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Arkansas Secretary of State, Rules & Regulation Filing
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Little Rock, AR 72201
Via email only: arkansasregister@sos.arkansas.gov

RE: Legal Notice for Proposed Rules or Regulations – May 2025 meetings

Dear Arkansas Register:

Included are nine (9) proposed regulation changes that will be published in the Legal Notice to the Arkansas Democrat Gazette on May 18-20, 2025. Should you have any questions or comments concerning this filing, please do not hesitate to contact Sarah Milligan or me at (501) 382-3807 at your convenience.

Sincerely,

John P. Marks
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ARKANSAS REGISTER

Proposed Rule Cover Sheet



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Name of Department _____

Agency or Division Name _____

Other Subdivision or Department, If Applicable _____

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Name of Rule _____

Newspaper Name _____

Date of Publishing _____

Final Date for Public Comment _____

Location and Time of Public Meeting _____

Proposal: Create new turkey zones and dates (including youth start dates) for- inside the Mississippi levee (Zone 3) with a start date of the Monday closest to April 3 for a 21-day season, and no associated youth season. A second zone, using county lines to incorporate the Gulf Coastal Plain and southern Delta ecoregions with a start date of the Monday closest to April 10 for a 21-day season (zone 2) or 9-day season (Zone 2A) based on current turkey zones (currently Zone 1 and 2). Zone 2 and 2A will have an associated special youth season the Saturday and Sunday prior to the Monday closest to April 10. A third zone, using county lines to incorporate the Ouachita, Ozark, and northern Delta ecoregions with a start date of the Monday closest to April 17 for a 21-day season (zone 1) or 9-day season (Zone 1A) current turkey zones (currently Zone 1 and 2). Zone 1 and 1A will have an associated special youth season that is concurrent with Zone 2 and 2A, for the Saturday and Sunday prior to the Monday closest to April 10.

Justification: In an effort to offer more and earlier opportunity for turkey hunters, a motion was made to bring forth recommendations that delineates turkey zones for inside the Mississippi levee that would have a harvest season start date for the Monday closest to April 3rd, for the Gulf Coastal Plain and southern Delta ecoregions that would have a harvest season start date for the Monday closest to April 10th, and for the Ouachita, Ozark and northern Delta ecoregions, that would have a harvest season start date for the Monday closest to April 17th.

Codes affected: *A1.02, C1.04, and E1.02*

FINANCIAL / ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

PLEASE ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS COMPLETELY

(Attach additional pages if needed)

DEPARTMENT: Arkansas Game & Fish Commission

DIVISION: Wildlife Management Division

PERSON COMPLETING THIS STATEMENT: David Moscicki

TELEPHONE #: 501-554-5728 **FAX #:** **EMAIL:** david.moscicki@agfc.ar.gov

SHORT TITLE OF THIS RULE: C1.04 Wild Turkey Seasons and Limits on WMAs

1. Does this proposed, amended, or repealed rule or regulation have a financial impact?

Yes:

No: **X**

2. Do you believe that the development of a financial impact statement is so speculative as to be cost prohibitive? Yes: No: N/A If "Yes", please explain:

3. If the purpose of this rule is to implement a **federal** rule or regulation, please give the incremental cost for implementing the regulation. Please indicate if the cost provided is the cost of the program.

Current Fiscal Year

General Revenue	\$
Federal Funds	\$
Cash Funds	\$
Special Revenue	\$
Other (Identify)	\$
Total	\$

Next Fiscal Year

General Revenue	\$
Federal Funds	\$
Cash Funds	\$
Special Revenue	\$
Other (Identify)	\$
Total	\$

4. What is the total estimated cost by fiscal year to any **party** subject to the proposed, amended, or repealed rule? (Estimated cost includes fees, administrative penalties, reporting, record keeping, equipment, construction, labor, professional services, revenue loss, or other costs associated with compliance.) Identify the **party** subject to the proposed rule, and explain how they are impacted.

