



United States Department of the Interior

FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE
Parker River National Wildlife Refuge
6 Plum Island Turnpike
Newburyport, Massachusetts 01950
(978) 465-5753



July 29, 2016

Thank you for your interest in the Great Bay National Wildlife Refuge Deer Hunt. Please read the following information and the permit application carefully on how to apply for the Refuge hunt.

Great Bay NWR is administered by the Parker River NWR in Newburyport, MA. All questions regarding the hunt should be directed to the Parker River NWR office at the address and phone number above.

Please note that applications for the Great Bay NWR Deer Hunt MUST be mailed to the New Hampshire Fish and Game office in Concord, NH by September 16, 2016, OR hand delivered to the same office by 4:00 pm, September 23, 2016. Send or deliver completed applications to:

**New Hampshire Fish & Game
11 Hazen Drive
Concord, NH 03301
Attention: Wildlife Division**

New Hampshire Fish and Game is assisting us with the application process and will randomly select hunters and alternates and provide us the list. Successful applicants will be contacted shortly after October 14, 2016 to complete the permit process.

As a reminder, the dates for this year's hunt are Saturday November 12th and Sunday November 13th.

Thank You.

Jean Adams
Parker River National Wildlife Refuge



**Great Bay National Wildlife Refuge
2016
Shotgun Only
White-tailed Deer Hunt**

White-tailed deer hunting on **Great Bay National Wildlife Refuge** will be permitted on **November 12th and 13th, 2016**, the first weekend of the New Hampshire "any deer" (either sex) firearm season. Each hunter selected for a Refuge hunt permit will be assigned a single day to hunt.

Rules/Procedures for Hunter Selection

1. All applicants must fill out the attached permit application form completely. Only hunters with a current "resident" or "non-resident" NH Hunting license may apply. **If you wish to hunt with another hunter, you must both apply on one application only.** If selected, **both** must pay the permit fee. Your name can appear on **only** one application.

2. All applications **must** be sent to the New Hampshire Fish and Game Office and **postmarked by September 16** or delivered by **4:00 PM on September 23, 2016** to be entered in the drawing. Applications may be mailed or hand-delivered to:

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3. There will be a total of two (2) hunt days, November 12th and 13th. A total of 40 hunters, 20 for each day, will

be randomly selected by October 14th. The first 20 names selected will hunt on Saturday, November 12th. The second 20 names will hunt on Sunday, November 13th. Twenty (20) alternates will also be selected. If payment is not received from selected hunters by **October 17th**, alternate hunters will be contacted by telephone and offered a permit on a first person contacted basis beginning Tuesday, October 18th.

4. Following N.H. State regulations, resident children under 16 years of age may hunt on the Refuge when accompanied by a properly licensed adult 18 years of age or older. **Youth Hunters must have successfully completed a State Hunter Safety Course. When applying for the Refuge hunt, both adult and youth must be listed on the same application.**

5. All *selected hunters* will be notified by U.S. mail. Non-selected applicants **will not** receive notification. Selected hunters will be mailed information packets with instructions. ***Permits will not be issued until payment is received.***

6. A hunter permit fee of \$20.00 will be charged to successful applicants 16-61 years of age. A permit fee of \$10.00 will be charged to successful applicants 62 and older. There is no fee for youths. **The fee must be received at the Refuge Headquarters by 4:30 PM Monday, October 17, 2016 and is non-refundable. It is the applicant's responsibility to get applications or fees in by specified dates.**

**For information about the hunt contact:
Parker River NWR
6 Plum Island Turnpike
Newburyport, MA 01950
978-465-5753**



**2016
Great Bay National Wildlife Refuge
Firearm White-tailed Deer Hunt
Permit Application**

Detach this section and return before 4:00PM September 23, 2016

HUNTER NAME

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

DAYTIME PHONE

DATE OF BIRTH (DOB)

**E-MAIL ADDRESS (WHERE YOU CAN BE REACHED M-F
8AM – 4:30PM)**

NH HUNTING LICENSE NUMBER

2nd Hunter or Youth

HUNTER NAME

DOB

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

**NH HUNTING LICENSE NUMBER OR YOUTH HUNTER
SAFETY CERTIFICATE NUMBER**