

2013-14 Hunting Regulations Public Meetings



Mark your calendars

Tuesday, Jan. 29 7-9 p.m.

Your opinion matters

Voice your opinions about hunting regulations and seasons at one of 8 public meetings to be held around the state. The meetings are part of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission's annual hunting regulations process. You'll have the opportunity to make comments and proposals for the 2013-14 hunting seasons.

Comments may be either verbal or written. Written comments may be submitted at any of the meetings or mailed by Feb. 28 to the AGFC, attn: Hunting Regulations Proposals, 2 Natural Resources Drive, Little Rock, AR 72205. There will be a brief presentation starting at 7 p.m. followed by oral comments from the public. After the meeting, AGFC personnel will be available to answer questions.

Calico Rock

AGFC Regional Office 1125 Hwy. 56 1-877-297-4331

Fayetteville

Ozark Electric Cooperative Corporation 3641 Wedington Drive 1-866-253-2506

Hope

AGFC Regional Office 7004 Hwy. 67 East, Perrytown 1-877-777-5580

Jonesboro

Forrest L. Wood Crowley's Ridge Nature Center 600 East Lawson Road 1-877-972-5438

Little Rock

AGFC Central Office 2 Natural Resources Drive 1-800-364-4263

Monticello

AGFC Regional Office 771 Jordan Drive 1-877-367-3559

Mount Ida

Montgomery County Courthouse 105 Hwy. 270 E. 1-877-478-1043

Russellville

AGFC Regional Office 1266 Lock and Dam Road 1-877-967-7577





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elow are topics of discussion for the 2013-14 Hunting Regulations Public Meetings. Please provide the AGFC with your comments on nany of the topics as you would like. It's important that we hear from the public on these issues. Thanks for your time and input.
. Change the checking time from 24 to 12 hours after harvesting bear, deer and turkey.
All cervid carcasses entering the state must follow cervid carcass importation restrictions. This will include states, Canadian provinces and countries not currently listed in the code.
. Prohibit mentors from carrying firearms for their hunting purposes during any youth only hunt.
. Change the WMA deer permit draw process from two drawings to one and change the payment period f two to four weeks. Permits not paid for will be available for purchase online.
. Include deer zone 3 in the private lands antlerless only modern gun deer hunt.
. Implement spread/beam length antler restrictions on Dave Donaldson Black River WMA. Change the antler estriction from the three point rule to 15-inch inside spread or 18-inch main beam.
. Implement spread/beam length antler restrictions on Dr. Lester Sitzes III Bois d'Arc, Hope Upland, McIlroy Madisc County, Scott Henderson Gulf Mountain, Shirey Bay Rainey Brake WMAs. Change the antler restriction from the three point rule to 12-inch inside spread or 15-inch main beam.

8.	Modify boundaries of deer zones 11 and 13.
9.	Allow the harvest of one doe in deer zone 11 for the entire muzzleloader and modern gun seasons.
10.	Re-instate the bear quota for zone 2 of 150 (125 for October and 25 for November).
	Allow squirrel hunting with dogs except for the first nine days of modern gun deer season on Ozark National Forest, Piney Creeks and White Rock WMAs.
lf y	ou have any additional comments, please list them below.

This form may also be returned by mailing to: Hunting Regulations Public Meetings, Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, 2 Natural Resources Drive, Little Rock, AR 72205 or visit www.agfc.com to respond online.