

Welcome

Buenos Aires National Wildlife Refuge is one of nearly 550 refuges managed by the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service. Primary objectives of this Refuge are to establish a breeding population of endangered masked bobwhite quail, preserve the natural diversity of wildlife native to southeast Arizona, and provide for wildlife-oriented recreation and education.

Legal Game*Migratory Game Birds*

Geese, ducks, coots, and mourning and white-winged doves.

Upland Game

Cottontail rabbit, coyote, and skunk.

Big Game

Mule deer, white-tailed deer, and javelina.

Other Game

Eurasian collared doves and feral hogs.

No other game may be taken from Buenos Aires NWR. All other animals and plants are protected. See below for additional restrictions.

Seasons and Permits

All hunters must possess a valid state hunting license and applicable big game, waterfowl, archery tag(s) and/or stamp(s).

Seasons for migratory game birds, mule deer, white-tailed deer, and javelina follow applicable Arizona state regulations. Upland game hunting: prohibited from June 1 – August 19. Otherwise follow applicable Arizona state regulations.

You may only hunt feral hog during big game seasons. Each hunter must possess and carry a valid hunting license and big game permit for the season in progress. There is no bag limit.

- Trapping is prohibited.
- Fishing is prohibited.

Guide service providers must obtain a special use permit from the Refuge.

Refuge Regulations

• Persons possessing, transporting, or carrying firearms on National Wildlife Refuges must comply with all provisions of state and local law. Persons may only use(discharge) firearms in accordance with refuge regulations (50 CFR 27.42 and specific refuge regulations in 50 CFR).

- Any discharge of a firearm except to take legal game is not permitted
- The use or possession of crossbows, bows and arrows, air guns, spears, gigs or other weapons is prohibited except as may be authorized under approved hunting regulations.
- Pits, permanent blinds and stands, trail and scouting cameras are prohibited. Temporary stands and blinds are allowed but must be removed at the end of each day. Hunting from a tree into which a metal object has been driven to support a hunter is prohibited.
- The use or possession of alcoholic beverages while hunting is prohibited.
- Baiting is prohibited.
- The use of flagging tape, reflective tape, or other signs or markers is prohibited.
- Leaving property abandoned on a National Wildlife Refuge is prohibited, including camping equipment, boats, trailers and water jugs.
- Mechanized vehicles (including bicycles) may only be operated on designated public roadways. Roads are designated on published Refuge maps. All travel off these designated roads is prohibited. Seasonal road closures may occur.
- All motor vehicles, including ATVs and motorcycles, must be licensed, insured and equipped to legally operate on state highways. ATVs and motorcycles registered in Arizona must have valid Arizona motorcycle (MC) plates. Some states do not provide for this type of registration (e.g. California). ATVs and motorcycles registered in these states must be registered and insured at least temporarily in Arizona to be used on the Refuge.
- Motor vehicle operators must possess a valid driver's license and insurance.
- The speed limit on Refuge roads is 25 mph unless posted otherwise.
- Pets must be under the control of the owner at all times.
- Horseback riders are restricted to Refuge roads. Groups using four or more horses must possess and carry a Refuge permit. Groups using horses must provide their own water and weed-free feed and clean the campsite of horse manure.
- All accidents involving injury to person(s) or wildlife and/or property damage must be reported to an on-duty Refuge official within 24 hours of the accident.
- Persons under the age of 21 years may not possess or consume alcoholic beverages on the Refuge. Providing alcoholic beverages to persons under age 21 is also prohibited.

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Hunting Regulations



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<http://www.fws.gov/southwest/refuges/arizona/buenosaires/>

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Camping
 All campsites are primitive. Camping is permitted only at numbered sites, designated by the above symbol. Stays on the Refuge are limited to 14 days within a 30-day period.

