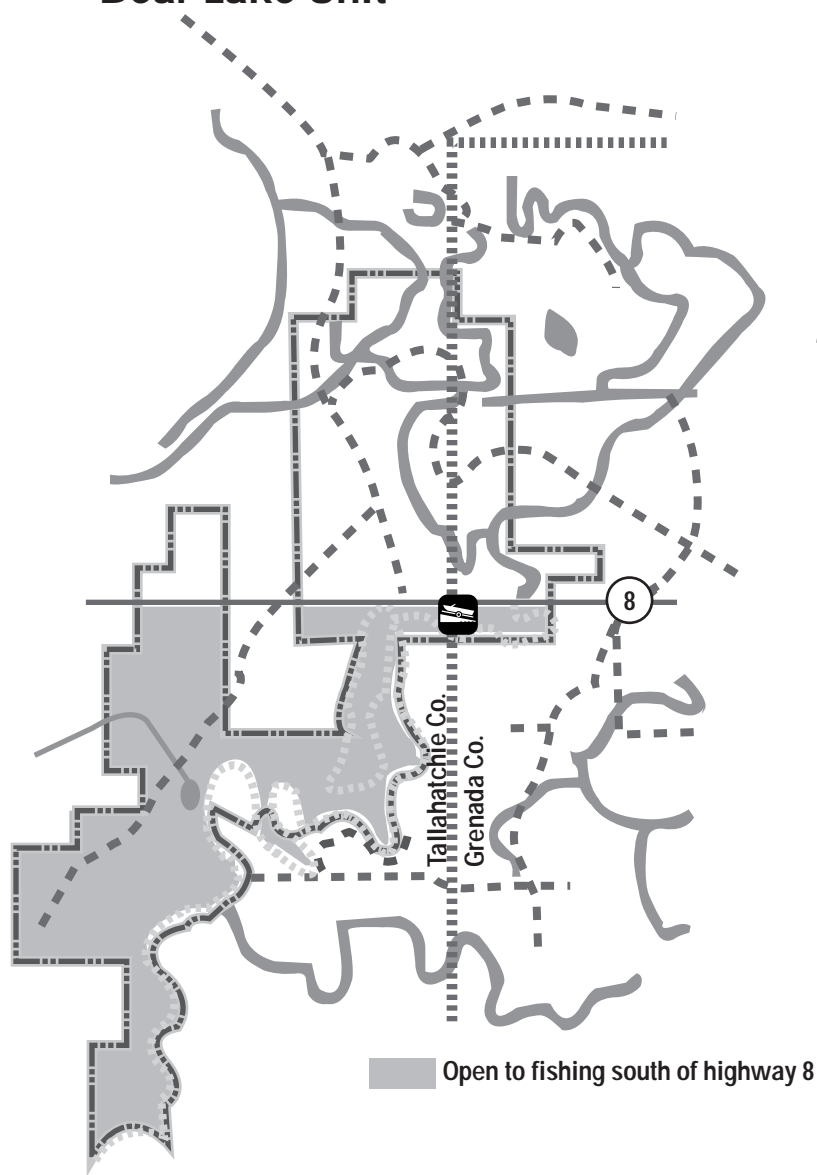
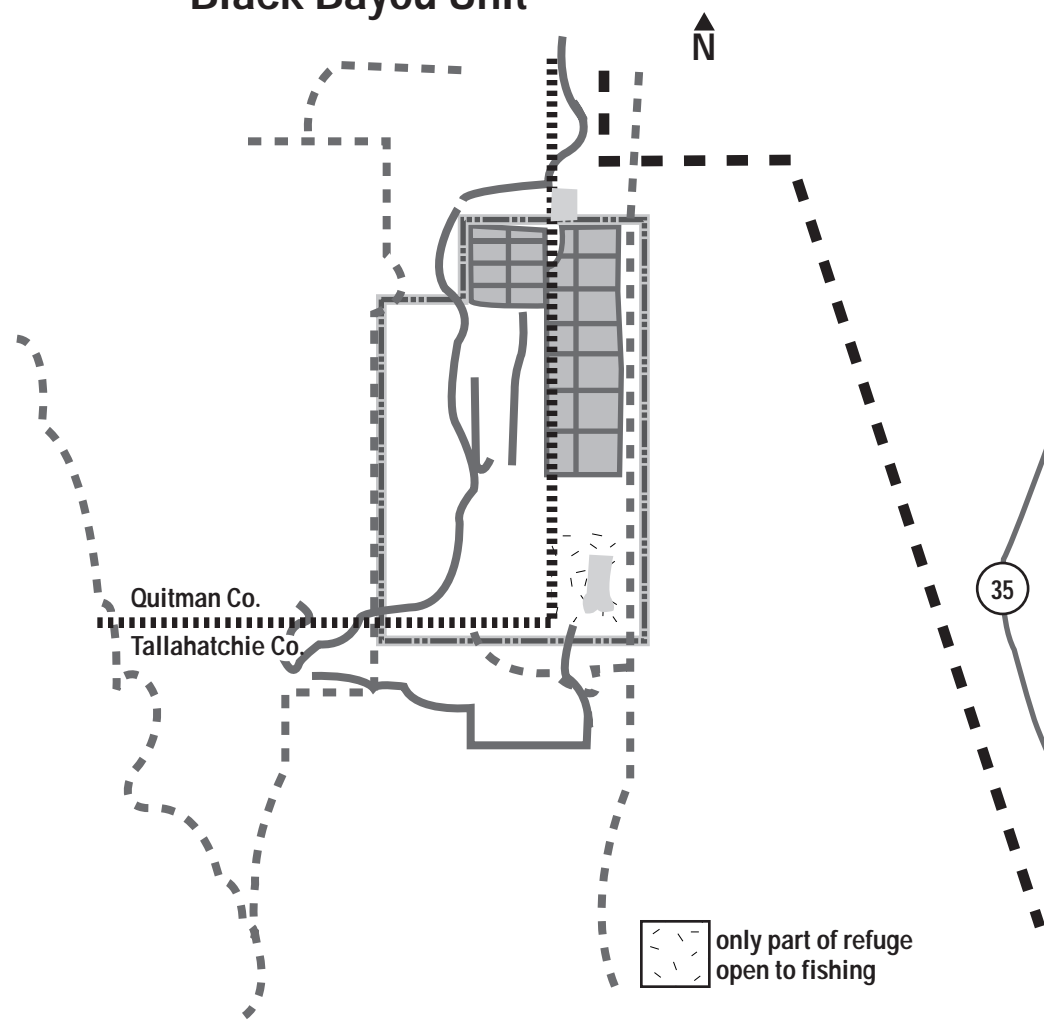


