

## Automatic Licence Suspension Order

A person who is convicted of an offence listed below, may not obtain or apply for a hunting licence or permit under the Act or its regulations for 2 years from the date of their conviction.

Anyone convicted between September 1 and December 31 of the offences listed herein, will have their privilege of obtaining any hunting licence suspended for 2 years beginning the following year on January 1.

Conviction under Section 68 of the Wildlife Act will result in a 5 year suspension, beginning on the date of conviction.

Suspensions imposed while the person is currently suspended will run consecutive to the initial suspension.

Conviction of any three wildlife offences, whether or not the offences are listed herein, within a five year period, will result in a 5 year period, will result in a 5 year suspension of hunting privileges.

### Wildlife Act

- Section 21(3) Hunting or trapping in area closed for wildlife management purposes.
- Section 26 Hunting or fishing without valid licence or permit.
- Section 32(2) Hunting while disqualified because of a hunting accident.
- Section 39(2) Hunting wildlife during a closed season.
- Section 39(2) Exceeding seasonal bag limit prescribed for wildlife.
- Section 39(2) Exceeding daily bag limit prescribed for wildlife.
- Section 40(1) Setting trap or snare for moose or deer.
- Section 50(1) Hunting, taking or killing protected wildlife.
- Section 62 Keeping wildlife or exotic wildlife in captivity contrary to act or regulations.
- Section 65 Selling or purchasing carcass of wildlife or any parts thereof.
- Section 67(1) Hunting with poison, drugs, explosives, deleterious substance.

- Section 68 Hunting wildlife by means of, or with assistance of, a light or flambeau.
- Section 69(1) Shining a light of more than 4 1/2 volts at night on wildlife habitat not owned by that person.
- Section 79 Possessing firearm, crossbow or bow in wildlife habitat contrary to act or regulations.
- Section 80(4) Transporting or possessing unencased firearm, crossbow or bow in wildlife habitat at night during open season.
- Section 84(2) Transporting loaded firearm on or in vehicle or vessel.
- Section 85 Discharging firearm, crossbow or bow across travelled portion of any highway or within 100 feet/30.48 m of travelled portion.
- Section 87(1) Possessing unencased firearm, crossbow or bow in wildlife habitat while impaired by alcohol or drugs.
- Section 87(2) Discharging or handling firearm, crossbow or bow without due care and attention.
- Section 88(a) Obstructing a conservation officer or person assisting.
- Section 88(b) Causing others to obstruct a conservation officer or person assisting.
- Section 88(c) Inciting others to obstruct a conservation officer or person assisting.
- Section 88(d) Assaulting a conservation officer or person assisting.

### **Deer Hunting Regulations**

- Section 6(3) Hunting or possessing deer during closed season.
- Section 7(2) Killing or possessing more deer than prescribed under bag limit for deer.
- Section 8(4) Hunting deer after tag is detached from licence.

### **General Wildlife Regulations**

- Section 11(2) Discharging firearm, crossbow or bow between one-half hour after sunset and one-half hour before sunrise contrary to the regulations.
- Section 14(1) Hunting or possessing firearm, crossbow or bow in wildlife habitat while disqualified.
- Section 14(4)(b) Using or possessing in wildlife habitat a trap or snare capable of taking or holding big game.

## **Moose Regulations**

- Section 4(5) Hunting moose without a valid Moose Hunting Licence or a Companion Moose Hunting Stamp and valid Wildlife Resources Card with a firearm or bowhunting certification.
- Section 5(2) Hunting moose out of season.
- Section 5(3) Hunting or possessing a greater number of moose than the total prescribed bag limit.

## **Firearm and Bow Regulations**

- Section 11(1) Hunting or discharging a firearm or bow within 880 yards/804 m of a school.
- Section 11(2) Hunting with or discharging a firearm loaded with rifle cartridge, single ball or slug within 440 yards/402 m of dwelling, place of business, public building, or public place.
- Section 11(3) Discharging a shotgun loaded with shot, a crossbow or bow, within 200 yards/182 m of dwelling, place of business, public building.
- Section 11(4) Hunting wildlife with a shotgun loaded with shot, a crossbow or bow, within 200 yards/182 m of dwelling, place of business, public building.

## **Illegal Parking**

Section 149 of the Motor Vehicle Act states no person shall leave a vehicle standing on property of which he is not the owner or tenant without the consent of the owner or tenant of the property. When a peace officer is satisfied that a vehicle has been left standing on property for one hour or longer, the officer may, on the request of the owner or tenant of the property, remove the vehicle and detain it until the expense of removal and detention are paid.

The Motor Vehicle Act is administered by Service Nova Scotia and Municipal Relations and enforced by the RCMP.

## **Chignecto Sanctuary Bow Hunt**

Bowhunters with a valid licence and who are certified as qualified to hunt with a bow, may enter the Chignecto Game Sanctuary with a bow to hunt and take wildlife for which the season is open within the period which coincides with the Special Open Season for Bowhunting Deer and the General Open Season for Hunting Deer, excluding Sundays.

## Muzzleloader Hunt

A muzzleloader hunt will be held in the Tobeatic Wildlife Management Area (TWMA)\* and the Liscomb Game Sanctuary October 20–25 Only muzzle loaded firearms are permitted.

A muzzleloader permit is required to participate in either of these hunts. Hunter orange is not mandatory.

**There are new rules specific to hunting in the Tobeatic Wilderness Area. See page 73.**

Note: \*The Muzzleloader hunt in the TWMA is a primitive hunt. It is an offense for anyone entering the TWMA during this hunt to have in their possession any electric motor or internal combustion engine.