Current Fiscal Year: \$ 0

Next Fiscal Year: \$ 0

Party Subject to Rule: Veterans and active duty military duck hunters

Effect on Party Subject to Rule: Adding an additional opportunity for waterfowl hunting.

5. What is the total estimated cost by fiscal year to the **agency** to implement this rule? Explain the financial benefit to the agency from implementing this rule.

There is no additional cost to implement the rule.

Current Fiscal Year: \$ 0

Next Fiscal Year: \$ 0

Financial Benefit to Agency: None

6. Do alternative means exist for accomplishing the objectives of the rules that might be less burdensome to small business? Yes: No: ☒

Why were such alternatives not proposed:

7. Compare this rule with federal and state counterparts: N/A

C1.04 -- Wild Turkey Seasons and Limits on WMAs

In compliance with Addendum [A1.02](#).

Any WMA or NWR not listed is closed to the season.

ALUM FORK NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

BALD KNOB NWR

- **Youth Hunt:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.
- **Archery/Firearms:** Closed

BAYOU DES ARC WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

BAYOU METO WMA (SEE GEORGE H. DUNKLIN BAYOU METO WMA)

BEARCAT HOLLOW WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

BELL SLOUGH WMA

- **Firearms (permit hunt):** See Camp Robinson WMA (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

BENSON CREEK NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

BERYL ANTHONY LOWER OUACHITA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 3 days and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

BIG CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

BIG LAKE NWR

- **Youth Hunt:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.
- **Archery/Firearms:** Closed.

BIG LAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

BIG TIMBER WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

BLEVINS WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

BLUE MOUNTAIN WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

BUCK ISLAND WMA

- ~~**Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the second Monday of April. 1 legal turkey.~~
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 3 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

BUFFALO NATIONAL RIVER WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

CACHE RIVER NWR

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on all refuge lands located south of I-40. 1 legal turkey.

- **Firearms:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on all refuge lands located south of I-40. 2 legal turkeys.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** See Rex Hancock Black Swamp WMA for refuge lands located north of I-40 dates and limits (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

CAMP ROBINSON SUA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt) (includes Stone Prairie WMA):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt) (includes Stone Prairie WMA):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

CAMP ROBINSON WMA

- **Firearms (permit hunt) (includes Bell Slough WMA):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, Monday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, and the second Monday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

CANEY CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

CASEY JONES WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~Second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

CATTAIL MARSH WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

CEDAR CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

CEDAR MOUNTAIN WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to in April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

CHEROKEE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

COVE CREEK NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

CROSSETT EXPERIMENTAL FOREST WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkeys.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

CUT-OFF CREEK WMA

- **Archery:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. **Exception:** Closed during firearm permit hunts (Code [20.17](#)). 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

CYPRESS BAYOU WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days and the Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey.

DALE BUMPERS WHITE RIVER NWR

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey, no more than 1 jake.
- **Firearms:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (both units). 1 legal turkey.

DARDANELLE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

DAVE DONALDSON BLACK RIVER WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

DEGRAY LAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

DEPARTEE CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

DEQUEEN LAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

DEVIL'S EYEBROW NATURAL AREA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days and the Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey.

DEVIL'S KNOB NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

DR. LESTER SITZES, III BOIS D'ARC WMA

- **Archery:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 21 days. **Exception:** Closed during firearms permit hunts (Code [20.17](#)). 1 legal turkey (Code [20.17](#)).
- **Firearms: (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms: (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 3 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

ED GORDON POINT REMOVE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.

- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

ETHEL WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

FALCON BOTTOMS NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

FELSENTHAL NWR

- **Archery:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Closed during turkey gun permit hunts. 2 legal turkeys.
- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey
- (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#))

FORT CHAFFEE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

FOUSHEE CAVE NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

FREDDIE BLACK CHOCTAW ISLAND WMA AND DEER RESEARCH AREA

- **East Unit**
 - **Archery:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 3 for 21 days. **Exception:** Closed during firearms permit hunts. 1 legal turkey.
 - ~~**Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the second Monday, of April. 1 legal turkey.~~
 - **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 3 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 3 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 3 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).
- **West Unit**
 - **Archery/Firearms:** Closed

FRIERSON WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

GALLA CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunts):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

GARRETT HOLLOW NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Archery:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** Closed.

