

# Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association

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## RULES AND REGULATIONS

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THIS RULES AND REGULATIONS BOOK, WITH INCLUDED CHANGES, HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE MEMBERSHIP.

THIS BOOK REMAINS THE PROPERTY OF THE LEFLORE COUNTY HUNTING AND FISHING ASSOCIATION, TO BE RETURNED SHOULD MEMBERSHIP BE CANCELLED.

## RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT

Your Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association is working hard to keep hunting and fishing areas open and available to you. This association maintains property in a number of areas. Its officers are pressing for more recreational type areas to be kept open. As the "locking up" of lands becomes more intolerable, this organization will mean more and more to you and your friends, your children, and their children.

In an effort to make this organization as strong as we can today, please consider these important points:

- A. Participation: Come to meetings, take an active part. Have a voice in your organization. Make your feelings known.
- B. Volunteer to help on a committee or project that is to your liking. Don't sit back and make a few individuals try to carry the whole load.
- C. Talk up association membership to your friends and neighbors. We need their help and participation too.
- D. When utilizing your facilities, check for any misuse by anyone. Diplomatically ask unidentified person(s) to identify themselves and show their LCHFA identification. If persons are not present, check the vehicle as we devised the vehicle identification system. If a user's vehicle doesn't have an ID on his dashboard, make a note of the vehicle's tag number and description and notify a LCHFA officer or director ASAP. He'll handle it from there.
- E. Turn in the game laws violator. Simply contact the appropriate Conservation Officer (they may be reached through the appropriate County Sheriff's Office) or call TOLL FREE 1-800-237-6278 to report violations to the Chief of Law Enforcement, Miss. Game and Fish Commission. If this violator is a member of our Association, notify your President for appropriate action, also.
  - Area Conservation Officers (home phone numbers)
  - Leflore County:
  - Carroll County:
- F. Keep a constant eye out for new additional lands and areas which may enable to expand our efforts.
- G. Make suggestions to improve on what we have.
- H. Conduct yourself and those you are responsible for in a manner above reproach. The bulk of the problems we sportsmen are suffering today are the result of a few individuals who have mistreated the generosity of all landowners. Treat all other members with courtesy and our facilities as if they belonged to you.

These are but a few items for us to consider as responsibilities as members. Let's work together and create a massed force to help protect our resources and insure available outdoor activities for the future.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

LCH&FA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

## CHARTER EXCERPTS

- I. TITLE: Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association
- II. DOMICILE: Greenwood (Leflore County), Miss.
- III. DATE OF INCORPORATION: December 6, 1943 (Period of Existence Shall be 50 Years)(Charter has been extended 50 more years to December 6, 2043)
- IV. PURPOSE: The purpose for which the corporation is created shall be as follows:  
To own real and personal property; to acquire the same by purchase, gift, lease, devise, or otherwise and to sell, mortgage, lease or otherwise dispose of the same; to advance the protection, propagation and conservation of fish, game and insectivorous birds, in both state and nation, and to assist in the enforcement of the fish, game and forestry laws; to procure the enactment of laws for the preservation of fish, game and forests; to do everything possible to eliminate pollution of our water courses, from the standpoint of public health, scenic beauty, and as an economic measure, as well as to restore fish and game life; to prevent the malicious destruction of property by hunters and fishermen; to assist in the prevention of forest fires; to interest and educate the general public in the more sportsmanlike methods of taking fish and game; to interest the general public in the vital necessity for reforestation; to bring about more friendly relations between sportsmen and landowners; to encourage the study and to record the natural history of fish and game species.
- V. CAPITAL STOCK: The amount of authorized capital stock shall be none, in that this corporation shall be a non-profit, non-share, non-dividend paying corporation.

# BY-LAWS OF THE LEFLORE COUNTY HUNTING AND FISHING ASSOCIATION

## ARTICLE I.

### Name

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association.

## ARTICLE II.

### Objects

Section 1. The objects of this organization shall be as follows: To advance the protection, propagation and conservation of fish, game and insectivorous birds, in both state and nation, and to assist in the enforcement of the fish, game and forestry laws; to procure the enactment of laws for the preservation of fish, game and forests; to do everything possible to eliminate pollution of our water courses, from the standpoint of public health, scenic beauty, and as an economic measure, as well as to restore fish and game life; to prevent the malicious destruction of property by hunters and fishermen; to assist in the prevention of forest fires; to interest and educate the general public in the more sportsmanlike methods of taking fish and game; to interest the general public in the vital necessity for reforestation; to bring about more friendly relations between sportsmen and landowners; to encourage the study and to record the natural history of fish and game species.

## ARTICLE III.

### Organization and Officers

Section 1. The officers of the organization shall be president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and shall be elected by the members at annual meeting of this organization, and there shall be a board of directors of at least seven members, who shall be elected on staggered terms at the same time the other officers are elected. (Amended 9-18-84)

### President

Section 2. The president shall preside at all meetings of the organization and of the board of directors, and appoint all committees and make such recommendations to the members and the board from time to time as he may elect.

### Vice-President

Section 3. In the absence of the president, the vice-president shall perform the duties of the president. In the absence of the vice-president, the board of directors shall appoint a president pro tem.

### Secretary-Treasurer

Section 4. The Secretary-Treasurer shall keep a complete record of the proceedings of the association, the name and address of each member, and issue all notices and conduct correspondence in the name of the Association.

The Secretary-Treasurer shall receive and have charge of all funds and securities of the organization, keep and accurate account thereof, subject at all times to inspection of the board of directors, or members of the organization. He shall collect all money due the association and draw and sign all vouchers for the expenditure of money from the organization's treasury, and shall deposit the funds in a bank designated by the board of directors.  
(Amended November 06, 2012)

#### ARTICLE IV.

##### Directors

Section 1. The board of directors shall have charge of the business affairs of the organization. They may make such by-laws for their own government as are not inconsistent with these by-laws.

Section 2. The board of directors shall have power to disapprove any membership application or suspend any member for any conduct which, in their judgment, may endanger the welfare, interest, good order, or character of the organization provided that such member may be given notice to appear before the board of directors at such time. (Amended September 18, 1984)

#### ARTICLE V.

##### Membership

Section 1. Any person subscribing to the objects and purpose of the organization may become a member upon the payment, in advance, of required annual dues and approval of the Board of Directors. (Amended July 28, 1982)

Section 2. The board of directors may elect to an honorary membership any person that they deem worthy.

Section 3. Members delinquent in payment of dues may be dropped from the membership roll at the discretion of the board of directors.

#### ARTICLE VI.

##### Meetings

Section 1. The annual meeting of this organization shall be held on the last Monday in September of each year. At this meeting the officers shall make their annual reports, and the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year shall take place. Ensuing year shall be February 1- January 31. (Amended Nov. 06, 2012)

Section 2. Special meetings may be held at any time on call of the president, or upon written request of five members in good standing. Only such business as may be designated in the call shall be considered at any such meeting.

Section 3. Ten members in good standing present at any regular or special meeting shall constitute a quorum.

#### ARTICLE VII.

##### Seal

Section 1. The seal of this association shall be a circle with the words of the corporation inscribed around the inner circumference and the word "SEAL" in the center.

ARTICLE VIII.