## Permit to Keep Meat

### Deer and Moose

Any person who kills a **deer** and is in possession of deer meat must retain their Deer Hunting Licence. It must be:

- (a) Stamped, signed and dated by a deer registration agent or
- (b) Have recorded on it the Deer Registration confirmation number issued through the online deer registration process (see page 81).

This will serve as a valid meat storage permit, for the person who killed the deer, until April 30<sup>th</sup> of the following year. After April 30<sup>th</sup>, it is an offence for a person to store deer meat without a storage permit issued by the Department.

Any person who kills a **deer or moose** may legally transfer up to 15 pounds of meat to any one household where it may be stored without a valid storage permit until April 30<sup>th</sup> of the following year. Between April 30<sup>th</sup> in any year and the opening of a deer or moose season in that year, it is an offence for any person to possess meat of the deer family without a valid storage permit issued by the Department. Obtain a storage permit for deer by completing the application form on page 101 and forward to the Department of Natural Resources office in the area in which you reside. Applications for meat storage permits are also available from any DNR office.

A **moose** hunting licence and tags serve as a permit to transport a moose from where it was legally killed to the hunter's home or place where the meat will be prepared for storage. A moose meat **storage permit** must then be obtained from your local DNR Office to legally possess moose meat at any

residence. After July 31<sup>st</sup> of the year following the kill, any person who possesses moose meat must have a renewed storage permit.

**A permit may be issued by the Department of Natural Resources for a non-aboriginal person to possess the meat of deer, moose or any small game animals, acquired from a Mi'kmaq person, provided:**

**(a) More than 15 pounds of meat are being acquired (no permit required for up to 15 lbs.)**

**(b) For moose meat, the applicant and the Mi'kmaq person appear at a Department of Natural Resources office with proper identification**

**Note: Permits for moose meat will be restricted to 100 pounds per individual or household per calendar year.**

### **Rabbits, Pheasants and Grouse (Partridge)**

A storage permit can be obtained to keep legally killed rabbits and non-migratory game birds in cold storage after April 30<sup>th</sup>. When you require this permit, please complete the application form at the end of this summary and forward it to the local office of the Department of Natural Resources in the area in which you reside. Applications are also available directly from the local office.

## **Guides**

1. A non-resident, being a holder of a valid licence, is entitled to hunt, provided the non-resident is supervised by a licenced guide or a resident over the age of 18 who has a Special Permit to Guide for a given period.
2. A resident when requesting a Special Permit to Guide must appear in person to receive the permit. (See **Licence and Permit Fees**, page 16).
3. A person acting as a guide under the authority of a Special Permit to Guide may not charge a fee for their service.
4. A Special Permit to Guide may be issued for the full hunting season if the non-resident hunter being guided is an immediate family member. (Immediate family member means mother, father, siblings, aunts and uncles).
5. Only one Special Permit to Guide, that is valid for a maximum of seven days, may be issued to a person to guide a non-resident hunter who is a "friend" but not an immediate family member.

6. Any person authorized to guide may not guide more than three(3) persons while hunting deer, or guide more than four(4) persons who are hunting species other than deer.
7. All licenced guides are required to report violations of the Wildlife Act or regulations by any person to the nearest local office of the Department of Natural Resources or a local police department.
8. All guides are responsible for ensuring information returns and/or biological specimens from their clients are submitted to the Department of Natural Resources.

## Mandatory Deer Registration

If you kill a deer **you must follow these steps to ensure compliance with the Wildlife Act and Regulations:**

1. Immediately, upon killing a deer, cut the Deer Hunting Tag from the back cover of your Hunting & Furharvesting Licence & Summary of Regulations booklet. The detached Deer Hunting Tag must remain with the deer **and**;
2. Cut out the month and date of kill, indicated by the appropriate triangles on the inside edge of the front cover of your booklet **and**;
3. Field dress your deer **and**;
4. Register your deer within 24 hours of killing the deer or within 24 hours after leaving a camp used to hunt the deer. There are two ways to register your deer:

### **Deer Registration Option #1:**

Transport your deer to one of the deer registration stations listed starting on page 87

- **You must be with the deer you killed when it is being transported and in order to register at a deer registration station.**
- Your Deer Hunting Tag must remain with the deer (see page 69)
  - a) Present your Wildlife Resources card, deer hunting licence and the detached Deer Hunting Tag to the registration station agent. You will be charged an administration fee of \$1.00 + HST.
  - b) Confirm that the information the agent entered in the "Weekly Deer Harvest Form" is correct. **Sign in the space provided.**

- c) The agent will record the registration station name and number as well as the date on the inside front cover of your Hunting & Furharvesting Licence & Summary of Regulations booklet. Ensure that the information is correct.

**OR**

### **Deer Registration Option #2:**

Register your deer online at

[www.gov.ns.ca/natr/wildlife/DeerRegistration](http://www.gov.ns.ca/natr/wildlife/DeerRegistration)

- a) Enter your Wildlife Resources Card number and follow the online steps to complete all of the required information
  - Once you submit your online information you will receive a Deer Registration Confirmation Number
- b) Record your confirmation number in two locations:
  - (i) in the space provided on the Deer Hunting Tag you detached from the back cover of your Hunting & Furharvesting Licence & Summary of Regulations booklet
  - (ii) in the space provided on the inside front cover of your Hunting & Furharvesting Licence & Summary of Regulations booklet

### **NOTE:**

- Your detached Deer Hunting Tag becomes a legal transport permit for the deer carcass and must remain with the carcass until it is prepared for consumption.
- Your Deer Hunting Licence (booklet) becomes your permit to keep the meat of your deer until April 30 only if the deer registration information has been entered in the appropriate spaces of your Summary Booklet
- Your Deer Hunting Licence (booklet) and Deer Hunting Tag, together constitute a legal export permit for your deer
- **A person must not process a deer carcass for consumption unless the hunter has completed the deer hunting tag showing that the deer has been registered in accordance with the Deer Hunting Regulations.**

### **Registering a Bonus Deer**

Individuals who hold a valid Bonus Deer Hunting Stamp for zone 2A are also required by law to register their second deer. Please follow the steps outlined on page 81 to ensure compliance with the Wildlife Act & Regulations when registering your deer.

