<b>🦏 Disabled Firearms</b> (10 hunts — centerfire, shotguns with slugs, air-powered guns only)						
	Camp Crowder U.S. Army Training Site <sup>1</sup> (573-638-9517)	Newton	Oct. 20–22	6	C	Oct. 20
	Clarence Cannon NWR <sup>1</sup> (573-847-2333)	Pike	Oct. 17–18	9	C	Oct. 17
	Clarence Cannon NWR <sup>1,4</sup> (573-847-2333)	Pike	Jan. 2–3	3	D	Jan. 2
	Mingo NWR — Wounded Warriors <sup>1,6</sup>	Stoddard/Wayne	Nov. 9–10	5	C	Nov. 8
	Ozark National Scenic Riverways — Big Spring Area Wounded Warrior Mobility-Impaired Hunt <sup>1</sup> (573-323-4941)	Carter	Nov. 7–8	10	C	Nov. 6
	Smithville Lake ML (816-389-3947)	Clay/Clinton	Nov. 21–22	65	C	
	Stockton Lake ML (417-276-3113)	Cedar/Dade	Nov. 7–8	25	C	
94	Swan Lake NWR <sup>1,8</sup>	Chariton	Nov. 6–8	10	B	Nov. 6
	Truman Lake ML (660-438-7317)	Benton/St. Clair	Nov. 7–8	25	B	
	Wappapello Lake ML (573-222-8562)	Wayne	Oct. 17–18	25	B	
<b>🦏 Disabled Muzzleloader or Cap-and-Ball Firearms Only</b> (4 hunts — in-lines and scopes are allowed)						
	Clearwater Lake ML (573-223-7777)	Wayne/Reynolds	Oct. 24–25	3	B	
	Clearwater Lake ML — Wounded Warriors (573-223-7777)	Wayne/Reynolds	Oct. 17–18	3	B	
	Mingo NWR <sup>1,8</sup> (573-222-3589)	Stoddard/Wayne	Dec. 5–6	5	C	Dec. 4
	Squaw Creek NWR <sup>1,4</sup> (660-442-3187)	Holt	Nov. 7–8	8	C	Nov. 6
<b>🦏 Disabled Historic Methods</b> (1 hunt — muzzleloader, cap-and-ball, long/recurve/compound/crossbow, or atlatl only; in-lines and scopes are allowed)						
	Bois D'Arc CA <sup>1</sup> (417-742-4361)	Greene	Oct. 10–11	15	C	Oct. 9
<b>🦏 Disabled Muzzleloader, Shotgun, or Long/Recurve/Compound Bow</b> (1 hunt — crossbow allowed only with a Hunter Method Exemption; in-lines and scopes are allowed)						
	Mark Twain Lake (573-735-4097)	Monroe/Ralls	Nov. 21–22	35	J	

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# Conservation Area Regulations

**D**eer and turkey hunting is allowed only on Department areas that are listed in the table. If an area that is owned or managed by the Conservation Department is not listed, deer and turkey hunting is not allowed, except during managed hunts. For hunting opportunities on public land that is not owned or managed by the Conservation Department, contact the appropriate agency.

For maps and more details of areas listed on the following pages, contact the regional office or go to [mdc.mo.gov/atlas](http://mdc.mo.gov/atlas).

Changes to conservation area regulations are being considered for 2016. See green box on Page 11.

## Regulation Key For Table

### Deer

1. Statewide deer seasons and limits apply.
2. Only archery methods may be used. Deer hunting with firearms is prohibited. All other statewide deer seasons and limits apply.
3. Only archery and muzzleloading methods may be used. All other statewide deer seasons and limits apply.
4. Archery and firearms deer hunting is permitted for antlered or antlerless deer on the following permits only: archer's hunting permit and firearms any-deer hunting permit. No archery antlerless or firearms antlerless permits may be used. All other statewide seasons and limits apply.
5. Antlered or antlerless deer may be taken on an archer's hunting permit. Only antlered deer may be taken during the youth, November, and alternative methods portions of the firearms deer season with a firearms any-deer hunting permit. No archery antlerless or firearms antlerless permits may be used. Closed to firearms deer hunting during the urban zones and antlerless portions. All other statewide deer seasons and limits apply.
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### Turkey

7. Statewide turkey seasons and limits apply. See pages 20–22 for methods and limits.
8. Only archery methods may be used to take turkeys. All other statewide turkey seasons and limits apply.

NORTHWEST		816-271-3100							
Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Agency	Buchanan	✓						✓	
Aspinwall Bend	Atchison				✓			✓	
Bagley Woods <sup>1</sup>	Mercer	✓						✓	
Bee Creek	Buchanan			✓				✓	
Belcher Branch Lake	Buchanan			✓				✓	
Bilby Ranch Lake	Nodaway			✓				✓	
Bluffwoods	Buchanan				✓			✓	
Bonanza	Caldwell				✓			✓	
Brickyard Hill	Atchison				✓			✓	
Brown, Bob	Holt		✓					✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Bunch Hollow	Carroll	✓						✓	
Chloe Lowry Marsh	Mercer	✓						✓	
Christie	Andrew	✓						✓	
Corning	Atchison, Holt				✓			✓	
Crooked River	Ray			✓				✓	
Dalton Bottoms Access	Chariton	✓						✓	
Davis Memorial	Andrew	✓						✓	
Denton Access	Gentry			✓				✓	
Deroin Bend	Atchison, Holt				✓			✓	
Dupree Memorial	Buchanan		✓					✓	
Elam Bend	Gentry				✓			✓	
Elrod Mill Access	Andrew	✓						✓	
Floyd Memorial	Chariton		✓					✓	
Fountain Grove	Linn, Livingston		✓					✓ <sup>A, B</sup>	
Gallatin	Daviess				✓			✓	
Grand Pass	Saline		✓						✓
Grand Trace	Harrison				✓			✓	
Hadorn Bridge Access	Andrew		✓					✓	
Happy Holler Lake	Andrew				✓			✓	
Hardin	Ray	✓						✓	
Helton Memorial	Harrison				✓			✓	
Holmes Bend Access	Daviess	✓						✓	
Honey Creek	Andrew					✓		✓	
Jamesport Community Lake	Daviess		✓						✓
King Lake	DeKalb, Gentry			✓				✓	
Kneib Memorial	Buchanan		✓					✓	
Lake Paho	Mercer			✓				✓	
Little Compton Lake	Carroll			✓				✓	



Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Little Tarkio Prairie	Holt	✓						✓	
Logan Memorial	Buchanan		✓					✓	
Lotts Creek	Harrison	✓						✓	
Lower Hamburg Bend	Atchison			✓				✓	
McClure	Mercer	✓						✓	
McCormack	Holt			✓				✓	
McGee Family	Clinton			✓				✓	
McKinny	Carroll	✓						✓	
Mockingbird Hill Access	Grundy		✓					✓	
Monkey Mountain	Holt				✓			✓	
Mussel Fork	Linn, Macon	✓						✓	
Nishnabotna	Atchison				✓			✓	
Nodaway County Community Lake	Nodaway			✓				✓	
Nodaway Valley	Andrew, Holt		✓					✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Pawnee Prairie	Harrison	✓						✓	
Pigeon Hill	Buchanan			✓				✓	
Pony Express Lake	DeKalb					✓		✓	
Poosey	Livingston	✓						✓	
Price Bridge Access	Chariton	✓						✓	
Punkin Center Access	Livingston			✓				✓	
Riverbreaks	Holt				✓			✓	
Rush Bottoms	Holt				✓			✓	
Schifferdecker Memorial	Carroll	✓						✓	
Seat Memorial	Gentry, Worth					✓		✓	
Sowards Ford Access	Worth			✓				✓	
Star School Hill Prairie	Atchison	✓						✓	
Sterling Price Community Lake	Chariton		✓					✓	
Sunbridge Hills	Buchanan		✓					✓	
Tarkio Prairie	Atchison				✓			✓	
Thurnau	Holt				✓			✓	
Vandyke	Mercer	✓						✓	
Wagner	Ray			✓				✓	
Wiese <sup>2</sup>	Carroll, Chariton	✓						✓	
Wolf Creek Bend	Holt				✓			✓	

<sup>1</sup>This area is landlocked. You must get permission from surrounding landowners to gain access.

<sup>2</sup>This area is accessible by boat via Grand River or with permission from surrounding landowners.

<sup>A</sup>Only nontoxic shot may be used.

<sup>B</sup>Firearms methods may be used to hunt turkeys only from Oct. 1–14.

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Worth County Community Lake	Worth			✓				✓	
Worthwine Island	Andrew				✓			✓	
Yellow Creek	Chariton		✓					✓	

## NORTHEAST



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Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Anderson	Pike, Ralls				✓			✓	
Arrow-Wood	Shelby	✓						✓	
Atlanta — Long Branch Lake	Macon					✓		✓	
Bee Hollow	Macon, Randolph	✓						✓	
Big Creek	Adair			✓				✓	
Black Hawk Access	Marion	✓						✓	
Bollow	Shelby	✓						✓	
Buck and Doe Run	Clark	✓						✓	
Callahan Mound Access	Marion	✓						✓	
Cedar Bluff Access	Monroe	✓						✓	
Clark	Clark				✓			✓	
Dark Hollow	Sullivan					✓		✓	
Deer Ridge	Lewis				✓			✓	
Dodd Access	Macon		✓					✓	
Dunn Ford Access	Marion	✓						✓	
Dupont Reservation	Pike			✓				✓	
Ella Ewing Lake	Scotland		✓					✓	
Elmslie Memorial	Marion	✓						✓	
Fox Valley Lake	Clark				✓			✓	
Frost Island	Clark			✓				✓	
Griffiths Memorial	Macon			✓				✓	
Heath Memorial	Clark				✓			✓	
Henry Sever Lake	Knox				✓			✓	
Hidden Hollow	Macon	✓						✓	
Hunnewell Lake	Shelby				✓			✓	
Indian Hills	Scotland			✓				✓	
LaBelle Lake	Lewis		✓					✓	
Locust Creek	Sullivan				✓			✓	
McPike Access	Marion		✓					✓	
Mineral Hills	Putnam	✓						✓	
Montgomery Woods	Adair, Macon	✓						✓	
Morris Prairie	Sullivan			✓				✓	

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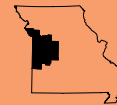
### Turkey

7. Statewide turkey seasons and limits apply. See pages 20–22 for methods and limits.
8. Only archery methods may be used to take turkeys. All other statewide turkey seasons and limits apply.