Amendments

Section 1. These by-laws may be amended from time to time, or added to, at any regular, or special meeting of the members, provided, that, if any amendment is proposed at a special meeting, a copy of such amendment must accompany the call of the meeting.

Adoption

These by-laws were adopted, section by section, then as a whole, at a meeting of the members of the association, held on January 28, 1944.

PAYMENT OF DUES AND FEES

A. The Secretary-Treasurer shall have the sole responsibility of issuing memberships and shall receive all dues payments and to the deposit there of.

All active members should send remittance no later than May 1<sup>st</sup> to the following address:  
Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association, P.O. Box 790, Greenwood, MS 38935-0790.

All membership items will be sent to you by return mail.

B. SEND CASH ONLY AT YOUR OWN RISK. Utilize check, money order, or Paypal. If this creates a problem for you, write or phone your Secretary or Treasurer for special handling of your membership.

C: A completed and endorsed membership application must accompany all dues rendered.

Special Note: It is the responsibility of the individual member to notify the Secretary of status changes of membership, change of address and any other matters affecting his relation to his association.

(Amended 11/06/20120

## MEMBERSHIP ELIGIBILITY

### A: IN COUNTY MEMBERSHIP:

Any individual residing in Leflore County may belong to this organization upon presentation of yearly dues and approval by the board of directors.

A member in good standing that is moving his residence to another county in MS may continue his membership by renewing each year no later than May 1<sup>st</sup>. After May 1<sup>st</sup>, he must follow the guidelines for out-of-county residents.

A member in good standing moving his residence to another state may continue his membership by renewing each year no later than May 1<sup>st</sup>. See out of-state membership for additional guidance.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** The board of Directors shall reserve, as specified in the by-laws, the right to disapprove any application which may allow entry to this organization of any individual (s) who will be a detriment, not an asset, to the Association.

### B: OUT-OF-COUNTY MEMBERSHIP:

The maximum number of out-of-county members shall be restricted as indicated below:

1. Adjacent counties to Leflore county (Grenada, Tallahatchie, Sunflower, Humphreys, Holmes, Carroll) – 50 members each.
2. All other counties – 10 members each.
3. An additional 25 members may be authorized by the Board of Directors, if the Association maintains or controls lands in another county. A change in land status will cause this number of members to vary.

All current memberships in good standing will be continued without regard to these restrictions. However, all new applications and members NOT in good standing will be considered with regard to the above restrictions. A waiting list shall be maintained on the afore mentioned applications. Out-of-county memberships not renewed by May 1st shall be considered as, not wanted, and will be filled as needed from the waiting list.

Application by an out-of-county resident must be approved by the Board of Directors with dues payment accompanying the application. If an opening is not available, the applicant will be put on the waiting list and the dues payment will be returned to the applicant. Upon notice of approval by the Board of Directors, The applicant then has 30 days to submit the required dues payment. Failure to do so shall be deemed as declining the offer of membership.

The Board of Directors voted to waiver the above restrictions for a period of one year, and to allow the extension of this waver on a year to year basis. Effective (02-10-2009)

### C: OUT-OF-STATE MEMBERSHIP:

An Out-of-State Limited Waterfowl and Upland Game membership may be applied for and if approved by the Board of Directors. Will entitle the member to unrestricted Upland game, Fishing and Limited Waterfowl privileges. THIS MEMBERSHIP DOES NOT INCLUDE VOTING, OR GUEST PRIVILEGES, NOR WILL THESE MEMBERS BE ELIGIBLE FOR ADVANCEMENT TO UNLIMITED WATERFOWL STATUS. Current out-of-state members or members moving out-of-state, may retain their membership by paying their annual dues prior to May 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. Failure to remit shall be deemed as declining the membership.

## D: DEPENDENT MEMBERS:

Dependent memberships are available to immediate family members (spouse and dependent children 16 – 21 years of age or any other dependent children) who wish to use our facilities, without the company of the full privilege member. Dependent children and/or guests under the age of 16 must be under the direct supervision of an adult member. Any immediate family member (as defined above) may utilize our facilities while in the company of a full privilege member, without purchasing the dependent membership. A dependent membership will include a button and other identification decals, etc., so they may freely use our facilities, in accordance with the above restrictions. EXCEPT for the McIntyre Scatters. Dependents who hunt the McIntyre Scatters must be in the immediate vicinity of the PARENT and shall not represent the parent member in the first come first serve policy or any other Association operating procedures. DEPENDENT MEMBERS DO NOT HAVE GUEST PRIVILEGES. ( ie; Can't take a Guest)

## CLARIFICATION:

The Dependent Button gives the Dependent all of the privileges of the parent's membership, with the exception of, they have no Guest Privileges.

## SPECIAL NOTE: GRANDCHILDREN

Any grandchild (21 years and under) may utilize our facilities in the presence of a grandparent member. A dependent button cannot be issued to the grandchild, unless the grandchild is the legal dependent of said grandparent. (In the case of a grandchild that lives with the grandparent and relies upon this grandparent for support, but is not claimed as a dependent on the grandparent's income taxes, shall be deemed as a dependent for Association purposes.) Effective (09/29/2014)

SPECIAL NOTE: To out-of-county, and out-of-state members. The Board of Directors may consider, without regard to the established quotas, a membership application of a former dependent member (currently in good standing) that becomes ineligible for dependent membership status because of age. This application must be received 30 days prior to April 30<sup>th</sup>.

## E: GUESTS

ONLY ONE GUEST PER MEMBER !!!

In NO instance will a guest utilize our facilities more than (3) three times per license year, irregardless of how many members invite them. If a guest wishes to enjoy our facilities for more than the three times allowed, ask them to make application for membership to help us further our efforts. A member with guest privileges who has a guest that is not eligible for membership because of their residency, may request a permit from the Board of Directors for additional days. A guest must have identification as issued on his person and MUST be accompanied by the sponsoring member. A guest must not receive a key to any controlled area.

NOTE: Limited Waterfowl Members DO NOT have guest privileges on the McIntyre Scatters property.

## F: COMPLIMENTARY AND/OR HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS:

An honorary membership may be granted to those selected by the Board of Directors as Individuals who are or have contributed to the well being of this organization. This membership shall receive all of the identification of membership and may exercise all of the rights and privileges of a Limited member.

A complimentary membership shall receive all of the rights and privileges of a Limited member with the following exceptions: No guests, No voting privileges, and ineligible for advancement to Unlimited status.

## G: FISHING ONLY MEMBERSHIP:

A membership designated as "Fishing only" shall be made available. The member shall have all rights and privileges afforded other members EXCEPT hunting. Effective (11/03/08)



## TYPES OF MEMBERSHIP AND DUES STRUCTURE

The Board of Directors by vote of the general membership on 11/05/07 was granted the authority to set caps and fees on the membership tiers, and to adjust these caps up or down as the need may arise. Effective 09/26/2016, these caps are set as follows: 25 Unlimited, 25 Limited, and 30 Upland.

**There is an initiation fee of \$100.00 in addition to the dues amount that must be sent in with each new application. This does not apply to renewals received by the May 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. Membership Renewals must be received by May 1<sup>st</sup> to maintain current membership status.**

Upland Game and Unlimited Waterfowl \$700.00

This membership is restricted to 25 members, Unrestricted hunting and fishing privileges on all association properties.

