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HUNTING AND FISHING
RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY AT BARNEY'S LAKE

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SUMMARY OF CHANGE

This revision dated 6 March 2015:

- Updates office symbols and name changes throughout the regulation.

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1. Purpose. The purpose of this regulation is to establish objectives and to provide guidance for the control and enforcement of Tobyhanna Army Depot's hunting and fishing program and recreational use of Barney's Lake.

2. Policy. All persons authorized to fish are responsible for compliance with provisions of this regulation and applicable Federal and State game and fish law. Violators may have all fishing privileges revoked and be subject to the penalty provided by law.

3. General.

a. No firearms are to be brought on the installation, except when authorized by the Depot Commander.

b. Authority to fish on the installation is contingent upon possession of valid Pennsylvania license, trout stamp and Barney's Lake Recreation Permit.

c. Parking of privately owned vehicles within the depot will be limited to designated areas only. The unexploded ordnance (UXO) area will not be used for accessing Pennsylvania State Game land property. The UXO area can be identified by five strands of barbed wire and a yellow identification strand. Hunters utilizing depot property for parking will not load weapons on depot property and will unload weapons prior to returning to their vehicles. (Residents of TYAD only.)

d. When the Commander determines that facilities have been overtaxed or when deemed necessary to ensure safety, security, or protection of Government property, usage of such areas and facilities may be suspended for the duration of such conditions.

e. Open fires are permitted in authorized barbecue grills only. Personnel will ensure that fires are completely extinguished. During "dry season" smoking is permitted in clear land areas only (e.g., roads). Smoking is not permitted in grassy or wooded areas and rest rooms. All smoking materials will be discarded in a manner, which will prevent starting of a fire.

f. Trash containers and rest rooms are located in or near the recreational areas. Personnel using these areas will exercise proper sanitation measures at all times. All refuse will be deposited in approved trash containers located throughout the area. Any other disposal of refuse is prohibited. Recycling is encouraged.

g. Wounded, disabled or obviously sick animals found on the reservation will be reported to Security Police by the fastest means available. Supervisory police will destroy an animal in such a condition and notify the Environmental Management Division (EMD) for removal and disposal of dead animals. (This excludes pets of any kind.) The taking of any wildlife shall be only after consultation with the Pennsylvania Game Commission.

h. Irresponsible conduct, violation of safety requirements (open fires in authorized areas, etc.) or failure to employ proper sanitary measures may result in loss of recreation privileges without refund. Violations of any law or regulation may result in administrative disciplinary action and/or criminal prosecution. Boating or water sports (e.g., ice fishing, skating) are not authorized on Barney's Lake.

i. Any person observing violations of any of the provisions of this regulation will report such incidents to the Security Police.

4. Objectives.

a. To provide maximum recreational benefits for all personnel authorized.

b. To cooperate with Federal, State and local officials in the enforcement and preservation of fish and wildlife laws.

5. Responsibilities.

a. Directorate of Industrial Risk Management and Game Warden will:

(1) Enforce hunting and fishing laws and regulations.

(2) Destroy injured animals for humane reasons. Notify EMD for removal and disposal of dead animals. The taking of any wildlife shall be only after consultation with the Pennsylvania Game Commission.

b. Chief, Environmental Management Division will:

(1) Develop and maintain a fish and wildlife management plan to provide measures for adequate control of plant and animal species and the protection of fish and wildlife resources. The plan will include:

(a) Methods to improve and develop desirable fish and wildlife habitat.

(b) Plans to protect, improve, and enhance the natural beauty of the installation.

(c) Provide for stocking depleted and new fish and wildlife species when consistent with the cooperative plan agreement.

(d) EMD will be responsible for the removal of all animal carcasses within the limits of Government property. Reports of dead animal carcasses should be directed to either the Security Office at extension 57550 or EMD at extension 57098.

(e) Reports of diseased or rabies-infected animals shall be provided to the Commander, the U.S. Army Health Clinic and applicable state officials by the EMD.

(2) Provide maintenance at levels and intensities necessary to meet the designated use criteria, protect, and enhance the natural resources, and manage for a pleasing appearance in harmony with the natural landscape.

(3) Along with the Chief, Community Recreation Division, be responsible for the coordination of fish stockings.

c. Chief, Community Recreation Division will:

(1) Provide input to C/EMD for the development and maintenance of the depot fish and wildlife management plan.

(2) Assume the operational functions of outdoor recreation areas to include:

(a) Develop policies and procedures from general policies.

(b) Exercise day-to-day supervision.

(c) Process applications for Barney's Lake Recreational Permit.

6. Hunting Controls. Hunting is not permitted on the installation.

7. Fishing Controls.

a. Barney's Lake is open to all depot and depot tenant employees (their dependents), active military personnel (their dependents), retired military personnel (their spouses), and military reservists on active duty on the depot. Depot offers Public Fishing Passes to the first 50 Non Depot Employees these fishers shall possess a valid Pennsylvania fishing license, trout stamp and ELTY 648-C, and valid depot permit.

b. Fishing in Barney's Lake is subject to Pennsylvania's fishing regulations and Tobyhanna Army Depot Regulations. Permits must be clearly displayed.

c. All persons 16 years of age or older shall possess a valid Pennsylvania fishing license, trout stamp and ELTY 648-C, and valid depot permit. An adult must accompany children under 12 years of age and have valid depot permit.

(1) Recreation permits may be obtained from the Community Recreation Division, One Stop Shop and Mack Field House.

(2) Personnel eligible to purchase permits are noted in paragraph 7a.

(3) Personal watercraft of any kind is not permitted on lake.

d. Cleaning fish is not permitted on or near the lake.

e. Catch and release is not permitted.

8. Barney's Lake Recreation Area.

a. For the purpose of this regulation, the Barney's Lake recreation area consists of the 5.7-acre lake and the picnic facilities located in the immediate vicinity.

b. Personnel eligible to use the facilities are listed in paragraph 7a above; also, bona fide on-post Houseguests of personnel listed in paragraph 7a above. (A houseguest is defined as someone visiting with personnel and for whom the qualified person will assume full responsibility. Guests will arrive and depart with their hosts.)

c. Group use of Barney's Lake will be governed by the following:

(1) All groups must register with the Community Recreation Division prior to use.

(2) Group leaders are responsible for the conduct of the group. A deposit for group use of the area may be required to ensure cleanliness. The cost of cleaning the area after group use will be borne by the user or group leader should it be necessary to use contractor personnel for cleaning.

(3) When alcohol is being consumed, it must be purchased from the Landing at which time a permit will be issued.

d. Pets are not allowed in the picnic area.

9. References.

a. AR 200-3, Environmental Quality, Natural Resources-Land, Forest and Wildlife Management, 28 Feb 95.

b. Tobyhanna Army Depot Natural Resources Management Plan, October 1994.

c. ELTY Form 648 C Request for Access to Tobyhanna army Depot.

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