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Mound View Access	Shelby		✓					✓	
Neeper	Clark	✓						✓	
Pin Oak	Shelby	✓						✓	
Ranacker	Pike					✓		✓	
Ray Memorial, J. Thad	Marion		✓						✓
Rebel's Cove	Putnam, Schuyler				✓			✓	

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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Redman	Macon			✓				✓	
Rocky Hollow	Monroe	✓						✓	
Rose Pond	Clark	✓						✓	
Sears Community Lake	Sullivan		✓					✓	
Shanks	Pike		✓					✓ <sup>A, B</sup>	
Shoemaker	Adair	✓						✓	
Soulard Access	Marion	✓						✓	
Sugar Creek	Adair	✓						✓	
Sunnyside School Access	Lewis	✓						✓	
Sunrise Access	Marion		✓					✓	
Thomas Hill Reservoir	Macon	✓						✓	
Tolona Access	Lewis		✓					✓	
Union Ridge	Adair, Putnam, Sullivan					✓		✓	
Upper Mississippi — Angle, Blackbird, Blackburn, Ducher, Gilbert, Mozier, Pharrs, North and South Fritz islands	Pike	✓						✓	
Upper Mississippi — Bay Island	Marion		✓					✓	
Upper Mississippi — Cottonwood Island	Lewis	✓						✓	
Upper Mississippi — Fabius, Orton, Poage, Whitney, Ziegler islands	Marion	✓						✓	
White Oak Bend Access	Knox	✓						✓	
Willingham Memorial	Monroe	✓						✓	
Woodlawn Access	Monroe	✓						✓	
Wyaconda Crossing	Lewis	✓						✓	

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Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Amarugia Highland	Cass						✓	✓	
Balltown Access	Vernon	✓						✓	
Baltimore Bend	Lafayette	✓						✓	
Big Buffalo Creek	Benton, Morgan	✓						✓	
Big Drywood Creek	Vernon		✓					✓	
Birdsong	St. Clair	✓						✓	
Bittern Bottoms	Cass		✓						✓
Blackjack Access	St. Clair	✓						✓	
Brickley Hollow	Benton		✓					✓	
Bridger Urban	Jackson		✓						✓

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Bristow	Vernon						✓	✓	
Bruns Tract	Pettis			✓				✓	
Bryson's Hope	Pettis			✓				✓	
Cephas Ford Access	Vernon	✓						✓	
Chapel View Prairie	Henry			✓				✓	
Cooley Lake	Clay			✓				✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Dave Rock	St. Clair						✓	✓	
Dorsett Hill Prairie	Cass		✓					✓	
Douglas Branch	Vernon	✓						✓	
Drovers Prairie	Pettis			✓					✓
Edmonson Access	Benton		✓					✓	
Ferguson-Herold	Lafayette		✓					✓	
Fewel	Henry			✓				✓	
Flight Lake	Vernon						✓	✓	
Four Rivers Unit 1 (north of Little Osage River), 2 and 3	Bates, Vernon		✓					✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Four Rivers Unit 1 (portion south of Little Osage River and Prairie Woods Tract)	Bates, Vernon	✓						✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Four Rivers Unit 4	Bates, Vernon			✓				✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Friendly Prairie	Pettis			✓					✓
Gama Grass Prairie	Vernon			✓				✓	
Grandfather Prairie	Pettis			✓				✓	
Granny's Acres	Benton	✓						✓	
Grove Memorial	Lafayette		✓					✓	
Harmony Mission Lake	Bates			✓				✓	
Hartwell	Pettis			✓				✓	
Hazel Hill Lake	Johnson						✓	✓	
Hi Lonesome Prairie	Benton			✓				✓	
Ionia Ridge	Benton			✓				✓	
Kahrs-Boger Park	Pettis						✓	✓	
J.N. "Turkey" Kearn Memorial Units 1, 2	Johnson, Pettis						✓	✓	
J.N. "Turkey" Kearn Memorial Unit 3	Johnson, Pettis			✓				✓	
W.R. Kearn	Pettis			✓				✓	
Kenzora	Buchanan, Platte		✓					✓	
Kings Prairie Access	St. Clair	✓						✓	
La Due Bottoms	Henry			✓				✓	
Liberty Bend	Clay		✓					✓	

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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Linscomb	St. Clair						✓	✓	
Little Bean Marsh	Platte		✓					✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Lone Jack Lake	Jackson		✓					✓	
Lost Valley Fish Hatchery	Benton		✓					✓	
Maple Leaf Lake	Lafayette						✓	✓	
Marshall	Platte			✓				✓	
Montrose	Henry		✓					✓ <sup>A,B</sup>	
Mora	Benton						✓	✓	
Mount Hulda Towersite	Benton			✓				✓	
Old Town Access	Bates			✓				✓	
Osage Prairie	Vernon			✓				✓	
Paint Brush Prairie	Pettis			✓				✓	
Park, Guy B.	Platte		✓					✓	
Parma Woods Range and Training Center — north of power lines only	Platte		✓					✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Peabody	Bates			✓				✓	
Perry Memorial	Johnson, Pettis, Saline						✓	✓	
Platte Falls	Platte		✓					✓	
Poague	Henry	✓						✓	
Ripgut Prairie	Bates						✓	✓	
Schell-Osage	St. Clair, Vernon		✓					✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Settle's Ford	Bates, Cass		✓					✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Sni-A-Bar	Lafayette		✓					✓	
Taberville Prairie	St. Clair			✓				✓	
Truman Reservoir — Bethlehem	Henry	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Brownington	Henry	✓						✓ <sup>B</sup>	
Truman Reservoir — Brush Creek	Benton	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Cedar Creek	Henry	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Cross Timbers	Hickory	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Deepwater Creek	Henry	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Gallinipper Creek	St. Clair	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Gouge Eye	Henry	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Grand River Bottoms	Henry	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Leesville	Henry	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Little Pomme de Terre	Benton	✓						✓	

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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Truman Reservoir — Upper Tebo Creek	Henry	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Valhalla	St. Clair	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Weaubleau Creek	St. Clair	✓						✓	
Urich	Henry	✓						✓	
Wah-Kon-Tah Prairie — north of Hwy. 82	St. Clair			✓				✓	

## CENTRAL



573-815-7900

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Ben Branch Lake	Osage						✓	✓	
Bennett, Rudolf	Boone, Howard, Randolph						✓	✓	
Blind Pony Lake	Saline		✓					✓	
Blue Lick	Saline		✓					✓	
Boeckman Bridge Access	Miller		✓						✓
Branch Towersite	Camden		✓					✓	
Bruns Access	Osage	✓						✓	
Burnt Mill Cave	Camden	✓						✓	
Canaan	Gasconade						✓	✓	
Carpenter Memorial	Morgan	✓						✓	
Clifty Creek	Maries						✓	✓	
Cooper Hill	Osage	✓						✓	
Danville	Montgomery					✓		✓	
Davisdale	Howard					✓		✓	
Diana Bend	Howard	✓						✓	
Diggs	Audrain						✓	✓	
Eagle Bluffs	Boone		✓						✓
Earthquake Hollow	Callaway			✓				✓	
Fiery Fork	Camden						✓	✓	
Franklin Island	Howard			✓				✓	
Gale Access	Camden		✓					✓	
Grand Bluffs	Montgomery		✓					✓	
Hart Creek	Boone						✓	✓	
Hinkson Woods	Boone		✓						✓
Hite Prairie	Morgan		✓					✓	
Honey Creek Access	Cole		✓					✓	
Hungry Mother	Howard			✓				✓	
Lamine River	Cooper, Morgan					✓		✓	
Lick Creek	Boone						✓	✓	


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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Truman Reservoir — Little Tebo Creek	Benton	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Sac-Osage	St. Clair	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Salt Creek	St. Clair	✓						✓	
Truman Reservoir — Tebo Islands	Benton	✓						✓	

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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Little Dixie Lake	Callaway		✓					✓	
Loutre Lick Access	Montgomery			✓				✓	
Lowe	Audrain		✓					✓	
Madden Ford Access	Miller			✓				✓	
Manito Lake	Moniteau, Morgan						✓	✓	
Mansfield	Camden		✓					✓	
Marion Bottoms	Cole, Moniteau	✓						✓	
Marshall Junction	Saline						✓	✓	
Moniteau Creek	Howard						✓	✓	
Moore's Mill Access	Callaway			✓				✓	
Northcutt Memorial	Audrain			✓				✓	
Painted Rock	Osage						✓	✓	
Pikes Camp Access	Cole	✓						✓	
Plowboy Bend	Moniteau						✓	✓	
Prairie Home	Cooper, Moniteau						✓	✓	
Proctor Towersite	Morgan			✓				✓	
Reform	Callaway		✓					✓	
Rinquelin Trail Community Lake	Maries			✓				✓	
Rocky Fork Lakes	Boone			✓				✓	
Rocky Mount Towersite	Miller		✓					✓	
Saline Valley	Miller	✓						✓	
Scrivner Road	Cole						✓	✓	
Smith	Cole, Moniteau			✓				✓	
Smoky Waters	Cole, Osage	✓						✓	
Spring Creek Gap	Maries						✓	✓	
Stringtown Bridge Access	Cole		✓					✓	
Tate Island	Callaway	✓						✓	
Three Creeks	Boone				✓			✓	
Toronto Springs	Camden						✓	✓	
Tri-City Community Lake	Boone		✓					✓	
Vandalia Community Lake	Audrain		✓					✓	
Waters & Moss Memorial	Boone		✓						✓
Wellsville Lake	Montgomery			✓				✓	
Whetstone Creek <sup>3</sup>	Callaway							✓	
White	Audrain	✓						✓	
Wigwam School Access	Morgan		✓					✓	
Wilson Camp Access	Miller			✓				✓	

<sup>3</sup>This area is closed Nov. 23–25 for a managed hunt.