Upland Game and Limited Waterfowl \$600.00

Unrestricted upland game and fishing privileges, can hunt waterfowl, EXCEPT on the Scatters property, can hunt the Scatters an unlimited number of times in the company of an Unlimited member. (NO GUEST PRIVILEGES ON THE SCATTERS) Placed on a waiting list for advancement to Unlimited membership, as openings occur. The waiting list is based on unbroken tenure on the Limited waterfowl list.

Out-of-State Upland Game and Limited Waterfowl \$600.00

Unrestricted upland game and fishing privileges, can hunt the Scatters in the company of an Unlimited member, an unlimited number of times per season.  
(No Guest privileges, No voting privileges, Ineligible for advancement to Unlimited Status.)

Upland Game \$500.00

Unrestricted upland game and fishing privileges. (NO WATERFOWL HUNTING)

Fishing \$ 40.00

Unrestricted Fishing Privileges (NO HUNTING OF ANY KIND)

Guest Button (All types) \$ 50.00

Dependent Button \$ 25.00

NO GUEST PRIVILEGES, Unrestricted Upland game, NO WATERFOWL (unless the sponsor member is an Unlimited Waterfowl member, the dependent is then allowed to hunt waterfowl while in the company of the sponsoring member.) No Guest Privileges

**SPECIAL NOTICE:** All current members must complete a renewal application and pay their annual dues on or before May 1<sup>st</sup>, or they will be considered as a new member, and will lose their tenure and/or membership standing.

The fee structure for the replacement of Membership materials is as follows:

- A. Membership packet = \$ 30.00
- B. Buttons & Stickers = \$ 15.00
- C. Maps = \$ 10.00
- D. Keys = \$ 5.00

## REVOCAION OF MEMBERSHIP

In certain instances, a membership will automatically be revoked or suspended. In either case, the member must relinquish all membership items to include key, Guest identification, Dependent memberships to the Secretary-Treasurer. THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS OF DUES OR FEES, either in entirety or pro-rata. Failure to relinquish when requested will result in permanent barring from membership in this organization.

These instances, as decided by a  $\frac{3}{4}$  vote of the Board of Directors present, shall be as follows:

1. Breaking any enacted or adopted Game Law, Regulation, Rule or Policy. (NOTE: Not limited to instances occurring only our lands)
2. Falsified application to gain membership-immediate revocation. A new correct application may be entered after six (6) months.
3. Riding any vehicles other than ATVs over wet terrain (see Lands and Facilities Rules for definition)
4. Allowing the use of your membership items to a non-member. Automatic: Revocation for the balance of the membership year.
5. Suspension or revocation of Hunting and Fishing License by the State of Mississippi will result in an automatic suspension equal in length to the suspension imposed by the State or Federal procedures.
6. The Board of Directors shall at its discretion and by a  $\frac{3}{4}$  vote, be empowered to set and administer whatever corrective actions it deems fit, for any rule infractions that are brought before it.

Two or more instances of suspension or revocation of membership shall result in a five (5) year ineligibility for membership.

All penalties shall also apply to any Dependent or Guest Membership attached to the full membership. Also, because the full member is responsible for actions of Dependent and Guest Memberships issued under his (her) name, any dependent or guest brought in under any instances of suspension or revocation will apply to the full membership and all other memberships issued under his name. It is the responsibility of the full member to insure all dependents and/or Guest under his name have read and understood the rules as set forth.

Any other judicial action required of the Board of Directors ( $\frac{3}{4}$  majority required) shall be at the discretion of the Board. However, any and all penalties must be applied to the full memberships, Guest and any dependents memberships attached to the full membership.

NOTE: FOR JUDICIAL ACTION A QUORUM OF SIX (6) NORMALLY VOTING MEMBERS IS REQUIRED. THE INDIVIDUAL(S) INVOLVED MUST BE NOTIFIED IN PERSON, TELEPHONICALLY OR BY CERTIFIED MAIL AS TO TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING. THE INDIVIDUAL(S) CONCERNED DO NOT HAVE TO BE PRESENT FOR DECISION TO BE IMPOSED. The Board shall adopt a "Uniform Citation Form" and Violation Procedure: for use in enforcing this policy. All Board actions and decisions shall be within 30 days of violation."

## RULE CHANGES

Any and all rules changes to this published booklet shall be made only after careful analysis by the Board of Directors and club officers. Members may make their desires known individually or in a group to your officers and Board Members either informally or formally at any time. The goal of this rule is to avoid a hasty decision made in the heat of discussion. The board shall present the questions, the alternatives, and its recommendations to the membership at the first meeting following the raised question. Voting will take place then. If required, the President shall, with the advice of Directors present, make a temporary decision.

The membership retains the sole right to amend the by-laws and Rules and Regulations as needed.

Rule changes as they occur shall be on a "pen and ink" or "remove and insert" pages basis. It is up to the individual member to keep his rules booklet current until required reprinting. This booklet shall remain property of the L.C.H.&F.A. and shall be returned if membership is not renewed.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The election of officers and members of the Board of Directors shall be conducted at the fall meeting, the last Monday in September of each year. See Annex C for list of current officers and Board members.

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors shall meet as often as required to carry on business of this organization. The President of the Association shall be President of the Board of Directors and a non-voting member except in the event of a tie vote. The Vice-President of the Association shall be a voting member of the Board and assume the duties of the President in his absence. The Secretary/Treasurer shall be a voting member and the recorder for the board.

A quorum shall be Six (6) normally voting members of the Board.

Directors shall be elected for staggered three (3) year terms to insure the integrity and continuity of the association's leadership and ability to conduct its business affairs. Incapacitation, death, resignation or similar circumstances may render a Director's seat on the Board vacant. The vacancy and unexpired term will be filled upon execution of election the last Monday in September for the duration of the unexpired term. Should the number of available Board members and voting officers make a quorum unattainable, the Board will elect, from members in good standing, enough temporary Board members to meet quorum. The terms of any temporary members shall run only to the next September election.

### Committee of Audit/Nomination

A committee of Audit/Nomination shall be appointed by the President to insure that proper procedures for handling the funds of the Association are utilized. This committee shall audit the records of the Association at a minimum of once per year prior to the required Annual Meeting and report its findings to the membership at said meeting. Audits conducted, other than as required above, shall be reported to the membership at the first meeting following the audit. The auditing activities of this committee shall not reduce the responsibility of the Treasurer to keep the records in order and available for inspection, at a reasonable time, by the Board of Directors or any member (s) of the Association.

This committee shall, as a dual role, also prepare nominations for officers and Directors, as applicable, for presentation at the Annual Election Meeting. This nomination slate shall not preclude floor nominations for said offices by any member in good standing at the Election Meeting.

This committee shall consist of at least one, but no more than three members, none of which shall be a current officer or current Director of this Association.

