

HOLLINS

WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA



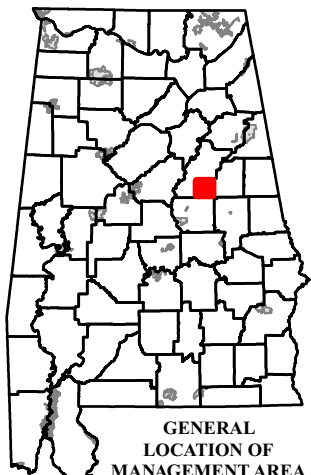
ZONE A **ZONE B**

Refer to USFS Motor Vehicle Use Map (MVUM) for roads open for public use.

This map permit is your 2020-2021 Annual permit to hunt all game in accordance with the seasons, rules, and regulations listed hereon (See Daily Permit requirements on back).
This map must be signed and in your possession along with the appropriate license(s) in order to be valid.

Signed _____

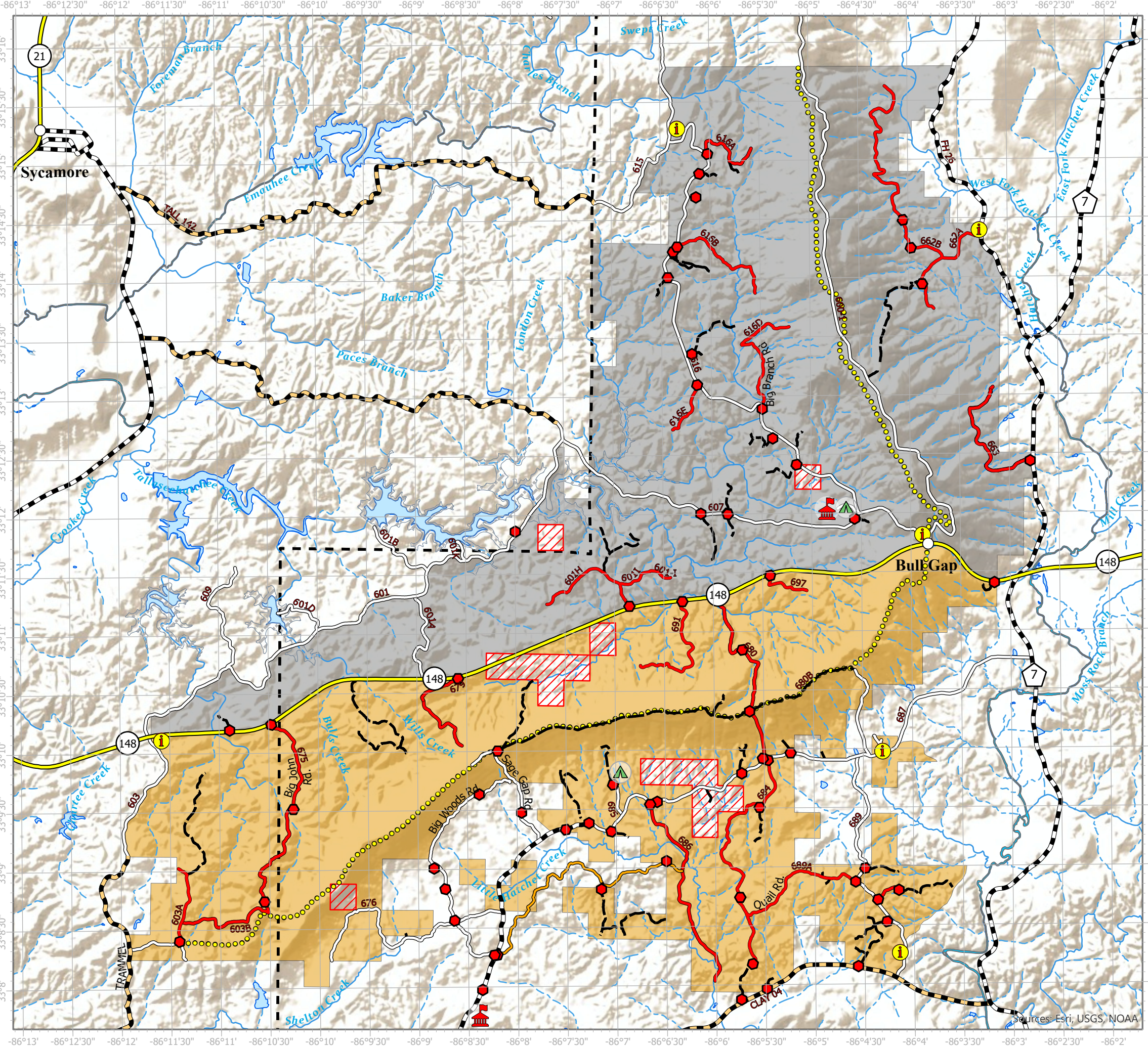
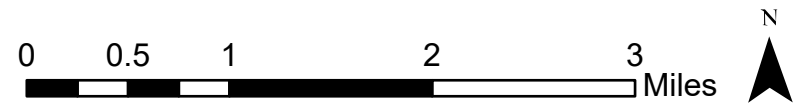
- Checking Station
- Camping Area
- Self Service Kiosk - DAILY PERMIT
- Pinhoti Trail
- Private Land
- Safety Zone
- Gate
- US Route Paved
- State Highway Paved
- County - Paved
- County - Gravel/Dirt
- WMA/USFS Road Yearlong OPEN
- WMA/USFS Road All Season OPEN
- WMA/USFS Road Seasonally CLOSED
- Woods Road - WALKING ONLY