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## ST. LOUIS

636-441-4554

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Anderson Memorial	Crawford		✓					✓	
B.K. Leach Memorial	Lincoln		✓					✓ <sup>A, B</sup>	
Blue Springs Creek	Crawford	✓						✓	
Bootleg Access	Washington	✓						✓	
Catawissa	Franklin		✓					✓	
Crooked Creek	Crawford	✓						✓	
Cuivre Island — Island portion only	Lincoln, St. Charles						✓	✓	
Cuivre Island — Mainland portion	Lincoln, St. Charles		✓					✓	
Daniel Boone	Warren					✓		✓	
Howell Island	St. Charles		✓					✓	
Hughes Mountain	Washington	✓						✓	
Huzzah	Crawford	✓						✓	
Kessler Memorial	Lincoln		✓					✓	
Keysville Towersite	Crawford	✓						✓	
Kingston Access	Washington			✓				✓	
LaBarque Creek	Jefferson		✓					✓	
Little Indian Creek	Franklin, Washington					✓		✓	
Little Lost Creek	Warren					✓		✓	
Logan	Lincoln						✓	✓	
Long Ridge	Franklin					✓		✓	
Meramec	Franklin	✓						✓	
Merrill Horse Access	Jefferson		✓					✓	
Myron and Sonya Glassberg Family	Jefferson		✓					✓	
Pacific Palisades	Jefferson		✓					✓	
Pea Ridge	Washington	✓						✓	
Prairie Slough	Lincoln, Pike		✓					✓	
Redhorse Access	Franklin			✓				✓	
Reifsnider	Warren					✓		✓	
River 'Round	Franklin			✓				✓	
Sandy Island	Lincoln	✓						✓	
Sizemore Memorial	Crawford		✓					✓	
St. Stanislaus	St. Louis		✓						✓
Upper Mississippi — Dresser Island	St. Charles		✓					✓	
Upper Mississippi — Pool 26 Tracts	St. Charles	✓						✓	
Upper Mississippi — Stag, Sterling, Westport islands	Lincoln	✓						✓	

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Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Barclay	Dallas	✓						✓	
Bear Creek	Laclede	✓						✓	
Bennett Spring Access	Dallas		✓					✓	
Bethel Prairie	Barton			✓				✓	
Bluff Springs	Cedar	✓						✓	
Bois D'Arc <sup>4</sup>	Greene		✓					✓	
Boston Ferry	Taney		✓						✓
Brush Creek	Polk	✓						✓	
Buffalo Hills	McDonald					✓			✓
Buffalo Wallow Prairie	Barton			✓				✓	
Bushwhacker Lake	Barton, Vernon			✓				✓	
Busiek	Christian			✓				✓	
Capps Creek	Newton			✓					✓
Charity Access	Dallas	✓						✓	
Clear Creek	Barton, Vernon			✓				✓	
Coffin Cave	Laclede			✓				✓	
Compton Hollow	Webster						✓	✓	
Comstock Prairie	Barton			✓				✓	
Cowskin Access	McDonald	✓							✓
Cross Timbers Access	Hickory	✓						✓	
Dale Sare	Greene		✓					✓	
Davis Memorial	Barton			✓				✓	
Deep Ford Access	McDonald	✓							✓
Diamond Grove Prairie	Newton		✓						✓
Dorris Creek Prairie	Barton		✓					✓	
Drury-Mincy	Taney		✓					✓	
Drynob Access	Laclede		✓						✓
Drywood	Barton		✓					✓	
Fiddlers Ford Access	Dade		✓					✓	
Flag Spring	Barry, McDonald						✓		✓
Fort Crowder	Newton	✓							✓
Goodman Towersite	Newton		✓						✓
Goose Creek	Laclede	✓						✓	
Hayes Spring	Stone	✓						✓	
Holland	Stone	✓						✓	
Hollister Towersite	Taney	✓						✓	
Horse Creek Prairie	Dade		✓					✓	
Huckleberry Ridge	McDonald						✓		✓

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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Valley View Glades	Jefferson		✓					✓	
Victoria Glades	Jefferson		✓					✓	
Vonaventure Memorial	Lincoln		✓					✓	
Weldon Spring	St. Charles							✓	
White Memorial	Lincoln					✓		✓	
Young	Jefferson		✓					✓	

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Indigo Prairie	Dade		✓					✓	
Jessie Hollow	Stone	✓						✓	
Kickapoo Prairie	Lawrence	✓						✓	
Lanagan Towersite	McDonald	✓							✓
Lead Mine	Dallas						✓	✓	
Lewis Family, Dean, Anna Mae, and David D. Memorial	Taney		✓					✓	
Little Sac Woods	Greene						✓	✓	
Mary Lawson	Laclede	✓						✓	
Monegaw Prairie	Cedar		✓					✓	
Mo-No-I Prairie	Barton		✓					✓	
Mon-Shon Prairie	Barton		✓					✓	
Mule Shoe	Camden, Hickory	✓						✓	
Murphy Memorial	Hickory	✓						✓	
Neosho Towersite	Newton		✓						✓
Niangua	Webster	✓						✓	
Osage Fork	Laclede		✓					✓	
Pa Sole Prairie	Barton			✓				✓	
Paris Springs Access	Lawrence	✓						✓	
Phenix Access	Greene	✓						✓	
Pilot Knob	Stone	✓						✓	
Pleasant Hope	Polk					✓		✓	
Pomme de Terre Lake Management Lands	Hickory, Polk	✓						✓	
Powell Towersite	McDonald	✓							✓
Providence Prairie	Lawrence	✓						✓	
Rader Access	Webster	✓						✓	
Redwing Prairie	Barton		✓					✓	
Risch	Barton			✓				✓	
Roaring River	Barry	✓						✓	
Rocky Barrens	Greene		✓					✓	
Sentinel	Polk	✓						✓	
Shawnee Trail	Barton			✓				✓	
Shelton Memorial	Dade		✓					✓	
Sky Prairie	Cedar		✓					✓	
Sloan (Dr. O.E. and Eloise)	Dade		✓					✓	
Stockton Lake — Big Sac Unit	Dade, Polk						✓	✓	
Stockton Lake — Little Sac Unit	Dade, Polk			✓				✓	
Stony Point Prairie	Dade			✓				✓	
Stubblefield Access	Barry		✓					✓	

<sup>4</sup>This area is closed Oct. 10–11 for a managed hunt.

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		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Talbot	Lawrence					✓		✓	
Tipton Ford Access	Newton		✓						✓
Treaty Line Prairie	Barton		✓					✓	
Turkey Creek	Cedar	✓						✓	
Twenty-Five Mile Prairie	Polk			✓				✓	
Williams Ford Access	Dallas	✓						✓	
Wire Road	Stone			✓				✓	

## OZARK



417-256-7161

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Allen Memorial	Wright		✓					✓	
Angeline	Shannon	✓						✓	
Barn Hollow	Howell, Texas	✓						✓	
Barnes	Texas	✓						✓	
Beaver Creek	Phelps		✓					✓	
Birch Creek	Shannon	✓						✓	
Bohigian	Phelps	✓						✓	
Brown	Dent		✓					✓	
Bull Shoals Lake	Ozark	✓						✓	
Buzzard Bluff Access	Wright	✓						✓	
Cabool Towersite	Texas	✓						✓	
Caney Mountain — Outside Fenced Portion	Ozark				✓			✓	
Caney Mountain — Inside Fenced Portion	Ozark							✓	
Carter Creek	Carter				✓			✓	
Cedar Gap	Wright	✓						✓	
Cedar Grove	Dent	✓						✓	
Clement Memorial Forest	Dent	✓						✓	
Cover Memorial	Oregon	✓						✓	
Cover Prairie	Howell		✓					✓	
Davidson-Paris	Howell		✓					✓	
Davis	Howell		✓					✓	
Dixon Towersite	Pulaski		✓					✓	
Eck	Texas		✓					✓	
Fort Leonard Wood Towersite	Pulaski		✓					✓	
Fourche Creek — Gatewood Tract	Ripley		✓					✓	
Fourche Creek — Excluding Gatewood Tract	Ripley					✓		✓	

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Fuson	Wright	✓						✓	
Gasconade Hills	Pulaski	✓						✓	
Gist Ranch	Texas	✓						✓	
Hemenway	Ripley		✓					✓	
Horseshoe Bend	Texas		✓					✓	
Houston Towersite	Texas	✓						✓	

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Hunter Towersite	Carter	✓						✓	
Hyer Woods	Dent		✓					✓	
Indian Trail	Dent	✓						✓	
Little Black	Ripley	✓						✓	
Little Prairie	Phelps		✓					✓	
Massengill	Douglas	✓						✓	
Midvale	Texas	✓						✓	
Montauk Towersite	Dent		✓					✓	
Mountain View Towersite	Howell	✓						✓	
Mudpuppy	Ripley	✓						✓	
Norfolk Lake	Ozark	✓						✓	
Odin Access	Wright	✓						✓	
Patrick Bridge Access	Ozark	✓						✓	
Peck Ranch — Outside Fenced Portion	Carter, Shannon				✓			✓	
Piney River Narrows	Texas		✓					✓	
Rippee	Douglas	✓						✓	
Rocky Creek	Shannon	✓						✓	
Rosati Towersite	Phelps		✓					✓	
Rose Hill Towersite	Oregon	✓						✓	
Roubidoux Creek	Pulaski		✓					✓	
Sand Pond	Ripley		✓					✓	
Shannon Ranch	Douglas	✓						✓	
Short Bend Access	Dent		✓					✓	
Sunklands	Shannon	✓						✓	
Tecumseh Towersite	Ozark	✓						✓	
Thomasville Towersite	Shannon	✓						✓	
Timber Knob Towersite	Ozark	✓						✓	
Tingler Prairie	Howell	✓						✓	
Twin Knobs Towersite	Douglas	✓						✓	
Vanderhoef Memorial	Howell		✓					✓	
Vera Cruz Access	Douglas	✓						✓	
Warm Fork	Oregon	✓						✓	
White State Forest Nursery	Texas	✓						✓	
White Ranch	Howell				✓			✓	
White River Trace	Dent		✓					✓	
Woods Memorial	Crawford, Phelps		✓					✓	

<sup>5</sup>This area is accessible by boat via the Mississippi River.

<sup>A</sup>Only nontoxic shot may be used.

<sup>B</sup>Firearms methods may be used to hunt turkeys only from Oct. 1–14.



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Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Amidon Memorial	Bollinger	✓						✓	
Apple Creek	Cape Girardeau					✓		✓	
Aquilla Access	Stoddard	✓						✓	
Big Cane	Butler	✓						✓	
Bismarck	St. Francois						✓	✓	
Black Island — Stephen Bradford and Gayoso Bend units	Pemiscot					✓			✓
Black Island — Desoto and Wolf Bayou units	Pemiscot		✓						✓
Buford Mountain	Iron, Washington	✓						✓	
Cape LaCroix Bluffs	Scott		✓						✓
Cash Memorial	Dunklin			✓					✓
Castor River	Bollinger	✓						✓	
Chalk Bluff Trail Access	Dunklin		✓						✓
Clearwater	Reynolds	✓						✓	
Clearwater Lake	Reynolds	✓						✓	
Clubb Creek	Bollinger	✓						✓	
Coldwater Access	Wayne	✓						✓	
Coldwater	Wayne	✓						✓	
Coon Island	Butler		✓					✓ <sup>A,B</sup>	
Corkwood	Butler		✓					✓	
Crowleys Ridge	Stoddard	✓						✓	
Current River	Carter, Reynolds, Shannon	✓						✓	
Donaldson Point	New Madrid					✓			✓
Duck Creek north of Hwy. Z	Bollinger, Stoddard, Wayne	✓						✓ <sup>A</sup>	
Duck Creek south of Hwy. Z	Bollinger, Stoddard, Wayne		✓					✓ <sup>A,B</sup>	
Duck Creek — Dark Cypress and Greenbrier units	Bollinger		✓					✓ <sup>A,B</sup>	
Flatwoods	Wayne	✓						✓	
Frisbee Cutoff Access	Dunklin		✓						✓
Funk Memorial	Iron	✓						✓	
General Watkins	Scott					✓			✓
Gipsy Towersite	Bollinger		✓					✓	
Girvin	New Madrid, Pemiscot		✓						✓