### RELEASE FROM LIABILITY

It is agreed by all members as a condition of membership and it is agreed by all guests as a condition of allowing them to participate as a guest, that each member or guest, as the case might be, does for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, release and forever discharge the Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association, its agents and employees, as well as their heirs, administrators, and executors of and from any and every claim, demand, action or right of action, of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity arising from or by reason of any bodily injury or personal in juries known or unknown, death or property damage resulting or to result from any accident, incident, or event which may occur as a result of participation in hunting and/or fishing or any activities in connection with hunting or fishing, whether by negligence or not. As a further condition of membership or being allowed to participate as a guest, it is agreed that the member or guest, as the case might be, shall release the Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association and its officers and agents as well as their heirs, administrators, and executors of and from any and every claim, demand, action or right of action, of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity arising from or by reason of any first aid, treatment or service rendered said member or guest, as the case might be, during his participation in the activities of the Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association.

### Required IRS Notification to Membership

This Association has been determined to be Federal Income Tax Exempt under Internal Revenue Code Sec. 501 ( c ) (7). We are required to advise our membership that members may not deduct contributions made to the Association.

## MEMBERSHIP IDENTIFICATION

- A. Individual members, dependent members, and guest must have identification on their person. (ID Button)
- B. Vehicles used by members and dependents must be identified with vehicle identification card or decal.
- C. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the fullest extent possible. Written permission must be displayed on your person, which is your membership identification button.

NOTE: All lands and facilities owned and leased by the L.C.H.&F.A. shall be posted against trespassing, in accordance with the laws of the State of Mississippi. The Board of Directors shall have the authority to insure property identification (i.e. marking boundaries and corners) as well as enforcement of game laws, rules, regulations and policies. Enforcement may include, but not be limited to, hiring a Warden (s) to patrol Association property.

## BASIC RULES OF CONDUCT

1. SAFETY FIRST!
2. Treat fellow members with the respect you wish to receive yourself.
3. Treat your lands & facilities as if they were your own.
4. Respect the rights of adjacent property owners.

## MAINTENANCE OF LANDS

Do not litter our grounds and facilities. Take your litter home with you and dispose of it. If you find litter on our property, take a minute to pick it up.

If you see a problem you cannot correct yourself, please advise your president so he can take corrective action.

At least one individual who lives close by or frequents a parcel of land we control shall be appointed as overseer of that parcel for maintenance purposes. He will work closely with the organization's officers to eliminate maintenance problems.

LEFLORE COUNTY HUNTING & FISHING ASSOCIATION  
RULES AND REGULATIONS: BASIC LAND & FACILITY RULES

(Note: See Additional Rules for Each Land Area)

1. SAFETY FIRST! No loaded guns in vehicles, 3 wheelers, ATV's or any other mobile vehicle at any time. Loaded guns in boats during hunting periods only.
2. Still hunting only.
3. No "Driving" of game by any person or persons, use of animals and/or vehicles or by any other means.
4. No vehicles or ATVs permitted inside wood line except to retrieve downed game.
5. All vehicles are to use turn roads only: NO FIELD TRAVEL. Do not use vehicles in wet weather: Walk-in if your vehicle leaves tracks over three (3) inches deep. Avoid the destruction and rutting of our accesses.
6. No road hunting.
7. Respect adjacent property owner's rights.
8. The use of, or possession of, alcoholic beverages on Association property is prohibited at all times.  
(Effective 09/25/2017)
9. Keep all gates and cables locked.
10. There will be no permanent type stands, platforms, or blinds constructed on any of our lands unless specifically allowed on a certain parcel.
11. Destroying, defacing, cutting, driving nails into or otherwise damaging any tree ( alive or dead), natural feature or plant is strictly prohibited.  
  
A: There will be no cutting or pruning of any trees without expressed written consent of the Board of Directors.  
  
B: There will be no driving of nails into trees to make temporary blinds or stands.
12. All hunting spots will be on a first come, first served basis. No attempt to "hold" and area shall be permitted, i.e. leaving decoys out to hold a spot, or erecting a deer stand.
13. Park in designated parking areas (if defined) and in such a manner as not to restrict movement of others.
14. Stay off all machinery, vehicles, fencing and any other equipment that does not belong to you.
15. No trapping or netting allowed without specific permission. Only legal sportsmanlike means shall be utilized in the taking of game and fish.
16. There will be no camping permitted on any properties of the Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association, unless, expressly, such property is designated for this purpose. This shall not prohibit the use of our properties at night for legal, appropriate activities by any authorized persons.
17. The Association owned acreage in the McIntyre Scatters shall be divided into eight designated duck hunting areas with each being named and marked by signs. Duck hunters shall set up between the signs marking each hole. (NO MORE THAN SIX PEOPLE PER HOLE.)
18. There shall be no planning or acting among members for the purpose of "hogging" use of designated holes.
19. When the daily bag limit is attained, members and guest shall pick up and depart the designated hole. No shuffling of dead ducks for any purpose.

20. No member or guest shall utilize any LCHFA land or waters for the purpose of fulfilling fee paid guide services.
21. Duck hunting shall cease at 12:00 noon daily on the Association's Kirby Ridge properties.
22. AM/PM System for McIntyre Scatters property:
  - A. Each day shall be divided into two periods
    1. AM or Morning – ½ Hour before sunrise to 12:00 PM
    2. PM or Afternoon – 12:00 PM to Sunset
  - B. All new and old Association rules shall be abided by at all times by all participants. the 8 designated holes shall be on a first come, first serve basis, and restricted to six people per hole.
    1. Members who elect to duck hunt on the Associations 87.12 acres must select either a morning hunting period or afternoon period.
  - C. Rules of Operation
    1. Members may decide however they wish as to who hunts where, however, First come first serve shall always prevail.
    2. Hunting shall cease at Sunset.
23. The Deer limit for each membership shall be the State Limit, 8 Deer = A limit of three Bucks & Five Does. (All kills by Guests or Dependents will count against this limit.) Effective (09/26/2016)
24. On Kirby Ridge each membership is restricted to 2 State legal Bucks & 2 Does per license year. (Effective 09/26/2016)
25. The erection of tower type stands is allowed on the Kirby Ridge property, as long as the stand does not protrude outside of the tree line. Effective (11/02/09)
26. NO BAITING of any kind on Association property.
  - A: Exception: Hogs may be baited between the dates of May 1st and August 1st of each year. ALL BAIT MUST BE REMOVED BY August 31st. (11-01-10)
27. All members MUST sign in at the check-in box, before entering any of our properties, also your membership card should be displayed in a visible manner on the dashboard of your vehicle before entering the property. Also member ship buttons are to be worn in a visible manner while on Association properties Failure to comply with these rules will result in disciplinary action by the Board of Directors. (11-02-09)
28. All hunters on LCHFA property are required to use a safety harness while hunting from an elevated stand, with the exception of tower stands or others stands that have a guard rail or a solid wall to prevent their falling from the stand. (11-01-10)
29. Hog hunting with dogs on the LCHFA property, will require the presence of a board member at all times during the hunt. (11-01-10)
30. All Guests are restricted to one deer kill per membership year. After that they are expected to join the Association as a full member if they wish to continue hunting. (11-01-10)
31. Deer hunting Guests are no longer restricted from killing does on Kirby Ridge. (11-01-10)
32. No hunting with dogs during daylight hours during any open deer season. (This does not restrict the use of Coon hunting with dogs at night.)

## MEANS OF TAKING FISH AND GAME

There shall be no trapping or netting of fish or game allowed on any lands owned or leased by this association.

