

Notice of Rulemaking Hearing

Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission

There will be a hearing before the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission to consider the promulgation of rules, amendments of rules, or repeals of rules pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-206. The hearing will be conducted in the manner prescribed by the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-204 and will take place in the Region II Conference Room of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency, Ray Bell Region II Building, 5105 Edmondson Pike, Nashville, Tennessee, at 9:00 a.m., local time, on the 18th day of September, 2008.

Any individuals with disabilities who wish to participate in these proceedings (to review these filings) should contact the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such participation. Such initial contact may be made no less than ten (10) days prior to the scheduled meeting date (the date the party intends to review such filings), to allow time for the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency to determine how it may reasonably provide such aid or service. Initial contact may be made with the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency ADA Coordinator, Carolyn Wilson, Room 229, Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency Building, Ellington Agricultural Center, Nashville, Tennessee 37204, telephone number (615)781-6594.

For a copy of this notice of rulemaking hearing, contact: Lisa Crawford, Legal Assistant, Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency, P.O. Box 40747, Nashville, TN 37204, telephone number (615)781-6606.

Substance of Proposed Rules

Chapter 1660-01-14 Rules and Regulations for Refuges, Wildlife Management Areas and Public Hunting Areas

New Rule

Rule 1660-01-14 is amended by adding a new rule 1660-01-14-.17 that shall read:

1660-01-14-.17 Reelfoot Lake Wildlife Management Area – Navigational or Location Aids

- (1) Permission to establish private navigational or location aids, markers, poles, rods, or stakes on Reelfoot Lake Wildlife Management Area by an individual, municipality or any group must be obtained by written request to the executive director of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency or his representative.
- (2) This shall not include stakes or poles associated with permanent blind sites permitted by 1660-1-2-.02(2)(c) or any other legal manner and means associated with hunting, fishing and trapping activities.
- (3) Any unauthorized navigational or location aid, marker, pole, rod or stake is subject to immediate removal by the Wildlife Resources Agency.

Statutory Authority: T.C.A. §70-1-206(a)(6)

The notice of rulemaking set out herein was properly filed in the Department of State on the 18th day of July, 2008. (FS 07-10-08; DBID 879)