Area Name	County	Deer						Turkey	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Grassy Towersite	Bollinger		✓					✓	
Graves Mountain	Iron, Wayne	✓						✓	
Hammer Memorial	Wayne			✓				✓	
Hawn Access	Bollinger			✓				✓	
Holly Ridge	Stoddard	✓						✓	
Hornersville Swamp	Dunklin			✓					✓
Horton Farm	Ste. Genevieve		✓					✓	
Iron Bridge Access	Wayne		✓					✓	
Ketcherside Mountain	Iron, Reynolds	✓						✓	
Knob Lick Towersite	St. Francois		✓					✓	
Lake Girardeau	Cape Girardeau		✓						✓
Little River	Dunklin, Pemiscot		✓						✓
Little Whitewater	Bollinger			✓				✓	
Logan Creek	Reynolds, Shannon	✓						✓	
Lon Sanders Canyon	Wayne		✓						✓
Magnolia Hollow	Ste. Genevieve					✓		✓	
Maintz Wildlife Preserve	Cape Girardeau					✓		✓	
Marquand Access	Madison		✓					✓	
Millstream Gardens	Madison	✓						✓	
Oak Ridge	Stoddard	✓						✓	
Old Plantation Access	Cape Girardeau		✓					✓	
Poplar Bluff	Butler	✓						✓	
Red Rock Landing	Perry					✓		✓	
Riverside	Iron, Reynolds, Wayne	✓						✓	
Sank	Bollinger			✓				✓	
Seven Island	Mississippi			✓					✓
Seventy-Six	Perry					✓		✓	
Sun	Butler	✓						✓	
Sweetgum Access	Bollinger		✓					✓	
Swift Ditch Access	New Madrid		✓						✓
Ten Mile Pond	Mississippi		✓						✓
Thompson Ford Access	Madison		✓						✓
Tywappity Towersite	Scott		✓						✓
University Forest	Butler, Wayne	✓						✓	
Wappapello Reservoir	Wayne	✓						✓	
Warbler Woods	Dunklin			✓					✓
Wilhelmina	Butler					✓		✓	
Windy Bar Island <sup>5</sup>	Cape Girardeau	✓						✓	
Yokum School	Wayne	✓						✓	

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## 3 CSR 10-7.431 Deer Hunting

### Seasons: General Provisions

(1) The current *Fall Deer & Turkey Hunting Regulations and Information* booklet is hereby incorporated in this Code by reference. This booklet is published annually in August by, and a printed copy can be obtained from, the Missouri Department of Conservation, PO Box 180, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0180 and is also available online at [www.missouriconservation.org](http://www.missouriconservation.org). This rule does not incorporate any subsequent amendments or additions.

(2) Deer shall mean white-tailed deer and mule deer. Antlered deer shall mean deer with at least one (1) antler at least three inches (3") long, except as provided in 3 CSR 10-7.435. Deer may be pursued, taken, killed, possessed, or transported only as permitted in this Code.

(3) Persons hunting or pursuing deer must possess a prescribed deer hunting permit. Resident landowners and lessees can qualify for no-cost permits.

(4) Deer may be pursued or taken only from one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise until one-half (1/2) hour after sunset.

(5) Deer Hunting Methods.

(A) Archery: longbows, recurve bows, compound bows, and atlatl.

(B) Muzzleloader: muzzleloading or cap-and-ball firearms, .40 caliber or larger, not capable of being loaded from the breach.

(C) Any legal method: archery and muzzleloader methods; atlatl; crossbows; shotguns; handguns or rifles firing expanding-type centerfire ammunition; and air-powered guns, .40 caliber or larger, charged only from an external high compression power source (external hand pump, air tank, or air compressor).

(D) Prohibited, in use or possession:

**Note:** According to rule 3 CSR 10-5.216 of the *Wildlife Code of Missouri*, if you have been convicted of multiple or major violations of the Code in the past five years, the Conservation Commission may consider suspending or revoking your hunting, trapping, and/or fishing privileges regardless of any previous court action. The point system the Commission uses to assess Code violations is explained at [mdc.mo.gov/node/16861](http://mdc.mo.gov/node/16861).

1. Methods restricted by local ordinance;

2. Self-loading firearms with capacity of more than eleven (11) cartridges in magazine and chamber combined with the exception of concealed firearms carried by persons issued a valid concealed carry permit and any qualified law enforcement officer or qualified retired law enforcement officer as defined in the Federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act (18 USC 926B or 18 USC 926C) (Firearms possessed under this exception may not be used to take wildlife while deer hunting. Proof of this exception must be carried while hunting.);

3. Ammunition propelling more than one (1) projectile at a single discharge, such as buckshot;

4. Full hard metal case projectiles;

5. Fully automatic firearms; and

6. Electronic calls or electronically activated calls.

(6) Deer may not be hunted, pursued, taken, or killed—

(A) While in a stream or other body of water;

(B) From a boat with a motor attached;

(C) With the aid of a motor-driven land conveyance or aircraft;

(D) With the aid of dogs, in use or possession;

(E) With the aid of artificial light or night vision equipment;

(F) Within any area enclosed by a fence greater than seven feet (7') in height that could contain or restrict the free range of deer. Exceptions are provided in other rules or by written authorization of the director; and

(G) With the aid of bait (grain or other feed placed or scattered so as to constitute an attraction or enticement to deer). Scents and minerals, including salt, are not regarded as bait; however, mineral blocks with food additives are prohibited. An area is considered baited for ten (10) days following complete removal of bait. A person shall be in violation of this provision if they take or attempt to take deer by the aid of bait, where the person knows or reasonably should know that the area is or has been baited. It is illegal to place bait in a way that causes others to be in violation of the baiting rule.

(7) During the firearms deer hunting season and during managed firearms deer hunts on those areas where such hunts are held, all persons hunting any game, and also adult mentors accompanying them, must wear a cap or hat and a shirt, vest, or coat of the color commonly known as hunter orange, which must be plainly visible from all sides. Camouflage orange garments do not meet this requirement. The following are exempt from this requirement:

(A) Migratory game bird hunters;

(B) Archery permittees during the alternative methods portion;

(C) All hunters in counties closed during the urban zones and antlerless portions;

(D) Hunters using archery methods while hunting within municipal boundaries where discharge of firearms is prohibited;

(E) Hunters on federal or state public hunting areas and during managed hunts where deer hunting is restricted to archery or crossbow methods; and

(F) Hunters of small game and/or furbearers during the alternative methods portion.

(8) Hunters who kill or injure a deer must make a reasonable effort to retrieve and tag it, but this does not authorize trespass.

(9) Hunters who take a deer shall void their permit immediately by notching the month and date of harvest and shall keep the deer separate or distinctly identifiable from deer taken or possessed by another. When the deer is not personally attended and prior to reporting through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System, the voided permit shall be attached to the deer. Deer may be possessed and transported only by the taker until reported through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System. All deer taken shall be accurately reported by the taker or in the taker's immediate presence through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System by 10:00 p.m. on the day taken. The Telecheck confirmation number shall be recorded immediately on the deer hunting permit. The deer shall remain intact or as a field-dressed carcass until the deer is reported through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System. All deer shall be reported through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System prior to processing or being removed from the state. After reporting through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System, deer may be possessed, transported, and stored by anyone when labeled with the permit or any label that includes the full name

and address of the taker, date taken, and Telecheck confirmation number.

(10) Deer (or parts thereof) reported in accordance with established procedures, when labeled with the full name and address of the taker, the date taken, and the Telecheck confirmation number of the deer, may be possessed, transported, and stored by anyone. Commercially processed deer meat may be donated to not-for-profit charitable organizations under guidelines established by the director.

### **3 CSR 10-7.432 Deer: Archery Hunting Season**

(1) The archery deer hunting season is September 15 through January 15, excluding the November portion of the firearms deer hunting season. Use archery methods only; firearms may not be possessed with the following exceptions (Firearms possessed under these exceptions may not be used to take wildlife while archery hunting. Proof of this exception must be carried while hunting.):

(A) Any person who has been issued a valid concealed carry permit and such permit has not been suspended, revoked, canceled, or denied may carry concealed firearms on or about his/her person while hunting; and

(B) Any qualified law enforcement officer or qualified retired law enforcement officer as defined in the Federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act (18 USC 926B or 18 USC 926C) may carry concealed firearms on or about his/her person while hunting.

(2) Archery Deer Hunting Permits.

(A) Resident or Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit. Valid for two (2) deer statewide, except that only one (1) antlered deer may be taken prior to

the November portion of the firearms deer hunting season.

(B) Resident or Nonresident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit. Valid for one (1) antlerless deer in any open county. Persons may purchase and fill any number of these permits, where valid. A Nonresident Archer's Hunting Permit must be purchased before purchasing Nonresident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits.

### **3 CSR 10-7.433 Deer: Firearms Hunting Season**

(1) The firearms deer hunting season is comprised of six (6) portions.

(A) Urban zones portion: October 9 through 12, 2015; use any legal deer hunting method to take antlerless deer in open zones.

(B) Youth portions: October 31 and November 1, 2015, and January 2 and 3, 2016; for persons at least six (6) but not older than fifteen (15) years of age; use any legal deer hunting method to take one (1) deer statewide during the October 31 and November 1, 2015, portion; use any legal deer hunting method to take deer statewide during the January 2 and 3, 2016, portion.

(C) November portion: November 14 through 24, 2015; use any legal deer hunting method to take deer statewide.

(D) Alternative methods portion: December 19 through 29, 2015; use muzzleloader and archery methods, crossbows, atlatl, handguns, and air-powered guns as defined in 3 CSR 10-7.431 to take deer statewide.

(E) Antlerless portion: November 25 through December 6, 2015; use any legal deer hunting method to take antlerless deer in open counties.

(2) Firearms Deer Hunting Permits.

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(A) Resident or Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit: valid for one (1) deer statewide, except that only antlerless deer may be taken during the urban zones and antlerless portions of the season.

(B) Resident or Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit: valid for one (1) antlerless deer in any open county. Persons may purchase any number of these permits and fill them where valid. A Nonresident Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit must be purchased before purchasing Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits.

(3) A person may take only one (1) antlered deer during the firearms deer hunting season. Deer taken at managed deer hunts are not included in this limit.

(4) Other wildlife may be hunted during the firearms deer hunting season except as further restricted in this section—

(A) During the November portion statewide and the antlerless portion in open counties, other wildlife (except furbearers) may be hunted only with pistol, revolver, or rifle firing a .22 caliber or smaller rimfire cartridge, or a shotgun and shot not larger than No. 4; except that waterfowl hunters, trappers, or landowners on their land or lessees on land upon which they reside may use other methods as specified in 3 CSR 10-7.410(1)(G);

(B) During the November portion statewide and the antlerless portion in open counties, furbearers may be hunted within the established furbearer hunting seasons during daylight hours using any legal deer hunting method by persons holding an unfilled firearms deer hunting permit, and—

1. A Resident Small Game Hunting Permit; or

2. A Nonresident Furbearer Hunting and Trapping Permit;

(C) Furbearers may not be chased, pursued, or taken with the aid of dogs during daylight hours from November 1 through the end of the November portion statewide and the antlerless portion in open counties; and

(D) Squirrels and rabbits may not be chased, pursued, or taken with the aid of dogs during daylight hours of the November portion in Butler, Carter, Dent, Iron, Madison, Oregon, Reynolds, Ripley, Shannon, and Wayne counties.