If trapping or netting becomes necessary to remove animals harmful or detrimental to our lands, the Board of Directors shall have control over issuance of authority for this purpose.

Only legal, sportsmanlike means shall be utilized in taking of game and fish. No commercial use or benefit shall result to any individual (s) from the use of our facilities or any fish or game thereon; our Association is for the pleasure use only by our membership, their dependents and authorized guests and not for any other benefit.

## ANNUAL PROJECT: ANNUAL CHILDREN'S FISHING RODEO

In an effort to give public exposure to our organization and to encourage young people to be mindful of the benefits of the outdoors, the L.C.H.&.F.A. will annually sponsor a children's fishing rodeo. Age limitation shall be 13 years old and younger.

All members are urged to assist and come out to watch and witness the excitement of the youngsters catching fish.

## POLICING OURSELVES

It shall be the responsibility of each individual member to treat our facilities and lands as if they were his own. With an organization this large, there is no way to adequately control individual problems. Treat your fellow members as you would want to be treated yourself. If a problem arises, try to solve it yourself or if that fails, contact your president and he'll get it worked out.

## PUBLIC WATERS POLICY STATEMENT

All of the property owned (87.12 acres) in fee title by Leflore County Hunting and Fishing Association in Section 14, Township 21, Range 1E which is situated in the area known as The McIntyre Scatters is, in accordance with the laws of Mississippi private property and is posted against trespass and is not a part of any Public Waterway. The Board of Directors is hereby authorized to vigorously pursue all violators up to and including arrest and court action. The members of this Association shall not trespass at any time for the purpose of obtaining ingress and egress to any Association owned or leased lands or waters.



CURRENT OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

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VPresident : Tommy Kyle

Sec/Treasurer : Jack Heath

Directors :

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11/20 Frankie Chandler Joel Williams Keith Kendall

