This AREA Permit must be signed and in your possession along with the appropriate license(s) in order to be valid.

Sign:

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

- **ZONE A**
- **ZONE B**
- **ZONE B (Mt. Longleaf NWR)**
- **NO GUN Deer Hunting**
- **Big Oak PDHA**
- **Quail Area A**
- **Quail Area B**
- **Pinhoti Trail**
- **Check Station**
- **Camping Area**
- **Gate**
- **Target Range**

- Self Service Kiosk - DAILY PERMIT
- City/Town
- US - Paved
- STATE - Paved
- COUNTY - PAVED
- COUNTY - GRAVEL/DIRT
- WMA/USFS Road Yearlong OPEN
- WMA/USFS Road All Season OPEN
- WMA/USFS Road Seasonally CLOSED
- WMA Trail - WALKING ONLY
- Private Road
- Other Roads
- Railroad

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**CHOCCOLOCCO WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA**
WHAT YOU NEED:

• To hunt DEER or TURKEY: a Wildlife Management Area License and the applicable Resident or Non-Resident All Game Hunting License [for Alabama residents 16 through 64 years of age and for non-residents 16 years of age and older], are required.

• To hunt WATERFOWL: a Wildlife Management Area License, current HP certification and valid State (ages 16 through 64) and Federal (ages 16 and over) Waterfowl Stamp, and applicable Resident or Non-Resident Small Game or All Game Hunting License [for Alabama residents 16 through 64 years of age and for non-residents 16 years of age and older], are required.

• To hunt small game except waterfowl: a Wildlife Heritage License OR applicable Resident or Non-Resident Small Game or All Game Hunting License [for Alabama residents 16 through 64 years of age and for non-residents 16 years of age and older], is required.

• For ALL HUNTS: a paper AREA Permit and a WMA daily permit are required UNLESS using the Outdoor Alabama WMA Check In application to check in and out each hunt day.

HUNTING DATES & BAG LIMITS:

DEER: (No Dog Deer Hunting) (No Buckshot)

Zones A & B: (Archery) Sept. 30-Jan. 15 – One deer a day, either one antlered deer or one antlered buck. No hunting on days of youth gun-deer hunt. *Antlered buck restrictions apply.

Jan. 16-27 – One antlered buck a day. *Antlered buck restrictions apply.

Archery hunters must abide by all mandatory check station day requirements and gun deer hunt regulations/antler restrictions when hunting on days of gun hunts.

(Youth) Oct. 28–29 – One deer a day, either one antlered deer or one antlered buck. *No antler restrictions apply.

(Primitive/Weapon) Oct. 30-Nov. 3 – One deer a day, either one antlered deer or one antlered buck. *Antler buck restrictions apply.

Zone A: (Gun) Nov. 18-19 – One deer a day, either one antlered deer or one antlered buck. *Antlered buck restrictions apply.

Nov. 4-5, Nov. 30-Dec. 3, and Dec. 4-14 – One antlered buck a day. *Antlered buck restrictions apply.

Zone B: (Gun) Nov. 24-25 – One deer a day, either one antlered deer or one antlered buck. *Antlered buck restrictions apply.

Zone: (Physically Disabled) Nov. 9-12, Dec. 7-10, and Dec. 21-24 – One antlered buck a day. *Antlered buck restrictions apply.

*No legal for harvested, antlered bucks must have at least four VI antler points (1 inch or longer) on at least one main beam.

DATA COLLECTION – All deer harvested must be submitted at the check station in Zone open for gun deer hunt for data collection on Nov. 4-5, Nov. 10-11, Nov. 18, Nov. 24-25, Dec. 1-2, Dec. 9-10, Dec. 15-16, Dec. 22. The check station is open from 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Zone A check station is located at the intersection of Forest Service Rd 500 and 553. Zone B check station is located at the intersection of Forest Service Road 522 and AL Hwy 9. Additionally, the results of all hunts must be recorded using the Outdoor Alabama App or Daily Permit and submitted at kiosk at the conclusion of every hunt day.

TURKEY: (Youth) Mar. 30 (Daylight until 1 p.m.) Gobblers only (Physically Disabled) Mar. 31 (Daylight until 1 p.m.) Gobblers only

(Bag Limit) No more than 1 gobbler during the first 10 days of each season. No decoys allowed for the first 10 days of the WMA regular season.

DOVE:

State Season (12:00 noon until sunset) – Bag limit: 15 per day. Closed on Mt. Longleaf NWMA Segments.

RABBIT & SQUIRREL:

Sept. 9-30 – No hunting on days of youth, primitive weapons, or gun deer hunts. Fox squirrel season closed. No hunting Quail Areas A or B on Wednesdays and Saturdays during quail season. Bag limit: 8 squirrels per day, 8 rabbits per day.

FERAL SWINE: (Special Season)

Oct. 1-9 and Mar. 1-10 – Permitted firearms and archery equipment same as for gun deer hunts on the WMA. No buckshot. No dogs allowed. Daylight hours only.

CROW: Sept. 3-29 – No hunting on days of youth, primitive weapons, or gun deer hunts. No bag limit.

QUAIL: Nov. 4-29 – No hunting on days of youth, primitive weapons, or gun deer hunts. Quail Areas A and B and hunting only on Wednesdays and Saturdays of state season. Bag limit: 4 per day.

WOODCOCK:

State season – No hunting on days of gun deer hunts. Bag limit: 3 per day.

RACCOON & OPOSSUM:

Sept. 1-29 – Nighttime hours only. No hunting on nights preceding or nights of youth, primitive weapons, or gun deer hunts. No dogs – daylight hours only on Mt. Longleaf NWMA Segment.

BOBCAT, COYOTE, OPOSSUM, FERAL SWINE, RACCOON, FOX:

Open during any other scheduled WMA Hunting Season using weapons and ammunition approved for those hunts. No dogs allowed. Daylight hours only. No bag limit.

FURBEAVER TRAPPING:

(Excluding feral swine) Oct. 28 - Feb 29 – Permits must be obtained from Area Biologist Closed on Mt. Longleaf NWMA Segment.