

MOTOR VEHICLES

Licensed Motor Vehicles

- Use of licensed motor vehicles is only allowed on roadways and trails not closed by signs, gates (open or closed) or physical barriers. Cross country or off road use of motor vehicles is not allowed unless part of a permitted and authorized trail.



Vehicular Traffic

- No person shall operate a vehicle for recreational use or other purpose in such a manner as to cause intentional soil displacement, soil erosion, soil or water pollution or other environmental damage.
- No person shall operate any vehicle at a speed in excess of 15 miles per hour in any developed recreational facility or contrary to official traffic signs on any road or recreational trail.
- No person shall operate any vehicle on County forest roads at speeds exceeding 35 miles per hour.
- No person shall operate any vehicle on any trail or road at unreasonable speeds or speeds which create questionable safety for the operator, passengers or the public.

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All-Terrain Vehicles (ATV), Utility Terrain Vehicles (UTV) and Snowmobiles

- No person shall operate any ATV/UTV or Snowmobile on roads or trails **designated as closed** to vehicles by a sign, physical barrier or gate (either open or closed).
- No person shall operate any ATV/UTV or Snowmobile cross country on County Lands
- No person shall operate any ATV/UTV or Snowmobiles on County Forest trails or roads when the trails have been officially closed by public notice from the Department or otherwise marked as closed



Undefined Motorized Vehicles

Use of motorized vehicles such as power driven boards, tracked motorcycles, golf carts, E-Bikes which exceed a maximum power output of 750w or other undefined motorized vehicles is not allowed.

Forest Access

No person shall block or restrict access to any trail, road, parking area, or recreational facility, or intentionally interfere with lands and facilities.

Restricted Forest Products No person shall collect Wild Ginseng or Sheet Moss .

COLLECTION OF FOREST PRODUCTS

Permits Required

No person shall gather firewood, Christmas trees, boughs and other miscellaneous forest products without a written permit except edible plants, mushrooms, fruits, seeds, or berries for personal use. Personal use shall be limited to the following amounts:

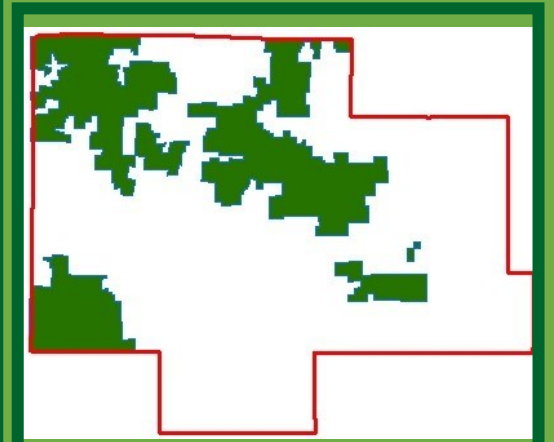
- Firewood- 10 cords per year in total **permit required**
- Christmas Trees- 1 in total **permit required**
- Boughs- 100 lbs. **for each permit**, amounts in possession above 100 lbs. requires a commercial permit
- Mushrooms- 1 pound in total without permit, amounts above 1 pound in possession requires a commercial permit
- Wild Leeks- 1 pound in total without permit, amounts above 1 pound in possession requires a commercial permit
- Chaga- 1 pound in total, without permit, amounts above 1 pound in possession requires a commercial permit
- Craft or furniture sticks- 5 in total without permit, amounts above 5 in possession requires a commercial permit.

Uses of the County Forest are regulated by [Chapter 16- Forest, Parks and Recreation of the Langlade County Code of Ordinances](#), a full copy of this ordinance can be found on the County website . Federal and State regulations also apply.



