

LACREEK NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE HUNTER ENTRY PERMIT AND AREA MAP



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE



HUNTER INFORMATION

PERMITS REQUIRED: Each hunter must obtain, read, sign, and carry on their person this HUNTER ENTRY PERMIT/AREA MAP. You do not need to obtain a new HUNTER ENTRY PERMIT/AREA MAP each day.

OTHER PERMITS: In addition to this free HUNTER ENTRY PERMIT/AREA MAP, you must purchase any additional license required by the State of South Dakota to hunt male pheasants and sharp tailed grouse. This requirement varies depending on age and residency status. Contact the South Dakota Game, Fish, and Parks Department (SDGF&P) for additional license purchase.

NON-TOXIC SHOT: Steel, bismuth-tin, tungsten-polymer, tungsten-matrix, and any combination of tungsten-iron-nickel-tin-bismuth-copper is considered non-toxic. Non-toxic shot is required for all upland game hunting on Lacreek NWR. The use or possession of other than non-toxic shot shells is strictly prohibited while in the field. Note that copper coated lead does **not** qualify as non toxic shot.

PERMITTED SPECIES: Male pheasants and sharp-tailed grouse. Archery deer hunting is allowed on portions of Lacreek NWR. Contact the refuge headquarters to obtain a free Special Use Permit that authorizes you to hunt deer during the archery season under your statewide archery deer license. Two refuge muzzle load deer seasons will also be held in 2008. You must apply for and draw a limited issue Refuge Deer license to participate in this hunt. Contact the SDGF&P to apply for this limited quota Refuge Deer license.

LITTLE WHITE RIVER RECREATION AREA: The Little White River Recreation Area (LWRR) is all of that portion of Lacreek NWR lying north of County Road 293. A HUNTER ENTRY PERMIT/AREA MAP is not required to hunt this portion of Lacreek NWR. In addition, you may hunt all species on the LWRR that are open to hunting in Bennett County. The use or possession of other than non-toxic shot shells is prohibited on the LWRR portion of Lacreek NWR as well. Camping is only allowed at the LWRR.

HUNTING HOURS: Lacreek NWR is open to upland game hunting 11 am mountain time to sunset from October 18-24 and from 9 am mountain time to sunset from October 25 to January 4, 2009. Please note that hunting hours and season opening date for sharp tailed grouse on Lacreek NWR are different than for surrounding lands off the refuge.

VEHICLES: Vehicles are restricted to designated roads. Parking is permitted only at designated parking areas. Hunting with the aid of a motor vehicle is strictly prohibited. No person may discharge a firearm within 0.5 mile of any motor vehicle available for his/her transportation unless that vehicle is parked in a designated parking area.

DOGS: The use of hunting dogs to help find and retrieve downed game is encouraged.

GATES: Please leave all gates as you find them. If they are open, leave them open. If they are closed, leave them closed.

CHECKOUT: You are no longer required to check in and out at registration stations.

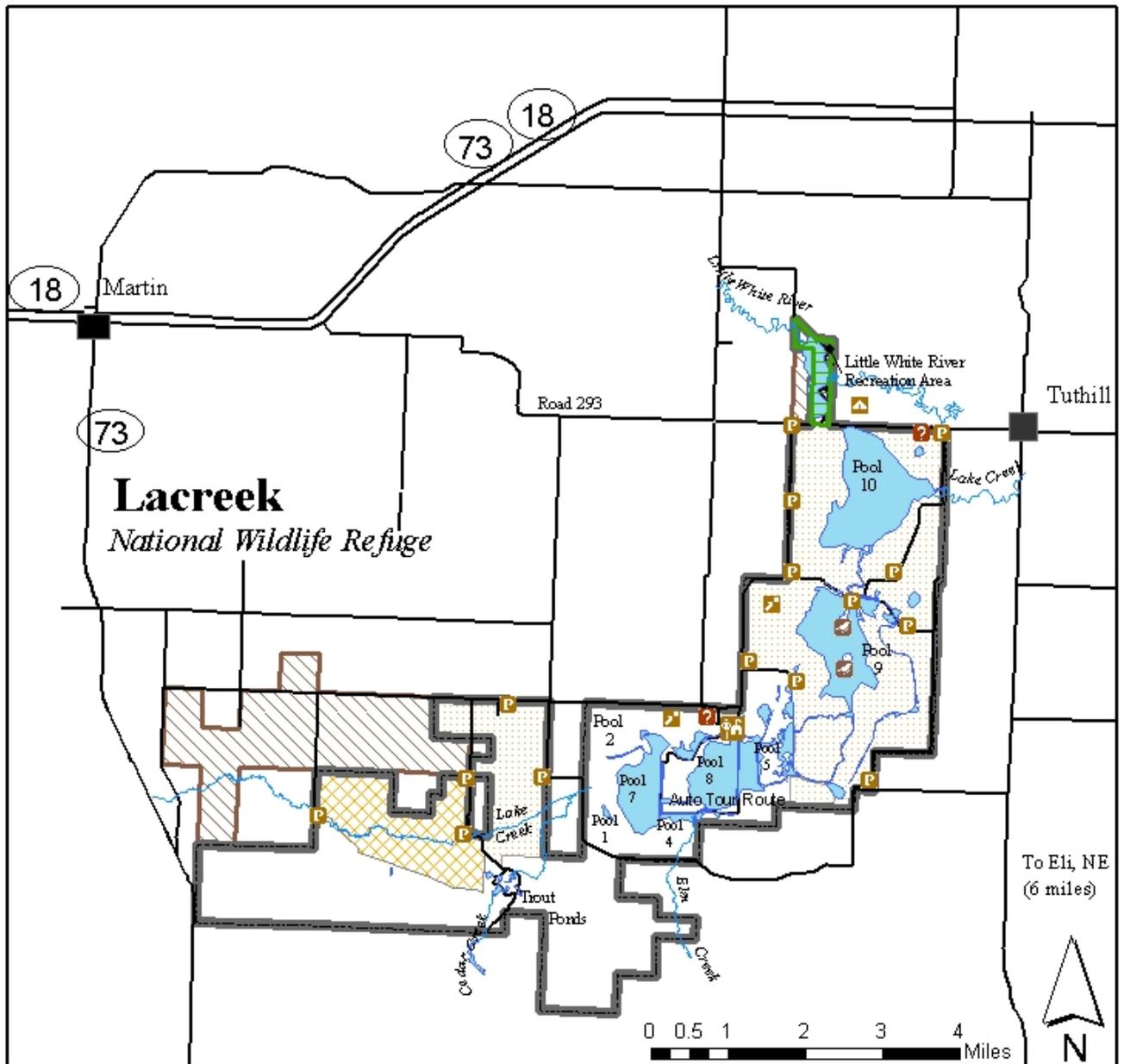
I have read and understand the above special regulations and agree to comply with all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations regarding upland game hunting on Lacreek NWR.

Contact Information:

Lacreek NWR
29723 Bird Road
Martin, SD 57551
(605) 685-6508
<http://lacreek.fws.gov>

Signature

Date



- Lacreek National Wildlife Refuge**
- Information Kiosk
 - Camping
 - Parking
 - Refuge Headquarters
 - Prairie Dog Town
 - Pelican Island
 - Little White River Recreation Area
 - Refuge Boundary
 - Closed to all hunting
 - Deer hunting only
 - Upland game and deer hunting
 - South Dakota Game Fish & Parks