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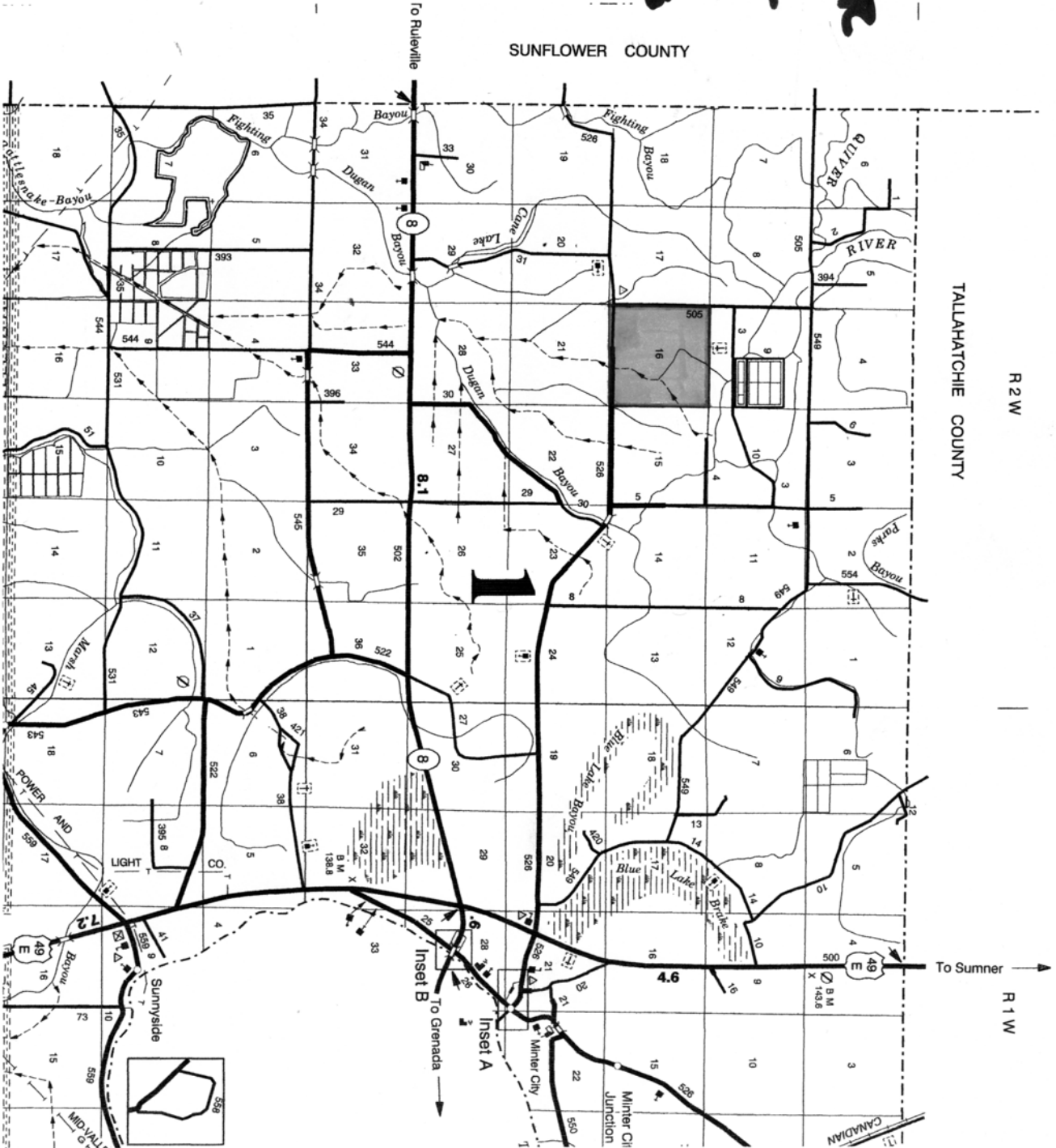
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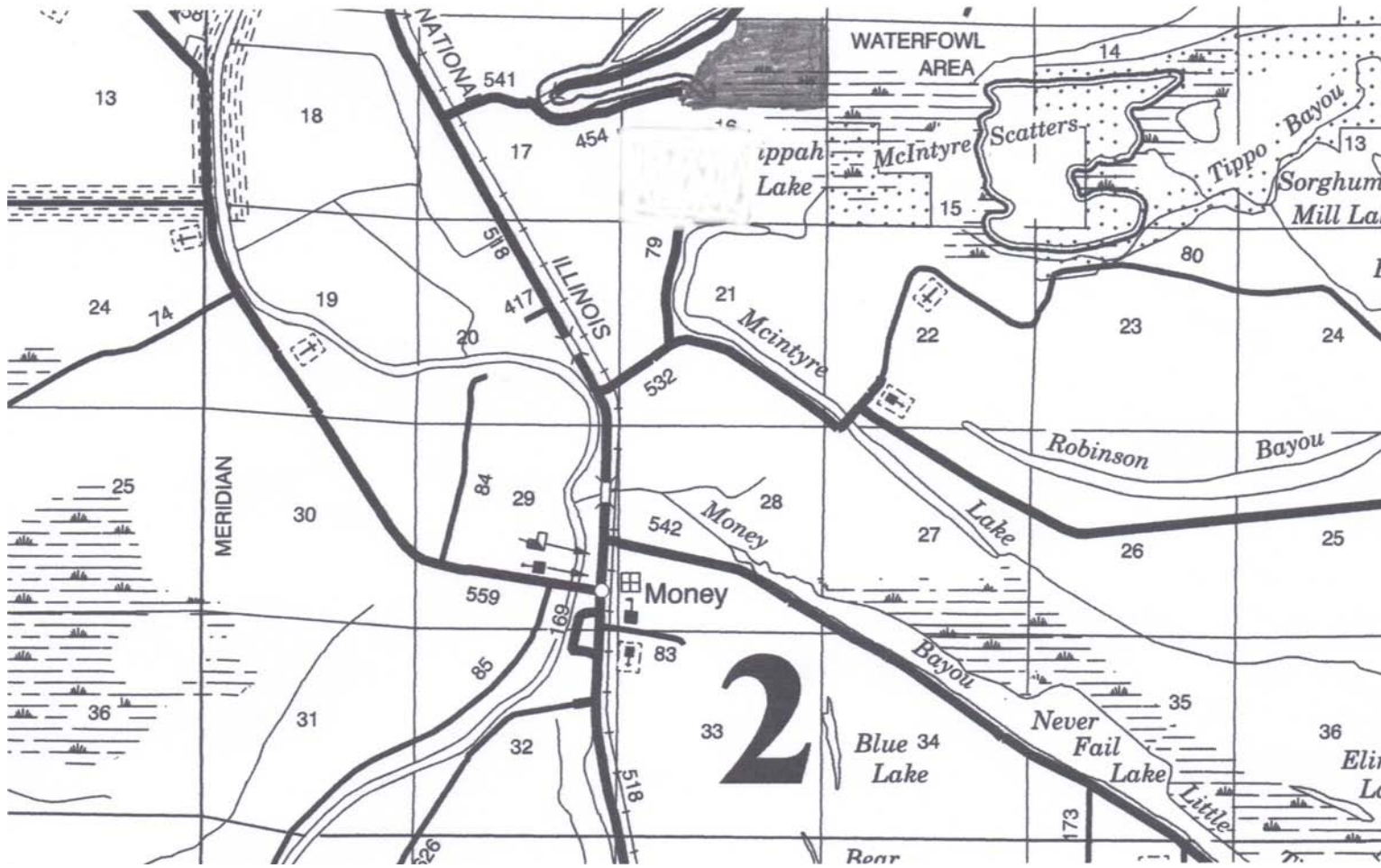
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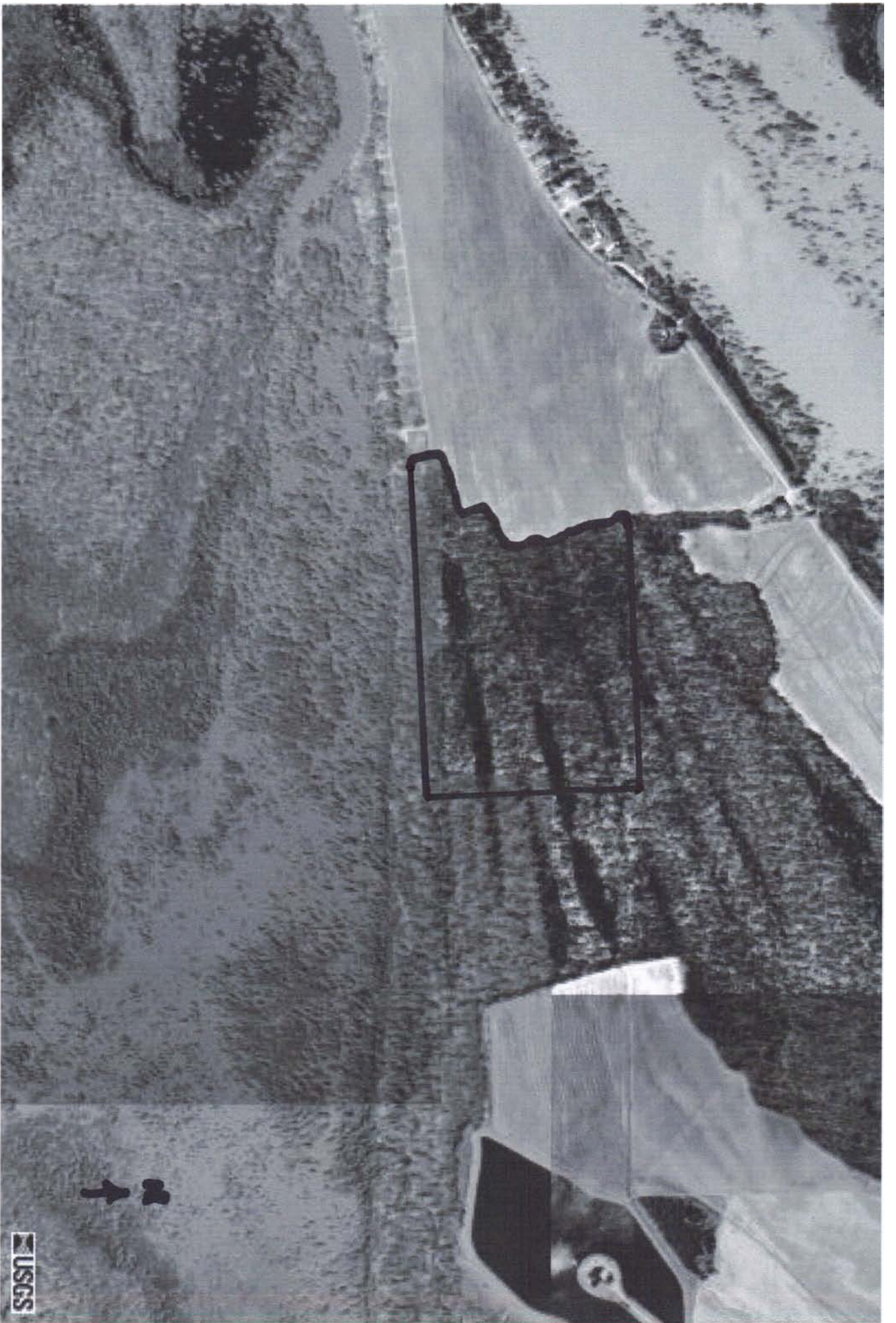