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DUE TO THE SCALE OF THIS MAP THE ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND ITS AFFILIATES ASSUME NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR INACCURACIES IN ROAD ALIGNMENTS, CONFIGURATION OF INTERSECTIONS, AND OTHER RELATED DATA.



HOLLINS WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
(Clay & Talladega Counties)
ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF WILDLIFE AND FRESHWATER FISHERIES
Hunting Regulations – September 2020 - August 2021

PERMITS: Daily Permits or use of the WMA App to Check in and out is **REQUIRED** for each hunt day, for **ALL GAME** hunting on hunt dates listed below. **Daily Permits will be available at self-service boxes located at the check stations or kiosk (SEE MAP).** WMA map/season regulations will be available at check station, kiosk on FS rd. 607 or east Bull Gap rd., also may be obtained locally at Toodlum’s, Hwy. 231 in Hanover, Friendly Corner at the intersection of Hwy. 148 and Main Street in Sylacauga, The Sure Shot on Hwy. 280 in Alexander City or online at www.outdooralabama.com. WMA/Map season regulations may also be obtained in person between the hours of 8:00AM and 5:00PM Monday through Friday or by mail from Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries office, 4101 AL Hwy. 21 N, Jacksonville, AL 36265. Send your request with a stamped self-addressed envelope. Trapping permits are available from the Area Biologist or District II office.

HARVEST: All deer harvested on mandatory check in dates **MUST** be submitted at the check station to obtain accurate biological data (see below in seasons). **Deer harvested on other dates MUST be recorded by WMA App or on daily permit and placed in drop box at self-service box at check station or a kiosk.** All harvests of Deer, Turkey and Small Game of all hunts must be recorded on WMA App or daily permit and placed in self-service permit drop box at check station or a kiosk.

NOTE:• A Wildlife Management Area(WMA) License (required for deer, turkey and waterfowl), **PLUS** the applicable Resident or Non-Resident Hunting License [for Alabama residents 16 through 64 years of age and for non-residents 16 years of age and older], **PLUS** a WMA Daily Permit [free of charge] and Map/Regulations (free of charge), are required for hunting on WMA; provided however, that properly licensed persons under the “Wildlife Heritage License” may hunt legal small game except waterfowl on WMA without the other licenses described herein. **PLUS**, in order to hunt waterfowl on WMA, all persons must have, in addition to the otherwise required licenses and permit, a HIP and valid State (ages 16 through 64) and a valid Federal (ages 16 and over) Waterfowl Stamp.