Tallahatchie National Wildlife Refuge Bear Lake Unit



Open to fishing south of highway 8

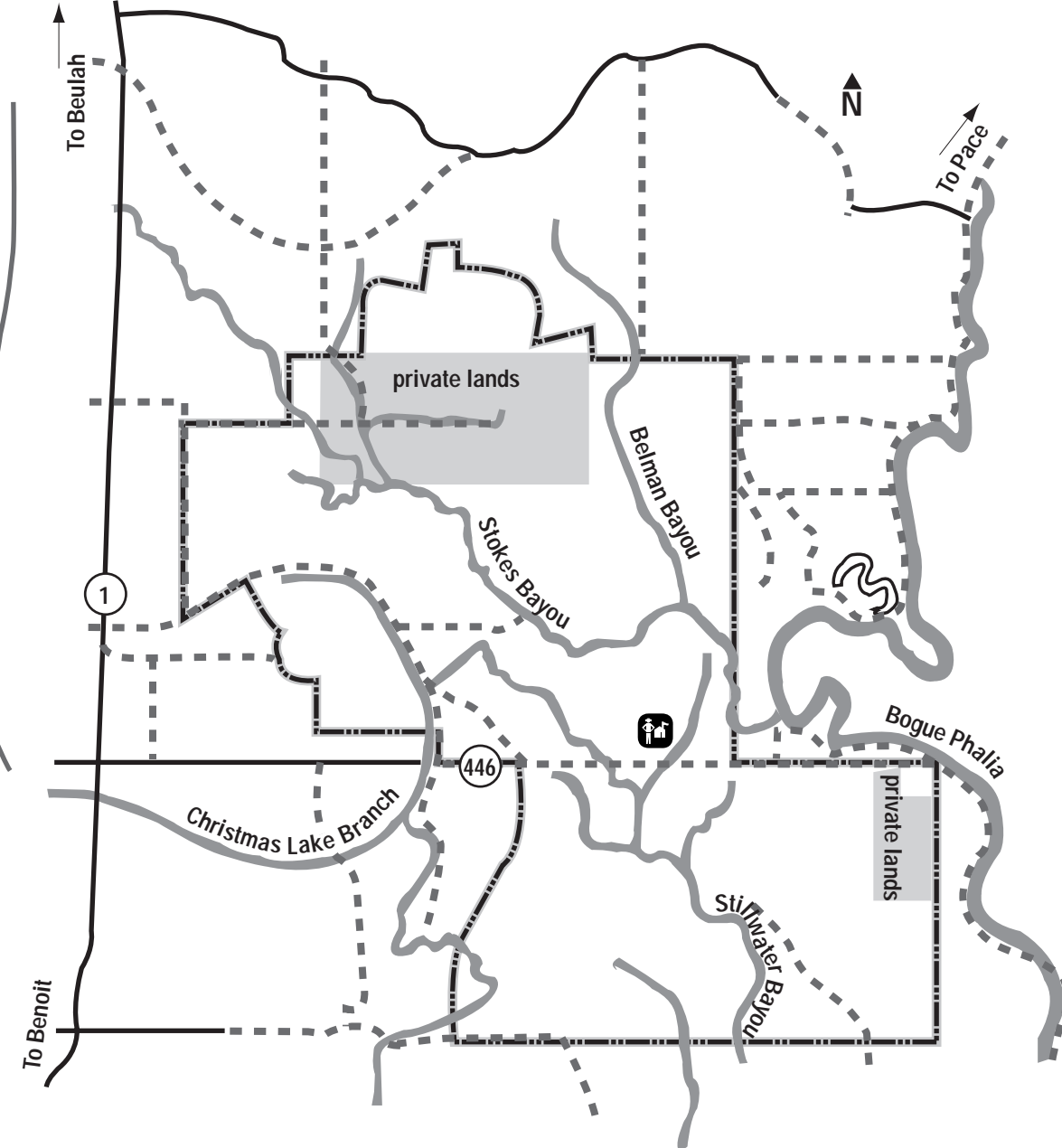
Tallahatchie National Wildlife Refuge Black Bayou Unit



