

RESOLUTION OF THE  
WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE OF THE  
FORT APACHE INDIAN RESERVATION

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe has been presented with proposed 1982/83 Game and Fish Regulations for tribal members, and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has reviewed and considered such regulations a copy of which is attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe that it hereby approves the attached 1982/83 Tribal member Hunting and Fishing Regulations for the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

The foregoing resolution was on August 13, 1982 duly adopted by a vote of 8 for and 0 against by the Tribal Council of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, pursuant to authority vested in it by Article V, Section 1 (f & i) of the Amended Constitution and By-Laws of the Tribe, ratified by the Tribe June 27, 1958 and approved by the Secretary of the Interior on May 29, 1958, pursuant to Section 16 of the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984).

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AGENCY  
WHITERIVER, ARIZ

  
Chairman of the Tribal Council

  
Secretary of the Tribal Council

# HUNTING SEASONS

## 1. DEER

SEASON DATES: December 11, 1982 - January 2, 1983 inclusive  
BAG LIMIT: (1) one deer per tag holder  
LEGAL DEER: Antlered white-tail only

### \* \* SPECIAL REGULATION \* \*

All deer carcasses must have hides on while in the field.

## 2. TURKEY

1ST HUNT  
SEASON DATES: NOVEMBER 6 to NOVEMBER 24, 1982  
BAG LIMIT: (1) one turkey per tag; (2) two turkeys per season  
LEGAL TURKEY: All turkey - either sex

## SPRING HUNT:

SEASON DATES: April 17 to April 25, 1982  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) turkey per tag holder  
LEGAL TURKEY: Gobbler (male) only.

## 3. ELK

## 5. LION

SEASON DATES: Open year long.  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) lion per tag - Two (2) per calendar year.  
LEGAL LION: Any lion - either sex.  
OPEN AREA: All of the reservation.

## 6. ANTELOPE

No season

## 7. JAVELINA - ARCHERY

SEASON DATES: January 2 - January 29, 1982 inclusive  
NO. OF PERMITS: Fifty (50).  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) per calendar year.  
LEGAL JAVELINA: Any javelina - either sex.  
MANNER OF TAKING: Bow and arrow only.

## 8. JAVELINA - FIREARMS

SEASON DATES: February 20 - March 21, 1982 inclusive  
NO. OF PERMITS: Fifty (50).  
BAG LIMIT: One (1) per calendar year.  
LEGAL JAVELINA: Any javelina - either sex.  
MANNER OF TAKING: Legal firearms.

## 9. PREDATOR

SEASON DATES: Open year long.

## 10. SMALL GAME

COTTONTAIL RABBITS  
SEASON DATES: Open year long.  
BAG LIMIT: Ten (10) per day of in possession.

FREE SQUIRREL  
SEASON DATES: October 2 - November 28, 1982  
BAG LIMIT: Five (5) per day of in possession.

## 4. BEAR

SEASON DATES: Open year long.  
BAG LIMIT: One bear per tag - two (2) per calendar year.  
LEGAL BEAR: Any bear - either sex.  
OPEN AREA: All of the reservation.

### \* \* SPECIAL REGULATION \* \*

Eating bears is prohibited.

- c. Set a trap within 100 yards of a federal, state, county, or municipal road or within 25 feet of any trail maintained for public use by a government or agency.
- d. Set a trap within 50 feet of any dead animal.
- e. Use any trap with saw-toothed or spiked jaws.
- f. Use a leg-hold steel jawed trap with a jaw spread exceeding 7 1/2 inches.
- g. Use a conibear or other instant kill trap with an open jaw spread exceeding 5 inches.

4. Each trapper must submit a report to the Game & Fish Office by May 30 of each year. This report will include the number of each kind of predatory, non-game and fur-bearing mammals taken and the wildlife management unit they were taken in. A trapping license will not be issued to any person who fails to submit the required report until the report is submitted.

5. All traps will be plainly identified. The trappers identification mark must be plainly marked upon a tag attached to the trap or it must be plainly marked on the top of the frame. Only the following are considered acceptable trap identification marks: A) the name and address of the trapper OR B) I.D. number given by this Department.

- 6. A trappers identification-mark must be entered upon the trapping license at the time of the permit purchase.
- 7. It is unlawful for a person to disturb the trap of another unless he is authorized to do so by the owner.
- 8. It is illegal to trap beaver.

"TRAP" OR "TRAPPING" means taking of animals in any manner except with a gun or implement in hand.

If you have any questions contact:

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 WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE  
 P. O. BOX 220  
 WHITE RIVER, ARIZONA 85941

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- 2. Put trash in proper containers.
- 3. Do not pollute streams, springs, or lakes.
- 4. Do not destroy or deface signs, tables, or improvements.
- 5. Please report any violators to the Game Rangers or the Game & Fish Department Office so we can apprehend the violators.