(5) Feral hogs, defined as any hog, including Russian and European wild boar, not conspicuously identified by ear tags or other forms of identification and roaming freely on public or private lands without the landowner's permission (refer to section 270.400 of *Missouri Revised Statutes*), may be taken in any number during the firearms deer hunting season as follows:

(A) Hunters must possess a valid small game hunting or unfilled firearms deer hunting permit and abide by the methods of pursuit allowed for deer as well as any other restrictions that may apply on specific public areas;

(B) During the November portion statewide and the antlerless portion in open counties—

1. Firearms deer permittees may only use methods allowed for deer;
2. Small game permittees may only use pistol, revolver, or rifle firing a .22 caliber or smaller rimfire cartridge, or a shotgun with shot not larger than No. 4; and
3. Dogs may not be used;

(C) During the youth and alternative methods portions statewide and

the urban zones portion in open counties—

1. Deer permittees may only use methods allowed for deer; and
2. Small game permittees may only use methods allowed for small game;

(D) Resident landowners and lessees on qualifying land are not required to have any permit and may use any method to take feral hogs throughout the year.

### 3 CSR 10-7.434 Deer: Landowner Privileges

(1) Resident landowners and lessees as outlined in the *Fall Deer & Turkey Hunting Regulations and Information* booklet can obtain no-cost deer hunting permits from any permit vendor.

(A) Those with five (5) or more continuous acres can each receive one (1) Resident Landowner Firearms Any-Deer Hunting Permit, one (1) Resident Landowner Archer's Hunting Permit, and, if property is in a county in which Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits can be used, two (2) Resident Landowner Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits.

(B) In addition to the permits listed in subsection (1)(A), those with seventy-five (75) or more acres located in a single county or at least seventy-five (75) continuous acres bisected by a county boundary can receive a maximum of two (2) Resident Landowner Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits. Landowners with at least seventy-five (75) acres in more than one (1) county must comply with landowner antlerless deer limits for each county.

1. Resident landowners and lessees of at least seventy-five (75) acres may receive one (1) no-cost Landowner Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit in the counties

of: Barry, Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Carter, Christian, Crawford, Dade, Dent, Douglas, Dunklin, Iron, Lawrence, Madison, Maries, McDonald, Mississippi, New Madrid, Newton, Ozark, Pemiscot, Perry, Phelps, Polk, Pulaski, Reynolds, Ripley, St. Francois, Ste. Genevieve, Scott, Shannon, Stoddard, Stone, Taney, Texas, Washington, Wayne, Webster, and Wright.

2. Resident landowners and lessees of at least seventy-five (75) acres may receive two (2) no-cost Landowner Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits in the counties of: Adair, Andrew, Atchison, Audrain, Barton, Bates, Benton, Boone, Buchanan, Caldwell, Callaway, Camden, Carroll, Cass, Cedar, Chariton, Clark, Clay, Clinton, Cole, Cooper, Dallas, Daviess, DeKalb, Franklin, Gasconade, Gentry, Greene, Grundy, Harrison, Henry, Hickory, Holt, Howard, Howell, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Johnson, Knox, Laclède, Lafayette, Lewis, Lincoln, Linn, Livingston, Macon, Marion, Mercer, Miller, Moniteau, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Nodaway, Oregon, Osage, Pettis, Pike, Platte, Putnam, Ralls, Randolph, Ray, St. Charles, St. Clair, St. Louis, Saline, Schuyler, Scotland, Shelby, Sullivan, Vernon, Warren, and Worth.

(2) All landowner deer hunting permits are valid only on qualifying property.

(3) All landowners and lessees who take deer on landowner permits may also purchase and fill other deer hunting permits but must abide by seasons, limits, and restrictions. A landowner or lessee may take only one (1) antlered deer during the firearms deer hunting season. A landowner or lessee may take only two (2) antlered deer during the archery deer hunting season except that only one (1) antlered deer may be

taken prior to the November portion of the firearms deer hunting season.

(4) Persons defined as landowners include:

- (A) General partners of partnerships;
- (B) Officers of resident or foreign corporations;
- (C) Officers or managing members of resident limited liability companies; and
- (D) Officers of benevolent associations organized pursuant to Chapter 352 of the *Revised Statutes of Missouri*.

### 3 CSR 10-7.435 Deer: Special Harvest Provisions

(1) Only antlerless deer and antlered deer with at least one (1) antler having at least four (4) antler points may be taken in the counties of Andrew, Atchison, Audrain, Barton, Bates, Benton, Buchanan, Caldwell, Camden, Carroll, the portion of Cass County not included in the Kansas City urban zone, Cedar, Clark, Clinton, Daviess, DeKalb, the portion of Franklin County not included in the St. Louis urban zone, Gasconade, Gentry, Grundy, Harrison, Henry, Hickory, Holt, Howard, the portion of Jefferson County not included in the St. Louis urban zone, Johnson, Lafayette, Lewis, Lincoln, Livingston, Maries, Marion, Mercer, Monroe, Montgomery, Nodaway, Pettis, Phelps, Pike, the portion of Platte County not included in the Kansas City urban zone, Pulaski, Ralls, Ray, Saline, St. Clair, Vernon, Warren, and Worth. No other antlered deer may be taken.

- (A) An antler point is at least one inch (1") long from base to tip.
- (B) The end of the main beam is a point.

(2) These special provisions apply to all deer hunting seasons and permittees,

except during the youth portions of the firearms deer hunting season.

### 3 CSR 10-7.436 Deer: Managed Hunts

Additional deer may be taken at special managed deer hunts established annually by the department. A person may apply for and participate in only one (1) managed deer hunt during a permit year except that persons permanently confined to a wheelchair may participate in more than one (1) hunt. Persons selected to participate must purchase a Resident or Nonresident Managed Deer Hunting Permit and abide by rules established for the hunt.

### 3 CSR 10-7.437 Deer: Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit Availability

(1) Archery Deer Hunting Season.

- (A) Resident and Nonresident Archery Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits are not valid in the counties of: Butler, Dunklin, Iron, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Reynolds, and Scott.

(2) Firearms Deer Hunting Season.

- (A) Resident and Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits are not valid in the counties of: Bollinger, Butler, Carter, Dunklin, Iron, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Reynolds, Scott, Stoddard, and Wayne.
- (B) Only one (1) Resident or Nonresident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permit per person may be filled in the counties of: Andrew, Atchison, Audrain, Barry, Bates, Benton, Buchanan, Caldwell, Camden, Cape Girardeau, Carroll, the portion of Cass County not included in the Kansas City urban zone, Cedar, Christian, Clark, Clinton, Crawford, Dade, Dallas, Daviess, DeKalb, Dent, Douglas, the portion of Franklin County not included in the St. Louis urban zone, Gasconade, Gentry,

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Grundy, Harrison, Henry, Hickory, Holt, Howard, Jasper, the portion of Jefferson County not included in the St. Louis urban zone, Johnson, Laclede, Lafayette, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Livingston, Maries, Marion, McDonald, Mercer, Monroe, Montgomery, Newton, Nodaway, Ozark, Perry, Pettis, Phelps, Pike, the portion of Platte County not included in the Kansas City urban zone, Polk, Pulaski, Ralls, Ray, Ripley, St. Clair, St. Francois, Ste. Genevieve, Saline, Shannon, Stone, Taney, Texas, Vernon, Warren, Washington, Webster, Worth, and Wright.

(C) Only two (2) Resident or Non-resident Firearms Antlerless Deer Hunting Permits per person may be filled in the counties of: Adair, Barton, Boone, Callaway, the portion of Cass County included in the Kansas City urban zone, Chariton, Clay, Cole, Cooper, Greene, the portion of Franklin County included in the St. Louis urban zone, Howell, Jackson, the portion of Jefferson County included in the St. Louis urban zone, Knox, Linn, Macon, Miller, Moniteau, Morgan, Oregon, Osage, the portion of Platte County included in the Kansas City urban zone, Putnam, Randolph, Schuyler, Scotland, Shelby, St. Charles, St. Louis, and Sullivan.

### **3 CSR 10-7.438 Deer: Regulations for Department Areas**

Deer may be hunted on lands owned or leased by the department and on lands managed by the department under cooperative agreement as authorized in the current *Fall Deer & Turkey Hunting Regulations and Information* booklet, which is incorporated in this Code by reference. This booklet is published annually in August by, and a printed copy can be obtained from, the Missouri Department of Conservation, PO Box 180, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0180 and is also available online at

[www.missouriconservation.org](http://www.missouriconservation.org). This rule does not incorporate any subsequent amendments or additions.

### **3 CSR 10-7.455 Turkeys: Seasons, Methods, Limits**

(1) Turkeys may be pursued, taken, killed, possessed, or transported only as permitted in this rule.

(A) Spring Season. Spring season annually will begin on the third Monday in April. A person possessing the prescribed turkey hunting permit may take turkeys according to the season length and bag limit established annually by the Conservation Commission. Turkeys may be taken only by shotgun, with shot no larger than No. 4, atlatl, crossbow, or bow; without the use of dogs, bait, electronic calls, or live decoys; from one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise to 1:00 p.m. Central Daylight Time (CDT). Possession of electronic calls or shotshells loaded with shot larger than No. 4 is prohibited while hunting turkeys.

(B) Fall Firearms Season. Fall season annually will be October 1 through October 31. A person possessing the prescribed turkey hunting permit may take two (2) turkeys of either sex during the season. Turkeys may be taken only by shotgun, with shot no larger than No. 4, atlatl, or bow; without the use of dogs, bait, electronic calls, or live decoys; from one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise to sunset in all counties except: Dunklin, McDonald, Mississippi, New Madrid, Newton, Pemiscot, and Scott. Possession of electronic calls or shotshells loaded with shot larger than No. 4 is prohibited while hunting turkeys. A person, while in the act of pursuing or hunting turkey on a fall firearms permit, shall not have both a firearm and bow on his/her person with the following exceptions (Firearms

possessed under these exceptions may not be used to take wildlife while hunting with a bow. Proof of this exception must be carried while hunting.):

1. Any person who has been issued a valid concealed carry permit and such permit has not been suspended, revoked, canceled, or denied may carry concealed firearms on or about his/her person while hunting; and
2. Any qualified law enforcement officer or qualified retired law enforcement officer as defined in the Federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act (18 USC 926B or 18 USC 926C) may carry concealed firearms on or about his/her person while hunting.