FORESTRY, PARKS & RECREATION

COUNTY FOREST RULE OVERVIEW



“COUNTY OF TRAILS”

1633 NEVA RD.

ANTIGO, WI 54409

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CAMPING

Developed Campgrounds

No person shall camp at any developed recreational site without a permit and the payment of the prescribed fees. Recreational sites requiring a permit and fees shall include campgrounds and campsites at Jack Lake, High Lake, Game Lake, Charles De Langlade Memorial Park, and the Langlade County Fairgrounds

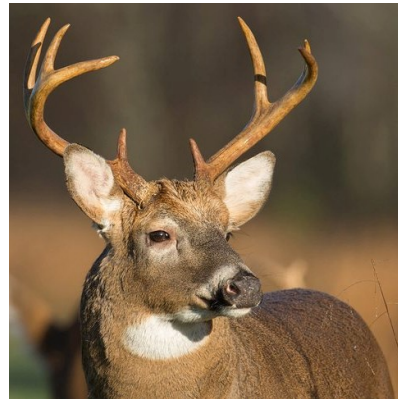


Dispersed Camping

Camping in undeveloped areas is authorized. Dispersed camping within ¼ mile of any developed recreational facility or park is not allowed. Occupancy shall not exceed 14 consecutive days, regardless of location. Dispersed Camping may be limited or restricted in specific areas by posting of “no camping” signage. Any dispersed camping utilized by more than 6 people as shall be defined as a hunting camp, fishing camp or remote camp requires a special use permit for such use.

HUNTING AND FISHING

All hunting and fishing must follow state and federal regulations and rules and licensing, in addition to County Ordinance.



Restricted Areas

No person shall take, catch, kill, hunt, trap, pursue or otherwise disturb any wild animals, bird or any other wildlife within Veteran’s Memorial Park, Jack Lake Campground, Langlade County Fairgrounds, Langlade County Race Track Facility, the Langlade County Public Bow and Gun Range, within 500 feet of any building or facility locate on the forest, or utilizing a firearm which has a single projectile (slugs or bullets) within the Langlade County Langlade County Bow and Gun Range Property outside of the defined shooting range fence and encompassing the entire 120 acres more or less.

HUNTING BLINDS



No person shall erect, occupy, or use other than a commercially available, factory manufactured portable tree stand, ground blind or elevated platform for hunting purposes. Stands and blinds may be present only during the period from September 1st through no later than one week following the close of the late archery season.

Climbing devices to access the portable stand or elevated platform shall be of the ladder type or steps that are attached to the tree with binding straps or chains. Climbing stands that do not damage the tree will be permissible. Penetration of any part of the tree by the combination of stand, platform or climbing device is strictly prohibited.

Portable tree stands, ground blinds, and elevated platforms must have the owner’s name, address and telephone number permanently attached at four (4) feet above ground level. Such labeling shall be legible at all times.

Ground blinds may also be constructed only of natural materials (e.g., no manufactured or processed materials, including sawn lumber). Cutting of shooting lanes is not allowed. No damage may occur to trees including placement of nails or screws. Portable tree stands, ground blinds, and elevated platforms found in violation will be confiscated. Confiscated items shall become property of the County and will be sold at auction with all proceeds retained by the County. Persons found in violation shall be subject to citation and a forfeiture in addition of confiscation of property.

REFUSE AND FIRE

No person shall leave or dump any litter, rubbish, debris, dirt, stone, stumps, yard waste or other materials on County-lands.

Waste receptacles at all facilities are for waste deposition for those utilizing the facility under a permit or license, no person shall utilize waste receptacles for deposition of personal waste.



Unauthorized Fire. No person shall start, tend, or maintain any fire on the ground, or burn any refuse, trash, slash or litter except burning of clean dry firewood or charcoal in fire rings or grills established in developed recreational areas or fires utilized for warming or food preparation in general forest areas.

Unattended Fire No person shall leave any fire unattended, or throw away any matches, cigarettes, cigars, or pipe ashes or any embers without first extinguishing them. No person shall start, tend, or use in any manner any fire contrary to posted notice.

Fire on Restricted Day No person shall start or possess any fire during a DNR designated red flag day including, but not limited to, campfires, use of cooking grills, smoking of cigarettes or pipes in the open.