

Hunting in NC Coastal Reserves



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Rules and Regs for Northern Reserve Sites



- All hunters must have a valid North Carolina Hunting License and a valid Reserve Hunting permit for the current hunting season. Valid permit must be carried on person while hunting.
- Hunt according to NC Wildlife Commission, local government, and Reserve rules and regulations.
- Hunters are responsible for knowing these regulations and Reserve boundaries.
- Refer to the maps on hunting permits for weapon restrictions.
- Be AWARE trails are used by hikers and horseback riders.
- Where rifles are allowed (EAST OF THE WOODS RD) they MUST be discharged from a stand or a position 8 or more feet above the ground.

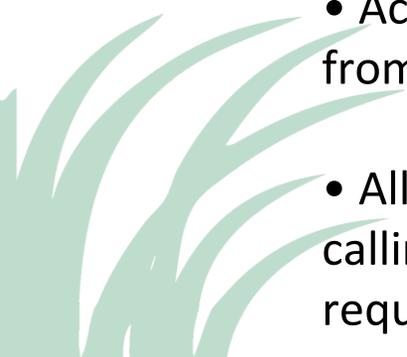
**HUNTERS WALKING WITH RIFLES SHOULD NOT HAVE ROUNDS CHAMBERED.
No exceptions.**



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- You may NOT construct or use permanent blinds, tree stands, platforms or ladders. Tree stands should be removed from the Reserve after each day's hunt. The Reserve will not be responsible for their loss or theft. **Placement of a tree stand does not claim a hunting location.**
- NO personal property may remain on the Reserve overnight. **No BAITING is allowed on the Reserve.**
- A fine up to \$500 may apply for discharge of a firearm within 300 yards of any building.
- NO ATVs, dirt bikes or motorized vehicles are allowed in the Reserve, including Covered Bridge Road.
- Access the Reserve at designated access points unless you have obtained permission from other property owners.
- All hunters are REQUIRED to report any successful taking of wildlife within the Reserve by calling 252-261-8891. This is in addition to NC Wildlife Resources Commission reporting requirements.