(C) Fall Archery Season. A person possessing the prescribed archer's hunting permit may take two (2) turkeys of either sex from September 15 through January 15, excluding the dates of the November portion of the firearms deer season. Turkeys may be taken only by bows and atlatl; without the use of dogs, bait, electronic calls, or live decoys; from one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise to one-half (1/2) hour after sunset. Possession of electronic calls is prohibited while hunting turkeys. An archer, while in the act of pursuing or hunting turkey on an archer's permit, shall not have a firearm on his/her person with the following exceptions (Firearms possessed under these exceptions may not be used to take wildlife while hunting with a bow. Proof of this exception must be carried while hunting.):

1. Any person who has been issued a valid concealed carry permit and such permit has not been suspended, revoked, canceled, or denied may carry

concealed firearms on or about his/her person while hunting; and

2. Any qualified law enforcement officer or qualified retired law enforcement officer as defined in the Federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act (18 USC 926B or 18 USC 926C) may carry concealed firearms on or about his/her person while hunting.

(D) Youth Spring Season. The two-(2-) day youth spring season will begin annually on the Saturday nine (9) days prior to the Monday opening of the spring season, except that when the youth season would overlap with Easter weekend the season will open on the Saturday prior to Easter weekend. Any person possessing the prescribed turkey hunting permit and who is at least six (6) but not older than fifteen (15) years of age on the opening day of the youth spring season may take only one (1) male turkey or turkey with visible beard during the youth spring season. A turkey harvested during the youth spring season will count towards an individual's spring season bag limit; individuals hunting under the prescribed turkey hunting permit may not harvest a second bird during the first week of the spring season. Turkeys may be taken only by shotgun with shot no larger than No. 4, atlatl, crossbow, or bow; without the use of dogs, bait, electronic calls, or live decoys; from one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise to sunset. Possession of electronic calls or shotshells loaded with shot larger than No. 4 is prohibited while hunting turkeys.

(2) Hunters who take a turkey shall void their permit immediately by notching the month and date of harvest and shall keep the turkey separate or distinctly identifiable from turkeys taken or possessed by another. When the turkey is not personally attended and prior

to reporting through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System, the voided permit shall be attached to the turkey. Turkeys may be possessed and transported only by the taker until reported through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System. All turkeys taken shall be accurately reported by the taker or in the taker's immediate presence through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System by 10:00 p.m. on the day taken. The Telecheck confirmation number shall be recorded immediately on the turkey hunting permit. The head and plumage of the turkey shall remain intact until the turkey is reported through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System. All turkeys shall be reported through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System prior to processing or being removed from the state. After reporting through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System, turkeys may be possessed, transported, and stored by anyone when labeled with the permit or any label that includes the full name and address of the taker, date taken, and Telecheck confirmation number.

(3) Bait shall mean grain or other feed placed or scattered so as to constitute an attraction or enticement to turkeys. An area shall be considered baited for ten (10) days following complete removal of the bait.

(4) A resident landowner or lessee as defined in 3 CSR 10-20.805, possessing a landowner turkey hunting permit, may take and possess turkeys in accordance with this rule on his/her land or, in the case of the lessee, on the land on which s/he resides and shall report the turkeys through the Telecheck Harvest Reporting System as required in this rule.

(5) Any person who kills or injures any wild turkey shall make a reasonable effort to retrieve the turkey and include it in his/her season limit.

(6) Turkeys (or parts thereof) reported in accordance with established procedures, when labeled with the full name and address of the taker, the date taken, and the Telecheck confirmation number of the turkey, may be possessed, transported, and stored by anyone.

(7) In accordance with section 270.400, RSMo, feral hogs (any hog, including Russian and European wild boar, that is not conspicuously identified by ear tags or other forms of identification and is roaming freely upon public or private lands without the landowner's permission) may be taken in any number during the spring firearms turkey season and youth spring season only by the holder of a valid, unused turkey hunting permit; and only by methods and times prescribed for taking turkeys. During the fall firearms turkey season, feral hogs may be taken only by the holder of a valid, unused turkey hunting permit or a small game hunting permit; and only by methods prescribed in Chapter 7 for taking wildlife, and without the use of bait. Other restrictions may apply on public lands. Resident landowners or lessees as defined in this Code may take feral hogs on their own property at any time, by any method, and without permit.

# After the Harvest

**Whether you're using a traditional paper permit or the new MO Hunting app, after harvesting a deer or turkey, you must notch your permit and Telecheck your game. Here's how.**

## Notch It

Immediately after harvesting a deer or turkey, you must notch your permit.

- To notch a paper permit, tear a small notch in the month and day of harvest on the permit.
- **New!** To notch a permit using the MO Hunting app, simply select the permit you wish to use from the list in the app, and follow the short, easy prompts on the screen.

Once you notch your permit, you may transport your deer or turkey within Missouri.



## Tag It If You Leave It

As long as you stay with your harvested game, you don't need to tag it. But if you leave your deer or turkey, you must attach a tag.

- If you have a paper permit, you can simply attach your notched permit to the deer or turkey's leg. We recommend sealing the permit in a zip-top bag and attaching the bag with string, wire, or tape.
- **New!** If you're using the MO Hunting app, you must attach a label with your full name, address, permit number, and date of harvest to the deer or turkey's leg.



## Check It

You must Telecheck your deer or turkey by 10 p.m. on the day of harvest.

- If you're using a paper permit, follow the Telecheck instructions on Page 58. Write the confirmation number provided by Telecheck on your permit.
- **New!** If you're using the MO Hunting app, select your notched permit from the list on the screen, tap "Telecheck," and follow the prompts. Telecheck will upload a confirmation number directly to your mobile device.

After you've reported to Telecheck, your deer or turkey may be processed, stored, or transported by anyone as long as it is labeled with your full name, address, date taken, and Telecheck confirmation number. You may now transport your deer or turkey out of state.





## Things to Remember After the Harvest

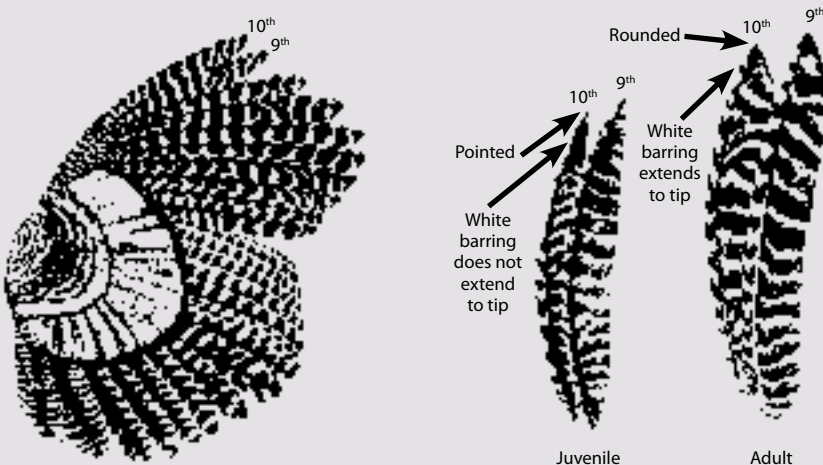
- Use the correct permit. Many hunters carry multiple permits while deer and turkey hunting, so check your permit carefully to make sure you're using the right one before notching it.
- Notching voids a permit. Do not notch your permit until you harvest a deer or turkey.
- Until checked, heads of deer must remain attached, and turkeys must have their heads and plumage intact.
- Deer and turkeys must be checked by 10 p.m. on the day they are harvested.
- All deer and turkeys must be checked before they can be removed from Missouri.
- Only the person who harvested the deer or turkey may possess and transport the game before it has been checked.
- After checking, deer and turkeys may be possessed and transported by anyone, but must be labeled with the taker's permit or full name, address, date taken, and Telecheck confirmation number.
- Avoid duplicate Telecheck records. If you are given a Telecheck confirmation number, your checking information has been successfully received and recorded. If you're using a paper permit, write the confirmation number on the permit, and the checking process is complete. Do not try to check the same deer or turkey twice.

## Information Needed to Telecheck Fall Turkeys

**D**uring checking, hunters will be asked the age and sex of their turkey. Monitoring the age and sex of harvested turkeys provides a valuable measure of the fall harvest.

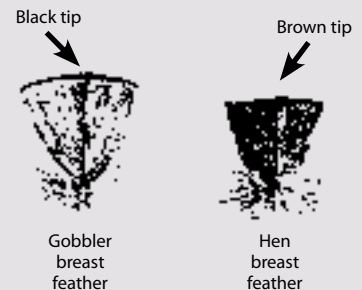
### How to Age a Turkey

To age a turkey, look at the two outermost feathers on the wing (see below). The ends of the 9th and 10th primary feathers of a juvenile are pointed, and the tips of the feathers lack white barring. The ends of the 9th and 10th primary feathers of an adult are rounded and have white barring extending to the tips.



### How to Determine the Sex of a Turkey

Look at the lower half of the breast. Gobblers have black-tipped breast feathers. Hens have brown-tipped breast feathers.



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AFTER THE HARVEST

# Telecheck

All deer and turkeys must be Telechecked online, using the MO Hunting app, or by telephone. If you are calling Telecheck on your cellphone, be sure you have a clear signal. If the signal is spotty, move closer to a major highway, go to higher ground, or wait until you get to a land-based line to call. Avoid calling in areas with loud background noise.

You do not need to Telecheck immediately after harvesting a deer or turkey. You can transport unchecked game within the state, as long as you have notched your permit. **You have until 10 p.m. on the day taken to check your deer or turkey.**

## Telecheck Using the MO Hunting App

**Step 1:** Select your notched permit from the list.

**Step 2:** Tap "Telecheck."

**Step 3:** Follow the prompts on the screen.

Telecheck will upload a confirmation number to your mobile device.

## Telecheck Using a Phone or the Internet

**Step 1:** Before calling the toll-free number or going online, find your Telecheck ID number on your permit. **If you have more than one permit, be sure you give the number of the permit you want to use.** Also get a pen so you will be able to write your Telecheck confirmation number on your permit.

**Step 2:** Fill out the form to the right, which contains the information you will be asked when you use Telecheck.

**Step 3:** Call 800-314-6828 or visit [mdc.mo.gov](http://mdc.mo.gov), then follow the instructions. If you're using a phone, speak clearly and slowly. You can use Telecheck between 6 a.m. and 10 p.m.

**Step 4:** After you have provided the required information, you will be given a confirmation number that verifies you have legally checked your game. **Write this number on the permit.** You have now completed checking your game and can process your deer or turkey.