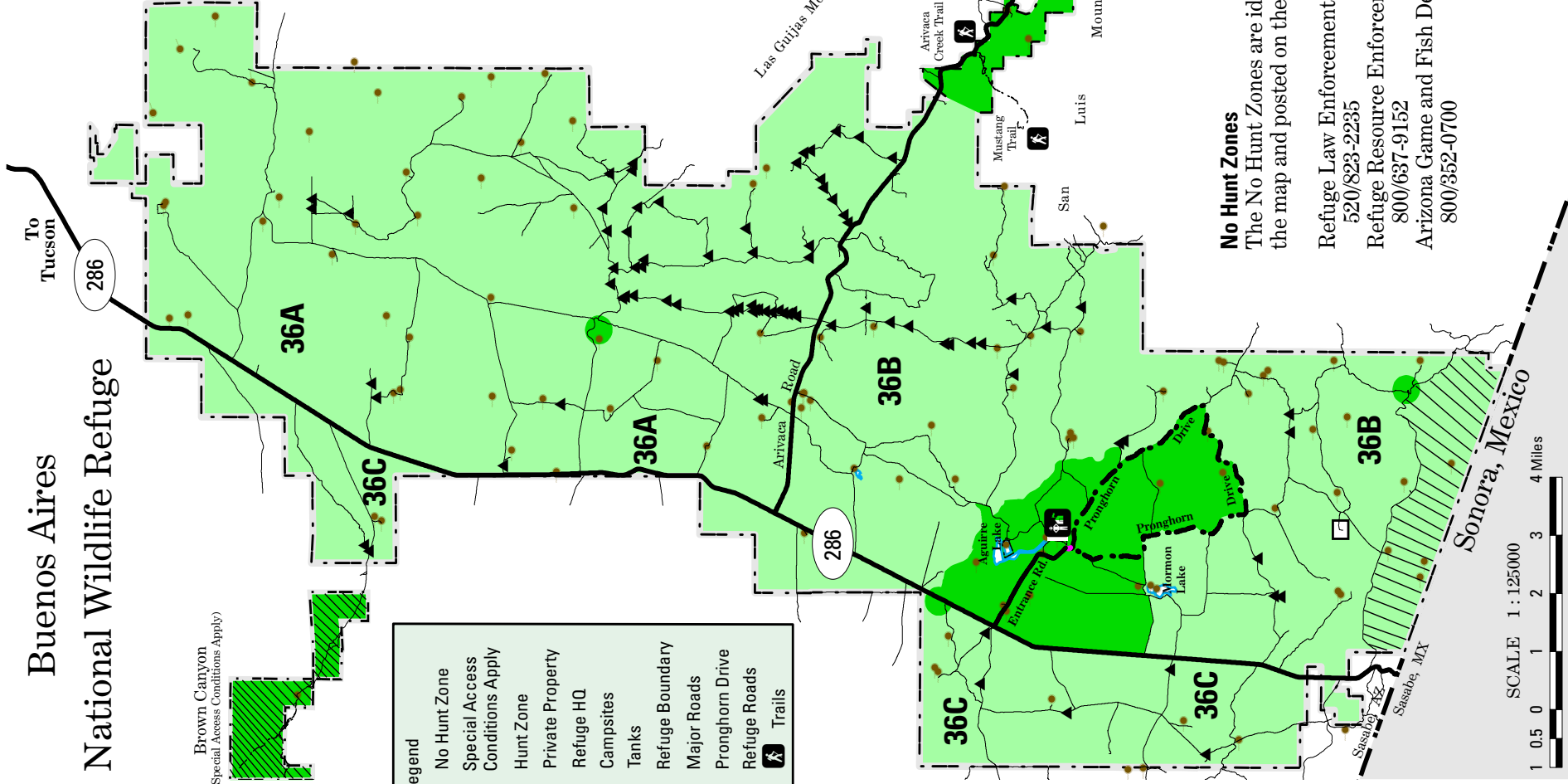
Fires are permitted only in fire rings at the numbered campsites. Campfires may be prohibited when fire danger exists. Use only wood that is dead and down. You may collect firewood for Refuge campfires only. Campfires must be attended at all times. Fuel burning stoves (e.g. propane) may be used when campfire restrictions are in place.

All human waste must be buried immediately.

Remove all trash --- do not bury it.

Brown Canyon
 (Special Access Conditions Apply)

Legend	
	No Hunt Zone
	Special Access Conditions Apply
	Hunt Zone
	Private Property
	Refuge HQ
	Campsites
	Tanks
	Refuge Boundary
	Major Roads
	Pronghorn Drive
	Refuge Roads
	Trails



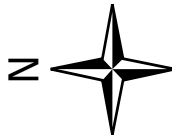
No Hunt Zones
 The No Hunt Zones are identified on the map and posted on the ground.

Refuge Law Enforcement
 520/823-2235
 Refuge Resource Enforcement Dispatch
 800/637-9152
 Arizona Game and Fish Department
 800/552-0700

US Border Patrol
 877/872-7435
 Pima County Sheriff
 520/741-4900
 Arizona Relay Service for the Deaf
 800/367-8939
 Emergencies
 Dial 911

To

Road



Montana Unit
 (Closed to all public entry)

Robby Road (pavement ends 7 miles)

Sonora, Mexico

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