Your Deer Hunting Tag will already have been removed from your Licence booklet after registration of your first antlerless deer in zone 2A. Therefore, when registering your second antlerless deer in zone 2A, the Bonus Deer Hunting Stamp acts as the Deer Hunting Licence and must be affixed to the appropriate location on the back cover of your Hunting and Furharvesting Licence & Summary of Regulations booklet.

## Transporting Bear

1. The licence holder shall ensure that the detached Bear Hunting Tag or Bear Snaring Tag remains with the bear carcass until it is prepared for consumption. The licence holder may keep the tag on their person provided they stay with the carcass while it is being transported.
2. During the Open Season for bear, no person shall be in possession of, or transport, a bear carcass killed by another person unless:
  - the carcass has attached to it, the tag of the Bear Hunting Licence or Bear Snaring Licence issued to the person who killed the bear.
  - you are snaring bear in partnership with another licensed bear snarer. (See page 29)

## Export

The following may serve as your export permit for the game legally taken under that licence:

- (a) Your Resident or Non-Resident Deer Hunting licence and Deer Hunting Tag (upon proof of registration)
- (b) Your Resident or Non-Resident Bear Hunting licence
- (c) Your Non-Resident Small Game Hunting licence

In order to export bears or bear parts out of Canada, you may require a CITES Export Permit (Convention on International Trade of Endangered Species). Contact your local Department of Natural Resources for further information.

**A bear gallbladder must be permanently sealed by Department of Natural Resources (DNR) prior to sale or export. The locking seal must be permanently attached to the bear gallbladder. The gallbladder must be presented to a DNR office in order to be sealed.**

## Trespassing

The Protection of Property Act provides that it is an offence to enter on or carry on the following activities on property without the permission or consent of the occupier:

- (a) enter on premises that is a lawn, garden, orchard, vineyard, golf course, or acreage managed for agricultural crops;
- (b) enter on premises that is apparently a tree plantation area or a Christmas tree management area;
- (c) enter on premises that is enclosed in a manner that indicates the occupier's intention to keep persons off the premises or to keep animals on the premises;
- (d) dump or deposit material of any kind or causes, or permit material to be dumped or deposited on premises;
- (e) enter on premises where entry is prohibited on the premises by notice;
- (f) engage in an activity that is prohibited on the premises by notice.

Upon conviction, a fine of up to five hundred dollars may be levied.

A notice given pursuant to this Act may be oral or in writing and may be given respecting any part of the land of an occupier.

It is an offence to remain on property after being directed to leave by the occupier or person authorized by the occupier.

However, no person may be prosecuted for contravening any notice under the act if that person is on forest land and is lawfully hunting, camping, berry picking or hiking.

"Forest land" means a wooded area, forest stand, tract covered by underbrush, barren ground, marsh or bog, but

**does not include:**

- (a) an area which is apparently a tree plantation area or a Christmas tree management area;
- (b) a special forestry study area;
- (c) the immediate area where any activity is apparently being carried out on woodlands for the purpose of harvesting a forest product;
- (d) a commercial berry growing area.

For further information about the trespass laws, please refer to the Act to Protect Property which is administered by the Department of Justice through local police departments.

While Nova Scotia Power holds a right-of-way over land on which its power lines are located, the company does not own the lands. Permission to use the right-of-ways for the purpose of hunting must be obtained from the property owner.

## Survival in the Woods

**You have a very real danger of getting lost in the woods while hunting. Here are some basics of survival in the woods:**

The unforeseen can take you off the beaten trail. Even experienced woods travellers can easily lose their bearings. However, a “lost” incident that may be disastrous for a panic-struck novice may prove to be no more than a minor delay for someone who is prepared and does not panic.

**Remember! Always tell someone where you plan to hunt.**

### Preparation

(See Some General Regulations, page 69)

It is an offence for any person to enter any woods for the purpose of hunting, unless that person possesses:

- a compass in working order and can demonstrate how to use it;
- a hand axe or hunting knife or jack-knife;
- a supply of waterproof matches or matches in a waterproof container or a source that is capable of producing a flame.

### ABC's of a Night in the Woods

- A. **Do Not Panic: Sit down.** Think over your situation. It is unlikely to be as bad as it first appears. Do not try to walk out unless you are sure that you have recovered your direction and that you have ample time before dark.
- B. **Stay Put:** Usually it is best to stay close to where you got lost. Aimless wandering can exhaust, injure and kill. It can also put you out of reach of searchers who will soon be on your track if you left word of your destination. Choose as your campsite the driest and most sheltered place possible, with firewood nearby. Do not move on without leaving a note or sign giving direction.
- C. **Make Yourself Comfortable:** Staying overnight in the woods demands warmth and shelter. Shelter is your first concern. Cut several armfuls of green boughs and about a dozen saplings. Select for your bed the driest and most level spot. Over this, erect a slanting frame of interwoven saplings and roof it from the ground upward with overlapping evergreen boughs, tips downward. Under this lean-to, build a thick mattress of evergreen branchlets by placing the coarser ones topside down for a springy base and topping it with finer branchlets (fir if possible) laid topside up. Gather plenty of firewood to last the night. Locate your fire safely and keep it burning all night.

## Sunrise and Sunset Times 2008

This table gives the approximate sunrise and sunset times. This should only be used as a guide for hunters.

