

***2025-2026 Resident Game Hunting Seasons***

<b>Species</b>	<b>Season Dates</b>
<b>Quail</b>	Nov. 15 – Feb. 28
<b>Rabbit and Squirrel</b>	Oct. 4 – Feb. 28
<b>Spring Squirrel (where open)</b>	May 2 - 24

## ***2025-2026 Proposed Deer hunting dates***

<b>DEER AREA 1</b>	
	<b>Either-Sex</b>
<b>Archery</b>	Oct. 1 - Jan. 31
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Nov. 8 - 14 Jan. 19 - 31
<b>Firearms (Still-Hunt Only)</b>	Nov. 15 - Dec. 5 Jan. 5 - Jan. 18
<b>Firearms (With or Without Dogs)</b>	Dec. 6 - Jan. 4
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans (Either-sex)</b>	<b>Oct. 25 – Oct. 31</b>

<b>DEER AREA 2</b>	
	<b>Either-Sex</b>
<b>Archery</b>	Oct. 1 - Jan. 31
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Oct. 18 - 24 Jan. 12 - 18
<b>Firearms (Still-Hunt Only)</b>	Oct. 25 - Dec. 2
<b>Firearms (With or Without Dogs)</b>	Dec. 3 - Jan. 11
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans (Either-sex)</b>	<b>Oct. 11 – 17</b>

<b>DEER AREA 3</b>	
	<b>Either-Sex</b>
<b>Archery</b>	Sept. 20 - Jan. 15
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Oct. 11 - 17 Jan. 5 - 11
<b>Firearms (Still-Hunt Only)</b>	Oct. 18 – Nov. 30
<b>Firearms (With or Without Dogs)</b>	Dec. 1 – Jan. 4
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans (Either-sex)</b>	<b>Sept. 27 – Oct. 3</b>

<b>DEER AREA 4</b>	
	<b>Either-Sex</b>
<b>Archery</b> (Either-sex, unless a Bucks Only firearms season is in progress)	Oct. 1 - Jan. 31
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Nov. 8 – 14 Jan. 19 - 31
<b>Firearms (Still-Hunt Only)</b>	Nov. 15 – Dec. 5 Jan. 5 – 18
<b>Firearms (With or Without Dogs)</b>	Dec. 6 - Jan. 4
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans (Either-sex)</b>	<b>Oct. 25 – 31</b>

<b>DEER AREA 5</b>		
	<b>Either-Sex</b>	<b>Bucks Only</b>
<b>Archery</b> (Either-sex, unless a Bucks Only firearms season is in progress)	Oct. 16 - Feb. 15	Oct. 1-15
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Nov. 8 - 14	Jan. 19 - 31
<b>Firearms</b> (Still-Hunt Only)	Nov. 15 – 16 Nov. 28 – 30	Nov. 17 - 27 Dec. 1 – Dec. 5
<b>Firearms</b> (With or Without Dogs)	Dec. 6 - 7 Dec. 13 - 14	Dec. 8 - 12 Dec. 15 - Jan. 18
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans</b> (Either-sex)	<b>Oct. 25 – 31</b>	

<b>DEER AREA 6</b>		
	<b>Either-Sex</b>	<b>Bucks Only</b>
<b>Archery</b> (Either-sex, unless a Bucks Only firearms season is in progress)	Oct. 16 - Feb. 15	Oct. 1-15
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Nov. 8 - 14 Jan. 19 - 31	
<b>Firearms</b> (Still-Hunt Only)	Nov. 15 - Dec. 5	
<b>Firearms</b> (With or Without Dogs)	Dec. 6 - Jan. 18	
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans</b> (Either-sex)	<b>Oct. 26 – 31</b>	

<b>DEER AREA 7</b>	
	<b>Either-Sex</b>
<b>Archery</b> (Either-sex, unless a Bucks Only firearms season is in progress)	Sept. 20 - Jan. 15
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Oct. 11 - 17 Jan. 5 – 11
<b>Firearms</b> (Still-Hunt Only)	Oct. 18 – Nov. 30
<b>Firearms</b> (With or Without Dogs)	Dec. 1 – Jan. 4
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans</b> (Either-sex)	Sept. 27 – Oct. 3

