

## Welcome to Pee Dee National Wildlife Refuge

*Pee Dee National Wildlife Refuge is one of more than 588 National Wildlife Refuges in the United States. Situated adjacent to the Pee Dee River, the Refuge includes 8,700 acres in Anson and Richmond counties of North Carolina. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service administers the Refuge and is responsible for conserving, protecting and enhancing the nation's fish, wildlife and plants and their habitats for the continuing benefit of the American people.*

### Conservation and Recreation

In 1963, Pee Dee National Wildlife Refuge was established for the purpose of providing a sanctuary for migratory waterfowl. Protecting wildlife and managing their habitats is our number one goal at Pee Dee Refuge. However, providing recreational opportunities is a priority as well. For this reason, we provide opportunities for hunting, fishing, wildlife observation, photography, environmental education and interpretation. We want you to visit and enjoy your National Wildlife Refuge.

### This Map

This map serves as a tool to help you navigate the refuge. It delineates roads, trails, landmarks and boundaries. Although this map is to scale and quite accurate, remember that while visiting you are responsible for adhering to all regulations and posted signs.

### Public Use and Hunting Regulations

The refuge is open daily, but is closed at night. The refuge is closed from one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise. The Refuge Public Use Regulations and Hunting Permit brochure is published annually, and is available for free at

the refuge office and several kiosks. It includes a map and regulations regarding access, hunting dates, bag limits and closed areas. Small game and archery hunters must sign and possess this permit while in the field. Hunters must also have a valid state hunting license. Quota hunt permits are required for all firearms deer and turkey hunts. Quota hunt permits must be purchased online at <https://peedee.recaccess.com>.

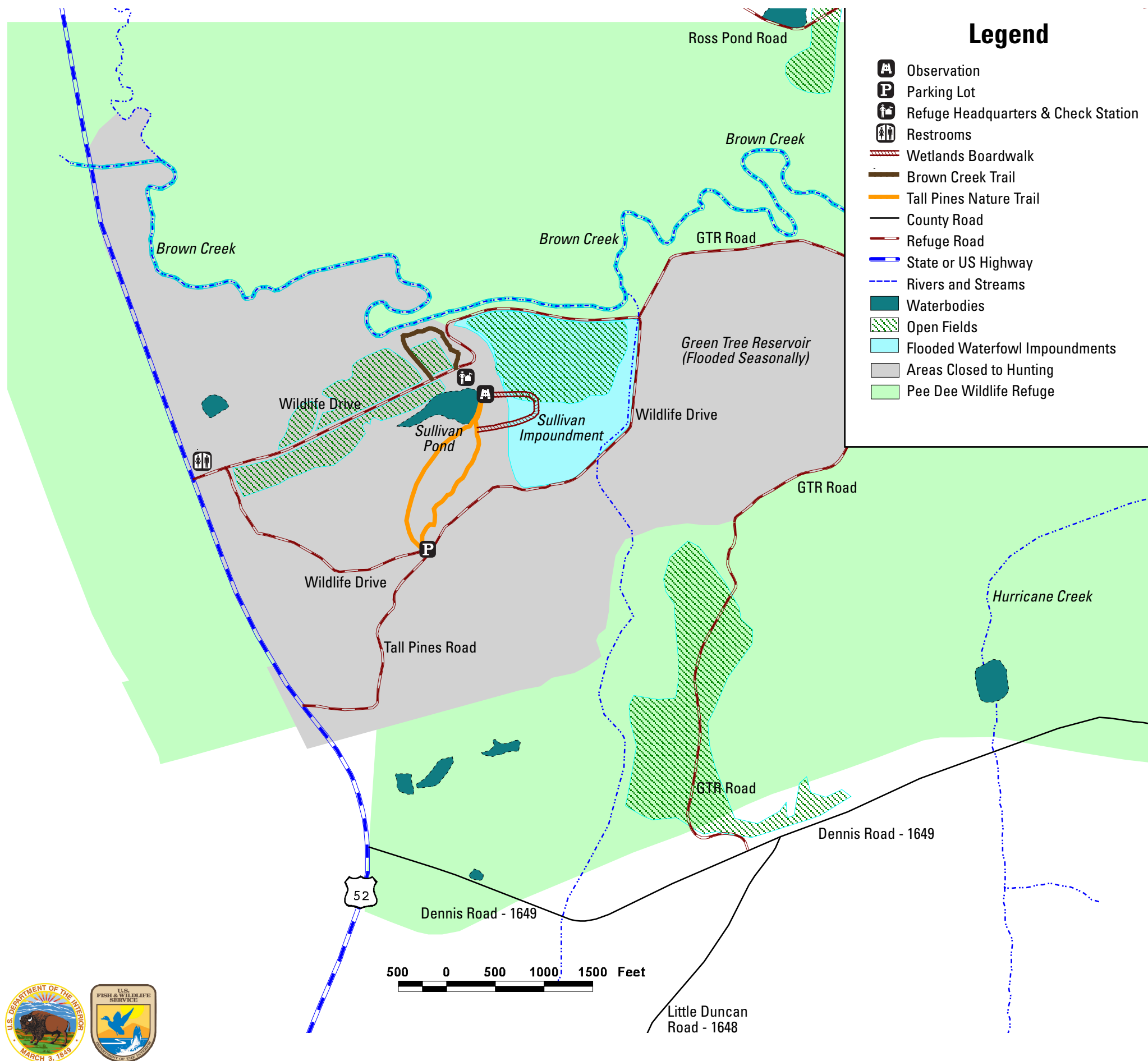
### Fishing Regulations

The Refuge Fishing Permit is also free. It includes fishing regulations and dates for refuge waters. Anglers must possess a signed Fishing Permit and a valid state fishing license while fishing on the refuge.

### Contact Information

If you need additional information, please visit our website or contact the refuge office at 704/694 4424.

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[https://www.fws.gov/refuge/pee\\_dee/](https://www.fws.gov/refuge/pee_dee/)



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**Legend**

- Observation
- Parking Lot
- Refuge Headquarters & Check Station
- Restrooms
- Canoe Launch
- Refuge Boundary
- Wetlands Boardwalk
- Nature Trails
- Rivers and Streams
- Waterbodies
- Flooded Waterfowl Impoundments
- Seasonally Closed Gate
- Areas Closed to All Access 11/25-3/14
- Areas Closed to Hunting
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- County Road
- Refuge Road
- State or US Highway