Rules and Regs for Currituck Banks Reserve

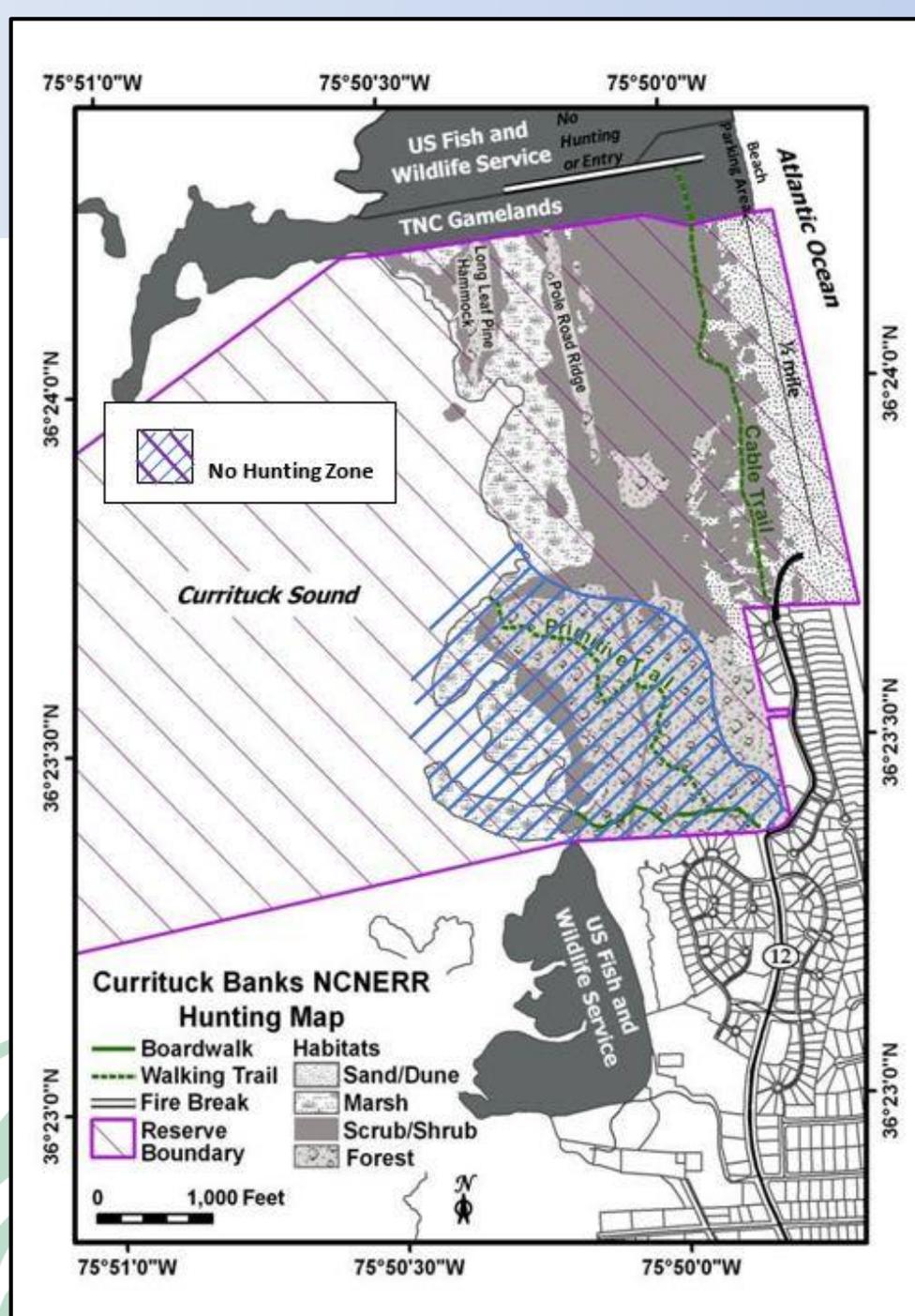


- Rifles not allowed.
- No hunting near hiking trails (see map)
- No hunting North of Firebreak or along USFWS portion of firebreak. Easiest to consider firebreak off limits due to limited portion of gamelands in fire break.
- **NO LITTERING** (Carry-out anything you Carry-In)
- No duck hunting on waters or shoreline that connects to Currituck Sound or falls within 500 yards of a hunting blind. (This means there is no viable duck hunting area except a couple ponds deep in the interior)





