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FALL WILD TURKEY SHOTGUN PERMIT APPLICATION FOR RESIDENTS & NON-RESIDENTS

APPLICATION INFORMATION

- You must use an official 2020 IDNR Fall Wild Turkey Shotgun Permit Application form. In-person and mailed applications will receive equal treatment.
- Permits are not transferable. No refunds will be made unless your county or hunt area choice is not available.
- It is unlawful to submit applications before the second lottery for more than one permit for the same person.
- It is unlawful to receive more than 2 permits for the Fall Wild Turkey Shotgun Season, **and only 1 of those permits may be obtained via the Lottery process.**
- Landowners who receive a Fall Turkey Shotgun permit in the 1st or 2nd Lottery drawing are not eligible for a Landowner Fall Turkey Shotgun permit.
- Individuals who have received a Landowner Fall Turkey Shotgun permit, or who have submitted application for same that is still pending, may not apply for additional permits in the 1st or 2nd Lottery Drawing. Landowners who wish to obtain an additional permit may purchase one over the counter (pending availability).
- Violations of these provisions will result in all applications being rejected, or permits revoked, and fees forfeited.
- If you have questions, please call the IDNR Permitting office at (217)782-7305, (TTY) (217)-782-9175 or visit our website at www.dnr.illinois.gov

FEES

RESIDENT = \$15 NON-RESIDENT = \$125

APPLICATION DATES

FIRST LOTTERY - Applications from Illinois residents will be accepted through July 6th.

SECOND LOTTERY - Applications from non-residents and residents that do not have a permit will be accepted through August 24th. Illinois residents will be given preference for permits allocated in the Second Lottery.

Permits remaining after the Second Lottery drawing will be available over the counter beginning Monday, September 21st. Persons may purchase one or two permits during this period, except that no one may exceed the limit of two permits in total, including Landowner permits.

LICENSE

In addition to your turkey permit, you must have a valid Illinois Hunting, Sportsman's, Youth or Apprentice License, unless you are a person who is disabled and able to show proof of disability in the form of:

- a State Disabled Person I.D. card (available from the Secretary of State through the Driver's License Examining Station) showing a P2, P2A, H2, or H2A disability, or
- a Veterans Disability card (at least 10% service related); available from local Illinois Department of Veterans' Affairs offices **OR IF THE FOLLOWING APPLIES:**
 - You are an Illinois resident on active duty and on leave from the U.S. Armed Forces

In order to be issued a license, hunters born on or after Jan. 1, 1980 must show proof that they have successfully completed the IDNR Hunter Safety Training Course (except Youth or Apprentice) or must show a previous year's hunting license. To obtain information about classes scheduled in your area visit our website www.illinois.gov/safety or call 1-800-832-2599.

HABITAT STAMP

(\$5.50) Before any person 18 years of age or older takes, attempts to take or pursues any species of wildlife protected by the Wildlife Code (except migratory waterfowl, coots, and hand-reared birds on licensed game breeding and hunting preserve areas and state controlled pheasant hunting areas) he or she must first obtain a State Habitat Stamp. Disabled veterans, former prisoners of war and persons who obtained a Lifetime license before Jan. 1, 1993, are not required to obtain a State Habitat Stamp.

FIREARM OWNER'S ID CARD (Issued by Illinois State Police)

Regardless of who owns the gun, anyone who has a firearm or firearm ammunition in their possession must have in their possession a valid Firearm Owners' ID (FOID) Card unless he or she is: a) a licensed out of state sportsman hunting in Illinois, or b) under the age of 21 and under the immediate control of a parent, guardian, or responsible adult who has in their possession a valid FOID Card.

FOID Card Information (217) 782-7980

SEASON DATES: OCT. 24 - Nov. 1, 2020

OPEN COUNTIES (require County-Specific Permit)		OPEN SPECIAL HUNT AREAS (require Site-Specific Permit)
Adams	Macoupin	Apple River Canyon SP - Salem & Thompson units in JoDaviess County (ARCSP)
Alexander	Madison	Crab Orchard NWR in Williamson County (CRAB)
Brown	Marion	Crawford County Conservation Area in Crawford County (CCCA)
Calhoun	Mason	Embarras River Bottoms SHA in Lawrence County (EMBARR)
Carroll	Massac	Flag Pond SNA in Clay County (FPSNA)
Cass	McDonough	Hamilton County SFWA in Hamilton County (HCFWA)
Clark	Menard	Jim Edgar Panther Creek in Cass County (JEPC)
Clay	Mercer	Meeker Habitat Area in Jasper County (MHA)
Crawford	Monroe	Newton Lake FWA in Jasper County (NLFWA)
Edwards	Morgan	Sam Parr SP in Jasper County (SPSP)
Franklin	Perry	Sand Ridge SF in Mason County (SAND)
Fulton	Pike	Ten Mile Creek SFWA in Hamilton/ Jefferson County (TMCFWA)
Gallatin/Hardin (enter: Gallatin)	Pope	Witkowsky SWA in JoDaviess County (WSWA)
Greene	Pulaski	
Hamilton	Randolph	
Hancock	Richland	
Henderson	Rock Island	
Jackson	Saline	
Jasper	Schuyler	
Jefferson	Scott	
Jersey	Stephenson	
JoDaviess	Union	
Johnson	Wabash	
Knox	Warren	
Lawrence	Washington	
	Wayne	
	White	
	Whiteside	
	Williamson	
	Winnebago	