- Youth hunters on youth deer and turkey hunts must be less than 16 years of age. Supervisors must be 21 years old or older, or a parent, and must be properly licensed. Youth must remain within 30 feet of supervisors at all times.
- Statewide antlered buck season bag limit applies to all WMAs.
- Administrators of the hunt shall have the right to distribute the hunters and to inspect all vehicles or other equipment while on the WMA. The Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and landowners, who are making the hunting possible, hereby put each hunter on notice that he hunts at his own risk and the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and such landowners shall not be responsible for any accidents or injuries that may occur.

In addition to appropriate licenses, WMA Map Permit and Daily Permit are required in App or paper form on this WMA for all hunters 16 years of age and over. Hunters who fully complete the WMA Check-In/Check Out on the Outdoor Alabama App are not required to be in possession of paper copies of the WMA Map Permit or Daily Permit. Check-in and check-out must be completed upon arrival and departure of the WMA. If not using this feature of the app, hunters must have a signed paper copy of the Map Permit in their possession and complete a paper copy of the Daily Permit.

PERMIT LOCATIONS:

ZONE A - Permits available at kiosks located at intersection of Hwy 148 and Forest Service Road 607, the intersection of Forest Service Road 615 and Forest Service Road 616, the intersection of Trammel Road (Forest Service Road 603) and Hwy. 148, and intersection of Horns Valley Road and Forest Service Road 662-A

ZONE B - Permits available at the check station located on Clay Co. Road 4 in Hollins and kiosks located on the east side of Bull Gap Road, southside of Cutoff Road (Forest Service 689) and the intersection of Trammel Road (Forest Service Road 603) and Hwy. 148.

DEER:		
<u>Zones A & B</u>		
	(Youth)	Stalk Hunting Hunter’s Choice: Nov. 14-15. One deer a day, either one unantlered deer or one antlered buck. Hunters must record results of hunt via WMA app or at check station or kiosks.
	(Gun)	Stalk Hunting Hunter’s Choice: Nov. 21 - 22. One deer a day, either one unantlered deer or one antlered buck. *Antlered buck restrictions apply for Zone A & Zone B. Any deer harvested must be checked in at the check station on Clay County Rd. 4 in Hollins or mobile check stations at the intersection of Forest Roads 616 and 607.
	(Primitive Weapons)	Stalk Hunting Hunter’s Choice: Nov. 16-18 and Jan. 2 - 4. One deer a day, either one unantlered deer or one antlered buck. *Antlered buck restrictions apply for Zone A & Zone B. All deer harvested must be checked in at check station on Clay County Rd. 4 in Hollins on Jan. 5. Hunters must use WMA app or have daily permit and record results of hunt at check station or kiosks when check station is closed.
	(Archery)	Stalk Hunting Hunter’s Choice: Oct. 15 – Feb. 10. One deer a day, either one unantlered deer or one antlered buck. Archery hunters must harvest antlered bucks on days of antlered buck only gun deer hunts. No hunting on days of youth gun deer hunt. *Antlered buck restrictions apply for Zone A and B. Hunters must use WMA app or have daily permit and record results of hunt at check station or kiosks. Archery hunting is permitted in zone closed to gun deer hunting. Archery hunters must obtain deer permit on days of gun hunts if hunting in zone open to gun hunt and abide by all gun deer hunt regulations.
<u>Zone A</u>		
	(Gun)	Stalk Hunting Antlered Bucks Only: Dec. 4-6, Jan. 9 -11, and Jan. 30 – Feb. 1. One antlered buck a day. * Antlered buck restrictions apply Zone A. Any deer harvested must be checked in at the mobile check station at the intersection of Forest Service Roads 616 and 607 for mandatory data collection on Dec. 5, Jan. 9-10, and Jan. 30 - 31. When mobile check station is closed, Hunters must record results of hunt via WMA app or at Zone A kiosks.
<u>Zone B</u>		
	(Gun)	Stalk Hunting Antlered Bucks Only: Dec. 19-20, Jan. 15 – 17, Jan. 23-25, and Feb. 6-7. One antlered buck a day. *Antlered buck restrictions apply for Zone B. Any deer harvested must be checked in at the check station located on Clay County Rd. 4 in Hollins for mandatory data collection on all Zone B gun hunt dates. When check station is closed, Hunters must record results of hunt via WMA app or at check station or Zone B kiosks.

