

## LEGAL NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission will be held beginning at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, September 24, 2015, at the Little Rock Office Complex, 2 Natural Resources Drive, Little Rock, AR 72205. At that time, regulations and business pertaining to the operation of the Game and Fish Commission and other fiscal and administrative matters will be considered and acted upon, and all interested persons are invited to attend. Additionally, Committee meetings attended by Commissioners and agency staff members will be held throughout the day on Wednesday, September 23, 2015, beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the same location, and all interested persons are invited to attend.

Items on the agenda for the September 24, 2015, 9:00 a.m. meeting will include adoption of proposed regulations previously considered at the August 20, 2015, Commission Meeting, plus various Hunting and Fishing Regulations and regulations pertaining to the Enforcement Division of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission including, but not limited to:

**Miscellaneous Enforcement Regulations** – Revise and add miscellaneous enforcement regulations, including, but not limited to:

- Delete existing AGFC Code 05.28 that prohibits the refusal of an inspection by a wildlife officer; and
- Revise existing AGFC Code 05.30 that prohibits interfering with Commission employees, operations, or activities to clarify that it is unlawful to: (a) knowingly obstruct, impair, or hinder the performance of Commission operations, activities, inspections, investigations, or the official duties of any Commission employee; (b) to falsely identify oneself to a Commission employee engaged in the performance of official duties; and (c) to knowingly employ or threaten to employ physical force against a Commission employee engaged in the performance of official duties.

**Waterfowl Hunting Regulations** - Adoption of general regulation changes including, but not limited to:

- Adopt regulation to prohibit the possession of simulated wing movement decoys, and also prohibit the take or attempt to take of waterfowl with the use of simulated wing movement decoys, on Bayou Meto WMA and Dave Donaldson Black River WMA from the first day of the first segment of regular duck season to the last day of the last segment of regular duck season; and
- Adopt regulation to define “simulated wing movement decoys” as electronic, mechanically-operated, wind-powered or manually-powered devices that simulate wing movement, except for kite devices.

All persons wishing to be heard on these subjects should submit comments in writing to this office before the start of the September 24, 2015, meeting (preferably by 4:30 p.m. on the day before). Any request to make an oral presentation at the meeting should be submitted in writing to this office on or before September 14, 2015. Copies of any proposed rules or regulations may be obtained at the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission main office, at [www.agfc.com](http://www.agfc.com), or through a written request mailed to the address below.

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