

During the Firearm Deer Season, archery deer hunting is permitted only in those areas open to firearm deer hunting.

Tree stands are permitted but may not be erected until the beginning of the State Archery Season and must be removed on the last day of the season. Stands may be clamped, roped, or chained to trees, but **MAY NOT BE NAILED** directly to the tree.

FIREARM DEER HUNTING

Area 1 on the map is closed to firearm deer hunting.

A special Refuge Permit is required for the first 2½ days of the Firearm Deer Season.

Vehicle use is prohibited during the firearm deer season. Trails are patrolled to check and remove harvested deer. Refuge personnel are available to assist in removing harvested deer.

Hunters may not enter the refuge before legal shooting hours on the first day of the season. Thereafter, they may enter, but not shoot before legal hours.

Hunters may not reenter the refuge after harvesting their deer unless unarmed.

Hunters with the appropriate state license may hunt deer in the refuge after the 2½ day Special Permit period.

MUZZLELOADER DEER

Area 1 is closed to muzzleloader deer hunting. The remainder of the refuge is open to muzzleloader hunting.

UPLAND GAMEBIRDS

The entire refuge is open to upland gamebird hunting during the late season. Pheasant, sharp-tailed grouse, and gray partridge may be hunted. Prairie chickens have been established on several refuge areas and are protected. If you cannot confirm a grouse is a sharptail, **DO NOT SHOOT!**

FOX

During the firearm deer season, fox may be harvested by hunters who possess the appropriate State licenses and **unfilled** deer tags.

The entire refuge is open to fox hunting following the firearm deer season. The refuge fox season ends March 31.

COTTONTAIL RABBITS

Cottontail rabbits may be harvested during the late Upland Gamebird Season.

COYOTE

On an irregular basis the Refuge Manager may permit the harvest of coyote on the refuge. If a harvest is necessary, Special Refuge Coyote Permits will be issued on a first come first served basis to achieve the necessary reduction.

ADMINISTRATION AND LOCATION

The refuge is administered and managed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior. Headquarters are located in the Jim River Valley on the southwest shore of Arrowwood Lake and can be reached via Highway 281 from Edmunds, ND by going east on the Edmunds-Kensal Road for 5 miles. Office hours are 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Inquiries should be made to:
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RR #1, Box 65
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ARROWWOOD

National Wildlife Refuge



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE



HUNTING MAP AND REGULATIONS

ARROWWOOD NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Wetlands, grasslands, and woodlands on the Arrowwood National Wildlife Refuge provide a diverse environment for wildlife. Recreational hunting programs have been designed to provide the public with a variety of wildlife harvest opportunities while allowing birds and mammals places to rest and rear their young. Ducks, geese, pheasants, gray partridge, sharp-tailed grouse, and furbearers all find places to live in the refuge.

Regulations established by the refuge and the North Dakota Game and Fish Department must be observed in all refuge hunting areas. Become familiar with all special regulations and the boundaries of hunting units before going afield.

Hunting is permitted for archery, firearm, and muzzleloader deer, late season upland gamebird, fox, and cottontail rabbit. **All other refuge wildlife is protected.**

SPECIAL REGULATIONS

Hunting is permitted in accordance with all Federal and State laws. The following special regulations apply.

ALL HUNTING

1. Vehicle travel is restricted to public roads and public access trails within the refuge. Interior access trails are designated as A, B, C, and D on the map. Off road vehicle travel is strictly prohibited. All interior access trails are closed during the firearm deer season. Trails may be temporarily closed due to bad weather during portions of other hunting seasons.
2. Blocking refuge gates with parked vehicles is not allowed.
3. Hunters must possess appropriate Federal and State licenses.
4. It is unlawful to carry a loaded firearm in any vehicle on refuge roads or trails.
5. No open fires or camping are permitted.
6. The area surrounding refuge headquarters and housing is posted **CLOSED TO HUNTING**.

