



August 11, 2011

Waterfowl Permit Requestors,

I am looking forward to another successful season in 2011 and we will again be requiring the following:

- A \$10 fee will be charged to anyone requesting a permit to cover the cost of the criminal background investigation and administrative time in processing the permit.
- Anyone requesting a permit will need to submit proof of approval to be on property owner's land. **You must obtain this written proof each year and attach with your permit application.** If you are hunting from a boat on one of the lakes, please indicate this on the permit form.
- The season has been broken into "mini-permit" seasons. Only 10 permits will be issued for each zone in each "mini" season.
- Hunting will be allowed 7 days a week within the established DNR seasons and the City issued permits. Exception: hunting program at Moraine View Park
- Requests are allowed for more than one "mini" season. Each requestor only need pay the \$10.00 permit fee once, no matter how many permits you are applying for.
- I will be asking that hunters provide the City data on the number of geese harvested in 2011. You will only need to submit this information at the conclusion of the season.

As the City continues to develop and more residential areas are created along the lakes, I ask all hunters to be mindful of community residents and property owners. I would like to highlight the following statement from the permit,

*"I understand that safety will be adhered to at all times regardless of legal permit and that no hunting is allowed within 100 yards of any street, highway, or occupied building. I further understand that any violation of this permit or any of the fish and game laws of the State of Wisconsin will automatically revoke this permit. I understand I must have written permission for hunting on private property and must carry that permission at all times while hunting on that property."*

In 2011, we will again include Moraine View Park as a hunting area on the weekends in November and December. This will provide a limited opportunity to hunt on public land that will not need landowner permission. A large detention pond exists in the park and it is my hope that the hunting program will assist in controlling the geese population at this location.

In addition, unless you are hunting from a boat or at Moraine View Park – you will need permission from the landowner to be on private property. WE Energies and ATC have informed us that they do not allow hunting from their property – please keep this in mind this season.

We have again broken the season into several permit options. If you are interested in multiple permits, please rank the season you are most interested in as your #1 choice, second most interested as #2, etc. Failure to do this may result in a delay in processing your permit request. If you are interested in all 10 permits, you must rank them from 1-10.

Thank you for interest and assistance in controlling the waterfowl population in Whitewater. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me at (262) 473-0122 or via email at [mamundson@whitewater-wi.gov](mailto:mamundson@whitewater-wi.gov).

Sincerely,

*Matt Amundson*

Matt Amundson, CPRP  
Parks and Recreation Director

**PERMIT TO DISCHARGE A FIREARM FOR WATERFOWL CONTROL  
 WHITEWATER CITY ORDINANCE – CHAPTER V11. SECTION 7.36.020 (1)**

\*Please rank your top choices of zones & dates (can only use #1 on one blank - each block should have a number)

Rank*	Permit	Date	Zone	Deadline to apply
	Early September Canada Geese	September 1-30, 2011	Cravath	August 22, 2011
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	Ducks & Geese	October 1-9, 2011	Cravath	August 22, 2011
	Ducks & Geese	October 1-9, 2011	Trippe	August 22, 2011
	Ducks & Geese	October 15-December 4, 2011	Cravath	September 26, 2011
	Ducks & Geese	October 15-December 4, 2011	Trippe	September 26, 2011
	Ducks & Geese	November 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27 December 3 & 4	Moraine View	September 26, 2011
	Geese	December 5-14, 2011	Cravath	September 26, 2011
	Geese	December 5-14, 2011	Trippe	September 26, 2011
	Geese	December 5-14, 2011	Moraine View	September 26, 2011

**A COPY OF THE APPROVED PERMIT MUST BE IN YOUR POSSESSION BEFORE YOU CAN LEGALLY  
 DISCHARGE YOUR FIREARM**

FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Initial

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number Street City, State Zip Code

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ DAYTIME PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

SEX: \_\_\_\_\_ HEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_ WEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_ HAIR COLOR: \_\_\_\_\_ EYE COLOR: \_\_\_\_\_

DRIVERS LICENSE #: \_\_\_\_\_ HUNTING LICENSE #: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION HUNTING FROM: \_\_\_\_ (Boat) \_\_\_\_ (Personal Property) \_\_\_\_ (Private Property) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Landowner

**If you are under the age of 18, your parent must sign this form.**

**If you are under the age of 16, please read the special instructions below:**

If you are 16 years old or over, you may legally hunt alone.

If you are 14 to 16 years old, you may hunt alone, if you have completed a Hunter's Safety Course. Otherwise, you must hunt with a parent or legal guardian.

If you are 12 to 14 years old, you must hunt with parent or legal guardian.

If you are under 12 years old, you may not hunt.

If you have completed a Hunter's Safety Course, you must furnish us with a copy of your certificate.