GENE RUSH WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

GEORGE H. DUNKLIN JR. BAYOU METO WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

GOAT'S BEARD BLUFF NATURAL AREA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

GREERS FERRY LAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

GUM FLATS WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

HALL CREEK BARRENS NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

HAROLD E. ALEXANDER SPRING RIVER WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

HARRIS BRAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

HENRY GRAY HURRICANE LAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.

HOLLA BEND NWR

- **Archery:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 2 legal turkeys.
- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey.

HOLLAND BOTTOMS WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

HOPE UPLAND WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** See Rick Evans Grandview Prairie WMA.

HOT SPRINGS STATE FOREST WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey. (Code [20.02](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

HOWARD COUNTY WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [20.07](#)).

HOWARD HENSLEY SEARCY COUNTY WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

IRON MOUNTAIN NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

J. PERRY MIKLES BLUE MOUNTAIN SUA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

JACK MOUNTAIN WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

JAMESTOWN INDEPENDENCE COUNTY WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

JIM KRESS WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#), and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

KINGSLAND PRAIRIE NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

LAFAYETTE COUNTY WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#), and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

LAKE GREESON WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [20.07](#)).

LAKE OVERCUP WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

LEE COUNTY WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

LEE CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

LITTLE BAYOU WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

LITTLE RIVER WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

LOAFER'S GLORY WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

LONGVIEW SALINE NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.

- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** Thursday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in-April 10 for 18 days. 1 legal turkey.

MCILROY MADISON COUNTY WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of-April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code 21.07 and Addendum C1.16).

MIKE FREEZE WATTENSAW WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of-April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 3 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code 21.07 and Addendum C1.16).

MORO BIG PINE NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of-April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 10 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in-April 10 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in-April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code 21.07 and Addendum C1.16).

MT. MAGAZINE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of-April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

MUDDY CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of-April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

NACATOCH RAVINES NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of-April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

NIMROD LLOYD MILLWOOD WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of-April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in-April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

NORFORK LAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

OVERFLOW NWR

- **Archery/Crossbow:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

OZAN WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

OZARK LAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

PETIT JEAN RIVER WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

PINE CITY NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

PINEY CREEKS WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

POISON SPRINGS WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

POND CREEK NWR

- **Archery:** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** Open in accordance with season dates set by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

PRAIRIE BAYOU WMA

- **Firearms: (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to of April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

PROVO WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey (Codes [20.07](#), [21.07](#), and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

RAINEY WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

REX HANCOCK BLACK SWAMP WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 2 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 2 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).
- (all hunts includes Cache River NWR Unit 2 lands within an area bounded by U.S. Highway 64 on north, Arkansas Highway 17 on east, Arkansas Highway 38 on south and Arkansas Highway 33 on west).

RICK EVANS GRANDVIEW PRAIRIE WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt) (includes Hope Upland WMA):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

RING SLOUGH WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

RIVER BEND WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

ROBERT L. HANKINS MUD CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** Thursday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 18 days. 1 legal turkey.

ST. FRANCIS NATIONAL FOREST WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

ST. FRANCIS SUNKEN LANDS WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

SANDHILLS NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

SCOTT HENDERSON GULF MOUNTAIN WMA

- **Archery:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 21 days. **Exception:** Closed during firearms permit hunts. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code 21.07 and Addendum C1.16).

SEVEN DEVILS WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

SHIREY BAY RAINEY BRAKE WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunts):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days, Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days, and the second Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

SLIPPERY HOLLOW NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

SMOKE HOLE NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

SPRING BANK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

STATELINE SANDPONDS NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~Second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

STONE PRAIRIE WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt) (includes Camp Robinson SUA):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt) (includes Camp Robinson SUA):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

SUGARLOAF MOUNTAINS-MIDLAND PEAK NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

SULPHUR RIVER WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 3 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).