only part of refuge
open to fishing

- Refuge Boundary
- County Line
- Paved Road
- - - Unpaved Road
- 🏠 Refuge Headquarters
- 🚤 Boat Ramp

Dahomey National Wildlife Refuge

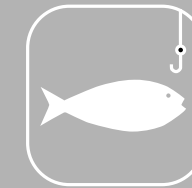


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Dahomey and Tallahatchie

National Wildlife Refuges Fishing Regulations 1998-99



Monies generated from the sale of Federal Duck Stamps help purchase and preserve wetland habitats, including National Wildlife Refuges, for use by migratory waterfowl and other wildlife. Your purchase of a Duck Stamp helps ensure viable wildlife populations and continuing recreational opportunities for future generations. Duck stamps may be purchased at your local post office.

Tallahatchie and Dahomey National Wildlife Refuge 1999 Fishing Permit

This card, when signed and in your possession, will serve as a refuge fishing permit and acknowledges your understanding of the regulations within the brochure.

Signature (Permit not transferable)

Introduction

Dahomey and Tallahatchie National Wildlife Refuges are two of over 500 national wildlife refuges. The primary objective of a national wildlife refuge is to provide habitat for the conservation and protection of all species of fish and wildlife. Sport fishing is permitted at a level compatible with the environment, provides wholesome recreational opportunities and permits the use of valuable renewable resources.

The regulations listed below supplement the general regulations which govern hunting and fishing on wildlife refuge areas as set forth in Title 50 Code of Federal Regulations. Fishing is in accordance with applicable State regulations subject to the following special conditions.

General Sport Fishing Regulations

All Federal and State regulations governing boating, creel limits, and license requirements must be followed by refuge fisherman.

All fisherman on the refuge must carry on their person a valid state fishing license and a valid refuge permit.

Possession or use of jugs, seines, nets, hand-grab baskets or any other similar devices and commercial fishing of any kind are prohibited. Except during authorized refuge hunts, possession of any weapon is prohibited while fishing.

No fires are permitted on the refuge.

Littering in any form is strictly prohibited.

Camping on the refuge is not permitted.



Use of plastic flagging is not permitted.

All plants and animals on the refuge are protected by Federal law. Animals may not be killed, injured, captured or harassed.

ATV's are not permitted on the refuge.

Certain areas of the refuge may be closed for sanctuary purposes or administrative purposes. Such areas will be marked with "Area Closed" signs.

Motor vehicles, boats, and trailers must be currently registered and licensed as per state law.

Dahomey National Wildlife Refuge Specific Fishing Regulations

Dahomey NWR is closed to fishing from October 1 through February 28.

Tallahatchie National Wildlife Refuge Bear Lake Unit Specific Fishing Regulations

Fishing is permitted south of Mississippi highway 8 only.

Tallahatchie National Wildlife Refuge Black Bayou Unit Specific Fishing Regulations

Fishing allowed in bar pits only.



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