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Highlights of Important Changes in the 2000-2001 Deer Hunting Regulations

Last year's deer hunting regulation changes proved to be very successful in achieving antlerless deer harvest goals. Many important changes in the deer hunting regulations have been made for the 2000-01 deer seasons to make hunting regulations more standardized and further enhance antlerless deer harvest objectives.

- Hunters are limited to ONE antlered buck per season, regardless of how many permits are purchased. This regulation applies to all seasons except the six-day firearm season.
- A "Quality Deer Management" program will be applied in Deer Management Zones 3, 6, 9, 13, 27, 29, 35, 37, 59, 63, 66 and 67. Hunters will be restricted to taking antlered deer with at least three points on one side during all seasons open in these zones.
- The fall bow season will open on September 9, 2000 in Deer Management Zones 5, 7-14, 33, 36, 41, 50 and 51, and only antlerless deer may be taken from September 9 through 29, 2000. Hunters who harvest an antlerless deer during this period will be eligible to harvest an antlered buck start-

ing on September 30, 2000. They will have satisfied the earn-a-buck requirement for the regular fall bow season.

- The bag limit during the early fall bow season of September 9-29, 2000 in Zones 42 and 49 is changed from "earn-a-buck" to antlerless deer only to provide consistency in the regulation.
- The duration of the muzzleloader permit season is increased to include the six-day firearm season and five days added to the end of the season in Zones 5, 7-14, 25, 33, 35, 36, 41, 42 and 48-51. The season dates for these zones include November 27 and 28, December 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 26-30, 2000 and January 1-5, 2001. Another change provides hunters with the option of taking two deer at a time during the muzzleloader permit season. This will allow a hunter the opportunity of shooting two deer at once before going to the check station. In addition, hunters are restricted to taking antlerless deer ONLY during the period of Dec. 4-9, 2000.
- The muzzleloader permit season has been extended to include January 1-5, 2001 in most zones except Zones 4, 37,

38, 40, 52, 53, 59, 66 and 67. There remains no muzzleloader season in Zones 56, 60 and 64.

- The bonus tag designation has been eliminated. All tags will be referred to as "NJ Supplemental Deer Transportation Tags". Bag limit changes have eliminated the need for bonus deer tags.
- Earn-a-buck zones: hunters will again be required to harvest an antlerless deer first in all seasons except the six-day firearm season in Deer Management Zones 5, 7-14, 36, 41, 50 and 51.

These changes in regulations will contribute to increasing the antlerless harvest, will aid in efforts to decrease the deer population and will increase recreational opportunities for sportsmen and women. Population management objectives call for reducing white-tailed deer populations over 74% of the state's deer.

****** The Fish and Game Council will vote on these proposed changes to the Game Code at the end of June. The final version of these regulations will be available in the hunting issue of the *NJ Fish and Wildlife Digest*, expected in sporting goods stores in mid-August.**

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First Lottery 2000 Permit Quotas Vs. 1999 Applicants

Zone	1999 1st Choice Applicants Bow	2000 Permit Quota Bow	1999 1st Choice Applicants Shotgun	2000 Permit Quota Shotgun	1999 1st Choice Applicants Muzzleloader	2000 Permit Quota Muzzleloader
1	427	640	292	440	476	790
2	1356	1670	1280	2420	944	1770
3	866	1100	233	390	778	1220
4	839	1110	495	740	899	1180
5	2258	4380	3546	8910	1267	3630
6	1080	1550	982	1680	677	1130
7	1215	2520	1437	3750	640	1770
8	2266	5000	2948	7910	997	3210
9	508	1330	455	1280	134	530
10	1359	2260	1552	3930	652	1500
11	952	1960	1090	2650	436	1260
12	1662	3780	1815	4750	604	2180
13	845	2110	437	1180	108	400
14	1105	2550	1105	3080	337	1120
15	863	1260	931	1530	434	780
16	800	1240	432	850	472	850
17	418	730	510	1010	249	600
18	421	530	62	90	415	540
19	894	1230	885	1610	608	1000
21	460	700	103	210	588	900
22	305	470	202	370	232	360
23	791	1030	133	240	973	1240
24	226	370	68	110	450	650
25	623	1300	1212	2610	329	850
26	637	930	248	580	755	1220
27	681	850	662	1080	500	760
28	679	920	485	1040	549	880
29	620	800	678	1090	495	770
30	262	330	185	320	273	360
31	177	250	81	130	168	250
33	87	180	98	390	61	200
34	620	840	351	690	717	1060
35	963	1350	1265	2220	584	1150
36	202	630	82	650	13	80
37	97	150	11	50	217	380
38	0	0	232	450	2	50
39	26	50	35	80	15	30
40	7	40	0	40	0	20
41	433	1040	516	1520	176	630
42	100	220	198	710	32	140
43	117	220	13	180	143	330
45	211	300	31	60	329	510
46	183	290	67	120	242	450
47	158	250	275	540	144	240
48	524	1100	688	1550	246	680
49	108	320	87	430	36	170
50	645	1550	655	1880	134	620
51	351	930	476	1490	107	440
52	44	70	11	30	96	170
53	41*	40	12	30	42	60
54	27	40	17	40	9	30
55	64	110	14	40	80	140
56	0	0	22*	25	0	0
57	13	40	11	40	14	40
58	11	40	20	50	5	40
59	40*	35	23	75	0	25
60	0	0	52	120	0	0
61	4	30	28	80	7	30
63	196	300	278	440	104	230
64	0	0	84	100	0	0
65	181	280	18	70	142	250
66	3	30	3	40	0	10
67	0	0	0	0	267	350
Total Allocation		55,375		70,210		42,255

* This zone not likely to be available for the second lottery based on the number of applicants in 1999.

HOW TO USE THIS TABLE: Compare the 2000 permit quota and the number of 1999 first choice permit requests for a zone to calculate your odds of winning a permit in the first lottery.

Deer Permit Application Information

Permit hunting seasons play a major role in the division's deer management program. The three permit seasons provide a means to control hunting pressure, and thereby harvest, in each deer management zone in order to meet specific deer management objectives. Since the majority of the permit season's harvest is antlerless deer, whitetail populations can be controlled effectively. In those zones where significant agricultural damage occurs, the division will continue to apply a management strategy to reduce the deer population through special permit seasons. This control is established by setting specific permit quotas and season lengths for each zone. **In 2000, Hunters will be able to take one buck during the fall bow seasons and each of the permits seasons regardless of the number of permits they have.**

With the additional harvest and recreational opportunity these seasons provide, a \$28.00 fee is charged for each adult permit. A regular hunting license with a separate charge is a prerequisite for filing an application for deer permits. The cost for youths 15 years and under is \$12.00 per permit. A free youth hunting license is a prerequisite for filing an application for deer permits. Free resident youth licenses have been mailed to all youths now aged 15 or under whom have completed a New Jersey hunter education course in the past. They are also available at the Division's Trenton and field offices.

The Child Support Program Improvement Act was passed by the Legislature in March, 1998 (P.L.1998 c.1) to comply with federal law. The Act requires the collection of social security numbers on applications for all commercial and recreational licenses, including hunting and fishing licenses. To maintain your privacy, this number will not be printed on your permit.

Before You Apply: Application Instructions

The application period is June 1–September 10. Follow the application instructions carefully and **read this entire section before completing your permit application.** Application errors may cause you to miss the opportunity to receive a permit. Permits cannot be exchanged. Be sure to have a place to hunt in a particular zone before applying. Use only one application for all deer permit requests.

Deer management objectives rely on the proper use of deer permits. Each permit issued is valid for only one season, one zone and one hunter. It is illegal to use a permit for a different zone or season, or to transfer the permit to another hunter. Deer permit violators are subject to a fine of \$100 to \$500 for each offense.

Hunters may apply for a total of four deer permits (two bow, two firearm) through the mail-in lottery. Two random lotteries will be conducted. The first lottery will choose applicants from the first lottery section of the permit application. The second lottery will assign permits leftover from the first lottery. These permits will be assigned, where available, to applicants completing the second lottery section of the application.

The second permit lottery is an alternative to over-the-counter sales. This reduces the need for hunters to wait in long lines, and saves thousands of dollars in administrative costs for the division.

Hunters wanting to hunt together should consult the table provided on page 2 and apply for undersubscribed zones. See also the table on page 24 showing public land available in each zone.

WARNING: Licensed hunters may apply for a maximum of two permits (one bow and one shotgun **OR** one bow and one muzzleloader) in **EACH** lottery. Automatic computer edits will **reject** all permit requests for individuals applying for more than two permits in each lottery.

Do not submit a second application if you realize a mistake was made on the application already mailed. If we can not correct your application, it will be returned. You will be given additional time to correct the error and resubmit your application.

Hunters can increase their chances of receiving a permit by selecting undersubscribed zones for their second and third choices in the first lottery, and also by choosing **only** undersubscribed zones in the second lottery. Refer to the table on page 2 for a comparison between 1999 first choice permit applicants in the first lottery and the permit quotas available in 2000. This table is only a guideline; hunter preferences may change. In most zones, permit quotas have been adjusted to meet demand.

Popular zones should not be listed as second or third choices. For example, Zone 4 is usually oversubscribed and it is likely that first choice applicants will take all or most of the available permits in the first draw in the first lottery. Choosing an undersubscribed zone as an alternate choice is recommended provided the applicant has a place to hunt in that zone.

There are many undersubscribed zones which have public lands open to hunting. See page 24 for public lands. Applicants should confirm access to hunting lands before submitting applications.

Second Lottery— Zones Available

The purpose of the second lottery is to award permits left over from the first lottery to hunters applying for **additional permits**. It is **NOT a continuation of the first lottery**. The computer seeks to fill the first, second or third choices of applicants in the second lottery **independent** of any previous request in the first lottery. If you do not want two permits for a particular zone, **DO NOT** list that zone in both the first and second lottery.

Based on last year's results and the increase in the quotas, the division predicts the following zones will NOT be available for the second lottery:

BOW: 53 and 59
SHOTGUN: 56

Notification

Application materials will be returned to persons filing incorrect, incomplete or late applications. Any applicant not selected to receive a permit will receive a notice of non-selection. A refund, minus the \$2 application fee, will be issued at a later date. In the past, refunds have been sent in late January as a mass mailing when all permit problems have been resolved. All applicants will receive notification by October 25 for bow permits and November 8 for shotgun and muzzleloader permits. If you have not received notification by these dates, please contact the Division between October 25 and November 7 for bow permits and after November 8 for shotgun and muzzleloader permits. Persons not notifying the division by the end of the appropriate season will not receive refunds for permits that were not deliverable or lost in the mail. Permits are not transferable or exchangeable.

For questions concerning the permit process, call the 24-hour computerized permit hotline: (609) 292-9192. However, questions about the status of your permit cannot be answered before October 25 (bow) and November 8 (shotgun and muzzleloader).

Why You May Not Have Received A Permit In The Past

In 1999, virtually all hunters who filed a correct application received a permit. Common filing errors include applying for closed zones, listing oversubscribed zones as second and third choices, failure to include correct fees or hunting license stubs, selecting the wrong season, and filing incomplete applications. Division staff will make every effort to correct obvious mistakes or return your application for correction. However, it is the hunter's responsibility to submit a correct application in a timely manner.

Over-The-Counter Sales Of Leftover Permits

All hunters are eligible to purchase permits left over after the mail-in lotteries, even those who received permits through the mail. Leftover permits will be sold on a "first-come, first-served" basis at select division offices. Tentative dates for these sales are Saturday, October 28 for bow permits and Sunday, November 12 for shotgun and muzzleloader permits. Information on these remaining permits and sale locations can be found on the permit hotline *after* the lotteries are conducted in mid-October (609-292-9192). Information will also be available via news releases. Any extra early season muzzleloader permits for Ft. Dix (Zones 37 and 52) will be sold on October 28 at the Assunpink WMA. Hours for both over-the-counter sales dates will be 9 a.m. until 12 noon.

Applicants are strongly urged to apply during the mail-in period because long lines are expected at all over-the-counter sales locations. Hunters may send someone to purchase over-the-counter permits on their behalf if the person produces the absent hunter's applicable license. However, a hunter on line is limited to

purchasing permits for a total of three individuals. Photocopies of licenses are *not* acceptable. Hunters on line cannot purchase permits for other hunters on line in order to circumvent the "first-come, first-served" rule.

Hunters may purchase more than one permit for selected zones that have an abundance of permits still available. A list of these zones will be posted at the entrance of the over-the-counter sales locations.

Farmer Deer Permits

The Legislature passed a law in 1999 to change the requirements for obtaining a free farmer deer permit. There will be two types of applications and the farmer applicant can decide for which it is easiest to qualify. Farmers may only apply with one application. The first, (occupant) is for the farmer and his family who reside on their farm. He must have at least 5 acres of land that is also tax-assessed as farmland. The permit will be valid only for the farm on which he resides.

The second application (non-occupant) is for the farmer who does not reside on his farm. A regular hunting license is required, in addition to a non-occupant farmer permit. The farmer must actively farm at least 30 tilled acres. Woodlots can not be used to qualify. A copy of all leases authorizing the agricultural and hunting uses of the land must be attached to the application. No more than five people may receive permits for the same farm. The permit will be valid for the entire zone requested.

The farmer deer permit applications are available from county agricultural agents, division offices and conservation officer.

Farmers are encouraged to send in their applications as early as possible since additional review of applications will be necessary. Farmers and their family members may also apply for regular deer permits in addition to the free farmer deer permits by completing the deer permit application included in this digest issue and enclosing a license stub and appropriate fee.

Disabled Veteran's Deer Permits

Recent legislation signed by Governor Whitman provides for the issuance of free hunting licenses and permits for resident disabled veterans.

For the purposes of this program, the legislation defines Disabled Veterans as: ". . . any resident of New Jersey who has been honorably discharged or released under honorable circumstances from active service in any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States and who has been declared by the United States Department of Veteran Affairs, or its successor, to have a service-connected disability of any degree. . ."