SYLAMORE WMA

- **North and South Units**
 - **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
 - **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code [21.07](#) and Addendum [C1.16](#)).
 - **Firearms:** Thursday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 18 days. 1 legal turkey.

TRUSTEN HOLDER WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** Thursday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 18 days. 1 legal turkey.

TWO BAYOU CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

U OF A PINE TREE EXPERIMENTAL STATION WDA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey.

VILLAGE CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

WARREN PRAIRIE NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** Thursday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 18 days. 1 legal turkey.

WHITE CLIFFS NATURAL AREA WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to of April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to in April 10 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

WHITEHALL WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 9 days. 1 legal turkey.

WHITE ROCK WMA

- **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

W.E. BREWER SCATTER CREEK WMA

- **Firearms (youth permit hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- **Firearms (permit hunt):** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days and Saturday following the ~~third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 3 days. 1 legal turkey (Code 21.07 and Addendum C1.16).

WINONA WMA

- ~~1-o~~ **Firearms (youth hunt):** Saturday and Sunday prior to the ~~second~~ Monday closest to ~~of~~ April 10. 1 legal turkey.
- ~~2-o~~ **Firearms:** ~~Third~~ Monday closest to ~~in~~ April 17 for 21 days. 1 legal turkey.

LEGAL NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission will be held beginning at 8:00 a.m. Thursday, June 19, 2025, at the Golden Glo Studio located at 1238 Country Club Road, Camden, AR 71701. 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. Additionally, Committee meetings attended by Commissioners and agency staff members will be held throughout the day on Wednesday, June 18, 2025, beginning at 12:00 p.m. at the Golden Glo Studio located at 1238 Country Club Road, Camden, AR 71701. All interested persons are invited to attend these meetings.

The Commission meeting on June 19th will be live-streamed and a link for easy viewing access will be available on the agency website. Please visit the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission website at <https://www.agfc.com> for additional up-to-date details as the meeting dates draw closer.

Items on the agenda for the June 19, 2025 meeting will include discussion and/or adoption of proposed regulations that previously were considered at the May 14-15, 2025 Commission Meetings, plus consideration of various Hunting and Fishing Regulations and regulations pertaining to the Enforcement Division of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, including but not limited to:

- Provide that persons convicted of violating Code 05.37 (regarding disorderly conduct while hunting, fishing or trapping) shall not be eligible to have their license suspension term reduced by the Administrative Hearing Officer (Code 01.00-R).
- Permit the Administrative Hearing Officer to modify a person's license suspension to allow hunting if there were no hunting-related offenses, or fishing if there were no fishing-related offenses, provided that the person's hunting and fishing licenses, rights, and privileges have not been suspended or revoked within the previous 15 years (Code 01.00-R).
- Create a resident combination hunting/fishing guide license for \$350 (Code 03.14 & Addendum D1.01).
- Prohibit and penalize harassment and public disorder of hunting, fishing or trapping activities (Code 05.37).
- Modify boating restrictions on certain WMAs and NWRs by increasing the penalties for negligent operation from Class 2 to Class 3 & for reckless or intentional operation from Class 3 to Class 4 (Code 20.27).
- Modify wild turkey season dates (Addendum A1.02).
- Modify wild turkey season dates and limits on WMAs (Addendum C1.04).
- Modify Turkey Zone Descriptions (Addendum E1.02).
- Create an exemption from the 16-inch length restriction for largemouth bass on Lakes Barnett, Brewer, and Poinsett during agency-approved fishing tournaments (Addendum N1.02).
- Discussion of access restrictions during duck season on WMAs.

All persons wishing to be heard on these subjects should submit comments in writing to this office before the start of the June 19, 2025 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 June 9, 2025. Copies of any proposed rules or regulations may be obtained at the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission main office and at www.agfc.com, or through a written request mailed to the address below.

If you need assistance to participate in this public meeting due to a disability as defined under the Americans with Disabilities Act, please contact AGFC's ADA Coordinator in Human Resources at 501-382-3813 at least three (3) business days prior to the scheduled meeting to request an accommodation. Every reasonable effort will be made to meet your request.

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