**Telecheck  
your deer or turkey at:  
800-314-6828  
or [mdc.mo.gov](http://mdc.mo.gov)**

*If checking a turkey, you will need:*

■ Your Telecheck ID number:

\_\_\_\_\_

■ Turkey type (To age and sex turkeys, see Page 57):

Adult gobbler

Adult hen

Juvenile gobbler

Juvenile hen

■ County where turkey was taken:

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*If checking a deer, you will need:*

■ Your Telecheck ID number:

\_\_\_\_\_

■ Deer type:

Doe

Button buck

Antlered buck

**Record the harvest of a buck as 0 points if the buck has:**

■ Shed its antlers

■ Small antlers with both beams shorter than 3 inches

■ Broken antlers off less than 3 inches from their base

\_\_\_\_\_ total number of points 1 inch or longer (see how to count points on Page 12)

■ County where deer was taken:

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**Note:** If you harvested deer in Cass, Franklin, Jefferson, or Platte counties, you will be asked: Did you harvest a deer within an urban zone? (See pages 24–25.)



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# Share the Harvest



Share the Harvest helps deer hunters donate venison to the needy. The program is administered by the Conservation Federation of Missouri and the Conservation Department.

To participate, simply take your deer to an approved meat processor (listed below) and let the processor know how much venison you wish to donate. The processor will package the meat, which will be given to a local charitable agency for distribution.

County	Company Name	City	Phone
Adair	The Butcher Block	Kirksville	660-341-9444
Audrain	M & M Country Butchering	Middleton	573-549-2145
	Mexico Meat Market LLC	Mexico	573-581-1333
Barry	Gone Processing	Galena	417-357-8321
Benton	Jackman's Meat Processing	Warsaw	417-998-6488
Bollinger	Ed's Certified Meats	Marble Hill	573-576-8825
	Elderland Meats	Bloomfield	573-722-3622
Boone	Crane's Meat Processing	Ashland	573-657-2501
	Tune's Locker Plant	Centralia	573-682-2517
Buchanan	Clark's Custom Meat Co.	St. Joseph	816-364-3728
Caldwell	J&J Processing	Hamilton	816-465-0205
Callaway	After Hours Processing	Kingdom City	573-642-8600
	Central Mo. Meat and Sausage Co.	Fulton	573-592-4886
	Hartman's Custom Meat Processing	New Bloomfield	573-491-3603
	Horn's Meat Processing	Fulton	573-642-1035
	R & R Processing	Auxvasse	573-386-2273
Camden	The Butcher Shop	Camdenton	573-346-6665
	Tom's Slaughter & Meat Processing	Montreal	573-346-5233
Cape Girardeau	Jackson Frozen Foods	Jackson	573-243-4107
	Reis Meat Processing	Pocahontas	573-833-6281
Carroll	Hale Locker Plant	Hale	660-565-2415
Carter	Ozark Meats	Grandin	573-593-4199
Cass	Peculiar Meats	Peculiar	816-779-6328
Cedar	R, S, & C Processing	El Dorado Springs	417-876-2077
Chariton	Salisbury Meat Market	Salisbury	660-388-5816
Christian	Oldfield Packing LLC	Sparta	417-634-3943
Clark	Kahoka Meat Processing	Kahoka	660-727-3433
Clinton	Brendle's Butcher Block LLC	Gower	816-424-1258
Cole	Russellville Locker	Russellville	573-782-4613
Crawford	Heintz Processing	Cuba	573-732-9938
Dade	Lockwood Packing Co.	Lockwood	417-232-4401

Funds are available to help with processing costs when a whole deer is donated during all portions of the archery and firearms deer seasons. The Conservation Federation of Missouri reimburses processors a pre-determined amount for each whole deer donated. This allows processors to reduce processing fees to hunters. In addition, many processors have local money available that allows deer to be processed for free or at reduced cost. Be sure to contact individual processors to determine if local funds are available. **The cost of processing the deer is your responsibility when local funds to help cover the full cost are not available.**

County	Company Name	City	Phone
Dallas	Shrocks Country Butchering	Buffalo	417-345-4342
	Hoerman's Meat Co.	Fair Grove	417-759-2027
Daviss	Brown Custom Meats	Pattonsburg	660-663-5010
	Flowers Processing LLC	Brimson	660-789-3600
	Stoney Ridge Custom Processing	Jamesport	660-684-6850
DeKalb	John's Country Meat Market	Cameron	816-632-7666
Dent	Salem Butcher Shop	Salem	573-729-7278
Franklin	Beaufort Meat Processing	Leslie	573-484-3312
	Ed's Meat Market	Washington	636-239-6640
	Williams Bros. Meat Processing	Washington	636-239-2183
	Zerna's Meat Co.	Labadie	636-742-4190
Gasconade	Heberle's Packing Company	Hermann	573-486-2795
	Hermann Wurst Haus	Hermann	573-486-2266
	Swiss Meat & Sausage	Hermann	573-486-2086
Gentry	Deer Run Processing	Stanberry	660-448-2450
	Edson's Meat Processing	Stanberry	660-783-2121
Greene	J & L Custom Processing	Walnut Grove	417-788-2200
	Turner Meat Processing	Fair Grove	417-759-2032
Harrison	Thomas Farm Quality Meats	Ridgeway	660-872-6716
Henry	Hetherington Meat Processor	Clinton	660-885-4409
Hickory	Hays Processing	Quincy	417-282-5853
Howard	Jack Carter	Fayette	660-248-1738
	KP Processing	Harrisburg	573-874-2147
Howell	Barnett Meat Processing	West Plains	417-256-3261
	West Plains Processing	West Plains	417-256-4575
Iron	Ruble's Meat Market	Arcadia	573-546-3459
Jackson	The Store	Raytown	816-356-8900
Jasper	Cloud's Meat Processing & Smoking	Carthage	417-358-5855
	Taylor's Processing	Webb City	417-673-1717
Jefferson	Dittmer Meat Packing Inc.	Dittmer	636-285-9090
	John's Butcher Shoppe Inc.	Festus	636-931-7776
Johnson	Alewel's Country Meats	Warrensburg	660-747-8261
	Gilbert Meat Locker	Holden	816-732-6431

During the urban zones portion (see pages 24–25), the entire processing cost for whole deer donations is paid by the Conservation Federation of Missouri and local sponsors. **To have processing costs covered during the urban zones portion, you must take your deer to a participating processor in the urban zones area. Not every processor listed in the table participates in this portion.** For a list of those that do, contact your regional Conservation Department office (see inside front cover).

State-wide sponsors of the cost-reduction program include the Conservation Department, the Conservation Federation of Missouri, Shelter Insurance, Bass Pro Shops, Gateway Area Chapter Safari Club International, Missouri Chapter National Wild Turkey Federation, Midway USA Inc., and Missouri Food Banks Association. To learn more about the program or find out how your organization can become involved, contact the Conservation Department at 573-522-4115 or the Conservation Federation of Missouri at 573-634-2322.

County	Company Name	City	Phone
Laclede	East 32 Meat Processing (archery season only)	Lebanon	417-588-2329
	Spring Valley Meat Processing	Conway	417-589-3633
Lafayette	Alma Meats	Alma	660-674-2231
	Higginsville Processing Plant	Higginsville	660-584-3550
	Nadlers Locker Plant	Wellington	816-240-8124
Lawrence	J & J Processing	Pierce City	417-476-5451
Lewis	Lumley Locker	La Belle	660-213-3373
Lincoln	Brown's Processing	Elsberry	573-384-5284
	Brown's Smokehouse Meats	Winfield	636-566-6112
Linn	King Processing Co.	Marceline	660-376-2640
	Meadville Locker	Meadville	660-938-4318
	Purdin Processing	Purdin	660-244-3888
	Sprague's Locker	Brookfield	660-258-5148
Macon	Buck Ridge Butcher Shop	La Plata	No phone
	Special D Meats	Macon	660-385-2141
Madison	Walker's Meat Processing	Fredericktown	573-366-6372
Maries	Moreland's Processing	St. James	573-699-4360
Marion	Four Quarter Processing	Hannibal	573-221-8999
	The Country Butcher Shop	Palmyra	573-769-2257
	Walnut Hill Farms	Philadelphia	573-439-5945
McDonald	Goodman Meat Processing	Goodman	417-364-8115
Mercer	Princeton Custom Meat Processing	Princeton	660-748-4560
Monroe	White Barn Processing	Monroe City	573-735-1289
Montgomery	Davis Meat Processor	Jonesburg	636-488-5227
Morgan	Leinbach Custom Butchering LLC	Versailles	573-378-6517
	PBR Custom Meats	Smithton	660-281-9925
Newton	Hatfield's Meats	Neosho	417-624-3765
Nodaway	Barnard Processing	Barnard	660-652-3484
Oregon	Four Winds Processing LLC	West Plains	417-764-3085
Osage	B & C Processing	Linn	573-897-0536
	Russell's Custom Processing	Loose Creek	573-694-2655
	Scherf Meat Processing	Loose Creek	573-897-9930
Ozark	Randall Vaught	Gainsville	417-679-1080

County	Company Name	City	Phone
Perry	Stonie's Sausage Shop	Perryville	573-547-2540
Pettis	Kempf's Custom Processing	Sedalia	660-826-2898
Phelps	Steve-n-Sons Meat Processing	Newburg	573-762-2237
Pike	Hilty's Custom Meats	Bowling Green	No phone
	Woods Smoked Meats	Bowling Green	573-324-2247
Ralls	Center Locker Service	Center	573-267-3343
	Four Quarter Processing	Perry	573-735-2499
Randolph	Country Meat Shop	Moberly	660-263-4663
Saline	Smith's Food Bank	Slater	660-529-3451
Schuyler	Mast Meats	Queen City	660-766-2211
	Robert Aldridge	Queen City	660-766-2582
Scotland	Rutledge Meat Locker	Rutledge	660-883-5358
Shannon	Stein's Meat Processing	Winona	573-325-1365
St. Charles	Dan's Country Meats	New Melle	636-828-5266
	Josephville Meat Processing	Wentzville	636-327-5455
St. Louis	G & W Meat Processing	St. Louis	314-352-5066
	HMS Quality Meat Service	Kirkwood	314-966-8606
	John's Butcher Shoppe	Overland	314-423-8066
	Kenricks Meat Co.	St. Louis	314-631-2440
	Mateker's Meat Shop	St. Louis	314-842-4100
	Max's Meats & Deli	Florissant	314-831-6164
Ste. Genevieve	Bloomsdale Meat Processing	Bloomsdale	573-483-9555
Stoddard	Meat Shop	Advance	573-722-9895
Texas	Cabool Kountry Meats LLC	Cabool	417-962-2112
	Ernie Zimmerman	Summerville	417-932-5557
	Hobson's Butcher Block	Licking	573-674-3501
Warren	Wright City Meat Co.	Wright City	636-745-3331
Washington	Sundag Meat Processing	Potosi	573-210-2063
Wayne	Piedmont Processing	Piedmont	573-223-4950
Webster	Gibson Packing	Seymour	417-935-4657
	Jacob J. F. Schwartz	Seymour	No phone
	Joe Z. Schwartz	Seymour	No phone
Wright	Forrest Meat Processing Inc.	Norwood	417-746-4111