Disabled Veteran hunting licenses are available at the Division's Trenton office, as well as all Division field offices.

Disabled Veteran Applicants:

1. Must first have a disabled veteran license to obtain a free disabled veteran deer permit.
2. Must fill out one special 2000 Disabled Veteran Deer Permit Application only. **Do not** fill out the regular application found in this supplement.
3. Are entitled to **one** free bow season permit and **one** free firearm (shotgun **or** muzzleloader) season permit. Additional permits must be purchased at the regular price of \$28.

Using a Disabled Veteran application does **not** give the applicant preference in the lottery.

DEER PERMIT HOTLINE (609) 292-9192

	BOW	FIREARM
Notification Dates:	Oct. 25	Nov. 8
Over-the Counter Sales Dates:	Sat., Oct. 28 9AM–12 noon	Sun., Nov. 12 9AM–12 noon

Reminder: After Oct. 28 for bow and Nov. 12 for firearm, over-the-counter sales will take place only on Monday, Wednesday and Friday for the Pequest Trout Hatchery, Northern District, Assunpink, Southern Region and Nacote Creek offices. The Trenton office will be selling permits daily.

Two reasons to apply through the mail:

- Bow permit over-the-counter sales will take place on the opening day of Permit Bow Season.
- Avoid standing in long lines.

DEER MANAGEMENT ZONE DESCRIPTIONS

Note: Shaded zones represent boundary changes for the 2000-2001 Seasons

ZONE 1: That portion of Sussex County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 521 (River Rd.) and Mashipacong Rd.; then west along the northern boundary of the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area to the east bank of the Delaware River; then north along the east bank of the Delaware River to the New York State line; then east along the New York State line to Rt. 519; then south along Rt. 519 to its intersection with Rt. 206 at Branchville; then northwest along Rt. 206 to the intersection with Rt. 560; then west along Rt. 560 to the intersection with Ridge Rd.; then north on Ridge Rd. to the intersection with Rt. 646; then east on Rt. 646 to the intersection with Rt. 645 in Hainesville; then north on Rt. 645 to the intersection with Rts. 206 and 521; then north on Rts. 206 and 521 to Montague; then north on Rt. 521 (River Rd.) to the intersection with Mashipacong Rd., the point of beginning. The island of Mashipacong lying in the Delaware River is included in this zone. High Point State Park (Zone 67) is excluded from Zone 1.

ZONE 2: That portion of Sussex County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 94 and the New York State line; then south along Rt. 94 to its intersection with Rt. 23 at Hamburg; then southeast along Rt. 23 to its intersection with Rt. 517 at Franklin; then south along Rt. 517 to its intersection with Rt. 206 at Andover; then north along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Rt. 519 at Newton; then north along Rt. 519 to the New York State line; then east along the New York State line to Rt. 94 to the point of beginning.

ZONE 3: That portion of Sussex, Morris, Passaic, and Bergen Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 94 and the New York State line; then east along the New York State line to its intersection with Rt. 202 near Suffern; then south along Rt. 202 to its intersection with Rt. 23; then west along Rt. 23 to its intersection with Rt. 94 at Hamburg; then north along Rt. 94 to the point of beginning on the New York State line.

ZONE 4: That portion of Sussex and Warren Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 521 (River Rd.) and New Mashipacong Rd.; then running along Rt. 521 to the intersection with Rt. 206 in Montague; then south on Rt. 206 to the intersection with Rt. 645 (Layton-Hainesville Road); then south on Rt. 645 to the intersection with Rt. 646 in Hainesville (Jagger Road); then west on Rt. 646 to the intersection with Ridge Rd.; then south on Ridge Rd. to the intersection with Rt. 560 (Dingman's Bridge Road); then southeast along Rt. 560 to its intersection with Rt. 206; then south on Rt. 206 to the intersection with the base of the Kittatinny Ridge at Culver's Inlet; then southwest along the east base of the Kittatinny Ridge to the Delaware River at the Delaware Water Gap north and west of Quarry Road; then north along the east bank of the Delaware River to the northern park boundary of the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area; then east along the northern park boundary of the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area to Rt. 521 (River Rd.), the point of beginning. Namanock, Minisink, Depew, Tocks, Poxono and Labar Islands in the Delaware River are included in this zone.

ZONE 5: That portion of Warren and Sussex Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of the base of the Kittatinny Ridge and Rt. 206 at Culvers Inlet; then southeast along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Rt. 519 at Branchville; then south along Rt. 519 to its intersection with Rt. 206 at Newton; then south along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Rt. 517 at Andover; then south along Rt. 517 to its intersection with Rt. 46 at Hackettstown; then west along Rt. 46 to its intersection with the Delaware River at Manunkachunk; then north along the east bank of the Delaware River to its intersection with the Zone 4 boundary at the Delaware Water Gap north and west of Quarry Road; then northeast along the base of the Kittatinny Ridge to its intersection with Rt. 206, the point of beginning.

ZONE 6: That portion of Morris, Sussex, Passaic, Warren and Essex Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 80 and Rt. 517 at Allamuchy; then northeast along Rt. 517 to its intersection with Rt. 23 at Franklin; then southeast along Rt. 23 to its intersection with Rt. 80; then west along Rt. 80 to the point of beginning at Allamuchy. Picatinny Arsenal (Zone 54) is excluded from Zone 6.

ZONE 7: That portion of Hunterdon and Warren Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 31 and 78 at Clinton; then north along Rt. 31 to its intersection with Rt. 46 at Buttzville; then west on Rt. 46 to the Delaware River at Manunkachunk; then south along the east bank of the Delaware to its intersection with Rt. 78 at Phillipsburg; then east along Rt. 78 to the point of beginning at Clinton.

ZONE 8: That portion of Hunterdon, Morris, Somerset and Warren Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 22 and 206 near Somerville; then north along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Rt. 80 near Netcong; then west along Rt. 80 to its intersection with Rt. 517 at Allamuchy; then south along Rt. 517 to its intersection with Rt. 46 at Hackettstown; then west along Rt. 46 to its intersection with Rt. 31 at Buttzville; then southeast along Rt. 31 to its intersection with Rt. 22 at Clinton; then east along Rt. 22 to the point of beginning at Somerville.

ZONE 9: That portion of Morris and Somerset Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 206 and Rt. 80 near Netcong; then east along Rt. 80 to its intersection with Rt. 46; then east on Rt. 46 to the intersection with Rt. 10 in Ledgewood; then east on Rt. 10 to the intersection with Morris Tpk.; then east and south on Morris Tpk. to Calais Rd.; then west on Calais Rd. to Combs Hollow Rd.; then south on Combs Hollow Rd. to Calais Rd.; then south on Calais Rd. to Mountain Ave. in Mendham; then south and east on Mountain Ave. to Hilltop Rd. (Rt. 525); then south on Rt. 525 to the intersection with Rt. 78; then west on Rt. 78 to the intersection with Rt. 206 near Pluckemin; then north on Rt. 206 to the intersection with Rt. 80 in Netcong, the point of beginning.

ZONE 10: That portion of Hunterdon and Warren Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 31 and 12 in Flemington; then north along Rt. 31 to its intersection with Rt. 78 at Clinton; then west along Rt. 78 to the Delaware River at Phillipsburg; then south along the east bank of the Delaware River to Rt. 12 at Frenchtown; then east along Rt. 12 to the point of beginning at Flemington.

ZONE 11: That portion of Hunterdon County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Routes 12 and 31 and 202 at Flemington; then southwest along Route 202 to the Delaware River; then northwest along the east bank of the Delaware River to its intersection with Route 12 at Frenchtown; then east along Route 12 to the point of beginning at Flemington. Shyhawks, Treasure, Rush, Bull and Eagle Islands lying in the Delaware River are in this zone.

ZONE 11: That portion of Somerset, Hunterdon and Mercer Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 31 and 22 at Clinton; then east on Rt. 22 to its intersection with Rt. 206 at Somerville; then south along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Rt. 546 at Lawrenceville; then west on Rt. 546 to its intersection with Rt. 31 at the Pennington traffic circle; then north along Rt. 31 to the point of beginning at Clinton. That portion of Round Valley Recreation Area designated as open to deer hunting (Zone 60) is excluded from Zone 12.

ZONE 13: That portion of Morris, Somerset and Union Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 22 and 206 at Somerville; then north on Rt. 206 to the intersection with Rt. 78 near Pluckemin; then east on Rt. 78 to the intersection with Rt. 525; then north on Rt. 525 to Mountain Ave. in Mendham; then north and west on Mountain Ave. to Calais Rd.; then north on Calais Rd. to Combs Hollow Rd., then north on Combs Hollow Rd. to Calais Rd.; then east on Calais Rd. to Morris Tpk.; then north and west on Morris Tpk. to Rt. 10; then west on Rt. 10 to Rt. 46 in Ledgewood; then west on Rt. 46 to the intersection with Rt. 80 near Netcong; then east on Rt. 80 to the intersection with Rt. 511; then south on Rt. 511 to the intersection with Rt. 124 in Morristown; then southeast along Rt. 124 to the intersection with Rt. 82; then southwest along Rt. 82 to the intersection with Rt. 22; then southwest along Rt. 22 to the point of beginning at Somerville. The Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge (Zone 38) is excluded from Zone 13.

ZONE 14: That portion of Mercer, Middlesex, Somerset and Burlington Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Routes 22 and 206 at Somerville, then east along Route 22 to its intersection with Interstate 287; then south on Interstate 287 to its intersection with Route 18; then south on Route 18 to its intersection with the New Jersey Turnpike; then southwest along the New Jersey Turnpike to its intersection with Rt. 545; then northwest on Route 545 to its intersection with the Delaware River at Bordentown; then northwest

along the east bank of the Delaware River to Route 546 at Washington's Crossing; then east on Route 546 to its intersection with Route 206 at Lawrenceville; then north along Route 206 to the point beginning at Somerville. Rotary and Blauguard Islands lying in the Delaware River are in this zone.

ZONE 15: That portion of Monmouth, Mercer and Middlesex Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of the New Jersey Turnpike and Rt. 522 near Jamesburg; then south on the Turnpike to its intersection with Interstate 195, then east on I-195 to its intersection with Rt. 537 near Holmeson; then northeast on Rt. 537 to its intersection with Rt. 522 in Freehold; then northwest on Rt. 522 to its intersection with the NJ Turnpike, the point of beginning. Monmouth Battlefield State Park is excluded from this zone.

ZONE 16: That portion of Monmouth and Ocean Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 537 and Rt. 571 near Holmeson; then southeast on Rt. 571 to the intersection with Rt. 547; then northeast on Rt. 547 through armingdale to the intersection with Tinton Falls Rd.; then north on Tinton Falls Rd. to the intersection with Rt. 33 and Rt. 34; then north on Rt. 34 to the intersection with the fenced boundary of the Earle Naval Weapons Depot property; then westward along the fenced border of the Earle Depot to the intersection with Rt. 33; then west along Rt. 33 to the intersection with Rt. 537 in Freehold; then southwest on Rt. 537 to the intersection with Rt. 571 near Holmeson, the point of beginning.

ZONE 17: That portion of Mercer, Monmouth, Burlington and Ocean Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of the New Jersey Turnpike and Interstate 195; then east along I-195 to the intersection with Rt. 537 near Holmeson; then southwest along Rt. 537 to the intersection with Hawkin Rd. (Prospertown-Colliers Mills Rd. {Rt. 640}) then southeast along Hawkin Rd. (Prospertown-Colliers Mills Rd. {Rt. 640}) to the intersection with Colliers Mills Rd.; then west along Colliers Mills Rd. to its intersection with Woodruff Rd.; then southwest along Woodruff Rd. to the intersection with Rt. 539; then southeast along Rt. 539 to the border of Fort Dix Military Reservation; then westward along the Fort Dix Military Reservation boundary to Rt. 545 near Wrightstown; then northwest along Rt. 545 to the intersection with the New Jersey Turnpike; then northeast along the New Jersey Turnpike to its intersection with I-195, the point of beginning.

ZONE 18: That portion of Ocean County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 530 and the Garden State Parkway at South Toms River; then west along Rt. 530 to the intersection with Rt. 70; then west along Rt. 70 to the border of Fort Dix Military Reservation; then northward along the Fort Dix Military Reservation boundary to the northernmost intersection of the Fort Dix Military Reservation border and Rt. 539; then northwest along Rt. 539 to the intersection with Woodruff Rd.; then northeast along Woodruff Rd. to the intersection with Colliers Mills Road; then east along Colliers Mills Road to the intersection with Hawkin Road (Prospertown-Colliers Mills Rd. {Rt. 640}); then northwest along Hawkin Rd. (Prospertown-Colliers Mills Rd. {Rt. 640}) to the intersection with Rt. 537 near Prospertown; then northeast along Rt. 537 to the intersection with Rt. 571 near Holmeson; then southeast along Rt. 571 to the Garden State Parkway; then south along the Garden State Parkway to the point of beginning near South Toms River.