		<b>Yarmouth</b>		<b>Halifax</b>		<b>Sydney</b>	
		Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set
		am	pm	am	pm	am	pm
Sept.	3	6:48	7:57	6:40	7:47	6:24	7:35
	7	6:53	7:50	6:45	7:40	6:29	7:27
	11	6:59	7:43	6:49	7:32	6:34	7:19
	15	7:03	7:35	6:54	7:25	6:39	7:11
	19	7:08	7:27	6:59	7:17	6:44	7:03
Oct.	23	7:13	7:19	7:03	7:09	6:49	6:56
	27	7:18	7:11	7:08	7:02	6:54	6:48
	1	7:23	7:04	7:13	6:55	7:00	6:40
	5	7:28	7:04	7:18	6:47	7:05	6:32
	9	7:34	6:56	7:23	6:40	7:10	6:25
	13	7:39	6:41	7:28	6:33	7:16	6:17
	17	7:44	6:34	7:33	6:26	7:21	6:10
Nov.	21	7:50	6:27	7:38	6:20	7:27	6:05
	25	7:55	6:21	7:43	6:13	7:32	5:57
	29	8:01	6:15	7:49	6:07	7:38	5:50
	**2	7:07	5:09	6:54	5:02	6:44	4:44
	6	7:12	5:03	7:00	4:56	6:49	4:39
	10	7:18	4:58	7:05	4:52	6:55	4:34
	14	7:24	4:54	7:10	4:47	7:01	4:29
Dec.	18	7:29	4:50	7:16	4:44	7:06	4:25
	22	7:35	4:47	7:21	4:41	7:12	4:22
	26	7:40	4:44	7:25	4:39	7:17	4:19
	30	7:45	4:42	7:31	4:36	7:22	4:17
	3	7:48	4:41	7:34	4:35	7:25	4:16
	7	7:52	4:40	7:38	4:35	7:30	4:15
Dec.	10	7:55	4:40	7:41	4:34	7:33	4:15
	15	7:59	4:40	7:45	4:35	7:37	4:15

For your convenience, all times listed are in both Daylight Savings and Atlantic Standard Time where appropriate.

\*\* Daylight Savings Time ends at 2am on the first Sunday in November.

## Deer Registration Stations

Please check to find out when registration stations are open.

### Annapolis

#### NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE

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Needs Esso Convenience/Nictaux/825-2225  
 Lequille Country Store/Annapolis Royal/532-5362  
 Johnson's General Store/Maitland Bridge/682-3309  
 Springfield Grocery Mart/Springfield/547-2929

### Antigonish

#### NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE

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Henry's Esso Station/Lower South River/863-2819  
 MacEachern's Ultramar/Saltsprings/863-5677  
 Brendan's Fairway/Antigonish/863-5583  
 Customer's Choice Variety/Monastery/232-2299

### Cape Breton

#### NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE

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Mullin Brother's/Shell/Albert Bridge/562-1070  
 Plaza Shell/Sydney River/567-0654  
 Budden's Auto Repair/Glace Bay/842-0400  
 Seal Island Irving/Seal Island/674-2294  
 Church's Supermarket and Esso/Marion Bridge/727-2364

### Colchester

#### NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE

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Needs Convenience/Tatamagouche/657-3051  
 Le-a-pol Grocery/Lower Truro/895-1004  
 Valhalla Gun Shop/East Mountain/893-3770  
 Bev's Country Diner/Upper Stewiacke/671-2326  
 Hilltop Taxidermy/Glenholme/662-3761  
 Simon's Variety/Stewiacke/639-2413  
 Economy Country Store/Economy/647-2658  
 MacKay's Wild Outdoor Adventures/765 Willow St./ Truro  
 Bible Hill Esso/Bible Hill/893-8088

### Cumberland

#### NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE

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Calders Convenience/Advocate/394-2292  
 Reid Gilbert and Sons/Parrsboro/254-2560  
 A&J Superette/Joggins/251-2194

Shaw's Country Market/Port Greville/ 348-2245  
 Tidnish General Store Ltd./Tidnish/661-4446  
 Langille's Esso/Pugwash/243-2114  
 Lower Main Market/Oxford/447-3490  
 Schiefer's Ultramar (Martin's)/Springhill/597-2701  
 Collingwood Corner Convenience/Collingwood/686-3240  
 Langille's Meat Market/Wallace/257-2182  
 K&D Rite Stop/Amherst/661-8679

## **Digby**

### **NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Paula's Service Station (Wilson's Gas Stop)/Bear River/467-4106  
 Ossinger's Grocery/Central Grove/839-2029  
 Deveau Kwik-Way/Mavillette/645-2143  
 Walter Macalpine Auto Service/Weymouth North/837-5511  
 Fred Muise/Hectanooga/649-2739  
 T. & C. Motors/Marshalltown/245-4651  
 H. Comeau Service Station/Meteghan Centre/645-3211

## **Guysborough**

### **NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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James Hewitt Grocery/Port Hilford/522-2365  
 Bruce Nauffts General Store/Liscomb/779-2294  
 Wonder Store/Guysborough/533-3601  
 Connolly's Community Market/Boylston/533-3410  
 Rhynold's Petro Can/Stormont/328-2496  
 Hanham's Gas and Convenience/Half Island Cove/358-2675  
 Port Bickerton's Value Foods/Port Bickerton/364-2580  
 Murphy's General Store/Larry's River/525-2430  
 Goshen Enterprises Ltd./Goshen/783-2661

## **Halifax**

### **NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Bedford Mall Ultramar/Bedford/835-9355  
 Harrietsfield Irving/Old Sambro Road/477-4167  
 Prospect Blue Canoe (Irving)/Halifax/876-7157  
 Hammond's Plains Irving/Hammond's Plains/835-5200  
 Heather and Theresa's Country Store/Seaforth/827-2118  
 Riverside Esso/Moser River/347-2002  
 Spry Bay Campground/Convenience/Spry Bay/772-2554  
 Parker's Esso/Middle Musquodoboit/384-2844  
 Stewart's Irving/Upper Musquodoboit/568-2681