<b>DEER AREA 8</b>	
	<b>Either-Sex</b>
<b>Archery</b>	Sept. 20 - Jan. 15
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Oct. 11 - 17 Jan. 5 - 11
<b>Firearms</b> (Still-Hunt Only)	Oct. 18 – Nov. 30
<b>Firearms</b> (With or Without Dogs)	Dec. 1 – Jan. 4
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans</b> (Either-sex)	Sept. 27 – Oct. 3

<b>DEER AREA 9</b>		
	<b>Either-Sex</b>	<b>Bucks Only</b>
<b>Archery</b> (Either-sex, unless a Bucks Only firearms season is in progress)	Oct. 16 - Feb. 15	Oct. 1-15
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Nov. 8 - 14	Jan. 19 - 31
<b>Firearms</b> (Still-Hunt Only)	Nov. 15 – 16	Nov. 17 - 27

	Nov. 28 – 30	Dec. 1 – Dec. 5
<b>Firearms</b> (With or Without Dogs)	Dec. 6 - 7 Dec. 13 - 14	Dec. 8 - 12 Dec. 15 - Jan. 18
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans</b> (Either-sex)	<b>Oct. 25 – 31</b>	

<b>DEER AREA 10</b>	
	<b>Either-Sex</b>
<b>Archery</b> (Either-sex, unless a Bucks Only firearms season is in progress)	Sept. 20 - Jan. 15
<b>Primitive Firearms</b>	Oct. 11 - 17 Jan. 5 - 11
<b>Firearms</b> (Still-Hunt Only)	Oct. 18 - Jan. 4
<b>Youth and Honorably Discharged Veterans</b> (Either-sex)	<b>Sept. 27 – Oct. 3</b>

## **2026 PROPOSED TURKEY HUNTING DATES**

**AREA A**

**APRIL 3 - MAY 3**

**AREA B**

**APRIL 3 - 26**

**AREA C**

**APRIL 3 - 19**

**YOUTH AND PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED**

**MARCH 28 - 29**

# **2025-2026 PROPOSED MIGRATORY BIRD SEASON DATES**

## **MOURNING AND WHITE WINGED DOVES AND FULLY-DRESSED EURASIAN AND COLLARED DOVES**

### **SOUTH ZONE:**

**SEPT. 6 – SEPT 21**

**OCT. 18 – NOV. 30**

**DEC. 13 – JAN. 11**

### **NORTH ZONE:**

**SEPT. 6 – SEPT. 28**

**OCT. 11 – NOV. 16**

**DEC 20. – JAN. 18**

## **WOODCOCK**

**DEC 18 - JAN. 31**

## **TEAL (BLUE-WINGED, GREEN-WINGED AND CINNAMON)**

**SEPT. 20 -28**

## **KING AND CLAPPER RAILS**

**SEPT. 20 - 28**

**NOV. 8 – JAN. 7**

## **SORA AND VIRGINIA RAILS**

**SEPT. 20 - 28**

**NOV. 8 – JAN. 7**



## **GALLINULES**

SEPT. 20 - 28

NOV. 8 – JAN. 7

## **SNIPE**

WEST ZONE:

NOV. 2-DEC. 7

DEC. 20-FEB. 28

EAST ZONE:

NOV. 2-DEC. 7

DEC. 20-FEB. 28

## **DUCKS, COOTS AND MERGANSERS**

WEST ZONE:

NOV. 8 - NOV. 9 (YOUTH ONLY)

NOV. 15-DEC. 7

DEC. 20-JAN. 25

JAN. 31-FEB. 1 (VETERANS ONLY)

EAST ZONE:

NOV. 15-16 (YOUTH AND VETERANS ONLY)

NOV. 22-DEC. 8

DEC. 20-JAN. 31

**LIGHT GEESE (SNOW, BLUE, AND ROSS') AND WHITE-FRONTED GEESE**

**EAST ZONE:**

**NOV. 15-DEC. 8**

**DEC. 20-FEB. 7**

**WEST ZONE:**

**NOV. 8-DEC. 7**

**DEC. 20-FEB. 1**

**CANADA GEESE**

**EAST ZONE:**

**NOV. 15-DEC. 8**

**DEC. 20-FEB. 7**

**WEST ZONE:**

**NOV. 8-DEC. 7**

**DEC. 20-FEB. 1**

**CONSERVATION ORDER FOR LIGHT GEESE**

**EAST ZONE:**

**DEC. 9-DEC. 19**

**FEB. 8-MAR. 15**

**WEST ZONE:**

**DEC. 8-DEC. 19**

**FEB. 2-MAR. 15**

**NUTRIA**

**NO DAILY LIMIT**