### TRAPPING REGULATIONS

SEASON DATES	OPEN AREAS	LEGAL ANIMALS
November 1, 1992 thru April 30, 1993	Reservation Wide EX-CEPT I.D. Game Reserve and other posted areas	Coyotes, Bobcats, Foxes, Coati Mundi, Ringtail, Badgers, Raccoon, Skunks, Weasels, Muskrats, Wild Dogs and Wild Domestic Cats

BAG LIMIT: UNLIMITED  
 POSSESSION LIMIT: UNLIMITED  
 PERMIT FEE: \$20.00  
 PERMITS ARE ONLY AVAILABLE AT THE GAME & FISH OFFICE

- 1. A valid trapping license must be in possession of any person when trapping or attempting to trap predatory and fur-bearing animals. Traps may be used to take such wildlife only during the trapping season established by this Department.
- 2. Daily inspection is required of each trap set and shall include the removal of all trapped animals. Any animal which may not be lawfully trapped must be IMMEDIATELY released when the trap is checked.
- 3. It is UNLAWFUL for any person to:
  - a. Set a trap within one-fourth mile of a boat launching area, picnic area, camping area, or roadside rest area developed for public use.
  - b. Set a trap within one-fourth mile of any occupied farm house, or other residence, cabin, lodge, or building without the permission of the owner or resident.

## TROUT

(All species except Salmo Apache)

SEASON DATES:

Year long.

BAG LIMIT:

(10) ten fish per member per day.

## SALMO APACHE

(Also called "Native or Arizona Trout")

NO SEASON:

It is illegal to fish for, catch, or possess these trout (except for during the Special Christmas Tree Lake Season.)

## BASS & SUNFISH

(All species)

SEASON DATES:

Year Long.

BAG LIMIT:

(15) fifteen fish per member per day.

## CATFISH

(All species)

SEASON DATES:

Year long.

BAG LIMIT:

(15) fifteen fish per member per day.

## NORTHERN PIKE

SEASON DATES:

Year long.

BAG LIMIT:

(5) five fish per member per day.

## AMPHIBIANS, MOLLUSKS, CRUSTACEANS AND REPTILES

(Except waterdogs; see special regulations)

SEASON DATES:

Year long

BAG LIMIT:

No limit.

### \*\* SPECIAL REGULATIONS \*\*

Cyclone Lake is restricted to artificial fly & lure fishing; only inedible manufactured objects made solely for the purpose of attracting and catching fish may be used.

2. Christmas Tree Lake and Hurricane Lake are closed to all fishing except for the Special Season(s) scheduled by the department. Contact this Department for further details.

3. It is illegal to clean fish in streams, springs, or lakes. Clean fish only at camp site and put remains in proper receptacle.

4. No worm digging is allowed around campgrounds, lakes, or stream beds.

Possession, transportation, importation, exportation of carcasses or aquatic wildlife:

5. The carcasses of aquatic wildlife that have been lawfully taken off the reservation may be imported into the reservation when accompanied by any required license or permit.

6. The carcasses of all freshwater fish imported, possessed or transported, must have the head and skin attached so that the species and numbers can be determined.

## CAMPING REGULATIONS

1. Camping is restricted to DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY. These areas are marked with signs and will contain one or more of the following: picnic table, fire ring, trash barrel, toilet facilities, and water outlets. Camping in any other area is PROHIBITED.

2. All trash must be placed in the proper containers.

3. All campfires must be of reasonable and controllable size.

4. It is illegal to leave a burning campfire unattended.

5. Make sure all campfire coals are out when leaving a campsite.

6. Only dead or down wood may be collected to use in campfires. It is illegal to cut green trees or break off branches from green trees.

It is a tremendous job keeping our vast reservation area clean and attractive for your enjoyment. Please observe the following rules:

1. Do not litter campgrounds, streams, lakes, or roadsides.

QUAIL

SEASON DATES: September 25, 1982 - February 13, 1983  
BAG LIMIT: Fifteen (15) per day or in possession.  
LEGAL QUAIL: Mearns, Gambels.

DOVE

SEASON DATES: September 1 - 28, 1982  
December 4, 1982 - January 1, 1983  
BAG LIMIT: Ten (10) per day or in possession.

GROUSE

SEASON DATES: October 9 - November 7, 1982 inclusive  
BAG LIMIT: Three (3) blue grouse per day or three in possession after opening day.  
OPEN AREA: All of the reservation, except where posted.

WATERFOWL

See Federal Regulations.

\*\* A Federal Duck Stamp is required for tribal members. Federal regulations and stamps are available at the post office \*\*

BANDTAIL PIGEONS

SEE FEDERAL REGULATIONS



-72.10 or Ordinance 100; CROP DAMAGE BY WILDLIFE

Wildlife depredations: investigations, corrective measures, disposal; reports; appeal. (A) Any person suffering property damage from wildlife may exercise all reasonable measures to alleviate such damage except that reasonable measures shall not include injury or killing game mammals or game birds. (B) Any reporting person suffering such property damage may after reporting to such relief as provided in subsection A, file a written report with the General Manager advising him of the damage suffered, and the species of animals causing such damage, and the General Manager shall forthwith order an investigation and report by an employee trained in the handling of wild