ZONE 19: That portion of Burlington and Camden Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 530 and Rt. 646 (New Lisbon-Four Mile Rd.); then southeast on Rt. 646 to its intersection with Turkey Buzzard Bridge Road; then west on Turkey Buzzard Bridge Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 644 (Buddtown-Ong's Hat Rd.); then southeast on Rt. 644 to its intersection with Rt. 70 at Four Mile Circle; then west on Rt. 70 to its intersection with Burr's Mill Rd.; then southwest on Burr's Mill Rd. to its intersection with Avenue Rd.; then south on Avenue Rd. to its intersection with Sooy Place Rd.; then south on Sooy Place Rd. to its intersection with Irick's Causeway; then southwest on Irick's Causeway to its intersection with Rt. 532 (Chatsworth Rd.); then south and southeast on Rt. 532 to its intersection with White Horse-Speedwell Rd.; then south on White Horse-Speedwell Rd. to its intersection with Eagle Rd.; then southwest on Eagle Rd. to its intersection with the railroad tracks; then west following the railroad tracks to its intersection with Carranza Rd.; then northwest on Carranza Rd. to its intersection with Tuckerton Rd.; then north and northwest on Tuckerton Rd. to its intersection with Forked Neck Rd. (Dingletown Rd.); then west along Forked Neck Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 206; then south along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Rt. 541, Stokes Rd.; then northwest along Rt. 541 to its intersection with Willow Grove Rd.; then southwest on Willow Grove Rd. to its intersection with Atsion Rd.; then northwest on Atsion Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 534, Jackson Rd.; then west along Rt. 534 to its intersection with Rt. 73; then north along Rt. 73 to its intersection with the New Jersey Turnpike; then northeast along the New Jersey Turnpike to its intersection with Rt. 38; then east along Rt. 38 to its intersection with Rt. 530; then east along Rt. 530 to its intersection with Rt. 616 (Vincetown-Pemberton Rd.); then northeast on Rt. 616, Hanover St., into the town of Pemberton to its intersection with Elizabeth St.; then east on Elizabeth St., which becomes Pemberton-Brown's Mills Rd. (Rt. 687) to its intersection with Rt. 530 (Pemberton-By-Pass Rd.); then east on Rt. 530 to its intersection with Rt. 646 (New Lisbon-Four Mile Rd), the point of beginning. Fort Dix Military Reservation (Zone 37) is excluded from Zone 19.

ZONE 20: Not designated.

ZONE 21: That portion of Ocean and Burlington Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 530 and the Garden State Parkway near South Toms River; then south along the Parkway to its intersection with Rt. 72; then northwest along Rt. 72 to its intersection with Rt. 644 (Buddtown-Ong's Hat Rd.) at Four Mile Circle; then northwest on Rt. 644 to its intersection with Turkey Buzzard Bridge Rd.; then northeast on Turkey Buzzard Bridge Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 646 (New Lisbon-Four Mile Rd.); then northwest on Rt. 646 to its intersection with Rt. 530 (Pemberton-Brown's Mills Rd.); then east along the southern border of Fort Dix Military Reservation to its intersection with Rt. 70; then east on Rt. 70 to its intersection with Rt. 539 and Rt. 530 near Whiting; then east along Rt. 530 to its intersection with the Garden State Parkway near South Toms River, the point of beginning. Fort Dix Military Reservation (Zones 37 and 52) are excluded from Zone 21.

ZONE 22: That portion of Ocean and Burlington Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of the Garden State Parkway and Rt. 37 near Toms River; then south along the Garden

State Parkway to its intersection with Stage Rd.; then west along Stage Rd. to its intersection with Leektown Rd.; then west along Leektown Rd. (which turns into Rt. 653 to its intersection with the Wading River; then south along the east bank of the Wading River to its intersection with the Mullica River and the Atlantic-Burlington County line; then east along the Atlantic-Burlington County line to the Atlantic Ocean, then north along the Atlantic Ocean to Rt. 37 in Seaside Heights Boro; then west along Rt. 37 to its intersection with the Garden State Parkway near Toms River. Then east to the Atlantic Ocean; then north along the Atlantic Ocean to Rt. 37 in Seaside Heights Boro; then west along Rt. 37 to its intersection with the Garden State Parkway near Toms River, the point of beginning. The Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (Zone 58) is excluded from Zone 22.

ZONE 23: That portion of Burlington, Atlantic and Camden Counties lying with a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 563 and the Mullica River at the Atlantic-Burlington County line near Green Bank; then north and west along the north bank of the Mullica River to its intersection with Rt. 542 at Pleasant Mills; then west along Rt. 542 to its intersection with Nescochague Creek; then northwest along Nescochague Creek to Great Swamp Branch; then westward along Great Swamp Branch to its intersection with Rt. 206 (just south of the intersection of Rt. 206 and Middle Road); then north along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Albertson Brook (about 4 miles north of Hammonton); then westward along Albertson Brook until it becomes Blue Anchor Brook; then westward along Blue Anchor Brook to its intersection with Rt. 30, near Cedar Ave., south of Ancora; then northwest along Rt. 30 to its intersection with Rt. 73; then north on Rt. 73 to its intersection with Rt. 534, Jackson Rd.; then east along Rt. 534 to its intersection with Atsion Rd.; then southeast on Atsion Rd. to its intersection with Willow Grove Rd.; then northeast on Willow Grove Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 541, Stokes Rd.; then southeast along Rt. 541 to its intersection with Rt. 206; then north along Rt. 206 to its intersection with Forked Neck Rd.; then east along Forked Neck Rd. (Dingletown Rd.) to its intersection with Tuckerton Rd.; then southeast and south on Tuckerton Rd. to its intersection with Carranza Rd., then southeast on Carranza Rd. to its intersection with the railroad tracks; then east following the railroad tracks to its intersection with Eagle Rd.; then northeast on Eagle Rd. to its intersection with White Horse-Speedwell Rd.; then north on White Horse-Speedwell Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 532 (Chatsworth Rd.); then northwest on Rt. 532 to its intersection with Irick's Causeway; then northeast on Irick's Causeway to its intersection with Sooy Place Rd., (Vincetown-South Park Rd.); then northwest on Sooy Place Rd. to its intersection with Avenue Rd.; then northeast on Avenue Rd. to its intersection with Burr's Mill Rd.; then northeast on Burr's Mill Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 70; then east on Rt. 70 to its intersection with Rt. 72 at Four Mile Circle; then southeast on Rt. 72 to its intersection with Rt. 563; then southwest along Rt. 563 to its intersection with the Mullica River at the Atlantic-Burlington County line, the point of beginning near Green Bank.

ZONE 24: That portion of Burlington and Ocean Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 563 Rt. 72; then southeast along Rt. 72 to its intersection with the Garden State Parkway; then south along the Parkway to its inter-

section with Stage Rd.; then west along Stage Rd. to its intersection with Leektown Rd.; then west along Leektown Rd. (which turns into Rt. 653) to its intersection with the Wading River; then south along the east bank of the Wading River to its intersection with the Mullica River and the Atlantic-Burlington County line; then west along the north bank of the Mullica River to its intersection with Rt. 563 near Green Bank; then north along Rt. 563 to its intersection with Rt. 72, the point of beginning.

ZONE 25: That portion of Salem, Gloucester, Atlantic and Camden Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 54 and Rt. 40 near Buena; then west on Rt. 40 to its intersection with Rt. 553; then north on Rt. 553 to its intersection with Rt. 610 (Aura Rd.); then southeast on Rt. 610 to its intersection with Rt. 655 (Fries Mill Rd. then north on Rt. 655 to its intersection with Rt. 322; then west on Rt. 322 to its intersection with Rt. 47 at Glassboro; then north on Rt. 47 to its intersection with Rt. 635 (Hurffville-Grenloch Rd.); then eastward on Rt. 635 to its intersection with Rt. 705 (County House Rd.); then southeast along Rt. 705 to its intersection with Rt. 688 (Turnerville-Hickstown Rd.); then eastward along Rt. 688 to its intersection with Rt. 689 (Berlin-Crosskeys Rd.); then northeast along Rt. 689 to its intersection with Rt. 73 at Berlin; then south on Rt. 73 to its intersection with Rt. 30; then southeast along Rt. 30 to its intersection with Blue Anchor Brook, just past Cedar Av., south of Ancora; then eastward along Blue Anchor Brook until it becomes Albertson Brook at Fleming Pike; then eastward along Albertson Brook to its intersection with Rt. 206 (about four miles north of Hammonton); then south on Rt. 206 to its intersection with Great Swamp Branch (just past the intersection of Rt. 206 and Middle Rd.); then eastward along Great Swamp Branch to its intersection with Nescochague Creek; then eastward along Nescochague Creek to Nescochague Lake, at Pleasant Mills; then westward along the north and western shore of Nescochague Lake to its intersection with Hammonton Creek; then westward along Hammonton Creek to its intersection with Rt. 30 (White Horse Pike), near Hammonton; then southeast on Rt. 30 to its intersection with Weymouth Rd. (Rts. 640-559); then southward on Weymouth Rd. to its intersection with the Atlantic City Expressway; then west along the Atlantic City Expressway to its intersection with Eighth St.; then south along Eighth St. to its intersection with Rt. 322; then westward on Rt. 322 to its intersection with Rt. 54; then southward on Rt. 54 to its intersection with Rt. 40 near Buena, the point of beginning. Zone 65 is excluded from Zone 25.

ZONE 26: That portion of Atlantic and Burlington Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 40 and 54 near Buena; then southeast on Rt. 40 (40-322) to its intersection with Rt. 575; then northeast on Rt. 575 to its intersection with Moss Mill Rd. (Alt. Rt. 561); then east on Alt. Rt. 561 to its intersection with Oyster Creek; then east along the south bank of Oyster Creek to Great Bay; then north along the west shore of Great Bay to its intersection with the Mullica River and the Atlantic-Burlington County line; then northwest along the south bank of the Mullica River to its intersection with Rt. 542 at Pleasant Mills; then west on Rt. 542 to its intersection with Nescochague Creek at Pleasant Mills; then south along the west bank of Nescochague Creek to Nescochague Lake; then southwest along the western bank of Nescochague Lake to its intersection with Hammonton Creek; then westward along Hammonton Creek to its intersection with Rt. 30 (White Horse Pike), near Hammonton; then south on Rt. 30 to its intersection with Weymouth Road (Rts. 640-559); then south on Weymouth Rd to its intersection with the Atlantic

City Expressway; then northwest along the Atlantic City Expressway to its intersection with Eighth St.; then southwest along Eighth St. to its intersection with Rt. 322 (Black Horse Pike); then northwest along Rt. 332 to its intersection with Rt. 54; then southwest along Rt. 54 to its intersection with Rt. 40 at Buena, the point of beginning. The Atlantic County Park System (Zone 61) and the Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (Zone 57) are excluded from Zone 26.

ZONE 27: That portion of Cumberland and Salem Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 77 and 40 at Pole Tavern; then northwest on Rt. 40 to its intersection with Rt. 48; then west on Rt. 48 through Penns Grove to the Delaware River; then south along the east bank of the Delaware River to its intersection with the Salem Canal at Deepwater; then eastward along the south bank of the Salem Canal to its intersection with the Salem River; then southward along the west bank of the Salem River to its intersection with Rt. 49 at Salem; then southeast on Rt. 49 to its intersection with Salem Rt. 667 (Pecks Corner-Cohansey Rd.) at Pecks Corner; then eastward along Rt. 667 to its intersection with Rt. 540; then east along Rt. 540 to its intersection with Rt. 77; then north on Rt. 77 to its intersection with Rt. 40 at Pole Tavern, the point of beginning.

ZONE 28: That portion of Gloucester, Cumberland and Salem Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 77 and 40 at Pole Tavern; then east on Rt. 40 to its intersection of Rt. 47 at Malaga; then south on Rt. 47 to its intersection of Rt. 49 in Millville; then west on Rt. 49 to its intersection with Salem County Rt. 667 (Pecks Corner-Cohansey Road) at Pecks Corner; then eastward along Rt. 667 to its intersection with Rt. 540; then east on Rt. 540 to its intersection with Rt. 77; then north on Rt. 77 to Pole Tavern, the point of beginning.

ZONE 29: That portion of Salem and Cumberland Counties lying within a continuous line beginning with the intersection of Rts. 77 and 49 at Bridgeton; then northwest on Rt. 49 to its intersection with Alloway Creek at Quinton; then southwest along the northern bank of the Alloway Creek to its intersection with the Delaware River; then south along the east bank of the Delaware River to the Cohansey River; then along the northwest bank of the Cohansey River to Bridgeton, the point of beginning.

ZONE 30: That portion of Cumberland County lying within a continuous line beginning at Fairton on the Cohansey River; then west along the south bank of the Cohansey River to the Delaware River; then southeast along the east bank of the Delaware River to the Maurice River; then north along the west bank of the Maurice River to Haleyville-Mauricetown Rd. (County Road 676); then west on Haleyville-Mauricetown Rd. to its intersection with the Central Railroad of New Jersey (C.R.R.N.J.); then west along the C.R.R.N.J. line to its intersection with Newport-Centre Grove Rd. (Rt. 629); then southwest on Newport-Centre Grove Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 553, then northwest on Rt. 553 to Fairton, the point of beginning.

ZONE 31: That portion of Cumberland County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersections of Routes 77 and 49 at Bridgeton; then east on Rt. 49 to the Maurice River near Millville; then south along the west bank of the Maurice River near Millville; then south along the west bank of the Maurice River to Buckshutem Creek; then west on the north bank of Buckshutem Creek to its intersection with Buckshutem Rd. (Rt. 670); then northwest on Buckshutem Rd. to its intersection with Cedarville Rd. (Rt. 610); then southwest on Cedarville Rd. to its intersection With Newport

Centre Grove Rd. (Rt. 629); then southwest on Newport Centre Grove Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 553; then northwest along Rt. 553 to the Cohansey River at Fairton; then north on the east bank of the Cohansey River to Bridgeton, the point of beginning.

ZONE 32: Not designated.

ZONE 33: That portion of Atlantic County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 40 and the Great Egg Harbor River at Mays Landing; then south along the east bank of the Great Egg Harbor River to Rt. 651 (Jeffers Landing Road); then northeast along Rt. 651 to its intersection with Rt. 559 (Mays Landing-Somers Point Rd.); then north along Rt. 559 to its intersection with Schoolhouse Rd.; then north on Schoolhouse Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 575 (English Creek Avenue); then northeast along Rt. 575 to its intersection with Rt. 40; then west on Rt. 40 to its intersection with the Great Egg Harbor River at Mays Landing, the point of beginning. The Atlantic County Park System (Zone 61) is excluded from Zone 33.