**Hants****NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Mccoul's Grocery/Shubenacadie/758-2862  
 Nannie and Poppie Variety Store/Nine Mile River/883-2412  
 Frieze and Roy General Store/Maitland/261-2860  
 Hnatiuk's Taxidermy/Lantz/883-8890  
 Kennetcook Home Hardware/Kennetcook/362-2424  
 Rawdon Country Store/Centre Rawdon/632-2551  
 Walton Variety Store/Walton/528-2051  
 McLean's Service Centre/Brooklyn/757-2555  
 Lakeside Variety/Vaughans/798-3340  
 Fort Edward Gas Bar/Windsor/798-1101

**Inverness****NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Whycocomagh Irving/Whycocomagh/756-3337  
 Wayne's Variety/Judique/787-3404  
 Brook Village Grocery/Brook Village/945-2757  
 Leblanc's Store/Margaree Forks/248-2632  
 Patterson's Store/Scotsville/258-2707  
 Timmon's Store/Pleasant Bay/224-2174  
 Maclean's General Store/River Denys/756-2780

**Kings****NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Bordens/East Dalhousie/547-2741  
 Cann's Kwik Way/Avonport/542-5417  
 DNA Convenience Store/Hwy #12 Kentville/678-9362  
 Degraff's Kwik Way/Canning/582-2099  
 Greenwood Corner Store/Greenwood/765-8061  
 Fox Mountain Camping Park/Morristown/847-3747

**Lunenburg****NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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A&B Country Corner Convenience/Middlewood/543-0075  
 Barry Russell's Esso/New Ross/689-2182  
 Midway Supply Store/Blockhouse/624-8620  
 Riverview Meat Market/Chester Basin/275-5401  
 Woodwise Outfitters/Oakhill/543-7221  
 Lunenburg Irving Mainway/Lunenburg/634-3641  
 The Deck Convenience Store/Blandford/228-2112  
 Getsons Convenience Store/Newcombville/543-2816

Hebbville Irving/Hebbville/543-2240  
 Oickle's Auto Services/New Germany/644-3450  
 Alonza Rhodenizer/Parkdale/644-2934  
 Den Mart Ltd./West Northfield/543-2246

## **Pictou**

### **NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Ferguson's Corner Store and Sport Shop/Westville/396-5409  
 Johns Country Canteen/Central West River/925-2151  
 LBR Variety/Merigomish/926-2257  
 Lismore Variety Cafe/Lismore/926-2451  
 Garden Canteen/New Glasgow/922-3195  
 Millside General Inc./Pictou/485-4454  
 Leetik Service Center/River John/351-2515  
 Dean Sharpe's Service Station Ltd./Blue Acres/752-9918  
 Scotsburn Pro Hardware/Scotsburn/485-8023

## **Queens**

### **NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Port Joli Post Office/Port Joli/683-2573  
 Liverpool Heating and Appliance/Brooklyn/354-4544  
 Greenfield General Store/Greenfield/685-2026  
 Highway Market/Hunts Point/683-2386  
 Hatt's Quality Meats/Milton/354-4857  
 Evan's Village Shoppe/Mill Village/677-2013  
 N.F. Douglas and Co./Caledonia/682-2334

## **Richmond**

### **NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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L'Ardoise General Store/Lower L'ardoise/587-2190  
 Britten's Service Centre/Martinique/226-2953  
 Calder's Car Care Inc./St. Peter's/535-2689  
 Jeantie's Minimart/Arichat/226-2186

## **Shelburne**

### **NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Bon Portage General Store/Shag Harbour/723-0804  
 Lydgate Service Station/Lydgate/656-2259  
 Decker's Esso/Sable River/656-2041  
 Riverside Convenience/Clyde River/637-2253  
 Lyle's Grocery Ltd./106 Digby St/875-3186  
 Barrington Food Mart/Oak Park Rd./637-2326

**Victoria****NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Wreck Cove General Store/Wreck Cove/929-2900  
 MacAulay Ultramar/Baddeck/295-1906  
 Fitzgerald's General Repair/Neil's Harbour/336-2108  
 Cape North Variety/Cape North/383-2678  
 MacKenzie's Country Store/Little Narrows/756-2985

**Yarmouth****NAME/LOCATION/TELEPHONE**

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Arcadia Convenience Store/Arcadia/742-5893  
 Kemptville Corner Store/Kemptville/761-2286  
 East Pubnico Convenience Store/Lower East Pubnico/762-0559  
 Amirault Grocery/West Pubnico/762-2319  
 Carl's Grocery/Tusket/648-2212  
 Emin's Meat Market/Yarmouth/742-2685  
 Shore Grocery/Port Maitland/649-2210  
 Carleton Country Outfitters/Carleton/761-3000

## Department of Natural Resources Local Offices

**Annapolis**

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Annapolis Office, Box 130, Lawrencetown, BOS 1M0.  
 Phone 584-2229.

**Antigonish**

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Antigonish Office, 190 Beech Hill Road, R.R. 7 Antigonish, B2G 2L4.  
 Phone 863-4513.

**Cape Breton**

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Coxheath Office, 300 Mountain Road, Sydney, B1L 1A9.  
 Phone 563-3370.

**Colchester**

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Colchester Office, 626 College Road, Bible Hill, B2N 2R2.  
 Phone 893-5620.

**Cumberland**

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Oxford Office, Box 130, Oxford, BOM 1P0. Phone 447-2115.