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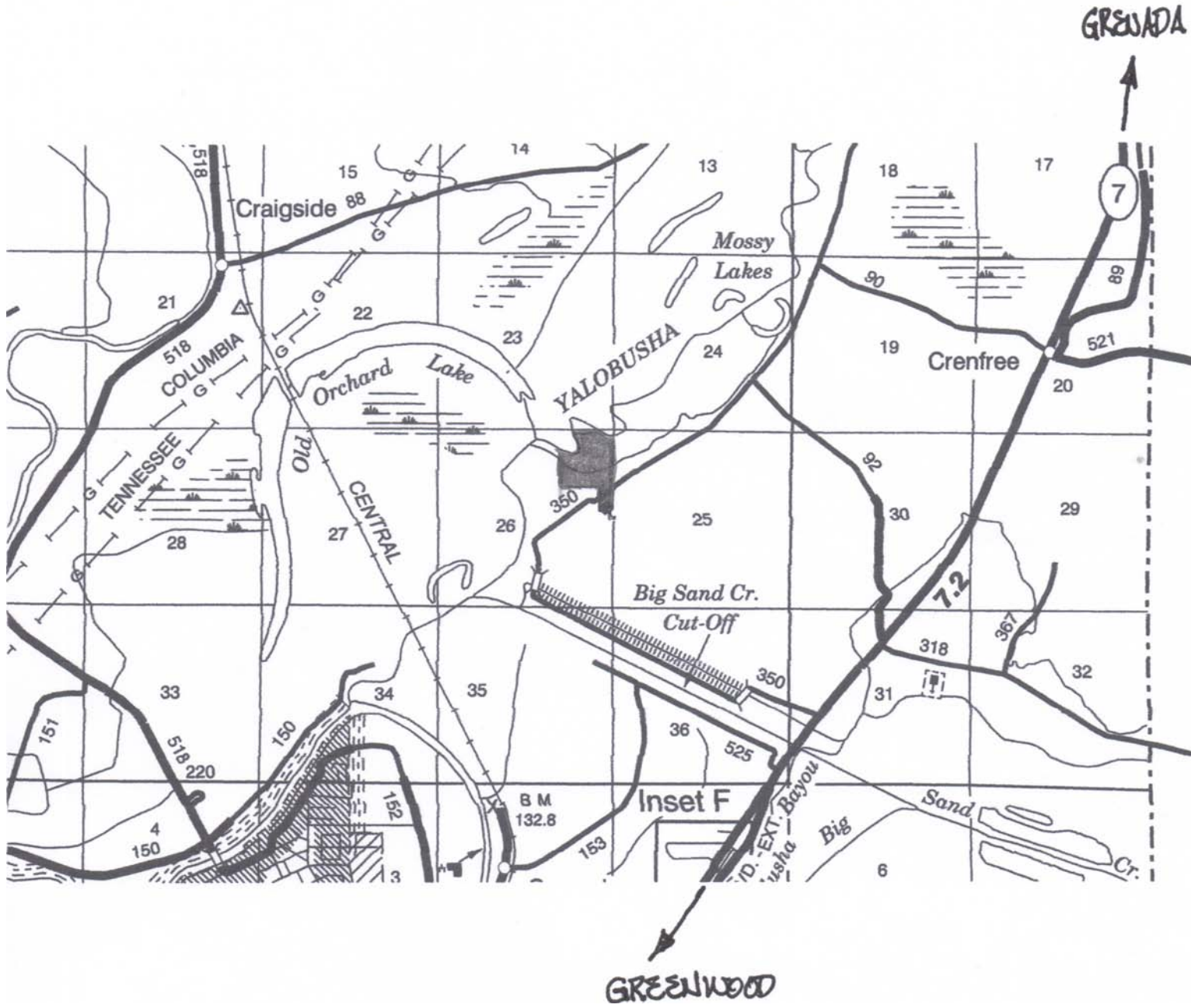
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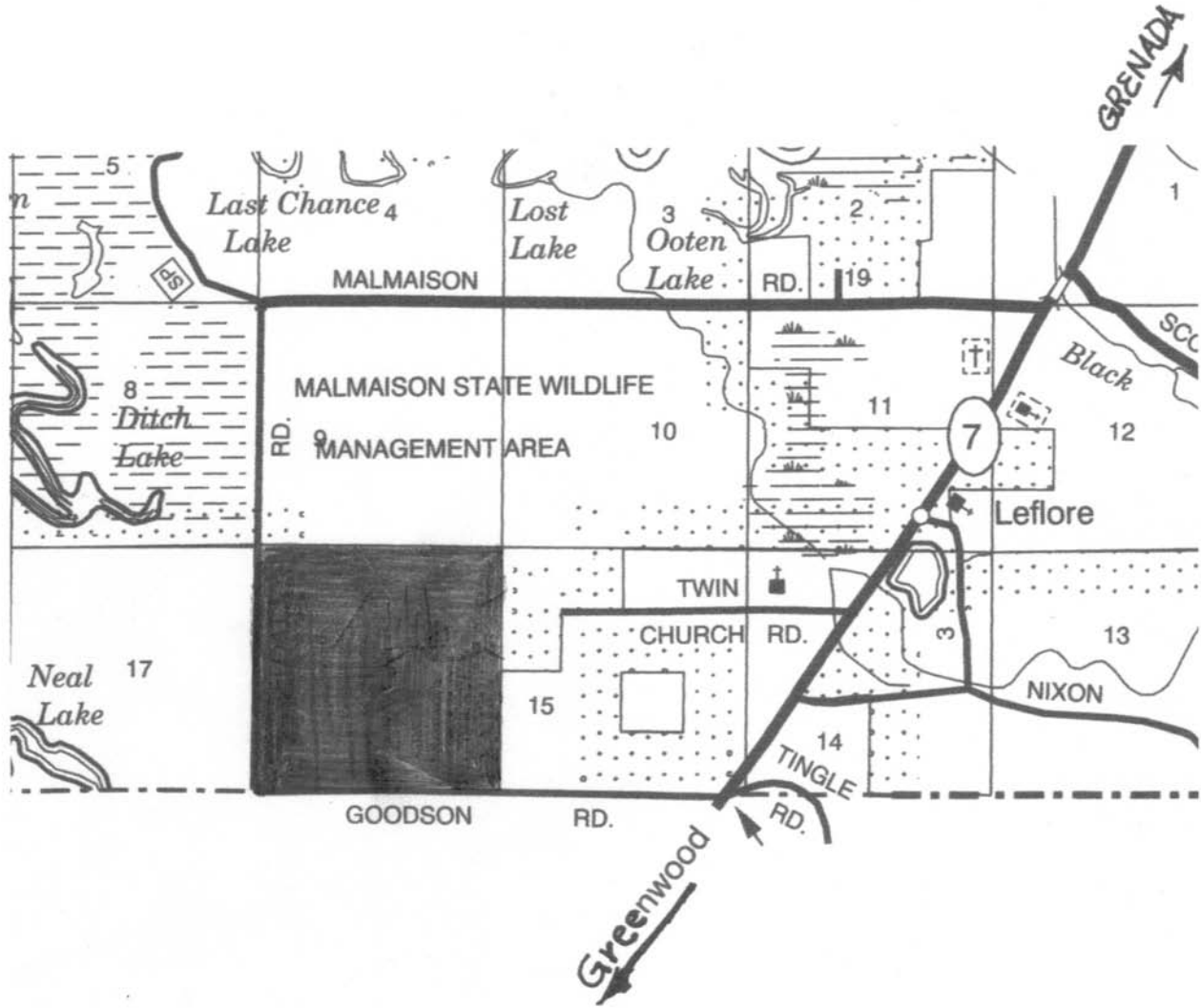
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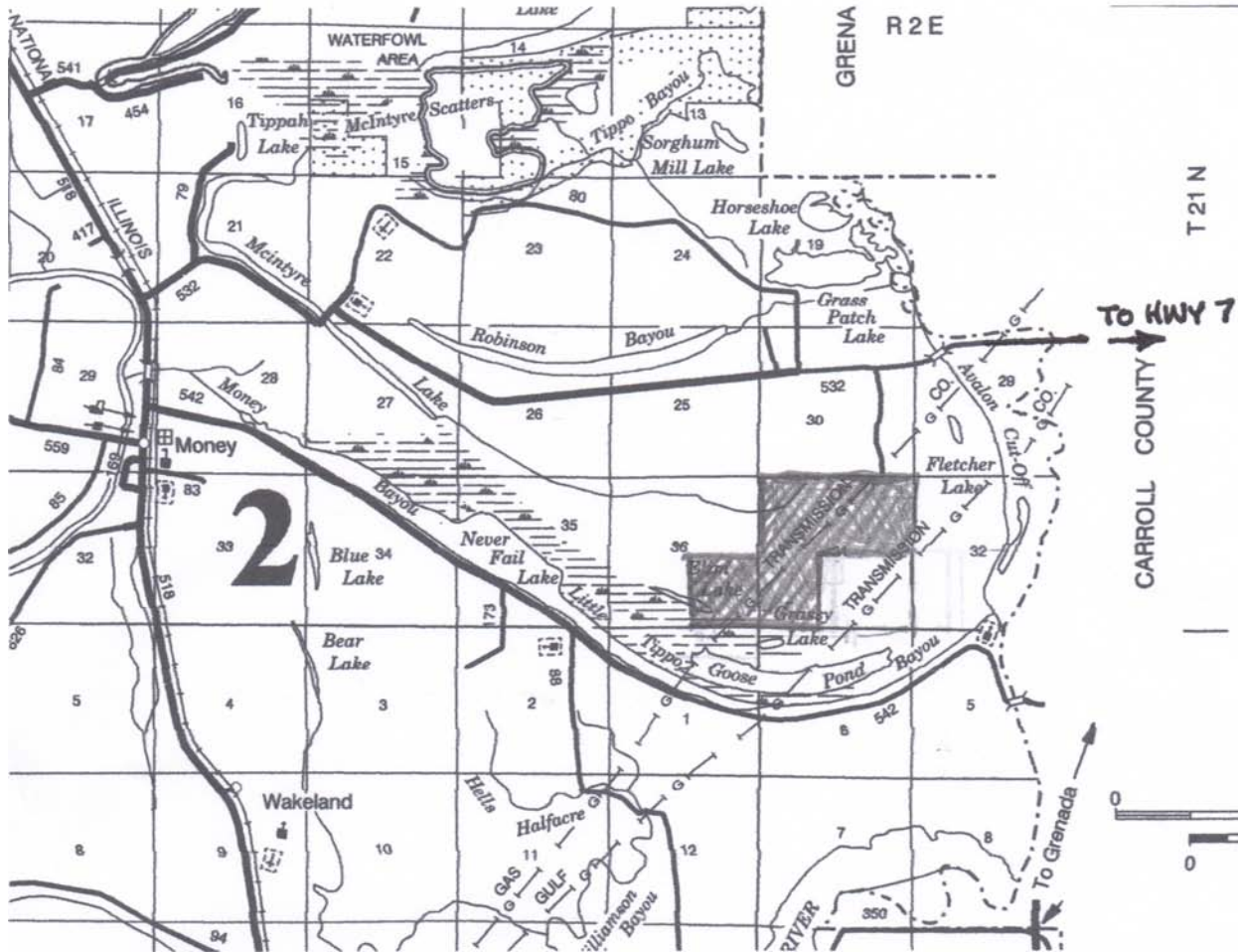