Currituck Banks Hunting Zones map



Rules and Regs for Kitty Hawk Woods

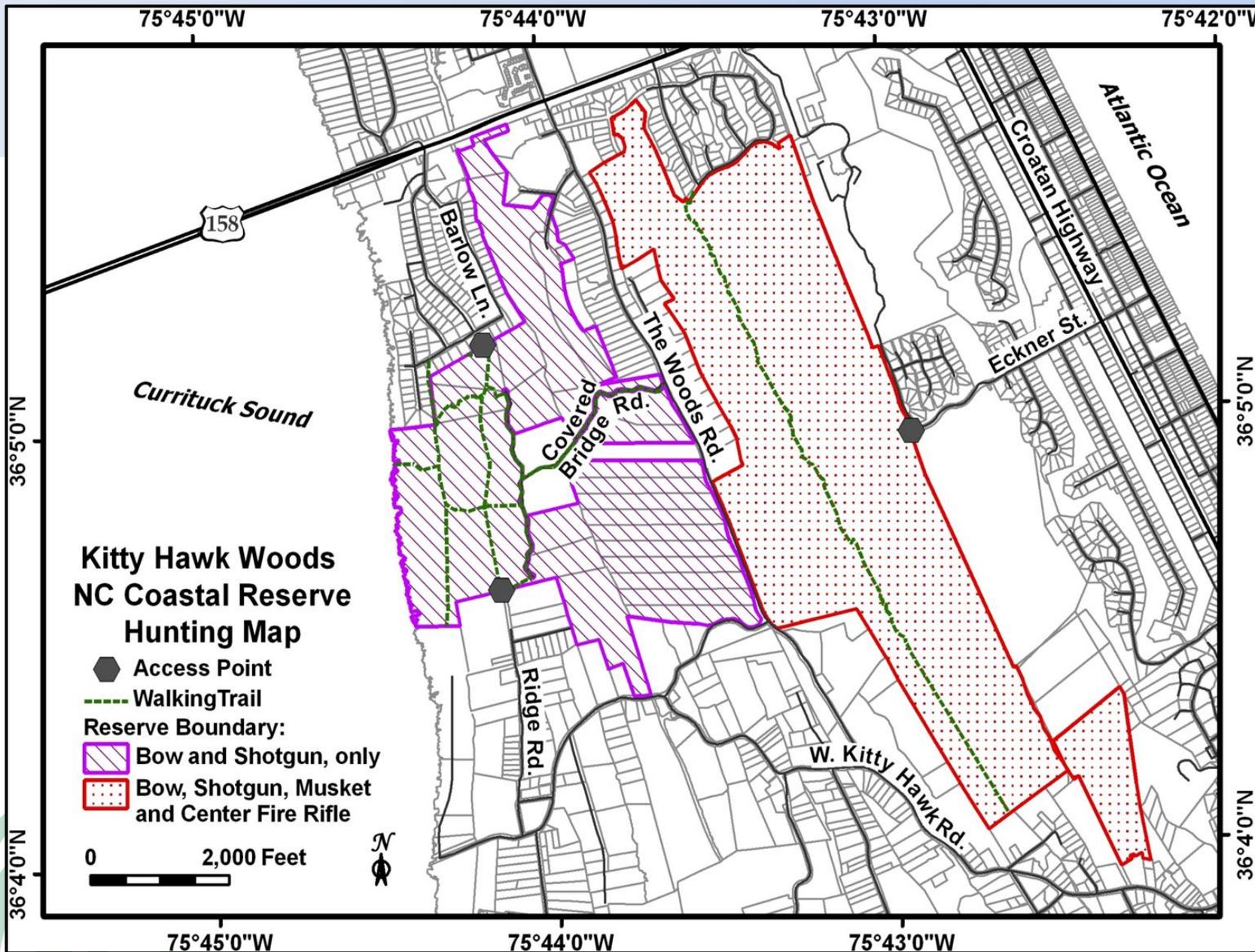


- Rifles allowed only east of the Woods Rd.
- Know and abide by hunting buffers.
- No permanent tree stands; orient temporary tree stands away from hiking trails.
- No duck hunting from the sound or bay waters unless you have a valid float blind license. Interior ponds can be hunted. Be aware of current Dare County Game Commission rules and regs.





Kitty Hawk Woods Hunting Zones Map



Town of Kitty Hawk Firearms Ordinance

(Buffer maps on
following pages)



North Carolina Coastal
Reserve
983 W. Kitty Hawk Road
Kitty Hawk, NC 27949-4240
(252) 261-8891

ATTENTION HUNTERS:

Section 18-6 of Town of Kitty Hawk Ordinances states:

(Any violation of this section shall be a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punishable by fine of not more than \$500.00 or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days.)