Parrsboro Office, Box 428, Parrsboro, BOM 1S0. Phone 254-3241.

**Digby**

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Digby Office, R.R. #1, Barton, BOW 1H0. Phone 245-2164.

**Guysborough**

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Guysborough Office, R.R. #2, Boylston, BOH 1G0.

Phone 533-3503.

Stillwater Office, R.R. #2, Aspen, BOH 1E0. Phone 522-2024.

**Halifax**

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Waverley Office, 2115 Waverley Road, Waverley, B2R 1Y8.

Phone 861-2560.

Sheet Harbour Office, Box 118, Sheet Harbour, BOJ 3B0.

Phone 885-2377.

Musquodoboit Harbour Office, 8845 #7 Highway, Musquodoboit Harbour, BOJ 2L0. Phone 889-2332.

Middle Musquodoboit Office, Box 112, Middle Musquodoboit, BON 1X0. Phone 384-2290.

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Windsor Office, Box 190, Windsor,

BON 2T0. Phone 798-2016.

Shubenacadie Office, Box 130, Shubenacadie, BON 2H0.

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**Inverness**

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**Kings**

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**Lunenburg**

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PO Box 6000, Lunenburg, BOJ 2C0.

Phone 634-7555.

## Pictou

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New Glasgow Office, 459 Coalburn/McLellan's Brook Road,  
RR 4, New Glasgow, B2H 5C7. Phone 922-4020.

## Queens

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Milton Office, Box 190, Milton, BOT 1P0. Phone 354-3462.

## Richmond

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St. Peters Office, Provincial Building,  
Box 363, St. Peters, BOE 3B0. Phone 535-2032.

## Shelburne

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Shelburne Office, Box 369, Shelburne,  
BOT 1W0. Phone 875-2501.

## Victoria

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Baddeck Office, Provincial Building,  
Box 610, Baddeck, BOE 1B0. Phone 295-2554.  
Baddeck Depot, Shore Road, Baddeck, Phone 295-2300.

## Yarmouth

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Tusket Office, Box 99, 404 Gavel Road, Tusket, B0W 3M0.  
Phone 648-3540.

## DEER MANAGEMENT ZONE DESCRIPTIONS SCHEDULE "A"

**Deer Management Zone 1** includes certain lands within Nova Scotia, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the centre of the Mersey River in Queens County where it intersects with the centre line of Highway No. 103; then easterly along the centre line of Highway No. 103 to its intersection with the centre line of Trunk No. 8; then northerly along the centre line of Trunk No. 8 to its intersection with the centre line of Trunk No. 1 in Annapolis County; then northerly along the centre line of Trunk No. 1 to the centre line of the Annapolis River; then downstream along the centre of the Annapolis River north of Goat Island to the Annapolis Basin; then westerly through the Annapolis Basin to the Digby County line at the centre of the Annapolis Basin; then northerly along the Digby County line, through the Digby Gut to the Bay of Fundy; then westerly, southerly, and easterly along the coastline of Nova Scotia to the mouth of Liverpool Bay; then northerly along the centre of Liverpool Bay to the Mersey River;

then northerly up the centre of the Mersey River to its intersection with the centre line of Highway No. 103 being the place of beginning. Together with all inland and offshore islands.

**Deer Management Zone 2** includes certain lands within Nova Scotia, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the centre of the Mersey River in Queens County where it intersects with the centre line of Highway No. 103; then easterly along the centre line of Highway No. 103 to its intersection with the centre line of Trunk No. 8; then northerly along the centre line of Trunk No. 8 to its intersection with the centre line of Trunk No. 1 in Annapolis County; then northerly along the centre line of Trunk No. 1 to the centre line of the Annapolis River; then downstream along the centre of the Annapolis River north of Goat Island to the Annapolis Basin; then westerly through the Annapolis Basin to the Digby County line at the centre of the Annapolis Basin; then northerly along the Digby County line, through the Digby Gut to the Bay of Fundy; then easterly along the coastline of the Bay of Fundy to Cape Split; then southerly along the western coastline of the Minas Basin to the mouth of the Avon River; then upstream along the centre of the Avon River to its intersection with the centre line of Highway No. 101; then easterly and southerly along the centre line of Highway No. 101 to its junction with the centre line of the Bedford Highway; then southerly along the centre line of the Bedford Highway to its intersection with the Sackville River; then downstream along the centre of the Sackville River to the Bedford Basin; then southerly along the centre of the Bedford Basin and the centre of the Halifax Harbour to its mouth at the Atlantic Ocean; then westerly along the Atlantic Coast to the mouth of Liverpool Bay; then northerly along the centre of Liverpool Bay to where it intersects with the Mersey River; then northerly upstream along the centre of the Mersey River to its intersection with the centre line of Highway No. 103 being the place of beginning. Together with all inland and offshore islands.

**Deer Management Zone 2A** includes certain lands within Lunenburg and Queens Counties, Nova Scotia and are more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the centerline of the East River, Lunenburg County, where it intersects with the northern most edge of the multi-line power transmission corridor running from Halifax County to Queens County and being approximately 1 km south of Whistler lake; thence, southwesterly along the northern most edge of the said power transmission corridor to an angle point where the power transmission corridor separates into 2 lines; thence, following the north branch of the said transmission corridor southwesterly, passing the Gold River Indian Reserve