***To be legal for harvest, antlered bucks in Zone A & B must have at least three (3) antler points (1 inch or longer) on at least one main beam.**

Zones A&B: WMA App CHECK-IN OR DAILY PERMIT REQUIRED FOR ALL TURKEY AND SMALL GAME HUNTING. Hunters must check in via WMA app or obtain a daily permit for each hunt day at a kiosk self-service box. Permits for Zone A will be available at kiosks located at intersection of Hwy 148 and Forest Service Road 607, intersection of Forest Service Road 615 and Forest Service Road 616, intersection of Trammel Road (Forest Service Road 603) and Hwy. 148, and the intersection of Horns Valley Road and Forest Service Road 662-Permits for Zone B will be available at the check station located on Clay Co. Rd. 4 in Hollins and kiosks located on the east side of Bull Gap Road, southside of Cutoff Rd (Forest Service Road 689) and the intersection of Trammel Road (Forest Service Road 603) and Hwy. 148.

TURKEY:	(Archery)	Nov. 19-25 and Dec. 16-24. Gobblers only. No turkey hunting on days of gun deer hunts.
	(Youth)	Mar. 20-21 (daylight until 1:00 p.m.). Gobblers only.
	(Physically Disabled)	Mar. 26 (daylight until 1:00 p.m.). Gobblers only.
	(Regular)	Mar. 27 – May 2 (daylight until 1:00 p.m.). Gobblers only.
DOVE:		State seasons. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays only. No hunting on days of youth, gun, and primitive weapons deer hunts.
QUAIL:		Nov. 7-Feb. 28. No hunting on days of youth, gun, and primitive weapons deer hunts.
RABBIT & SQUIRREL:		Sept. 12 – Mar. 7. No hunting on days of youth, gun, and primitive weapons deer hunts. Fox squirrel season closed during February and March.
RACCOON, OPOSSUM, & FOX		Sept. 1 – Feb. 28 (nighttime hours only). No hunting on nights preceding or nights of scheduled youth, gun, and primitive weapons deer hunts. Fox hunting: dogs only – no weapons.
BOBCAT, COYOTE, FERAL SWINE, & FOX:		Open during any other scheduled WMA Hunting Season using weapons and ammunition approved for those hunts. No Dogs Allowed. Daylight Hours Only. One fox a day.
CROW:		Sept. 5 – Feb. 28. No hunting on days of youth, gun, and primitive weapons deer hunts.
WOODCOCK & SNIPE:		State Season. No hunting on days of gun deer hunts.
FURBEARER TRAPPING (excluding feral swine):		
FERAL SWINE (Special Season) & COYOTE:		Oct. 31 – Feb 28. Trapping permits must be obtained from Area Biologist. All trappers must wear hunter orange while trapping on days of gun deer hunts. Mar. 1-10. Permitted firearms and archery equipment and hunter orange requirements same as for gun deer hunts on the WMA. No buckshot. No dogs allowed. Daylight hours only.