**PROVISIONS AND RESTRICTONS OF PERMIT**

I understand that the permission to discharge a firearm within the City of Whitewater in no way grants me permission to trespass on private property of any other person, firm, or corporation. I also understand this permit is granted ONLY for the area I have requested above. I understand that safety will be adhered to at all times regardless of legal permit and that no hunting is allowed within 100 yards of any street, highway, or occupied building. I further understand that any violation of this permit or any of the fish and game laws of the State of Wisconsin will automatically revoke this permit. I understand I must have written permission for hunting on private property and must carry that permission at all times while hunting on that property. I also understand that a law enforcement background check will be completed on all applicants before this permit is approved.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF PARENT: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

<b>FOR OFFICAL USE ONLY:</b>	
DATES PERMIT WILL COVER:	from ____ / ____ / ____ to ____ / ____ / ____
GRANTED ON: ____ / ____ / ____	BY: _____



# 2011 Final Waterfowl Rule Summary

*NRB approved August 10, 2011*



**Early September Canada goose season** – September 1-15, with a daily bag of 5 geese.

**Youth Waterfowl Hunt** - September 17-18. The daily bag is the same as the regular seasons.

## **Ducks**

60 Day Season – Daily bag of 6 ducks in total. Of the 6 ducks, no more than: 4 mallards of which only 1 may be a hen, 3 wood ducks, 1 black duck, 2 redheads, 2 scaup, 2 pintail, and 1 canvasback. In addition, 5 mergansers to include not more than two hooded mergansers. (For species of duck not listed such as teal and ring-necks, the combined total with all other species may not exceed 6 ducks). Coot daily bag of 15.

\*Opening day shooting hours will begin at 9am.

**Northern Zone:** Sept 24 – Nov 22

**Southern Zone:** Oct 1- 9, Oct 15- Dec 4

**Mississippi River Zone:** Sept 24- Oct 2; Oct 15- Dec 4

**Canada Geese** – Final year of 5 year Mississippi Flyway stable Canada goose season.

**Exterior Zone:** Daily Bag of 2.

- North - Friday Sept 16 - Dec 9
  - South - Friday Sept 16 – Oct 9, and Oct 15 – Dec 14
- Mississippi River Subzone: Sept 24- Oct 2; Oct 15- Dec 29

**Horicon Zone:**

- H1- Sept 16 – Oct 30
- H2- Oct 31 – Dec 16

Daily Bag of 2. 6 Tags per hunter.

Collins Zone- Eliminated and now part of the Exterior Zone.

**Light geese, brant and white-fronted geese** - Light geese (Snow, Blue and Ross) and Brant: Seasons are the same as for the Canada goose zones and subzones. Daily Bag Limit: 1 brant and 20 light geese. White-fronted geese: Season is the same as for Canada geese in the Exterior zone. In the Horicon zone the season will be **September 20** – December 16. Daily Bag Limit: 1 white-fronted goose.

