

Trempealeau National Wildlife Refuge
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Trempealeau National Wildlife Refuge proposes several opportunities

We at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service know that access to America's public lands increases your quality of life. National wildlife refuges across the country offer quality opportunities to connect with special places in a variety of ways.

The Trempealeau National Wildlife Refuge is proposing to continue to allow research and monitoring projects by third parties, boating (human-powered), plant gathering (non-commercial), trapping of furbearers, commercial fishing, non-refuge sponsored special events, tree harvest by third parties for habitat management, and temporary work outside of an existing right-of-way to occur on the refuge. We are seeking public comment on allowing these uses on the refuge. You are invited to review the [draft compatibility determination documents](#) that includes our justification and analysis. These uses have previously been allowed to occur on the refuge and through this process we are continuing to expand these opportunities. These uses also help fulfill the mission of the National Wildlife Refuge System and the purposes of the refuge. The documents are available beginning September 1st, 2020 for 15 days.

The draft compatibility determination is available electronically on the refuge website: <https://www.fws.gov/refuge/trempealeau/>. You can contact the refuge at 608-539-2311 or trempealeau@fws.gov to request either printed or electronic copies and provide comments. Please let us know if you need a document in an alternative format.

Across the country, national wildlife refuges provide additional recreational opportunities for the public where it is compatible with refuge purposes. Continuing these uses will provide opportunities for families to enjoy the outdoors, create memories and pass on family traditions.

We look forward to hearing your thoughts and moving to the next stage of review.

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