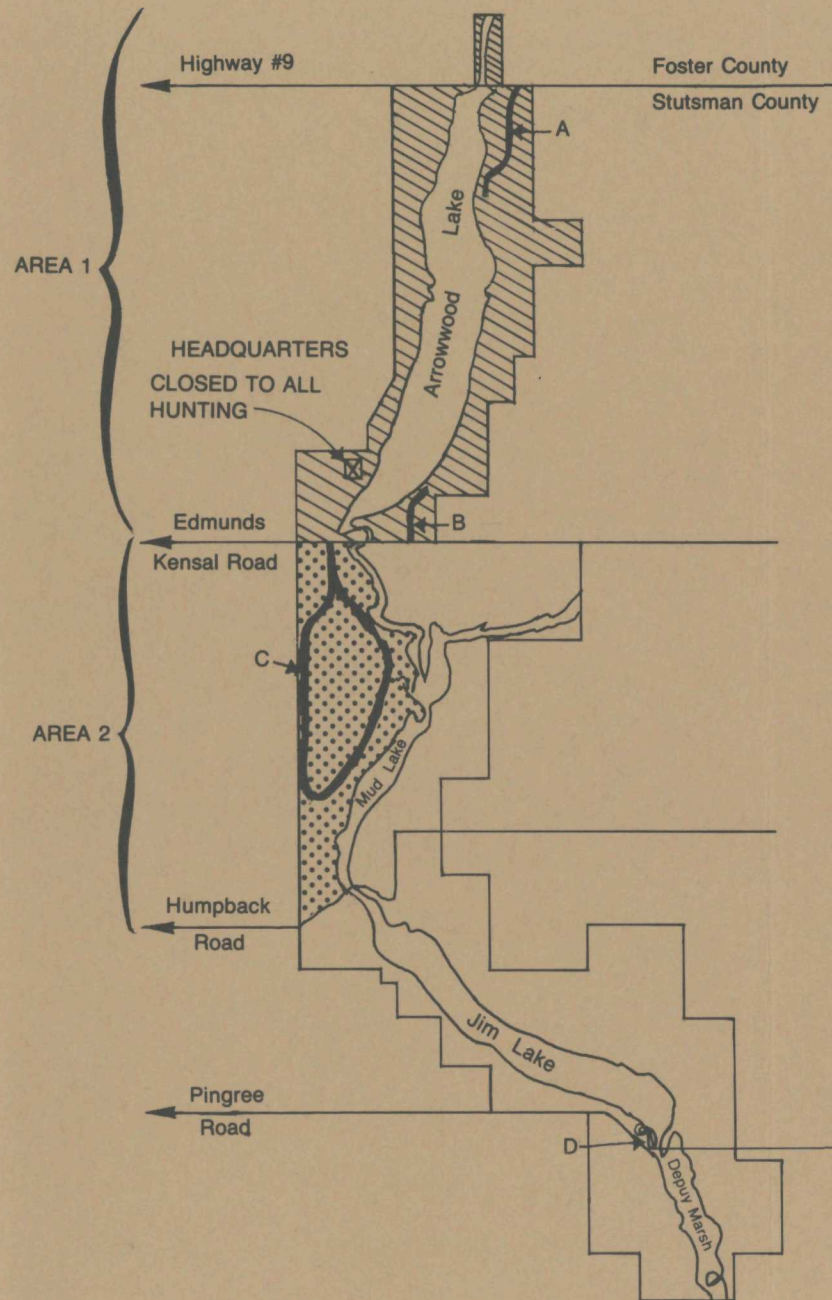
ARCHERY DEER HUNTING.

Archery deer hunting is permitted on the entire refuge from the opening of the Archery Season until sunset the day before the Waterfowl Season.





During the Waterfowl Season, Area 1 and Area 2 (see map) are closed to archery deer hunting.

The entire refuge reopens during the late Archery Deer Season following the Firearm Deer Season.

ARROWWOOD NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE HUNTING MAP



LEGEND

-  CLOSED TO ALL HUNTING
-  CLOSED TO FIREARM DEER HUNTING AND ARCHERY DEER HUNTING DURING THE WATERFOWL SEASON
-  CLOSED TO ARCHERY DEER HUNTING DURING THE WATERFOWL SEASON
-  REFUGE PUBLIC ACCESS TRAILS. OPEN EXCEPT DURING THE FIREARM DEER SEASON AND WHEN BAD WEATHER FORCES CLOSURE