ZONE 34: That portion of Cumberland and Cape May Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 47 and Rt. 548 in Port Elizabeth; then east on Rt. 548 to its intersection with Rt. 49; then northwest on Rt. 49 to its intersection with the Tuckahoe River at Head of River; then eastward along the south bank of the Tuckahoe River and Atlantic-Cape May County line to Great Egg Harbor Bay; then continuing eastward along the Atlantic-Cape May County line to the Atlantic Ocean at the Great Egg Harbor Inlet; then southeast along the Atlantic Ocean to Delaware Bay; then north and west along the east bank of Delaware Bay to the Maurice River; then north along the east bank of the Maurice River to Port Elizabeth and Rt. 548, the point of beginning.

ZONE 35: That portion of Salem and Gloucester Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the east bank of the Delaware River at Penns Grove; then southeast on Rt. 48 to its intersection with Rt. 40; then southeast on Rt. 40 to its intersection with Rt. 553; then north on Rt. 553 to the intersection with Rt. 610 (Aura Rd.); then southeast on Rt. 610 to its intersection with Rt. 47 at Clayton; then north on Rt. 47 to its intersection with Rt. 635 (Lambs Rd.) at Glassboro; the west on Rt. 635 to its intersection with Mantua Creek at Glassboro; then northwest along the Mantua Creek to the Delaware River; then southwest along the east bank of the Delaware River, to Penns Grove, the point of beginning. Chester and Mond's Islands lying in the Delaware River are in this zone.

ZONE 36: That portion of Bergen, Hudson, Essex, Passaic, Morris, Union, Somerset and Middlesex Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 202 and the New York State line near Suffern; then south on Rt. 202 to its intersection with Rt. 23 near Wayne; then south on Rt. 23 to its intersection with Rt. 80; then southwest on Rt. 80 to its intersection with Rt. 511; then south on Rt. 511 to its intersection with Rt. 510; then west on Rt. 510 to its intersection with Rt. 124 at Morristown; then southeast on Rt. 124 to its intersection with Rt. 82; then southeast along Rt. 82 to its intersection with Rt. 22; then southwest on Rt. 22 to its intersection with Rt. 287 near Somerville; then southeast on Rt. 287 to its intersection with Rt. 18 near South Bound Brook; then southeast on Rt. 18 to its intersection with the New Jersey Turnpike; then north on the Turnpike to its intersection with the Raritan River; then east along the north bank of the Raritan River to Raritan Bay and the New York State line; then north along the New York State line to Arthur Kill and west bank of the Hudson River; then west

along the New Jersey-New York border to the point of beginning near Suffern.

ZONE 37: That portion of Fort Dix Military Reservation, U.S. Dept. of the Army, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Burlington County.

ZONE 38: That portion of Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge, U.S. Dept. of the Interior, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Morris County.

ZONE 39: That portion of Naval Weapons Station Earle, U.S. Department of the Navy designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Monmouth County.

ZONE 40: That portion of Naval Weapons Station Earle, Waterfront Section, U.S. Department of the Navy, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Monmouth County.

ZONE 41: That portion of Hunterdon and Mercer Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 31 and Rt. 202 at Ringoes; then south along Rt. 31 to its intersection with Rt. 546 at the Pennington traffic circle; then west along Rt. 546 to the Delaware River; then north along east bank of Delaware River to its intersection with Rt. 202; then north along Rt. 202 to the point beginning at Ringoes.

ZONE 42: That portion of Atlantic County lying with a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Moss Mill Road (Alt. Rt. 561) and Rt. 575 in Galloway Township; then southwest along Rt. 575 to its intersection with Rt. 40; then southeast along Rt. 40 to its intersection with Rt. 575 (English Creek Av.); then south along Rt. 575 to its intersection with Schoolhouse Rd.; then southeast along Schoolhouse Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 559 (Mays Landing-Somers Point Rd.); then continuing southeast along Rt. 559 to its intersection with Rt. 651 (Jeffers Landing Rd.); then south along Rt. 651 to its intersection with the Great Egg Harbor River and the Egg Harbor Township line; then south along the east bank of the Great Egg Harbor River to the Atlantic-Cape May County line in Great Egg Harbor Bay; then eastward along the Atlantic-Cape May County line to its intersection with the Atlantic Ocean at the Great Egg Harbor Inlet; then northeast along the Atlantic Ocean to Great Bay; then west along the south shore of Great Bay to the confluence of Oyster Creek; then west along the south bank of Oyster Creek to Oyster Creek Rd. (Alt. Rt. 561); then west along Atl. Rt. 561 to its intersection with Rt. 575 in Galloway Township, the point of beginning. The Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (Zones 56 and 57), the Atlantic County Park System (Zone 61) and the Federal Aviation Administration William J. Hughes Technical Center (Zone 66) are excluded from Zone 42.

ZONE 43: That portion of Cumberland County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Buckshutem Rd. (Rt. 670) and Cedarville Rd. (Rt. 610); then southwest on Cedarville Rd. to its intersection with Newport Centre Grove Rd. (Rt. 629); then southwest on Newport Centre Grove Rd. to its intersection with the Central Railroad of New Jersey (C.R.R.N.J.); then east on the C.R.R.N.J. line to its intersection with Haleyville Rd. (Rt. 676) at Mauricetown Station; then east on Haleyville Rd. to its intersection with the Maurice River at Mauricetown; then north along the west bank of the Maurice River to the north bank of Buckshutem Creek at Laurel Lake; then west along the north bank of Buckshutem Creek to Buckshutem Rd.; then northwest on Buckshutem Rd. to its intersection with Cedarville Rd., the point of beginning.

ZONE 44: Not designated.

ZONE 45: That portion of Cumberland, Atlantic and Cape May Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Broad St. (Rt. 552 spur) and Delsea Dr. (Rt. 47); then northeast along Rt. 552 spur to Rt. 552; then continuing northeast along Rt. 552 to its intersection with the Tuckahoe River at Milmay; then south along the west bank of the Tuckahoe River to its intersection with Rt. 49 at Hunter's Mill; then southeast on Rt. 49 to its intersection with Rt. 548; then west on Rt. 548 to its intersection with Delsea Dr. (Rt. 47) and the Manumuskin River in Port Elizabeth; then west along the south bank of Manumuskin River to its intersection with the Maurice River; then north along the east bank of the Maurice River to its intersection with Rt. 49 in Millville; then east on Rt. 49 to its intersection with Delsea Dr. (Rt. 47); then north on Rt. 47 to its intersection with Broad St. (Rt. 552 spur), the point of beginning.

ZONE 46: That portion of Atlantic County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 49 and the Tuckahoe River at Hunter's Mill; then southeast along Rt. 49 to its intersection with the Tuckahoe River and the Atlantic-Cape May County line at Head of River; then eastward along the north bank of the Tuckahoe River to Great Egg Harbor Bay and the Egg Harbor Township line on the Egg Harbor River; then northwest along the west bank of the Egg Harbor River to its intersection with Rt. 40 at Mays Landing; then west on Rt. 40 to its intersection with Estell Ave; then south on Estell Ave. to its intersection with Rt. 552 then southwest on Rt. 552 to its intersection with the Tuckahoe River at Milmay; then south along the east bank of the Tuckahoe River to its intersection with Rt. 49 at Hunter's Mill the point of beginning. The Atlantic County Park System (Zone 61) is excluded from Zone 46.

ZONE 47: That portion of Gloucester, Atlantic and Cumberland lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rts. 47 and 40 at Malaga; then southeast on Rt. 40 to its intersection with Estell Ave; then south on Estell Ave to its intersection with Rt. 552; then southwest on Rt. 552 to spur Rt. 552; then west on spur 552 to its intersection with Rt. 47 at Millville; then north on Rt. 47 to Malaga, the point of beginning.

ZONE 48: That portion of Burlington County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of the New Jersey Turnpike and Rt. 38 near Moorestown; then east along Rt. 38 to its intersection with Rt. 530; then east along Rt. 530 along the Pemberton by-pass to its intersection with the southern boundary of Fort Dix Military Reservation; then northward along the western Fort Dix boundary to its intersection with Rt. 670; then east on Rt. 670 to its intersection with Rt. 545 at Wrightstown; then northwest on Rt. 545 to its intersection with the Delaware River at Bordentown; then southwest along the east bank of the Delaware River to Rt. 541 at the City of Burlington; then southeast along Rt. 541 to its intersection with Interstate 295; then southwest along I-295 to its intersection with Rancocas Creek; then east along Rancocas Creek to its intersection with the New Jersey Turnpike; then southwest along the NJ Turnpike to its intersection with Rt. 38, the point of beginning. New Bold and Burlington Islands lying in the Delaware River are in this zone.

ZONE 49: That portion of Gloucester, Camden and Burlington Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the mouth of Mantua Creek on the Delaware River; then northeast along the east bank of the Delaware River to Rt. 541 at the City of Burlington; then southeast along Rt. 541 to its intersection with Interstate 295; then southwest along I-295 to its intersection with Rancocas Creek; then

east along the Rancocas Creek to its intersection with the NJ Turnpike; then southwest along the NJ Turnpike to its intersection with Rt. 73; then south along Rt. 73 to its intersection with Rt. 689 (Cross Keys Rd.) at Berlin; then southwest along Rt. 689 to its intersection with Rt. 688 Turnersville-Hickstown Rd.; then west along Rt. 688 to its intersection with Rt. 705; then northwest along Rt. 705 (County House Rd.) to its intersection with Rt. 635 (Grenlode-Hurffville Rd.); then southwest on Rt. 635 to its intersection with Mantua Creek; then northwest along Mantua Creek to its mouth at the Delaware River, the point of beginning. Petty Island lying in the Delaware River is in this zone.

ZONE 50: That portion of Monmouth and Middlesex Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of the New Jersey Turnpike and Rt. 522 near Jamesburg; then southeast on Rt. 522 to the intersection with Rt. 537 at Freehold; then southwest on Rt. 537 to the intersection with Business Rt. 33; then east on Rt. 33 to the intersection with the western edge of the fenced boundary of the Earle Naval Weapons Depot; then north and east along the fenced boundary of the Earle Depot to the intersection of Rt. 38 (Wayside Rd.) and Rt. 547 at the most eastern point of the fenced boundary of Naval Weapons Station-Earle; then northeast on Rt. 547 to the intersection with the Garden State Parkway; then north on the Garden State parkway to the intersection with Rt. 36 near Eatontown; then east on Rt. 36 to the Atlantic Ocean; then north along the Atlantic coastline to the Raritan Bay; then south and west along the southern shore of Raritan Bay to the Raritan River; then continuing west along the south bank of the Raritan River to the intersection with the New Jersey Turnpike; then southwest along the New Jersey Turnpike to the intersection with Rt. 522, the point of beginning. Monmouth Battlefield State Park (Zone 64), Naval Weapons Station Earle (Zones 39 and 40), and Fort Monmouth (Zone 62), are excluded from this zone.

ZONE 51: That portion of Monmouth and Ocean Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 547 and Rt. 571 near Lakehurst; then southeast along Rt. 571 to the intersection with the Garden State Parkway; then south on the Garden State Parkway to its intersection with Rt. 37 near Toms River; then east along Rt. 37 to the Atlantic Ocean; then north along the Atlantic coastline to the intersection with Rt. 36 in Long Branch; then west on Rt. 36 to the intersection with the Garden State Parkway near Eatontown; then south on the parkway to the intersection with Rt. 547; then south on Rt. 547 to the intersection with Rt. 38 (Wayside Rd.) at the eastern fenced boundary of Naval Weapons Station-Earle; then south along the eastern fenced boundary of Naval Weapons Station-Earle to the intersection with Rt. 34; then south on Rt. 34 to the intersection with Tinton Falls Rd. and Rt. 33; then south on Tinton Falls Rd. to the intersection with Rt. 547 (Asbury Rd.); then south on Rt. 547 through Farmingdale to the intersection with Rt. 571, the point of beginning.

ZONE 52: That portion of Fort Dix Military Reservation, U.S. Dept. of the Army, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Ocean County.

ZONE 53: That portion of Lakehurst Naval Air Engineering Center, U.S. Dept. of the Navy, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Ocean county.

ZONE 54: That portion of U.S. Army Armament Research and Development Command (ARRAD-COM), U.S. Dept. of the Army, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Morris County.

ZONE 55: That portion of Gloucester County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection

of Rts. 47 and 322 at Glassboro; then east along Rt. 322 (County Rt. 536) to its intersection with Rt. 655 (Fries Mill Rd.); then south on Rt. 655 to its intersection with Rt. 610 (Academy Ave.); then west on Rt. 610 to its intersection with Rt. 47 (Delsea Drive) at Clayton; then north along Rt. 47 to its intersection with Rt. 322 at Glassboro, the point of beginning.

ZONE 56: That portion of Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge, U.S. Dept. of the Interior, located south of Stoney Hill Rd., designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Atlantic County.

ZONE 57: That portion of Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge, U.S. Dept. of the Interior, located north of Stoney Hill Rd. and south of the Mullica River, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Atlantic County.

ZONE 58: Those portions of Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge, including the Barnegat Division, U.S. Dept. of the Interior, located north of the Mullica River, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Burlington and Ocean Counties.

ZONE 59: That portion of Supawna Meadows National Wildlife Refuge, U.S. Dept. of the Interior, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Salem County.

ZONE 60: That portion of Round Valley Recreation Area, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Hunterdon County.

ZONE 61: Those portions of the Atlantic County Park System, County of Atlantic, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Atlantic County.

ZONE 62: Not designated.

ZONE 63: That portion of Salem County lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of the Salem Canal and the Delaware River at Deepwater; then eastward along the south bank of the Salem Canal to its intersection with the Salem River; then southward along the west bank of the Salem River to its intersection with Rt. 49 at Salem; then southeastward on Rt. 49 to its intersection with Alloway Creek at Quinton; then southwest along the northern bank of the Alloway Creek to its intersection with the Delaware River; then northward along the east bank of the Delaware River and New Jersey State line to Finns Point and Fort Mott State Park; then northward along the New Jersey State Line through Killcohook National Wildlife Refuge to the Delaware River; then northwest along the east bank of the Delaware River; then northwest ward along the east bank of the Delaware River and New Jersey State line to its intersection with the Salem Canal at

Deepwater, the point of beginning. The Supawna Meadows National Wildlife Refuge (zone 59) is excluded from zone 63.