BAG LIMITS: Deer – Antlered bucks only hunts – one antlered buck per day; Hunter’s Choice one deer per day – one unantlered deer or one antlered buck. Turkey (Gobblers only) - 1 a day (5 per season); Squirrel - 8 a day; Quail - 12 a day; Rabbit - 8 a day; Raccoon & Opossum - No Limit; Dove - 15 a day; Fox - 1 a day. Feral Swine – no bag limit. Falconers may take migratory game birds (not more than 3 per day in aggregate combination) and resident game birds and animals following the bag limits listed above for firearms and archery.

PERMITTED FIREARMS, BOW AND ARROW, & FALCONRY:
Refer to 220-2-.55 at www.outdooralabama.com/wildllife-management-areas/wma-rules-and-regulations

IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL:

- To hunt, trap, use dogs, possess firearms, ammunition, traps, bow and arrow, or crossbows without a valid permit. A permit is valid only during scheduled management and refuge area seasons during legal hunting hours and only with weapons and ammunition permitted for hunting the wildlife listed on permit. (See (18) for limited exception)
- To use dogs for hunting of deer, turkey, or feral swine. (Leashed dogs may be used for the expressed purpose of retrieving wounded deer, limited to two dogs per tracking event).
- To use dogs for hunting, training or any purpose from the end of conventional small game season until August 31.
- For any person under 16 years of age to hunt on the management area unless accompanied at all times by an adult who is either 21 years old or older or the parent and who possesses all license to hunt WMA.
- To carry firearms in or on vehicle with ammunition in the magazine, breech or clip attached to firearms, or black powder weapons with primer, cap or flash powder in place, or cocked crossbows. (See (18) for limited exception)
- To camp in the WMA except in designated sites. On management areas located on U.S. Forest Service lands, individuals or groups may camp on the WMA for a period not to exceed nine (9) days in any 30 day period, unless excepted by U.S. Forest Service rules specific to a unit—see local Forest Service rules. Campfires must be extinguished before departing. No warming fires shall be permitted away from camping area.
- To kill or willfully molest any species of wildlife except those designated for hunting.
- To discharge fireworks at any time.
- To hunt or discharge firearms for target practice or within 150 yards of any camping area, dwelling, dam or timber operation, within 100 yards of any public road, highway, within a posted safety zone, on Sunday within one-half mile of a church, from within the right-of-way of any developed road (paved or unpaved), which is open for vehicular traffic.
- To transport deer or turkey killed during the hunts from the WMA before being examined at the check station for scientific data on the required dates or recorded at check station or kiosk when check station is closed or by WMA App as described above.
- For any person, except authorized personnel, to operate any motor driven vehicle behind, under or around any locked gate, barricaded road or sign which prohibits vehicular traffic.
- For any unauthorized person to possess and/or operate ANY UNLICENSED MOTOR DRIVEN VEHICLE on Hollins WMA or to ride or possess horses except on roads and trails open to four-wheel motorized vehicles or on roads/trails or in areas designated as open to horses.
- For any person, except authorized personnel, to park in front of a locked gate, block or otherwise stop traffic on any road by parking a vehicle in such a way that inhibits traffic.
- For any person to hunt any wildlife species (except turkey, migratory birds and while hunting legally designated species during legal nighttime hours) without wearing the minimum requirement of hunter orange as described in 220-2-.85.
- To deposit, distribute or scatter grain, salt, litter, or any other materials on WMA.
- For any person to damage or remove any artifacts, trees, crops, plants, dirt, gravel or sod from WMA.
- To erect or use a permanent tree stand or scaffold on WMA. To hunt from an elevated stand or platform without attaching themselves to the tree or platform with a **full body safety harness** capable of supporting their weight.
- Nothing in this regulation prohibits or requires a WMA permit for the possession of handguns by lawfully licensed persons for personal protection, provided the handguns are not used to hunt or take or to attempt to take wildlife except as otherwise provided by this regulation.
- Users should refer to WMA Regulation 220-2-.55 for the complete list of WMA specific regulations.**

WMA is provided by the Wildlife Section of the Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries, Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, in cooperation with the U.S. Forest Service, and other private landowners.