**It shall be unlawful to discharge
any firearm within 300 yards of
any residence, dwelling,
business or building.**

PERMITS REQUIRED TO HUNT THIS AREA

**PLEASE OBEY ALL STATE, COUNTY, TOWN
AND RESERVE HUNTING REGULATIONS.**



**Kitty Hawk Woods
Component
NC Coastal Reserve**

 Reserve Boundary

 Reserve Office

Building Buffers

 150 Yards

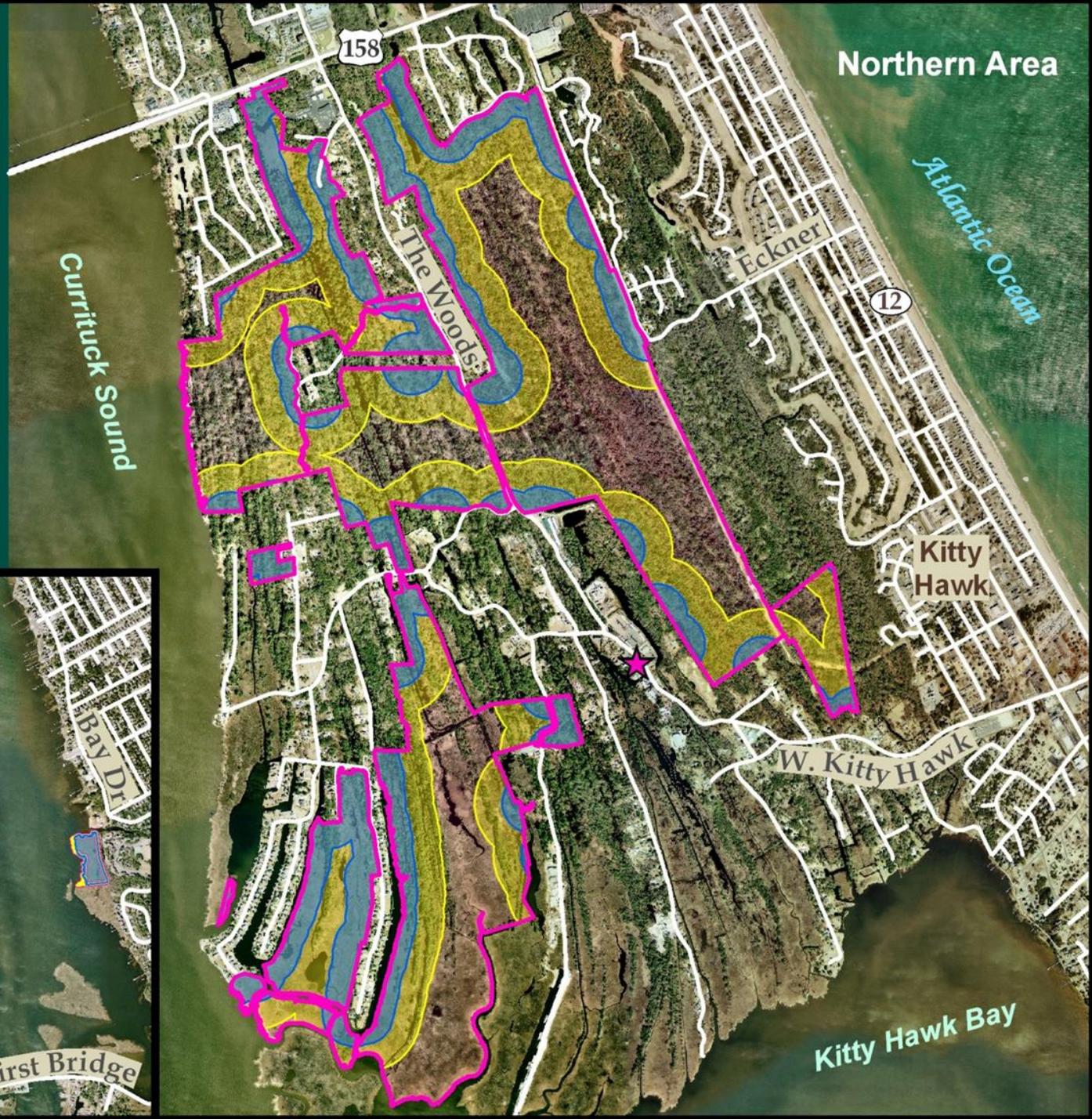
 300 Yards

0 0.75 Kilometers

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Northern Area



Southern
Area

Kitty Hawk
Bay Islands



