

Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge

39650 Sand Lake Drive

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2018 Upland Game Hunting Regulations

Species: Hunting is only allowed for male Ring-necked Pheasant, Sharp-tailed Grouse, and Gray Partridge. State limits apply.

Season Dates & Time: Upland game hunters may hunt in the Refuge **December 10, 2018 – January 6, 2019**, from **10:00 a.m. to sunset**. A current South Dakota small game license is required. A special Refuge permit is not needed. Please be aware that an archery deer and antlerless firearms season is also open on the refuge during part of this time period. Upland game hunters are not allowed to enter the refuge each day until 10:00a.m.

Closed Areas: See map on reverse for locations of the three (3) “CLOSED to ALL Hunting” areas on the Refuge.

Vehicles: Vehicles are not allowed in the Refuge. All hunters must walk in from the Refuge boundary and parking lots.

Non-toxic Shot: Upland game hunters are required to use **non-toxic shot** while hunting on Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge. The possession of lead shot by hunters is a violation of this regulation. See Refuge Headquarters or search non-toxic shot at www.fws.gov for a complete listing of approved shot types.

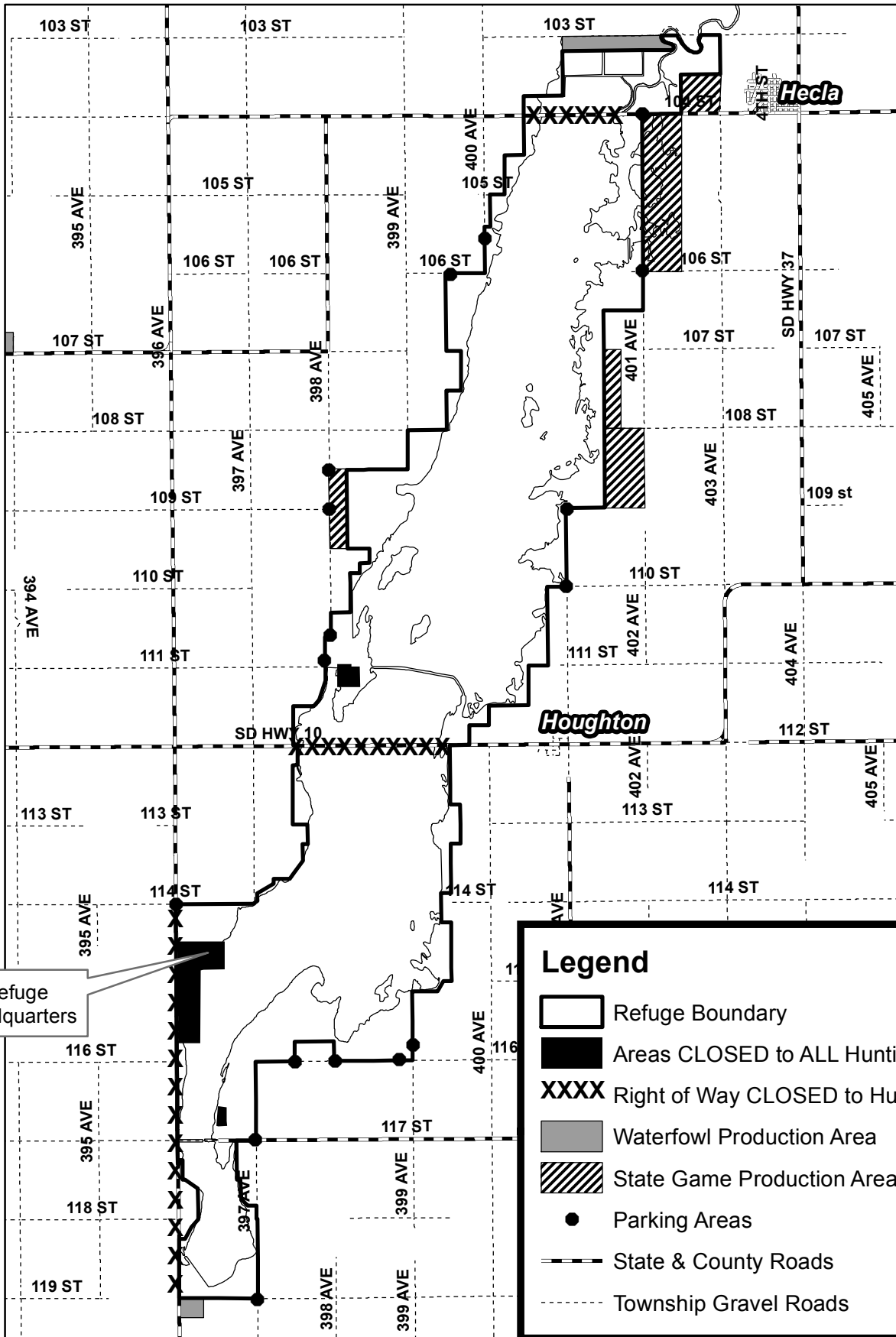
Littering: Do not discard garbage, game bird entrails or plumage in or near the parking lots.

Hunter Orange: Hunters are encouraged to wear, at minimum, a hunter orange cap when hunting the tall, dense, cattail cover for their own safety and to alert other hunters of their presence.

**If you need assistance from Refuge Law Enforcement, call Don Soderlund (605-380-6674) or Eric Hogarth (605-380-8179)



Upland Game Hunting Map



Legend

- Refuge Boundary
- Areas CLOSED to ALL Hunting
- Right of Way CLOSED to Hunting
- Waterfowl Production Area
- State Game Production Area
- Parking Areas
- State & County Roads
- Township Gravel Roads



Designated CLOSED Areas are Posted