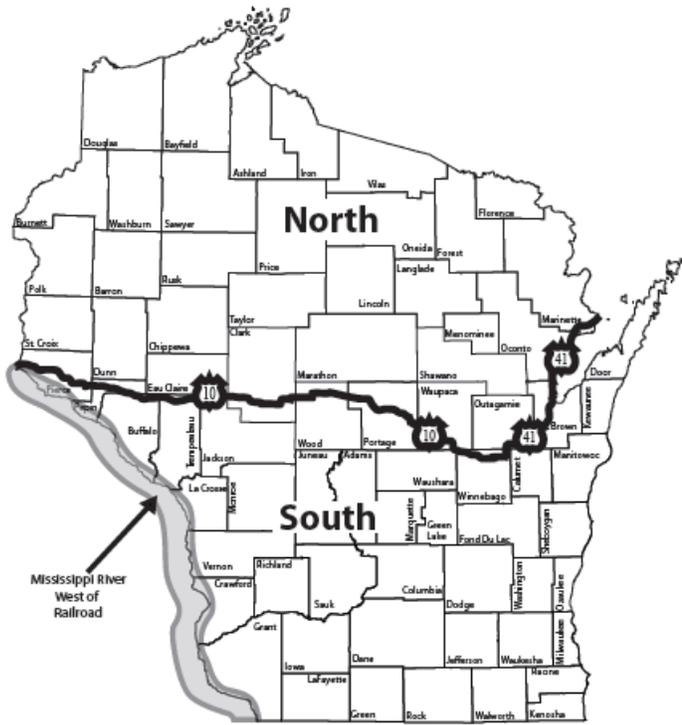
Current Two-Zone Configuration



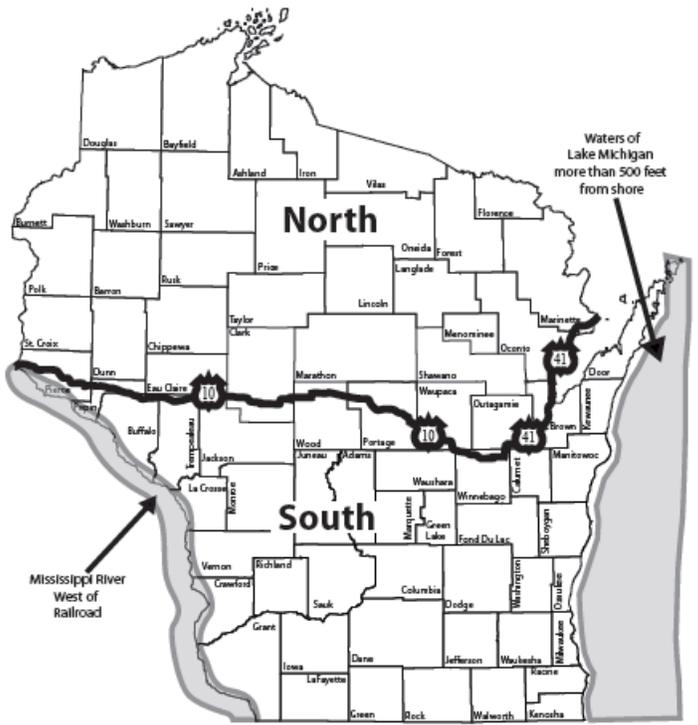
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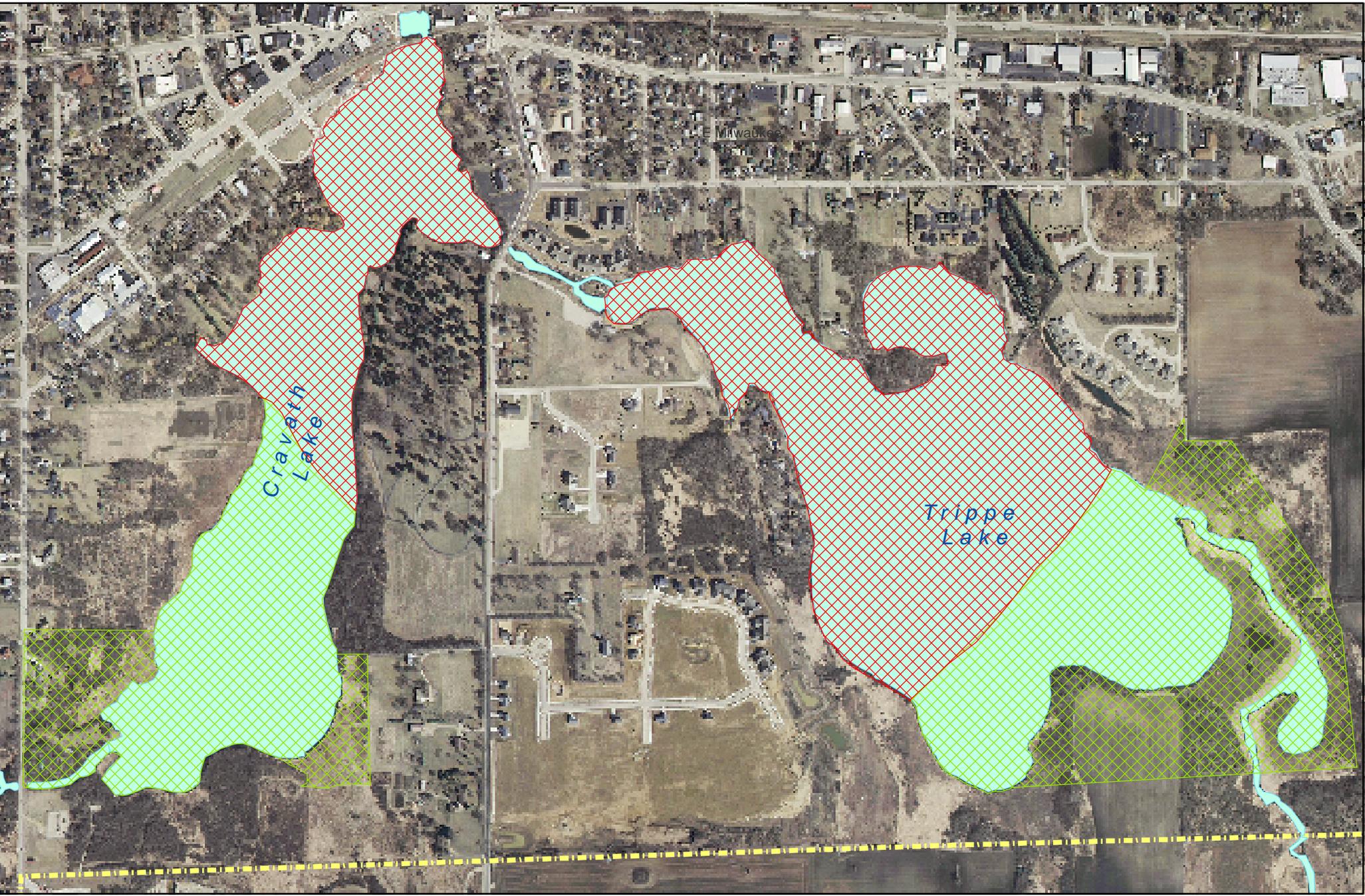


3 Duck Zone Mississippi River Option



4 Zone No Split Duck Hunting Option





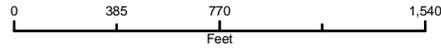
**Legend**

**Water Fowl Areas**

-  NO Hunting
-  Approved Control Area
-  City of Whitewater

# Water Fowl Control Areas

## City of Whitewater, WI





 Border of Park – Approved Control Area

**Waterfowl Control Area – Moraine View Park**  
City of Whitewater, WI