ZONE 64: That portion of Monmouth Battlefield State Park, designated as open for deer hunting, lying within Monmouth County.

ZONE 65: That portion of Camden and Gloucester Counties lying within a continuous line beginning at the intersection of Rt. 322 and Rt. 659 (Malaga-New Brooklyn Rd.) in Monroe Twp., Gloucester Co.; then northeast along Rt. 659 to its intersection with Rt. 536 at New Brooklyn; then northward along Rt. 536 to its intersection with Rt. 720 (Brooklyn-Blue Anchor Rd.); then southeast on Rt. 720 to its intersection with Rt. 73 near Blue Anchor; then southward along Rt. 73 to its intersection with Piney Hollow Rd.; then southwest along Piney Hollow Rd. to its intersection with Rt. 322; then west along Rt. 322 to its intersection with Rt. 659, the point of beginning.

ZONE 66: Those portions of the Federal Aviation Administration William J. Hughes Technical Center designated as open for hunting, lying within Atlantic County.

ZONE 67: That portion of High Point State Park, located north and east of Deckertown Turnpike (Rt. 650), designated as open to hunting, lying within Sussex County.

Experimental Quality Deer Management Program For Deer Management Zones: 3, 6, 9, 13, 27, 29, 35, 59 & 63

Although sportsmen and women hunt for a variety of reasons, many deer hunters have a desire to harvest a mature or outstanding white-tailed buck. Interest in what is commonly referred to as **quality deer management** (QDM) has been increasing for many years. Popular magazine articles, videos and books have stimulated interest among sportsmen and women, landowners and biologists. The *New Jersey Hunter Retention and Deer Hunter Satisfaction* survey conducted in 1998 indicated that 75 percent of New Jersey hunters would be "willing to give up the chance to shoot small-antlered bucks and shoot more does in exchange for an increased chance to shoot large-antlered bucks in later years."

Quality deer management involves managing deer populations within the cultural and biological carrying capacity of a relatively large land area (at least 10,000 acres). Quality deer management programs protect yearling bucks (1.5 year olds) so that they will reach 2.5 and 3.5 years of age and targets adult does for harvest. Quality deer management programs stress deer quality over quantity.

Several special management areas and private areas have already implemented quality deer management programs in New Jersey. Fort Dix Military Reservation, High Point State Park and the Federal Aviation Administration Technical Center implemented antler point restrictions as part of QDM programs. In 1999, the Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge required hunters to harvest an adult doe before being eligible to harvest an antlered buck.

Several states have also experimented with antler point and buck harvest restrictions that were designed to protect 1.5 year old bucks. For example, Arkansas implemented a statewide requirement that

bucks have at least three points on one side in 1998 as part of a two-year experimental QDM program. Other approaches have involved limiting the adult buck harvest through bag limit restrictions, issuing a limited number of buck tags, alternate-year season closures, guided hunts and antler width and antler length restrictions.

The Division of Fish and Wildlife bases our QDM strategies on the combined experience of Arkansas and Mississippi, programs on timber company lands in the southeastern U.S. and special management area programs in New Jersey. Antler point restrictions are the simplest, most practical approach to increasing the number of male deer in the 2.5 year and 3.5 year age classes.

Consequently, **the Division's Fish and Game Council has proposed a two-year, experimental program with antler point restrictions. Specifically, antlered bucks taken in the designated zones must have a minimum of three points on one side.** (Antler points are defined in the Game Code as being at least one inch long and longer than wide at the base. Deer with broken, shed or antlers less than three inches in length are considered antlerless deer.)

This restriction should protect a significant number of 1.5 year old bucks and allow them to be hunted in 2001 and 2002. Two study areas are included in the experiment. The northern New Jersey experimental area will include **Zones 3, 6, 9 & 13**. The southern New Jersey experimental area will include **Zones 27, 29, 35, 59 & 63**. The experimental program is also expected to reduce the total deer population and create a more equal buck to doe ratio, and could be an alternative to the existing "earn-a-buck program."

Key Definitions

Antler Length—	The maximum length of a deer antler measured from the lowest outside edge of the antler burr along the outer curve to the most distant point of what is or appears to be the main antler beam. For the purpose of this definition the antler length does not include the pedicel or portion of skull between the skull plate and the base of the antler point.
Antler Point—	Any point at least one inch long from its tip to its base line, and the length must exceed the width at some location at least one inch from the tip.
Antlered Deer—	Any deer with at least one antler measuring at least three inches in length.
Antlerless Deer—	Any deer which does not have any antler measuring at least three inches in length. For the purpose of this definition, shed antlered deer are considered antlerless deer.

NJ Division of Fish & Wildlife Telephone Directory

Internet Address.....	www.state.nj.us/dep/fgw
Commercial Preserves & Semi-Wild Preserves.....	609-984-6211
Deer & Turkey Permit Hotline.....	609-292-9192
DEP ACTION LINE - 24 HOURS.....	609-292-7172
	877-WARNDEP
Exotic & Nongame Captivity Permits.....	609-292-9591
Falconry Permit Information.....	908-735-8793
General Information.....	609-292-2965
Hunter Education.....	877-2HUNT NJ
Hunting, Fishing, & Duplicate Licenses.....	609-292-2965
Operation Game Thief.....	800-222-0456
Outstanding Deer Program.....	609-292-9450
Pheasant & Quail Stocking Information.....	609-292-1599
Rifle Permit Information.....	609-984-1400
Trout Stocking Hotline.....	609-633-6765
Wildlife Conservation Corps Information.....	609-633-3616
Wildlife Damage Control.....	908-735-8793
Wildlife Management Area Information.....	609-292-1599
Trenton Office	
501 E. State St., Station Plaza 5, 3rd Floor, PO Box 400, Trenton, NJ 08625-0400	
Endangered and Nongame Species.....	609-292-9400
Freshwater Fisheries.....	609-292-1599
Land Management.....	609-292-1599
Law Enforcement.....	609-292-9430
Marine Fisheries.....	609-292-2083
Wildlife Education.....	609-292-9450
Wildlife Management.....	609-292-6685
Northern Region Office	
26 Route 173 W., Hampton, NJ 08827	
Law Enforcement (Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Morris, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, Union, and Warren Counties).....	
	908-735-8240
Endangered and Nongame Species.....	908-735-8975
Wildlife Damage Control.....	908-735-8793
Wildlife Management.....	908-735-7040
Land Management.....	973-383-0918
Pequest Trout Hatchery and Natural Resource Education Center	
605 Pequest Rd., Oxford, NJ 07863.....	
	908-637-4125
Lebanon Freshwater Fisheries Lab	
PO Box 394, Lebanon, NJ 08833.....	
	908-236-2118
Central Region Office	
386 Clarksburg-Robbinsville Rd., Robbinsville, NJ 08691	
Law Enforcement (Burlington, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, and Ocean Counties).....	
	609-259-2120
Land Management.....	609-259-2132
Wildlife Damage Control.....	609-259-7955
Southern Region Office	
220 Blue Anchor Rd., Sicklerville, NJ 08081	
Information.....	856-629-0090
Law Enforcement (Atlantic, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, and Salem Counties).....	
	856-629-0555
Land Management.....	856-629-5006
Freshwater Fisheries.....	856-629-4950
Wildlife Damage Control.....	856-629-7224
Wildlife Education.....	856-629-7214
Nacote Creek Research Station	
PO Box 418, Port Republic, NJ 08241	
Marine Law Enforcement.....	609-748-2050
Marine Fisheries.....	609-748-2020
Shellfisheries.....	609-748-2040
Marine Education.....	609-748-2031
Wildlife Management.....	609-748-2063
Bivalve Shellfish Office	
PO Box 432, Port Norris, NJ 08349	
	856-785-0730

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS (Application postmark deadline—September 10)

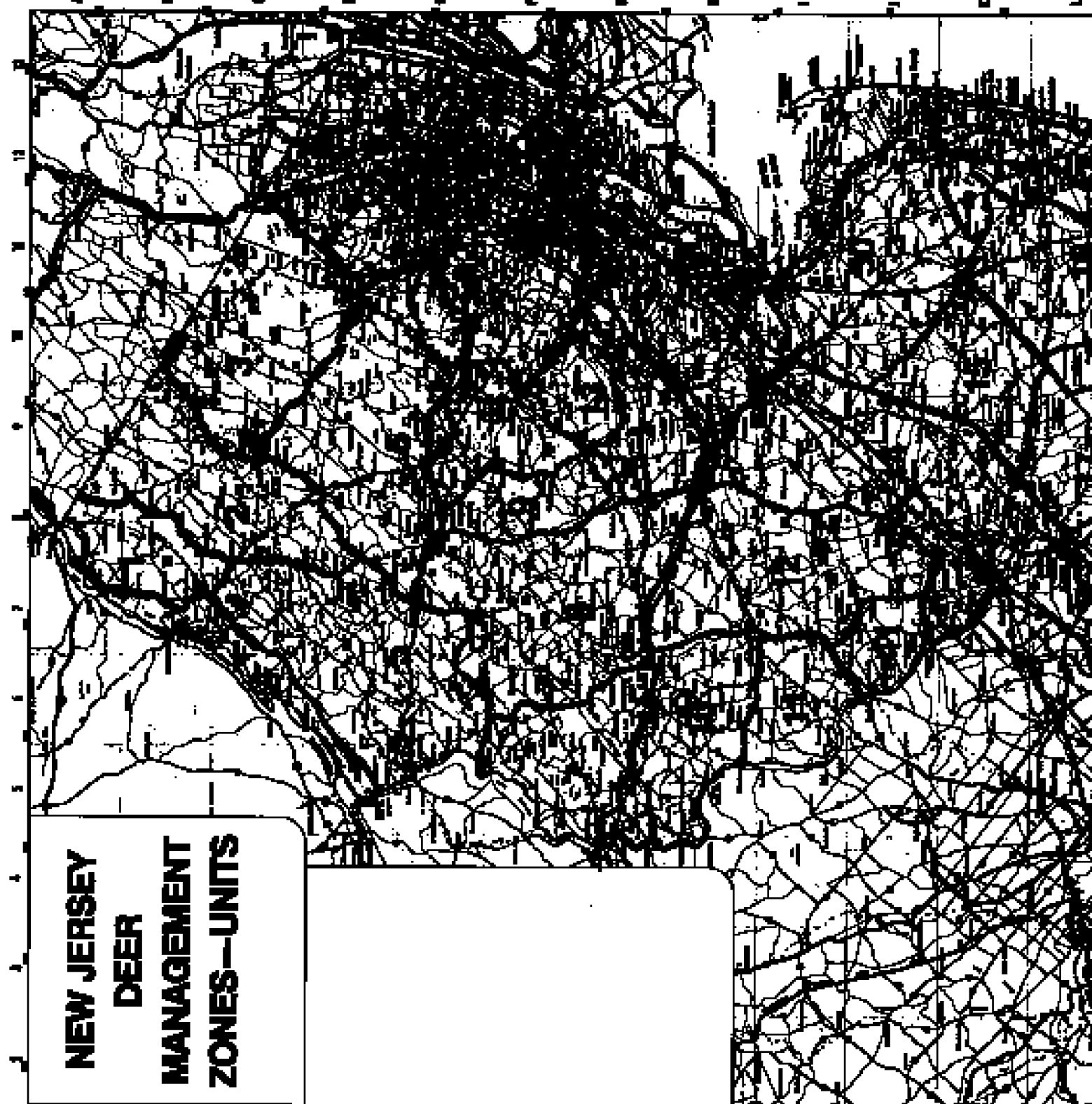
- **Note:** A rifle permit is required while muzzleloader hunting. Blank applications may be photocopied. Print clearly. Follow instructions carefully.
- 1. **HUNTER INFORMATION:** Complete the hunter's name, birth date, mailing address, Social Security number, daytime telephone number and hunting license number.
- 2. **PERMIT BOW SECTION:** To apply for a bow permit, write your zone choices next to the "B" under the first lottery section. For a second bow permit, write your zone choices next to the "B" under the second lottery section. **Reminder:** Hunters will only be able to take one buck during each of the permits seasons regardless of the number of permits they have.
- 3. **PERMIT FIREARM SECTION:** To apply for a shotgun or muzzleloader permit, place an "S" (shotgun) or "M" (muzzleloader) in the box and write your zone choices under the first lottery section. For an additional firearm (shotgun or muzzleloader) permit, place an "S" (shotgun) or "M" (muzzleloader) in the box and write your zone choices under the second lottery section. **Reminder:** Hunters will only be able to take one buck during each of the permits seasons regardless of the number of permits they have.
- 4. **DEER PERMIT ID STUB:** Attach the deer permit ID stub(s) from your 2000 archery, firearm or all-around sportsman hunting license where indicated on the application. Bow applicants must include an archery license stub or all-around license stub. Shotgun or muzzleloader applicants must include the stub from their firearm or all-around license. Those who applied for a hunter education course by September 10, should enter "888888888" in the License Stub Box.
- 5. **PERMIT FEE:** A \$28.00 fee (\$26.00 permit fee plus a \$2.00 nonrefundable application fee) per adult permit or \$12.00 fee (\$10.00 permit fee plus a \$2.00 nonrefundable application fee) per youth permit must accompany your application. You must enclose with your application a check or money order payable to "NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife". Include your name and address on checks and money orders. Applicants not chosen to receive permits will receive a refund for permit fee only (\$26.00 or \$10.00 per permit) in late January.
- 6. Cut out application along dotted line and mail with all fees to the address below. Envelopes must be postmarked by September 10.

NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife, PO Box 003, Trenton, NJ 08625-0003
Use Business-Sized Envelope—Do NOT Send Cash.

