POINTE MOUILLEE STATE GAME AREA

- All Area, General Map -

in Monroe and Wayne Counties

5,195 acres

Contact:

Pointe Mouillee SGA
Headquarters/ DNR Wildlife Office
37205 Mouillee Road,
Rockwood, MI 48173
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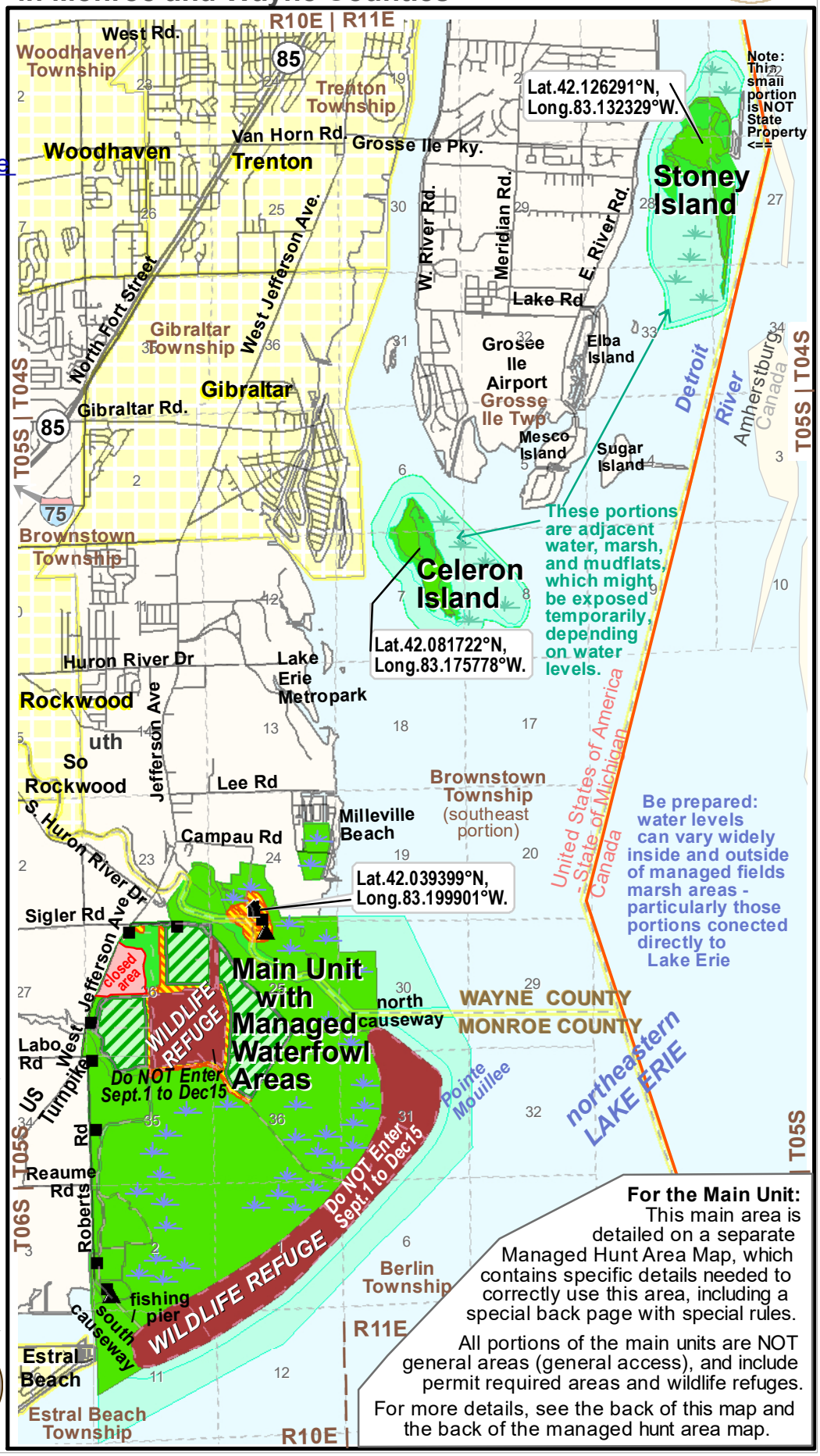
State Wildlife/Game Area:

- Hunting Land - General Area
- Managed Hunt Units- see lower-right comment and back
- Wildlife Refuge, seasonal - Do NOT Enter, No Hunting
- Safety Zones - NO Hunting
- Area Headquarters
- Parking Lots - park only in posted lots
- Boating Ramp
- Marsh

0 0.5 1 2 Miles

Hunter Safety Zones of 150 yards (450 feet) are enforced around all buildings/structures at all times.



For the Main Unit:
This main area is detailed on a separate Managed Hunt Area Map, which contains specific details needed to correctly use this area, including a special back page with special rules.

All portions of the main units are NOT general areas (general access), and include permit required areas and wildlife refuges.

For more details, see the back of this map and the back of the managed hunt area map.

For more information and help on areas: contact DNR offices, visit the DNR online (www.mi.gov/dnr), click-on or scan the QR-block. **Complete rules and regulations** are online (www.mi.gov/dnrlaws). **This geospatial PDF** has embedded GPS coordinates and links.

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SPECIAL USE AND HUNTING RULES

All other applicable State Land Use rules and regulations apply, unless modified by the text below. To review the standard "Wildlife and Game Area - State Land Rules" (doc# IC 2598), see the back of most State Wildlife/Game Area maps (except those with Special Use and Hunting Rules, like this page); maps, rules and regulations, and more information on this and other areas are available at DNR Offices or on the internet at http://www.michigan.gov/dnr .