to the north, continuing on past Lower New Cornwall to an angle point about 1 km west of the LaHave River near Cookville; thence, southerly, along the western edge of the said corridor, to a juncture point with the transmission line running westerly from Maitland; thence, southwesterly along the northern edge of the said transmission corridor, passing to the north of Wiles Lake and Lapland, and extending to the western bank of the Medway River; thence, southeasterly, downstream following the western bank of the Medway River and the western shoreline of Medway Harbour to a point on the ordinary high water mark (OHWM) east of the navigation light at Medway Head; thence, northeasterly in a straight line to a point on the OHWM of the most southerly part of Toby Island; thence, northeasterly in a straight line to a point on the OHWM of the most southerly part of Cape LaHave Islands at Cape LaHave Point; thence, northeasterly in a straight line to a point on the OHWM of the most eastern point of West Ironbound Island; thence, northeasterly in a straight line to a point on the OHWM of the most eastern point of Cross Island; thence, northeasterly in a straight line to a point on the OHWM of the most eastern point of Big Duck Island; thence, northeasterly in a straight line to a point on the OHWM of the most eastern point of East Ironbound Island; thence, northwesterly in a straight line to a point on the OHWM of the most northeasterly point of Little Tancook Island; thence, northwesterly in a straight line to the mid point of the mouth of East River Bay northwest from East River Point; thence, northeasterly in a straight line to a point at the centerline of the mouth of East River; thence, northerly following the centerline of East River to the point of beginning, together with all inland and offshore islands.

**Deer Management Zone 3** includes certain lands within Nova Scotia, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the mouth of the Parrsboro River; then northerly upstream along the centre of the Parrsboro River to its beginning at the southern outlet of Newville Lake; then northerly across Newville Lake to its northern outlet into River Hebert; then northerly downstream along the centre of River Hebert to its mouth on the Cumberland Basin; then along the centre of Cumberland Basin to Chignecto Bay; then westerly and southerly along the coastline of Chignecto Bay to Cape Chignecto; then easterly along the coastline to the mouth of the Parrsboro River being the point of beginning. Together with all inland and offshore islands.

**Deer Management Zone 4** includes certain lands within Nova Scotia, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the point where the centre line of Highway No. 101 meets with the centre line of Highway No. 102; then northwesterly along the centre line of Highway No. 101 to its intersection with the Avon River; then northerly downstream along the centre of the Avon River to the Minas Basin; then northerly through the Minas Basin to the mouth of the Parrsboro River; then northerly upstream along the centre of the Parrsboro River to its beginning at the southern outlet of Newville Lake; then northerly across Newville Lake to its northern outlet into River Hebert; then northerly downstream along the centre of River Hebert to its mouth on the Cumberland Basin; then northerly along the centre of the Cumberland Basin to a point directly west of the mouth of the Missaquash River; then easterly to the centre of the mouth of the Missaquash River which becomes the border between the Province of Nova Scotia and the Province of New Brunswick; then northeasterly along the border to Baie Verte; then southeasterly along the coastline of the Northumberland Strait to Saint George's Bay; then southeasterly along the western coastline of Saint George's Bay to the Strait of Canso; then southerly along the centre of the Strait of Canso to Chedabucto Bay; then along the western coastline of the Chedabucto Bay to the mouth of the Salmon River in Guysborough County; then upstream along the centre of the Salmon River to the bridge on Giants Lake Road at Ogden; then northwesterly along the centre of Giants Lake Road to its intersection with Route No. 316; then southerly along the centre line of Route No. 316 to its intersection with the centre line of the Melrose Country Harbour Road locally known as the Nine Mile Woods Road at Country Harbour Cross Roads; then westerly along the centre line of the Melrose Country Harbour Road locally known as the Nine Mile Woods Road to its intersection with Trunk No. 7 at Melrose; then westerly along the centre line of Route No. 348 to its intersection with the Cameron Settlement Road at Caledonia; then westerly along the centre line of Cameron Settlement Road to its intersection with Route No. 374 at Trafalgar; then westerly along the centre line of Route No. 374 to its intersection with the Dean Settlement Road/St. Mary's Road; then westerly along the centre line of the Dean Settlement Road/St. Mary's Road to its intersection with Route No. 336 at Dean; then southerly along the centre line of Route No. 336 to its intersection with Route No. 224 at Upper Musquodoboit; then westerly along the centre line of Route No. 224 to its intersection with Trunk No. 2 at Shubenacadie; then southerly along the centre of Highway No. 2 to its intersection with the Shubenacadie River; then northerly along the centre of the Shubenacadie River to its intersection

with the centre line of Highway No. 102; then southwesterly along the centre line of Highway No. 102 to its intersection with the centre line of Highway No. 101 being the place of beginning. Together with all inland and offshore islands.

**Deer Management Zone 5** includes certain lands within Nova Scotia, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point where Highway No. 101 intersects with Highway No. 102 and the Bedford Highway; then southerly along the centre line of the Bedford Highway to its intersection with the Sackville River; then downstream along the centre of the Sackville River to the Bedford Basin; then along the centre of the Bedford Basin and the centre of the Halifax Harbour to its mouth at the Atlantic Ocean; then easterly along the Atlantic Coast to the mouth of Chedabucto Bay; then westerly along the southern coastline of Chedabucto Bay to the mouth of the Salmon River in Guysborough County; then upstream along the centre of the Salmon River to the bridge on Giants Lake Road at Ogden; then northwesterly along the centre line of Giants Lake Road to its intersection with Route No. 316; then southerly along the centre line of Route No. 316 to its intersection with the centre line of the Melrose Country Harbour Road, locally known as the Nine Mile Woods Road, at Country Harbour Cross Roads; then westerly along the centre line of the Melrose Country Harbour Road, locally known as the Nine Mile Woods Road, to its intersection with Trunk No. 7 at Melrose; then westerly along the centre line of Route No. 348 to its intersection with the Cameron Settlement Road at Caledonia; then westerly along the centre line of Cameron Settlement Road to its intersection with Route No. 374 at Trafalgar; then westerly along the centre line of Route No. 374 to its intersection with the Dean Settlement Road/St. Mary's Road; then westerly along the centre line of the Dean Settlement Road/St. Mary's Road to its intersection with Route No. 336 at Dean; then southerly along the centre line of Route No. 336 to its intersection with Route No. 224 at Upper Musquodoboit; then westerly along the centre line of Route No. 224 to its intersection with Trunk No. 2 at Shubenacadie; then southerly along the centre of Highway No. 2 to its intersection with the Shubenacadie River; then northerly along the centre of the Shubenacadie River to its intersection with the centre line of Highway No. 102; then southwesterly along the centre line of Highway No. 102 to its intersection with the centre line of Highway No. 101 being the place of beginning. Together with all inland and offshore islands.