2000 DEER PERMIT APPLICATION

*Public Law 1998-1 "The Child Support Program Improvement Act" requires that we collect your Social Security Number on this application. No permit will be issued without it.

Birthdate Month Day Year <div></div>		First Name <div></div>		M.I. <div></div>		Last Name <div></div>	
Please Print or Type <div></div>							
Mailing Address <div></div>							
Zip Code <div></div>		Telephone Number 9:00 AM-4:00 PM <div></div>		Social Security Number* <div></div>		Firearm or Archery License Number or Hunter Ed. Certificate Number or Youth License Number <div></div>	
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MUST BE 15 YEARS OF AGE PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 10, 2000							



Tentative 2000-01 New Jersey Deer Season Dates and Bag Limits by Deer Management Zone

	Fall Bow	Permit Bow	Six-day Firearm "Buck"	Permit Muzzleloader	Permit Shotgun	Winter Bow
	2000 Bow License required	2000 Bow License and Zone Permit required	2000 Firearm License required	Current year's Firearm License, Zone Permit and Rifle Permit required	Current year's Firearm License and Zone Permit required	2001 Bow License required
Deer	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
Ngt.						
Zone	Deer deers allowed statewide	Deer deers allowed statewide				Deer deers allowed statewide
	A maximum of 1 antlered deer may be taken per SEASON, except during the Six-day Firearm "Buck" season when the bag limit is 2 antlered bucks. Supplemental Tags are valid on day of issuance statewide.					
1	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
2	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
3	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
QDM	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
4	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—1 antlered deer only	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-21, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
5	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST BE ANTLERLESS	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS
Eam-+ Buck	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
6	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
QDM	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
7	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS
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Eam-+ Buck	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
9	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS
QDM	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
Eam-+ Buck	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
10	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS
Eam-+ Buck	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer

Tentative 2000-01 New Jersey Deer Season Dates and Bag Limits by Deer Management Zone

Deer	Fall Bow 2000 Bow License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Permit Bow 2000 Bow License and Zone Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Six-day Firearm "Buck" 2000 Firearm License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Permit Muzzleloader Current year's Firearm License, Zone Permit and Rifle Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Permit Shotgun Current year's Firearm License and Zone Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Winter Bow 2001 Bow License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
Mgr.						
Zone						Deer decoys allowed statewide
A maximum of 1 antlered deer may be taken per SEASON, except during the Six-day Firearm "Buck" season when the bag limit is 2 antlered bucks. Supplemental Tags are valid on day of issuance statewide.						
11	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer 2 deer may be taken at one time	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer 2 deer may be taken at one time	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
12	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer 2 deer may be taken at one time	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer 2 deer may be taken at one time	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
13	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Oct. 28-Dec. 30, 2000 Closed Christmas Day First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side 2 deer may be taken at one time	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side 2 deer may be taken at one time	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
14	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer 2 deer may be taken at one time	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer 2 deer may be taken at one time	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
15	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
16	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
17	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
18	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
19	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
21	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
22	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
23	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered

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	Fall Bow	Permit Bow	Six-day Firearm "Buck"	Permit Muzzleloader	Permit Shotgun	Winter Bow
	2000 Bow License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	2000 Bow License and Zone Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	2000 Firearm License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Current year's Firearm License, Zone Permit and Rifle Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Current year's Firearm License and Zone Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	2001 Bow License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
Deer						
Ngt.						
Zone	Deer decoys allowed statewide	Deer decoys allowed statewide		Closed Christmas Day except snowed below		Deer decoys allowed statewide
	A maximum of 1 antlered deer may be taken per SEASON, except during the Six-day Firearm "Buck" season when the bag limit is 2 antlered bucks. Supplemental Tags are valid on day of issuance statewide.					
24	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
25	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
26	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
27	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
QDM	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
28	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
29	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
QDM	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
30	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
31	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
33	Sep. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Dec. 30, 2000 Closed Christmas Day Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
34	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 12, 13, 19, 20, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
35	Sep. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
QDM	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Antlered deer must have at least 3 points on one side
36	Sep. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Oct. 28-Dec. 30, 2000 Closed Christmas Day First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
Emm-+ Buck	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Season bag limit: 2 deer may be taken at one time	Season bag limit: 2 deer may be taken at one time	Season bag limit: 2 deer may be taken at one time

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	Fall Bow	Permit Bow	Six-day Firearm "Buck"	Permit Muzzleloader	Permit Shotgun	Winter Bow
Deer	2000 Bow License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	2000 Bow License and Zone Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	2000 Firearm License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Current year's Firearm License, Zone Permit and Rifle Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Current year's Firearm License and Zone Permit required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	2001 Bow License required Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
Ngt.						
Zone	Deer does all over statewide	Deer does all over statewide				Deer does all over statewide
	A maximum of 1 antlered deer may be taken per SEASON, except during the Six-day Firearm "Buck" season when the bag limit is 2 antlered bucks. Supplemental Tags are valid on day of issuance statewide.					
37* ODM	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Nov. 6-10, Dec. 11-23 and 26-29, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	December 30, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season For those whose first deer is an adult doe First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
38* Emm-a-Buck	No season	No season	No season	Nov. 20, 30, Dec. 1 and 2, 2000 Two antlerless deer per day and one antlered deer per season for those whose first deer is an adult doe First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS	Nov. 20, 30, Dec. 1 and 2, 2000 Two antlerless deer per day and one antlered deer per season for those whose first deer is an adult doe First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS	No season
39*	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Dec. 30, 2000 Open Christmas Day Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11-16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000 and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 16 and 23, 2000 and Jan. 6, 13, 20 and 27, 2001 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
40*	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Closed to general public First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Dec. 30, 2000 Open Christmas Day Closed to general public First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	No season	Dec. 25-30, 2000 Open Christmas Day Closed to general public First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 25-30, 2000 Closed to general public First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Closed to general public First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
41 Emm-a-Buck	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTILERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
42	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Dec. 30, 2000 Open Christmas Day Closed Christmas Day Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
43	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 16-15, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
44	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 16-15, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
45	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
46	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 16-15, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
47	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 16-15, 2000 and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
48	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
49	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-29, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 26-Dec. 30, 2000 Closed Christmas Day Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 16-23, 26-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer

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	Fall Bow	Permit Bow	Six-day Firearm "Buck"	Permit Muzzleloader	Permit Shotgun	Winter Bow
	2000 Bow License required	2000 Bow License and Zone Permit required	2000 Firearm License required	Current year's Firearm License, Zone Permit and Rifle Permit required	Current year's Firearm License and Zone Permit required	2001 Bow License required
Deer	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
Ngt.						
Zone	Deer decoys allowed statewide	Deer decoys allowed statewide				Deer decoys allowed statewide
	A maximum of 1 antlered deer may be taken per SEASON, except during the Six-day Firearm "Buck" season when the bag limit is 2 antlered bucks. Supplemental Tags are valid on day of issuance statewide.					
50 Eam-+ Buck	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-23, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
51 Eam-+ Buck	Sept. 9-Oct. 27, 2000 Antlerless deer only Sept. 9-23, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 4-9, 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken Dec. 4-9, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Nov. 20-22 and Dec. 4-9, 13-15, 2000; and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Only antlerless deer may be taken prior to Dec. 13, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
52*	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 6-10, Dec. 11-23 and 28-29, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	December 30, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
53*	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 25, 27-30, Dec. 1, 2 and Dec. 11-16, 18-23, 28-29, 2000 Closed Christmas Day Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	January 6, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
54*	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer	Oct. 28-Dec. 30, 2000 Closed to general public Open Christmas Day Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Oct. 28-Dec. 30, 2000 Closed to general public Open Christmas Day Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11-16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Closed to general public Open Christmas Day Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 16, 2000 and Jan. 13, 2001 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer
55	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered"	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season"	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
56*	No season	No season	No season	No season	Dec. 11-15, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season
57*	No season	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9 and 15-15, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season
58*	No season	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9 and 15-15, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season
59* QDM	No season	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season	Dec. 11-16 and 18-23, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Nov. 30, Dec. 1, 2, 2000—First tag; Dec. 28-30, 2000—Second tag; Jan. 25-27, 2001—Third tag Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season
60* Eam-+ Buck	No season	No season	No season	No season	Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	No season
61*	No season	Oct. 28, 2000-Jan. 31, 2001 Closed Christmas Day Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	Dec. 15-15, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer"	No season

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	Fall Bow	Permit Bow	Six-day Firearm "Buck"	Permit Muzzleloader	Permit Shotgun	Winter Bow
	2000 Bow License required	2000 Bow License and Zone Permit required	2000 Firearm License required	Current year's Firearm License, Zone Permit and Rifle Permit required	Current year's Firearm License and Zone Permit required	2001 Bow License required
Deer	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset	Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
Big-Game	Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased	Bag limits listed below are PER PERMIT except that hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer, regardless of the number of permits purchased
Zone	Deer does allowed statewide	Deer does allowed statewide	Deer does allowed statewide	Deer does allowed statewide	Deer does allowed statewide	Deer does allowed statewide
	A maximum of 1 antlered deer may be taken per SEASON, except during the Six-day Firearm "Buck" season when the bag limit is 2 antlered bucks. Supplemental Tags are valid on day of issuance statewide.					
63 ODM	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Dec. 13-15, 2000 and Jan. 6-27, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
64*	No season	No season	No season	No season	January 10, 12, 17 and 19, 2001 Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer 2 deer may be taken at one time	No season
65	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Oct. 28-Nov. 25, 2000 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 4-9, 2000 Closed Christmas Day Season bag limit: 2 antlered deer	Nov. 27, 28 and Dec. 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 28-30, 2000; and Jan. 1-5, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered	Dec. 13, 2000 Season bag limit: 1 deer—only 1 antlered deer per season	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Season bag limit: 2 deer—only 1 may be antlered
66* ODM	Sept. 30-Oct. 27, 2000 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Oct. 28-Dec. 30, 2000 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	No season	Nov. 27-30, Dec. 1, 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, 2000 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Nov. 27-30, Dec. 1, 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, 2000 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	Jan. 1-31, 2001 Closed to general public Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side
67* ODM Eam-+ Buck	No season	No season	No season	Nov. 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 15, 16, 2000 First deer MUST be ANTLERLESS Season bag limit: 1 antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer Antlered buck must have at least 3 points on one side	No season	No season

*Consult the Special Area Hunting Season Information section of the Digest for further information. **Hunters are limited to 1 antlered deer per season regardless of how many permits are purchased.

ANTLERED deer are defined as deer that possess at least 1 antler that is at least three inches long.

All other deer are considered ANTLERLESS.

Supplemental Tags may be used to take a deer of either sex.

Supplemental Tags are valid on the day of issuance statewide.

During all PERMIT SEASONS, Supplemental Tags are ONLY valid in the Zone for which the special permit was originally issued.

During all NON PERMIT SEASONS (Fall Bow, Six-Day Firearm, and Winter Bow) Only Supplemental Tags which read "valid for taking a 2nd deer" are valid in any deer management Zone.

Supplemental Tags which read, "valid for taking a 3rd deer," (or 4th, or 5th, and higher) are NOT valid during the six-day firearm season and are NOT valid in

zones 1, 3, 4, 16, 18, 21, 23, 24, 30, 31, 34, 37, 43, 45, 46, 52, 53, 55 and 65 during the fall bow and winter bow seasons.

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SPECIAL AREA HUNTING SEASON INFORMATION

All state game laws and regulations apply to special areas. Only **one** antlered deer may be taken per season, regardless of the number of permits possessed. Please refer to the section entitled **2000-01 New Jersey Deer Season Dates and Bag Limits by Deer Management Zone** for additional information.

Atlantic County Park System (Zone 61):

Persons interested in hunting at Atlantic County Park should contact the park by calling (609) 645-5960 or by writing: Atlantic County Park, 109 Route 50, Mays Landing, NJ 08330 for general information and requirements **BEFORE** submitting a permit application. Applicants must comply with all park regulations. *Zone 61 is closed during the Fall Bow and Winter Bow Seasons.* Portions of the park will be open to deer hunting during the Permit Bow, Six-day Firearm, Permit Muzzleloader and Permit Shotgun Seasons. The Permit Bow Season will be October 28, 2000 to January 31, 2001 and the Permit Shotgun Season will be December 4-9 and 13-15, 2000. Bag limits for Zone 61 will be one antlered deer and an unlimited number of antlerless deer per hunter in each season.

Bayside Tract:

The Nature Conservancy currently manages this PSE&G property, located within Greenwich Township in Cumberland County. Deer hunting opportunities are available on the 4,500 acre site. Deer season dates, bag limits, and state hunting regulations for Deer Management Zone 29 will be applicable on the Bayside Tract. An access permit issued by The Nature Conservancy is required (there is no charge for the access permit). Permit applications, maps and site-specific regulations may be obtained by calling The Nature Conservancy at (609) 861-0600.

Earle Naval Weapons Station (Zones 39 and 40):

Earle Naval Weapons Station is not open to the public. Unless you are a civilian employee or military personnel assigned to the Base, you are NOT eligible to hunt at Earle NWS. Do NOT mail permit applications directly to the Division. Bring your completed applications to the Station's annual Hunter Orientation. For questions contact Ray Green—Station Game Warden at (732) 866-2708.

Federal Aviation Administration William J. Hughes Technical Center (Zone 66):

The Federal Aviation Administration Technical Center (FAATC) is open to deer

hunting through a cooperative agreement between the FAATC, NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife, NJ State Federation of Sportsman's Club and The United Bowhunters of New Jersey. The FAATC is open to hunters who meet the following conditions: (1) Bow hunters must be a member of the United Bowhunters of NJ to hunt during the Fall Bow, Permit Bow and/or Winter Bow Seasons (2) Firearm hunters must be a member of the NJ State Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs to hunt during the Muzzleloader and/or Permit Shotgun Seasons; (3) Hunters must not have been convicted of a safety or deer hunting violation within the last 10 years (the Division's Law Enforcement Unit will conduct a background check on all Zone 66 applicants); (4) Hunters **must** attend one of the orientation sessions scheduled for September 1 and October 27, 2000 (both sessions will begin at 7:30 p.m.) and, (5) Any other requirements of the FAATC must be met.

