

MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Opportunistic Take of Feral Hogs on Wappapello Lake Project Lands

1. Reference. Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Section 327, May 2000.
2. Purpose. The purpose of this memorandum is to establish the policy for opportunistic take of feral hogs while pursuing deer or turkey on the US Army Corps of Engineers, St. Louis District, Wappapello Lake Project.
3. Policy. The following guidelines allow hunters the opportunistic take/dispatch/harvest of feral hogs on lands managed by USACE at Wappapello Lake.
 - a. Hunters must possess a valid unfilled deer or turkey hunting permit for the season being hunted and abide by the Missouri Department of Conservation methods of pursuit allowed for those hunting seasons only. Feral hogs may not be taken/dispatched/harvested outside of Missouri deer and turkey hunting seasons.
 - b. All lands leased to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources and the Missouri Department of Conservation are exempt from this policy and hunters must follow the regulations set by those agencies regarding hunting and the opportunistic take of feral hogs.
 - c. Hunters taking feral hogs are required to report the number, gender, and general location of animals taken to the USACE Natural Resources Department at 573.222.8562
4. Emergencies. In the event of an emergency, please dial 911 for the respective county to dispatch emergency services. Wayne County Sheriff's Office may be reached at (573) 224-3219.
5. For more information, please contact the Wappapello Lake Management Office (573-222-8562) or the on-duty Park Ranger (573-778-5404).

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