NOTE: It is your responsibility as a user of public lands, to ensure you are informed of all current rules and regulations relevant to your activities. The information presented here represents some details relevant to land use, but this is not a complete list of all rules and regulations, and may not be as immediately updated as current legislation and rules. This product is not a legal notice, nor a complete collection of hunting regulations and laws. It is a condensed tool issued for convenience on this specific subject. Contact your local DNR office if you have questions, or to verify regulations relating to possible activities before engaging in those activities. The DNR is on the internet at http://www.michigan.gov/dnr .

If you have questions or comments about this area or its management, please contact the Pointe Mouillee DNR Wildlife Field Office, at 37205 Mouillee Road, Rockwood, Michigan 48173 ; phone (734) 379-9692.

The map (reverse side) shows main units, -and- the Celeron Island and Stoney Island units in the Detroit River, north from main units.

GENERAL RULES

- You may not enter the area posted "WILDLIFE REFUGE - DO NOT ENTER" or "WILDLIFE RFUGE – CLOSED TO ALL USE AND OCCUPANCY" from September 1 until December 15. Note the change in dates of start and end of closure, as of August 2013.
- During the waterfowl hunting season, you may not enter any part of the game area posted "STATE GAME AREA - HUNTING BY PERMIT ONLY" without written permission.
- For additional information or assistance regarding the State Game Area, please contact the office (details at top of page).

REGARDING WATERFOWL HUNTING

1. Reservations by mail are no longer required to hunt during the opening day morning managed hunt of the regular waterfowl season.
2. Waterfowl hunting permits are issued for a MORNING HUNT and an AFTERNOON HUNT. Drawings for permits will be held for waterfowl hunting in the Nelson, Long Pond, and Walpatich Units - at the game area check station on Sundays and Thursdays at 5:30am and 11:00am, and on Tuesdays at 5:30 am - throughout the regular waterfowl season unless otherwise posted.
3. Only parties of 2 or 3 can register one or two absentee hunter(s) with the absentee hunter's license.
4. Morning permits will be issued until 8:00am and afternoon permits will be issued until 1:00pm.
5. On any day that you have participated in a morning drawing and are issued a hunting permit, you may not participate in the afternoon drawing, but may be issued an unused permit after the drawing.
6. Hunting by permit is restricted to assigned zones in the permit area, with a limit of 2 or 4 hunters per zone, party or single. Other areas are posted "STATE GAME AREA – OPEN TO HUNTING." Permit holders must return their permits to the designated location within two hours after their hunt. All game taken must be reported and / or presented for examination.
7. Each hunter is limited to 18 shells with shot size no larger than 1 while hunting in the managed zones. It is unlawful to possess or use shot shells loaded with any material other than steel, bismuth, tungsten alloy, or other Federally approved shot.

Regarding Youth Hunts: On the opening day afternoon hunt and second Sunday in November morning hunt during the regular waterfowl season. Priority drawings are available for hunting parties with at least one youth 16 years of age or younger and up to two adults (maximum party size is four). Youths 10-16 with hunters safety can be accompanied by a parent, guardian, or someone 18 years of age or older designated by the parent or guardian. Youths hunting under the apprentice or mentor licenses must be accompanied by an adult 21 years of age or older that has completed hunters safety.

REGARDING TRAPPING: Trapping of furbearers is ***by local permit only***. Contact the Pointe Mouillee office for details (details at top).

THESE ACTIVITIES ARE PROHIBITED:

a.) Hunting or shooting from any dike, road, trail, safety zone, or retrieving zone.
b.) Constructing a shooting pit or blind on the game area. Portable blinds are permitted, but must be removed at the end of each hunt. No screw-in steps.
c.) Using an amphibious vehicle, all-terrain, air-boat, hovercraft, or any other motor driven vehicle while in the managed hunting area. Outboard motors are permitted but must be operated at a no-wake speed (such as 10 mph).
d.) Parking outside of designated parking areas. See map for parking lot locations, or contact the office for more information.
e.) Trapping in the area, except under a written permit. Contact the area office for detailed information.
f.) Taking cans or glass bottles into the permit zones, or to possess or consume alcoholic beverages.
g.) To enter, use or occupy the state-owned lands of Pointe Mouillee State Game Area between the hours of 11:00pm and 4:00am unless specially permitted. No camping is permitted, and it is prohibited to build or use a ground fire.
h.) To use a firearm or bow and arrow for target shooting of any kind.
i.). To ride or lead a horse, other riding animal, or pack animal, or to allow such animal or any animal-drawn vehicle to use or travel on any areas other than established public roads or trails designated for such use, without proper written permission. Proper written permission means a written permit issued by the DNR Director, or by a representative authorized by him to do so.
j.) All dogs must be on leash from April 15th to July 15th during the wildlife nesting period.
k.) Other Rules and Regulations for the State Game Area may be posted in the area; look for additional signs or notices to insure you have a safe hunt. Check current waterfowl and hunting digests for necessary licenses, stamps, season dates and other details.

CAUTION: Use care near all open water areas; some of these areas may contain deep water, depending on season and recent rainfall.

BE A SAFE HUNTER - A safe hunter obeys laws governing hunting and boating, is alert to any conditions hazardous to personal safety of the hunter and others.

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