Hunters should not apply for any Zone 66 special season permit through the regular, mail-in lottery. All special season permits for Zone 66 will be issued by FAATC personnel for the 2000-01 permit seasons. Completed applications and associated fees should be brought to one of the orientation sessions. The Quality Deer Management Program will be modified during the 2000-01 deer hunting seasons in Zone 66. Specifically, **FAATC will require that every antlered deer taken in Zone 66, during any deer season, must have at least three points on one side.** For further information, contact the Technical Center at (609) 485-4938.

Fort Dix Military Reservation (Zones 37 and 52):

Persons interested in hunting on Fort Dix Military Reservation should call (609) 562-6667 or (609) 562-4676 for general information and fee schedules **BEFORE** submitting a permit application. Hunters must comply with all Fort Dix regulations. Persons hunting on Fort Dix must pay an annual fee of \$18.50. Hunters must sign in and out at Range 14 on a daily basis. Military training will take precedence over

hunting. Hunters should be familiar with several hunting areas in case their preferred area is closed on a given day.

The Quality Deer Management Program will be modified during the 2000-01 deer hunting seasons in Zone 37. Specifically, *Fort Dix will require that every antlered deer taken in Zone 37, during any deer season, must have at least three points on one side.* Fort Dix Military Reservation (Zones 37 and 52) will be **CLOSED** to all hunting on December 25, 2000 and January 1, 2001.

High Point State Park (Zone 67):

A Permit Muzzleloader season will be held in designated areas of High Point State Park on November 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 15 and 16, 2000. All hunters are required to harvest an antlerless deer first. *Hunters that successfully harvest an antlerless deer may then harvest an antlered deer with at least three points on one side. Antlered deer that do not have at least three points on one side may not be harvested in High Point State Park at any time.* An unlimited number of antlerless deer may be harvested in High Point, however only one antlered deer may be taken during the Permit Muzzleloader season at High Point State Park, regardless of the number of permits a hunter has purchased.

All deer hunters will be restricted to that portion of High Point State Park located north and east of Route 23 during the first four days of the hunt (November 6, 7, 8 and 9, 2000). Both sides of Route 23 will be open November 13, 14, 15 and 16, 2000. Maps of High Point State Park and regulations will be mailed to all Zone 67 permit winners.

In addition to a valid rifle permit, hunting license, and Zone 67 muzzleloader permit, the Division of Parks and Forestry will charge each hunter a \$15.00 administration fee. A receipt will be issued to each hunter when the fee is collected. This receipt must be carried while hunting. The gate to the day use area will be opened at 6:00 a.m. and closed at 6:00 p.m. The Park will be closed to hunting at all other times.

Hunterdon County Park System:

Parks within the Hunterdon County Park System that are open to hunting require an access permit, in addition to the necessary hunting license and/or deer permits. Applications are available at the Hunterdon County Park office on Rt. 31, Flemington. Call (908) 782-1158 for more information.

Lakehurst Naval Air Engineering Station (Zone 53):

Lakehurst Naval Air Engineering Station will be open for deer hunting to properly licensed hunters as follows: All sportsmen considering hunting on Lakehurst NAES for any hunting season MUST attend the mandatory orientation briefing at Lakehurst NAES at 6 p.m. on Monday, August 28 or Monday, September 25, 2000. DO NOT WAIT to receive a Zone 53 permit before attending the orientation briefing. For further information, including mandatory additional fees and regulations, contact NAES, Attention: John Joyce, Code 83E, Public Works Dept., Lakehurst, NJ 08733-5069 or call (732) 323-2911 BEFORE submitting a permit application.

Lizard Tail Swamp Preserve:

The Nature Conservancy manages this 400-acre preserve, located within Middle Township in Cape May County. Approximately 340 acres are jointly owned by the Division and The Nature Conservancy, and are open to deer hunting. Deer season dates, bag limits and State hunting regulations for Deer Management Zone 34 will be applicable on Lizard Tail Swamp. An access permit issued by The Nature Conservancy is required (there is no charge for the access permit). Permit applications, maps and site-specific regulations may be obtained by calling The Nature Conservancy at (609) 861-0600.

Mercer County Parks:

Baldpate (Kuser) Mountain County Park, located in Hopewell Township, Mercer County (Zone 41) had a pilot deer hunting program during the January 2000 permit shotgun season. Baldpate Mountain will most likely be open for some portions of the 2000-01 deer hunting season. The details of the 2000-01 hunting program, if any, including season dates, bag limits, access permits; fees and parking information have not been finalized. Persons wanting to hunt Baldpate Mountain should contact the Hopewell Township Municipal Building at (609) 737-0605 in the beginning of September, 2000. *Deer hunting in Baldpate Mountain is prohibited at all other times.*

Howell Living History Farm, located in Hopewell Township, Mercer County (Zone 41) will be open for limited permit muzzleloader and winter bow hunting. Additional information including, season dates, maps and access permits MUST be obtained by calling the Howell Living History Farm at (609) 737-3299 prior to applying for a deer permit. There is a \$5 processing fee. *Deer hunting in Howell Living History Farm is prohibited at all other times.*

Monmouth Battlefield State Park (Zone 64):

The Permit Shotgun season will be four days. Hunt dates are scheduled for Wednesday, January 10, Friday, January 12, Wednesday, January 17, and Friday, January 19, 2001. The bag limit for Zone 64 is one antlered deer and an unlimited number of antlerless deer. The park is closed to hunting at all other times.

Permittees will be randomly selected by computer via the mail-in lottery process, following the same procedures used for other zones. *The permit quota for Zone 64 for the 2000-01 hunting season will be 90 permits. Successful applicants will be permitted to hunt all four of the hunt dates.* In addition, hunters are required to attend a hunter orientation session. Hunters who have attended the Monmouth Battlefield State Park hunter orientation in January of 1999 or January 2000 are **exempt** from attending the orientation in 2001. **All other hunters MUST attend the orientation (even if you attended the orientation in 1998). Only ONE orientation will be held this year. The orientation session will be held on Wednesday, January 3, 2001 at 6:30 p.m.** The orientation session will be held at the Monmouth County Library Headquarters, 125 Symmes Drive (off U.S. Hwy. Rt. 9), in Manalapan Township. Additional information regarding special regulations and directions to the orientation session will be mailed to successful applicants by January 1, 2001. **If you are not exempt from attending or can not attend the orientation session, then DO NOT APPLY for a Zone 64 shotgun permit.** Zone 64 permittees will NOT be given a refund.

Permit holders must comply with State Park regulations. *Only shotgun slugs, number 4 or number 000 buckshot will be permitted for use during the permit shotgun season at Monmouth Battlefield State Park (Zone 64).*

Morris County Park System:

Black River Park located in Chester Township, Mt. Paul Park located in Chester

Township, Mahlon Dickerson Resevation located in Jefferson Township and Silas Condict Park located in Kinnelon, NJ under the stewardship of the Morris County Park Commission will be open for deer hunting during portions of the Permit Shotgun season only.

Black River Park will be open for a controlled hunt during the Permit Shotgun season on November 20, December 14, 15, 2000 and January 9, 23, 2001. Hunters are required to have a Zone 8 permit as well as a permit from the Park Commission.

Mount Paul Park will be open for a controlled hunt during the Permit Shotgun season on November 20, December 14, 15, 2000 and January 9, 23, 2001. Hunters are required to have a Zone 9 permit as well as a permit from the Park Commission.

Mahlon Dickerson Rese-vation will be open for a controlled hunt during the Permit Shotgun season on December 13, 14, 15, 2000 and January 12, 19, 2001. Hunters are required to have a Zone 6 permit as well as a permit from the Park Commission.

Silas Condict Park will be open for a controlled hunt during the Permit Shotgun season on December 13, 2000 and January 12, 19, 2001. Hunters are required to have a Zone 6 permit as well as a permit from the Park Commission.

It is recommended that you have permission to hunt in alternate locations in the zone for which you purchased a permit, as you may not be selected in the Park Commission's lottery. The Park Commission requires hunters to take two antlerless deer prior to the taking of an antlered deer. An antlerless deer is defined as any deer with no antlers or antlers less than three inches in length. Only buckshot may be used.

Anyone interested in hunting the above areas must obtain an application from the Morris County Park Police Headquarters located at 300 Mendham Road (approximately 3 miles west of Morristown). Application must be picked up in person Monday through Friday, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Applicants must pay a non-refundable \$15.00 processing fee for Morris County residents (\$30.00 fee for non-county residents) at that time. Applications must be submitted by September 1, 2000. Successful applicants will be notified by October 6, 2000. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Morris County Park Police at (973) 326-7632.

Newark Watershed:

Most of Newark Watershed is located in Zone 3 with a portion of the property in

Zone 6. Refer to the section entitled “2000-01 New Jersey Deer Season Dates and Bag Limits by Management Zone” for those zones. No deer hunting is permitted in Newark Watershed in the month of January. In addition to the hunting license and/or deer permit, hunters are required to obtain an access permit to hunt on Newark Watershed property. A fee of \$30 will be charged for non-residents of Newark City (other fees apply to Newark residents and senior citizens). Applications for access permits are available at the Newark Watershed office, 223 Echo Lake Rd., Newfoundland, NJ. Call 973-697-2850 for more information.

Picatinny Arsenal (Zone 54):

Picatinny Arsenal is not open to the public for hunting. Picatinny Arsenal is open to deer hunting for Picatinny Arsenal employees and designated persons only.

The fall bow season will be September 30-October 27, 2000. The permit bow season will be October 28-December 30, 2000. The six-day firearm season will be December 4-9, 2000. The permit muzzle-loader season will be November 27, 28, December 11-16, 18-23, 25-30, 2000, and January 1-5, 2001. The permit shotgun season will be December 16, 2000 and January 13, 2001. The winter bow season will be January 1-31, 2001. The bag limit for all either-sex seasons will be one antlered deer and unlimited antlerless deer. The bag limit for the Six-day Firearm season will remain at two antlered deer.

Rancocas State Park (Zone 48):

Persons interesting in hunting designated areas of Rancocas State Park should contact the Park by calling (609) 726-1191 or by writing to Rancocas State Park, c/o Lebanon State Forest, PO BOX 215, New Lisbon, NJ 08064, for season dates, bag limits, detailed maps of the hunt areas and additional information. This information **MUST** be obtained prior to hunting Rancocas State Park. *Deer hunting in Rancocas State Park is prohibited at all other times.*

Round Valley Recreation Area (Zone 60):

A Permit Shotgun hunt will be held on designated areas of Round Valley Recreation Area on December 13-15, 2000. The area is closed to hunting at all other times. A total of 120 Zone 60 permits will be available through the mail-in permit application process. All hunters will be required to harvest an antlerless deer first. Maps, a liability release form, specific hunting regulations, and access informa-

tion will be mailed to successful applicants.

Six-Mile Run Reservoir State Park:

Designated portions of the Six-Mile Run Reservoir property will be open for deer hunting during the fall bow, permit bow and winter bow seasons only. Contact the Delaware-Raritan Canal State Park office at (732) 873-3050 for a map of the areas open for deer hunting.

Deer Hunting on National Wildlife Refuges in New Jersey

Most State laws relating to deer hunting also apply to New Jersey's National Wildlife Refuges (NWRs). However, special U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service regulations are in effect throughout all authorized deer hunting seasons. Hunters should take notice that the following additional regulations apply to all National Wildlife Refuges in New Jersey:

1. The State regulation that allows deer hunters to hunt over bait does NOT apply to National Wildlife Refuges. **Hunting over bait or distributing bait is prohibited on all National Wildlife Refuges.**
2. The use of a spotlight, or other artificial light including automotive headlights, for the purpose of spotting, locating, or taking any wildlife on a NWR is prohibited. This regulation applies to all persons regardless of *whether or not they have a weapon or firearm in their possession.*
3. Firearm hunters (shotgun and muzzle-loader) must wear an outer garment consisting of at least **400 square inches** of solid fluorescent orange while deer hunting on national wildlife refuges. The amount of fluorescent orange required to hunt on a NWR is double the amount required by New Jersey regulations.
4. Entry is prohibited on Refuge lands posted “Area Closed” and on Refuge roadways posted with “Inholders Only” signs.
5. The use of nails, wire, screws or bolts to attach a stand to a tree, or hunting from a tree into which a metal object has been driven to support a hunter, is prohibited on NWRs.

Most refuges can accommodate individuals who have obtained a permit for handicapped hunters from the New Jersey Division of Fish & Wildlife, including permits to hunt from vehicles. Interested individuals should contact the refuge in advance of the 2000-01 deer hunting seasons.

In addition to the regulations outlined above the following information is provided about individual refuges:

Cape May National Wildlife Refuge:

The refuge is open for all six deer seasons. Season dates, bag limits, and state hunting regulations for Deer Management Zone 34 will be applicable on the Refuge **in addition to** the regulations outlined above. Maps and Refuge specific regulations can be obtained by calling Cape May National Wildlife Refuge at (609) 463-0994 Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. They also may be picked up at Refuge Headquarters located at 24 Kimbles Beach Road, Cape May Court House.

Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (Zones 56, 57 and 58):

Successful candidates who will be hunting the Edwin B. Forsythe NWR for the first time are required to attend a hunter orientation session prior to hunting or scouting. Orientation sessions will be held at the Brigantine Division on Sunday, October 22, 2000 and Sunday, November 12, 2000 (both sessions begin at 1:00 p.m.); orientation sessions will be held at the Barnegat Division on Sunday, October 29, 2000 and Sunday, November 19, 2000 (both these sessions begin at 10:00 a.m.). All attendees will be allowed to scout after that day's orientation. For additional hunting information, please call (609) 652-1665.