**Deer Management Zone 6** includes certain lands within Nova Scotia, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the centre of the Baddeck River and its intersection with Highway No. 105; then northwesterly along the centre of Highway No. 105 to its intersection with the Cabot Trail; then northerly along the centre of the Cabot Trail to where it crosses the Margaree River at the mouth of river; then downstream along the centre of the Margaree River to the Gulf of St. Lawrence; then westerly and southerly along the coastline of the Gulf of St. Lawrence and St. George's Bay to the Strait of Canso; then southeasterly along the centre of the Strait of Canso to Chedabucto Bay; then easterly along the centre of the Chedabucto Bay to the Atlantic Ocean; then easterly, northerly, and westerly along the coastline of the Atlantic Ocean to the mouth of Great Bras d'Or Channel; then southwesterly along the centre of the Great Bras d'Or Channel to its mouth on the Great Bras d'Or; then in a direct line to the eastern mouth of St. Patrick's Channel; then westerly along the centre of St. Patrick's Channel to the mouth of Nyanza Bay; then northerly and easterly along the centre of Nyanza Bay to the mouth of the Baddeck River; then upstream along the centre of the Baddeck River to its intersection with Highway No. 105 being the point of beginning. Together with all inland and offshore islands.

**Deer Management Zone 7** includes certain lands within Nova Scotia, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the centre of the Baddeck River at its intersection with the centre line of Highway No. 105; then northwesterly along the centre of Highway No. 105 to its intersection with the Cabot Trail; then northerly along the centre line of the Cabot Trail to where it crosses the Margaree River at the mouth of the river; then downstream along the centre of the Margaree River to the Gulf of St. Lawrence; then northeasterly along the coastline of the Gulf of St. Lawrence to Cape St. Lawrence; then easterly, southerly, and westerly along the coastline of the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the Atlantic Ocean to the Atlantic mouth of the Great Bras d'Or Channel; then southwesterly along the centre of the Great Bras d'Or Channel to its mouth on the Great Bras d'Or; then in a direct line to the eastern mouth of St. Patrick's Channel; then westerly along the centre of St. Patrick's Channel to the mouth of Nyanza Bay; then northerly and easterly along the centre of Nyanza Bay to the mouth of the Baddeck River; then upstream along the centre of the Baddeck River to its intersection with the centre line Highway No. 105 being the point of beginning. Together with all inland and offshore islands.

## REPORT A POACHER

Help protect your Natural Resources, report wildlife crime, call **1-800-565-2224** or visit our website at

[www.gov.ns.ca/natr/enforcement/reportapoacher.htm](http://www.gov.ns.ca/natr/enforcement/reportapoacher.htm).

Angling and hunting regulations are designed to protect you as well as your fish and wildlife resources. A person who breaks these laws is a thief, stealing your resource.

Poaching and other fish and wildlife offences concern the whole community. If you know of someone breaking fish or wildlife laws, report what you know. Often information that seems unimportant can be of the greatest value.

*Help us, help you protect your resource.*

## TRAPPERS ASSOCIATION OF NOVA SCOTIA CELEBRATES 40 YEARS

The Trappers Association of Nova Scotia is an organization spawned from the progressive ideas of Neil van Nostrand, Nova Scotia's first DNR furbearer biologist. In 1968, Neil brought trappers together from across the province to discuss and learn humane trapping methods and proper pelt preparation. His leadership taught the trappers of this province to share their skills and ideas. The Trappers Association is proud of the 40 years of service to other trappers, the government, public at large and most importantly the humaneness in which we are able to do our job.

Some of the accomplishments of the Trappers Association are:

1. Member of Nova Scotia Federation of Anglers and Hunters
2. Member of Canadian National Trappers Alliance
3. Member of Canadian Outdoor Heritage Alliance
4. Member of Fur Institute of Canada
5. Supporter of Trap Research
6. Spear-headed testing of 160 body-gripping trap for raccoon
7. Helped develop dog-resistant trapping systems
8. Supporter of progressive education programs
9. Assist Department of Natural Resources with various research programs including bobcat, beaver, raccoon, round worm, otter, fisher relocation, marten home range and relocation and other recovery activities.
10. Maintains a student bursary program
11. Has sent a Nova Scotia trapper to Italy, Korea, Hong Kong, mainland China, United States and every province and territory in this country to explain and defend the fur industry of Nova Scotia.
12. Monitors activities of anti-fur activists
13. Works closely with the Department of Natural Resources to ensure a sustainable harvest
14. Publishes a quarterly newsletter for our membership
15. Sponsors a 3-day workshop and convention focusing on new regulations, proper pelt preparation, and humane sets and methods
16. Sponsors a 3-day family camping rendezvous each August

For membership information, please contact:

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**2008 Bear Hunting Tag**



**2008 Bonus Deer Hunting Tag**



**2008 Deer Hunting Tag**



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**Immediately after** killing bear, cut off tag.

On the inside back cover, **cut out the entire white triangles for the day and month** of the kill (and only for that day and month). Slits, holes, punches, etc., are not legal.

Tag must remain with bear.  
Licence **VOID** when tag is removed.  
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