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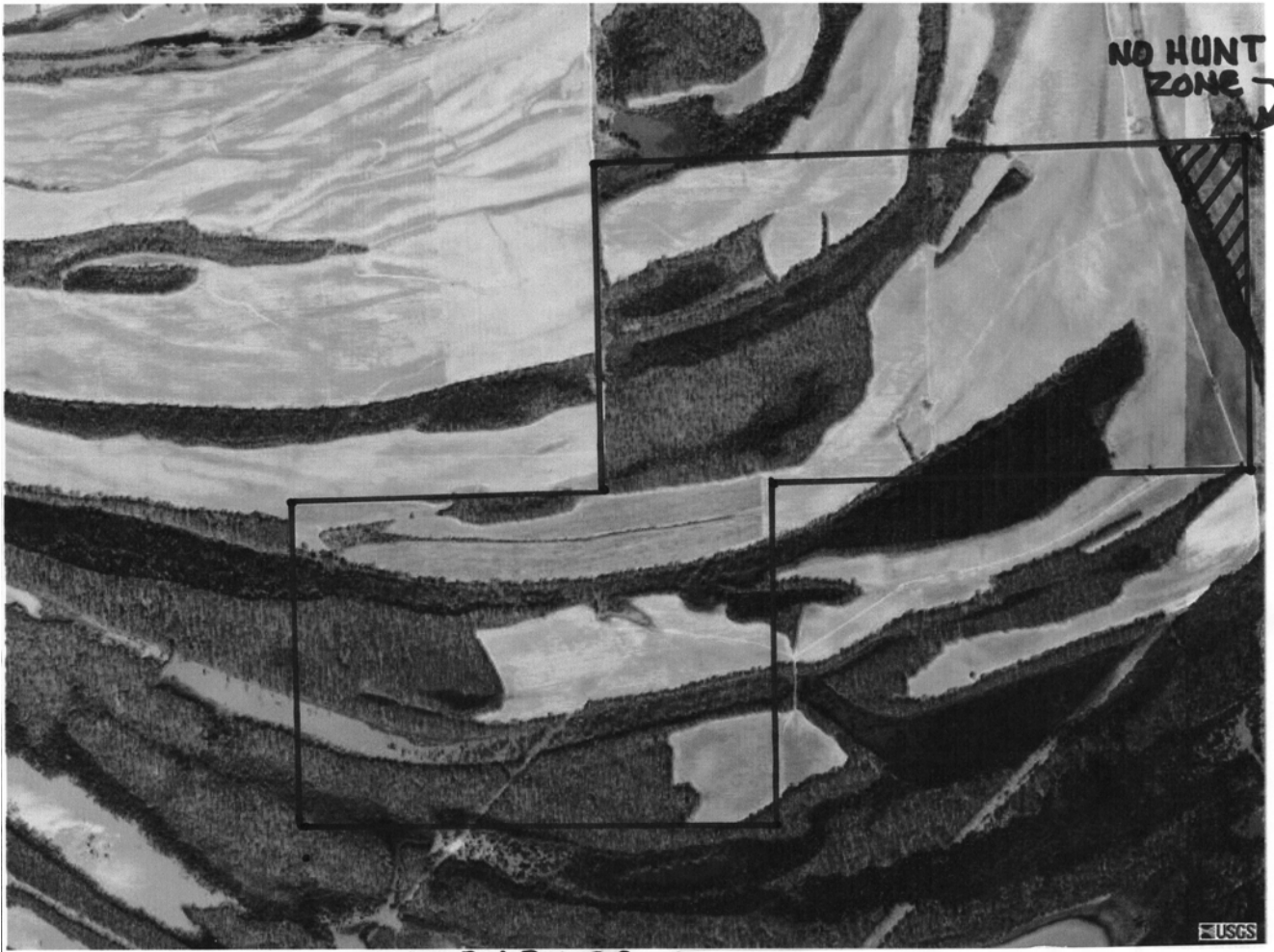


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