Left over deer permits will **only** be sold on the first day of over-the-counter sales. All hunters who obtain a deer permit must have their permit validated before they are allowed to scout or hunt on the refuge. Validation of permits must be done at either the Brigantine or Barnegat Divisions during business hours, at the orientation sessions, or during over-the-counter sales. Permit validation must be done in person by the person whose name is on the permit. Those wishing to have their permits validated at the Barnegat Division, please call (609) 698-1387 prior to coming to the station headquarters. Scouting is only permitted on the two Sundays prior to the opening of the permittees corresponding season. Only designated sections of the Edwin B. Forsythe NWR will be open for deer hunting. All other areas are **CLOSED**.

ZONE 56: A Permit Shotgun Season will be held on December 11-15, 2000, with a bag limit of one antlered deer and an unlimited number of antlerless deer. Successful hunters will be required to register their deer at the Division's Nacote

Creek Office, where biologists will collect biological information from refuge deer. Hunters have the option of taking two deer at a time during the permit shotgun season. This will allow a hunter the opportunity of shooting two deer at once before going to the check station. Zone 56 will be closed to deer hunting at all other times.

ZONES 57 AND 58: A Permit Bow Season will be from October 28 to November 25, 2000. The Permit Muzzleloader Season will be on November 27 and 28, December 11, 12, 16, 18-23, 26-30, 2000 and January 1-5, 2001. A Permit Shotgun Season will be held on December 4, 5, 6, 13, 14 and 15, 2000, with a bag limit of one antlered deer and an unlimited number of antlerless deer. Zones 57 and 58 will be closed to deer hunting at all other times. In addition, all Zone 57 hunters who harvest deer on Dec. 11-15 will be required to check their deer at the Division's Nacote Creek Office, where biologists will collect biological information from refuge deer.

Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge (Zone 38):

The refuge will be open for Permit Shotgun and Permit Muzzleloader hunting only. The Permit Shotgun and Permit Muzzleloader seasons have been scheduled to run concurrently from Wednesday, November 29, through Saturday, December 2, 2000. Great Swamp NWR will be closed to hunting at all other times. The refuge will continue to manage the herd for older age-class bucks and also emphasize the harvest of adult does. The antlerless bag limit is two deer per day. In addition, one antlered deer per season is allowed for those hunters whose first antlerless deer is an adult doe. The harvest strategy will emphasize the harvest of adult does, de-emphasize the harvest of fawns, and allow about 30 additional bucks a year to live and advance in age and size. The daily quota of hunters allowed afield is 250. In the past, hunters have had at least three days of hunting. Twenty muzzleloader permits and 480 shotgun permits will be available. Shotgun and muzzleloader permits for zone 38, leftover after the initial mail-in lottery will be sold at the Great Swamp Refuge Headquarters on Sunday, November 5, from 1-5 p.m. and on Monday, November 6, from 8 am to 4:30pm.

In addition to the Zone 38 shotgun and/or muzzleloader permit issued by the NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will charge a \$22 fee (\$11 for those persons with Golden

Age or Golden Access passports) for issuance of a federal hunting permit. The federal permit will be issued free of charge to hunters under the age of 17. The Refuge will supply specific information regarding this fee, and hunt procedures and regulations, after applicants have received their state permit. For further information, please contact Craig Bitler, Refuge Wildlife Biologist, at 973-425-1222 Extension 15.

Supawna Meadows National Wildlife Refuge (Zone 59):

An experimental Quality Deer Management program has been implemented in Deer Management Zone 59. Antlered bucks must have at least three points on one side to be harvested during all open seasons. A 12-day permit muzzleloader season has been added in Zone 59, and the permit shotgun season has been changed from four, 3-day segments to three, 3-day segments.

For Supawna Meadows NWR, the Permit Bow Season will be October 28 to November 25, 2000. The Permit Muzzleloader Season will be December 11-16 and 18-23, 2000. The Permit Shotgun Season will be November 30 to December 2, 2000 (first segment); December 28-30, 2000 (second segment); and January 25-27, 2001 (third segment). The bag limit will be one antlered deer and an unlimited number of antlerless deer per season. During the Permit Shotgun Season, hunters have the option of taking two deer at a time. This will allow a hunter the opportunity of shooting two deer at once before going to the check station. Shotgun permits will only be valid for one of the three season segments (three days). Hunters selected to receive a Zone 59 shotgun permit will have the opportunity to indicate the segment during which they prefer to hunt by means of a questionnaire from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. If a given segment is oversubscribed, hunters requesting that segment will be chosen by random selection. Those not selected for their preferred segment will be assigned to an under-subscribed segment. Hunters will be notified of the segment to which they are assigned after the random drawing is held by Supawna Meadows NWR. Hunters are welcome to attend the drawing, scheduled for Sunday, November 19, 2000 at 12:00 noon at the refuge office.

Hunters using a single projectile must hunt from a stand elevated at least six feet above ground level and muzzleloaders or shotguns must be equipped with adjustable sights or a scope. Supawna Meadows NWR (Zone 59) will be closed to deer

hunting at all other times.

If Zone 59 firearm permits are available after the first and second lotteries, they will be offered for sale at the Division's Trenton and Southern Region Offices until the close of business on November 12, 2000. Any remaining permits will be sold at the Supawna NWR on November 28, December 5, December 26, 2000 and January 23, 2001. Permits will ONLY be sold to individuals who have attended a refuge orientation program. Hunters purchasing permits at the refuge office will be assigned to hunt segments on a first-come, first-served basis until segment quotas of 25 hunters per segment are filled. After November 12, inquiries regarding permit availability should be directed to the refuge office (856) 935-1487.

In addition to the Zone 59 bow, muzzleloader or shotgun permits, the US Fish and Wildlife Service will charge an additional \$20 fee for issuance of a federal hunting permit. Juvenile and Junior license holders with a valid Zone 59 permit will not be charged for issuance of a federal hunting permit. Specific information regarding this fee will be supplied by the refuge to successful applicants after they have received their state permit. Successful applicants and all applicants considering hunting in Zone 59 MUST attend one of the orientation sessions at the refuge. An orientation session for archery, muzzleloader and shotgun hunters will be held on Sunday, October 22, 2000 and a session for muzzleloader and shotgun hunters will be held Sunday, November 19, 2000. Both sessions start at 10:00 a.m. The refuge will only be open for scouting on October 22, November 19, 2000 and January 21, 2001.

Wallkill River National Wildlife Refuge:

Designated areas of the refuge will be open for deer hunting during the Fall Bow, Permit Bow, Permit Muzzleloader and Permit Shotgun Seasons. Detailed maps of the hunt areas, a list of regulations and a signed access permit from the refuge MUST be obtained prior to scouting or hunting the refuge. The access permit is free and must be carried by the hunter at all times when on Refuge property. The permit is non-transferable. Because hunt areas change each year, new hunt maps are required. Current hunt maps, information and access permits will be available by August 15th and can be obtained by calling (973) 702-7266 or by writing Wallkill River National Wildlife Refuge, 1547 County Route 565, Sussex, NJ 07461. *Deer hunting in Wallkill River NWR is prohibited at all other times.*

Public Deer Hunting Land in New Jersey

New Jersey has more than 750,000 acres of public land available to the deer hunter. The list is arranged by deer management zone for public land open to deer hunting. Generally, only areas with 100 acres or more of upland habitat are listed. State parks and forests that allow hunting may have some sections which are closed to hunting. Some areas allow deer hunting only during certain seasons, require an access fee or have other special regulations. Refer to the section entitled “**Special Area Hunting Season Information**” or contact the appropriate authority for additional information.

Remember: hunters *must* have permission to hunt agricultural land even if the land is not posted. Hunters should obtain permission before hunting any private property. Hunters are advised not to purchase a deer permit for a zone in which they have no place to hunt.

Zone	Public Land Open to Hunting
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flatbrook-Roy WMA Hainesville WMA Stokes State Forest
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kittatinny Valley State Park Wallkill River National Wildlife Refuge (see “Special Areas”)
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Abram Hewitt State Forest Hamburg Mountain WMA Long Pond Ironworks State Park Newark Watershed (see “Special Areas”) Norvin Green State Forest Ramapo Mountain State Forest Ringwood State Park Wanaque WMA Waywayanda State Park
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area Flatbrook-Roy WMA Stokes State Forest Walpack WMA Worthington State Forest
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bear Swamp WMA Beaver Brook WMA Columbia Lake WMA Jenny Jump State Forest Paulinskill WMA Swartswood State Park Trout Brook WMA White Lake WMA Whittingham WMA
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allamuchy Mountain State Park Berkshire Valley WMA Fanny State Park Morris County Park System—Mahlon Dickerson Reservation, Silas Condict Park (see “Special Areas”) Newark Watershed (see “Special Areas”) Rockaway River WMA Sparta Mountain WMA Weldon Brook WMA Wildcat Ridge WMA
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinton WMA Hunterdon County Park System—Union Forge Preserve (see “Special Areas”)
8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Musconetcong River WMA Allamuchy Mountain State Park Black River WMA Hacklebarney State Park Hunterdon County Park System—Cold Brook Preserve (see “Special Areas”) Ken Lockwood Gorge WMA Morris County Park System—Black River Park (see “Special Areas”) Musconetcong River WMA Pequest WMA South Branch WMA Voorhees State Park
9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Black River WMA Morris County Park System—Mt. Paul Park (see “Special Areas”)
10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hunterdon County Park System—Musconetcong Gorge (see “Special Areas”) Musconetcong River WMA
11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hunterdon County Park System—Lockatong Nature Preserve (see “Special Areas”)

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12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hunterdon County Park System—Cushetunk Mountain Park (see “Special Areas”) Hunterdon County Park System—Sourland Mountain Reservation (see “Special Areas”)
13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assumpink WMA (Washington Twp section only) Pigeon Swamp State Park Six Mile Run Reservoir State Park (see “Special Areas”)
15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assumpink WMA
16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Butterfly Bogs WMA Turkey Swamp WMA
17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Colliers Mills WMA Manchester WMA Whiting WMA
19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Medford WMA Wharton State Forest
21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Double Trouble State Park Forked River Mountain WMA Greenwood Forest WMA Lebanon State Forest
22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bass River State Forest Manahawkin WMA
23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wharton State Forest
24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bass River State Forest Green Bank State Forest Penn State Forest Stafford Forge WMA Swan Bay WMA Warren Grove Recreation Area Wharton State Forest
25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cedar Lake WMA Great Egg Harbor River WMA White Oak Branch WMA
26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Great Egg Harbor River WMA Makepeace Lake WMA Port Republic WMA Hammonton Creek WMA
27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Salem River WMA Thundergut Pond WMA
28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elmer Lake WMA Palatine Lake WMA Union Lake WMA
29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bayside PSE&G Tract (see “Special Areas”) Cohansey River WMA Gum Tree Corner WMA Mad Horse Creek WMA Maskells Mill Pond WMA
30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bear Swamp Natural Area (closed Jan. 15–Aug. 1) Dix WMA Egg Island WMA Fortescue WMA Nantuxent WMA New Sweden WMA Edward G. Bevan WMA Buckshutem WMA
31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
33	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Beaver Swamp WMA
34	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Belleplain State Forest

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Island WMA Cape May Wetlands WMA Cape May National Wildlife Refuge (see “Special Areas”) Dennis Creek WMA Heislerville WMA Higbee Beach WMA Lester G. MacNamara WMA Lizard Tail Swamp Preserve (see “Special Areas”)
35	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DOD Ponds WMA
36	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
37	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fort Dix Military Reservation (see “Special Areas”)
38	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Great Swamp National Wildlife Refuge (see “Special Areas”)
39	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
41	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Baldpate (Kuser) Mountain County Park (see “Special Areas”) Howell Living History Farm (see “Special Areas”)
42	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
43	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Millville (Bevan) WMA
45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Menantico Ponds WMA Peaslee WMA
46	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gibson Creek WMA Lester G. MacNamara WMA Maple Lake WMA Peaslee WMA Peaslee WMA
47	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Peaslee WMA
48	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rancocas State Park (see “Special Areas”)
49	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
51	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allaire State Park Manasquan River WMA Fort Dix Military Reservation (see “Special Areas”)
52	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lakehurst Naval Air Engineering Station (see “Special Areas”)
53	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No public deer hunting land
54	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Glassboro WMA
55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (see “Special Areas”)
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57	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (see “Special Areas”)
58	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (see “Special Areas”)
59	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supawna Meadows National Wildlife Refuge (see “Special Areas”)
60	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Round Valley Recreation Area (see “Special Areas”)
61	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Atlantic County Park System (see “Special Areas”)
63	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Abbotts Meadow WMA
64	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monmouth Battlefield State Park (see “Special Areas”)
65	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Winslow WMA
66	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Federal Aviation Administration William J. Hughes Technical Center (see “Special Areas”)
67	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High Point State Park (see “Special Areas”)

Maps and information on hunting land is also available from the following sources:

USGS Topographic Maps
Maps for all land in New Jersey, \$5.00 per sheet.
NJ Dept. of Environmental Protection
Maps and Publications
Bureau of Revenue
PO Box 417
Trenton NJ 08625-0417
609-777-1038

State Parks and Forests Maps
Maps and information on lands administered by the
Division of Parks and Forestry.
Specify park or forest when writing. Free.
Division of Parks and Forestry
PO Box 404
Trenton NJ 08625-0404
800-843-6420

WMA Maps
Maps and information on lands administered by the
Division of Fish and Wildlife
Photocopied WMA maps on USGS base available
free.
NJ Div. Fish & Wildlife
P.O. Box 400
Trenton NJ 08625
609-984-1401

A statewide “Wild Places & Open Spaces” map is
available for \$4 (includes first class postage) by
writing to:
NJ Div. Fish & Wildlife
P.O. Box 400
Trenton NJ 08625
609-292-9450