# Conservation Agent Phone Numbers

County	Phone
Adair	660-216-1389
Andrew	816-262-3513
Atchison	816-383-0404
Audrain	573-473-8000
Barry	417-342-5579
Barry	417-229-4706
Barton	417-682-4604
Bates	660-679-8228
Benton	660-438-0621
Benton	660-723-0524
Bollinger	573-238-5442
Boone	573-239-6541
Boone	573-777-2072
Buchanan	816-262-3512
Buchanan	816-244-6935
Butler	573-300-3693
Butler	573-300-3475
Caldwell	660-605-2912
Callaway	573-239-8129
Camden	573-836-4503
Camden	573-836-3257
Cape Girardeau	573-450-1763
Carroll	660-322-1795
Carter	573-323-8523
Carter	573-604-0082
Cass	816-809-6259
Cedar	417-830-6162
Cedar	417-327-5378
Chariton	660-414-0416
Chariton	660-414-0415
Christian	417-880-4952
Clark	660-341-1595
Clay	816-835-6087
Clay	816-392-4578
Clinton	816-646-6926
Cole	573-690-6295
Cooper	660-888-1090
Crawford	573-468-2959

County	Phone
Crawford	573-259-1734
Dade	417-955-2389
Dade	417-326-9539
Dallas	417-733-3876
Dallas	417-733-0286
Daviess	660-663-3502
DeKalb	816-262-3532
Dent	573-308-6174
Dent	573-308-6173
Douglas	417-543-5990
Dunklin	573-344-3490
Franklin	636-744-2974
Franklin	314-608-7523
Gasconade	573-220-2249
Gentry	816-294-8144
Greene	417-830-8266
Greene	417-766-7380
Grundy	660-654-2677
Harrison	816-294-8767
Henry	660-885-1621
Hickory	417-718-1113
Hickory	417-718-1114
Holt	660-254-6550
Holt	660-853-0699
Howard	660-287-0014
Howell	417-255-3161
Iron	573-466-9119
Jackson	816-835-6084
Jackson	816-651-8867
Jasper	417-385-8224
Jasper	417-763-5106
Jefferson	314-954-5697
Jefferson	314-607-2686
Johnson	660-422-0717
Knox	660-216-4277
Laclede	417-718-1111
Laclede	417-288-8744
Lafayette	660-641-3347
Lawrence	417-461-4586

County	Phone
Lewis	573-822-5178
Lincoln	636-358-6181
Lincoln	314-223-0968
Linn	660-591-2251
Livingston	660-973-3813
Macon	660-651-3196
Maries	573-619-3344
Marion	573-470-0206
McDonald	417-845-1526
Mercer	660-953-0052
Miller	573-280-7892
Miller	573-480-8134
Mississippi	573-233-5570
Moniteau	573-864-9814
Monroe	660-651-0218
Montgomery	573-864-3559
Morgan	573-378-0763
Morgan	573-378-3114
New Madrid	573-326-0886
Newton	417-291-7819
Nodaway	816-261-1245
Oregon	417-293-8590
Osage	573-690-3989
Ozark	417-989-1693
Ozark	417-989-1690
Pemiscot	573-757-8357
Perry	573-517-0929
Pettis	660-619-4012
Phelps	573-202-9438
Pike	573-470-0129
Pike	573-470-0017
Platte	816-244-0702
Platte	816-835-6086
Polk	417-777-1035
Polk	417-326-9539
Pulaski	573-528-2147
Putnam	573-673-0024
Ralls	573-248-9383
Randolph	660-651-3940

County	Phone
Randolph	660-651-3196
Ray	816-390-0327
Reynolds	573-663-2856
Ripley	573-996-8963
Ripley	573-351-8635
Saline	660-641-3345
Schuyler	660-651-0522
Scotland	660-216-1374
Scott	573-380-2578
Shannon	573-292-1052
Shannon	573-230-3706
Shelby	573-822-5263
St. Charles	636-288-9279
St. Charles	314-609-2297
St. Clair	417-533-2260
St. Clair	417-496-7941
St. Francois	573-330-8538
St. Louis	314-696-9425
St. Louis	314-607-2708
St. Louis	314-210-1875
Ste. Genevieve	573-883-0634
Stoddard	573-568-4433
Stone	417-251-3693
Stone	417-331-2674
Sullivan	573-673-7588
Taney	417-294-5543
Texas	417-260-2855
Texas	417-260-2865
Vernon	417-465-2858
Vernon	417-684-4588
Warren	636-235-1422
Washington	573-301-5299
Wayne	573-944-1174
Wayne-Lake	573-495-2737
Webster	417-839-0258
Worth	816-294-8144
Wright	417-259-0736

# Sunrise and Sunset

DAVID STONNER

DAY	Sept. 2015		Oct. 2015		Nov. 2015		Dec. 2015		Jan. 2016	
	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.	Rise A.M.	Set P.M.
1	6:38	7:39	7:04	6:52	6:35	5:09	7:07	4:48	7:26	4:58
2	6:39	7:38	7:05	6:50	6:36	5:08	7:08	4:48	7:26	4:59
3	6:40	7:36	7:06	6:49	6:37	5:07	7:09	4:48	7:27	5:00
4	6:40	7:34	7:07	6:47	6:38	5:06	7:10	4:48	7:27	5:01
5	6:41	7:33	7:08	6:46	6:39	5:05	7:11	4:47	7:27	5:01
6	6:42	7:31	7:09	6:44	6:41	5:04	7:12	4:47	7:27	5:02
7	6:43	7:30	7:10	6:43	6:42	5:03	7:13	4:47	7:27	5:03
8	6:44	7:28	7:11	6:41	6:43	5:02	7:14	4:47	7:27	5:04
9	6:45	7:27	7:12	6:40	6:44	5:01	7:14	4:48	7:26	5:05
10	6:46	7:25	7:13	6:38	6:45	5:00	7:15	4:48	7:26	5:06
11	6:47	7:24	7:14	6:37	6:46	4:59	7:16	4:48	7:26	5:07
12	6:47	7:22	7:15	6:35	6:47	4:58	7:17	4:48	7:26	5:08
13	6:48	7:20	7:16	6:34	6:48	4:57	7:18	4:48	7:26	5:09
14	6:49	7:19	7:17	6:32	6:49	4:57	7:18	4:48	7:25	5:10
15	6:50	7:17	7:18	6:31	6:50	4:56	7:19	4:49	7:25	5:11
16	6:51	7:16	7:19	6:29	6:52	4:55	7:20	4:49	7:25	5:12
17	6:52	7:14	7:20	6:28	6:53	4:54	7:20	4:49	7:24	5:13
18	6:53	7:12	7:21	6:27	6:54	4:54	7:21	4:50	7:24	5:14
19	6:54	7:11	7:22	6:25	6:55	4:53	7:22	4:50	7:23	5:16
20	6:54	7:09	7:23	6:24	6:56	4:52	7:22	4:50	7:23	5:17
21	6:55	7:08	7:24	6:23	6:57	4:52	7:23	4:51	7:22	5:18
22	6:56	7:06	7:25	6:21	6:58	4:51	7:23	4:51	7:22	5:19
23	6:57	7:04	7:26	6:20	6:59	4:51	7:24	4:52	7:21	5:20
24	6:58	7:03	7:27	6:19	7:00	4:50	7:24	4:53	7:21	5:21
25	6:59	7:01	7:28	6:17	7:01	4:50	7:24	4:53	7:20	5:22
26	7:00	7:00	7:29	6:16	7:02	4:50	7:25	4:54	7:19	5:23
27	7:01	6:58	7:30	6:15	7:03	4:49	7:25	4:54	7:19	5:25
28	7:02	6:57	7:31	6:14	7:04	4:49	7:25	4:55	7:18	5:26
29	7:03	6:55	7:32	6:12	7:05	4:49	7:26	4:56	7:17	5:27
30	7:03	6:53	7:33	6:11	7:06	4:48	7:26	4:57	7:16	5:28
31			7:34	6:10			7:26	4:57	7:15	5:29

## Jefferson City — Central Standard Time\*

These tables are for Jefferson City and points on the same longitude north and south. For locations east, subtract one minute for each 13.5 miles of airline distance. For locations west, add one minute for each 13.5 miles. For example, St. Louis is 106 miles east: subtract 8 minutes; Kansas City is 133 miles west: add 10 minutes.

To find the sunrise and sunset times in your area, visit [www.usno.navy.mil/USNO/astronomical-applications](http://www.usno.navy.mil/USNO/astronomical-applications).

\*Sunrise and sunset from Sept. 1 to Oct. 31 have been converted to daylight saving time.

# 2015–2016 Deer and Turkey Seasons

Season	Dates	Locations	Methods	Required to Wear Hunter Orange
<b>Archery Deer and Turkey</b>	Sept. 15–Nov. 13, 2015 Nov. 25, 2015–Jan. 15, 2016	Statewide	1, 2	In open areas during the urban zones, youth, and antlerless portions
<b>Firearms Turkey</b>	Oct. 1–31, 2015	In open counties. See Page 22	1, 2, 8	Oct. 9–12 in areas open during urban zones portion
<b>Firearms Deer Urban Zones Portion</b>	Oct. 9–12, 2015	See pages 24–25 for zones	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Yes
<b>Firearms Deer Early Youth Portion</b>	Oct. 31–Nov. 1, 2015	Statewide	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Yes
<b>Firearms Deer November Portion</b>	Nov. 14–24, 2015	Statewide	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Yes
<b>Firearms Deer Antlerless Portion</b>	Nov. 25–Dec. 6, 2015	In open counties. See Page 29	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Yes
<b>Firearms Deer Alternative Methods Portion</b>	Dec. 19–29, 2015	Statewide	1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7	Yes
<b>Firearms Deer Late Youth Portion</b>	Jan. 2–3, 2016	Statewide	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Yes

## Methods

1. Long, compound, or recurve bow
2. Atlatl
3. Centerfire rifle or shotgun (including .410) with slugs only
4. Centerfire pistol or revolver
5. Air-powered gun
6. Muzzleloader or cap-and-ball firearm .40 caliber or larger capable of firing only a single projectile
7. Crossbow
8. Shotgun only with shot not larger than No. 4

## What's New For 2015?

- The antler-point restriction has been lifted in 14 counties. See Page 12.
- Hunters may now fill additional firearms antlerless permits in 13 counties. See Page 17.
- The Columbia/Jefferson City Urban Zone has been eliminated. See pages 24–25.
- Qualifying landowners in Franklin and Jefferson counties may now receive two no-cost firearms antlerless permits. See Page 19.
- New managed deer hunts have been added and others have been removed or modified. See pages 32–39.
- Deer and/or turkey hunting regulations have changed for several conservation areas. See pages 40–49.
- The free MO Hunting app now allows hunters to carry their hunting permits afield, notch permits after a deer or turkey is harvested, and Telecheck their harvest all from the touchscreen of their Apple or Android device. See Page 56.