

# APPLICATION FOR WATERFOWL PERMIT

## PROCTOR LAKE 2007-2008

Up to four hunters may apply on this application. Please circle the name of the area for which you are applying to hunt (Old Leon, East Leon, or Sabanna wetland). Also indicate the dates you wish to hunt from the available dates on the back of this application. You may **apply for no more than two sets of dates at each hunt area** in a particular month. Your name may not appear on more than one application form. ***Please Print:* Incomplete, unsigned, or illegible applications will be discarded.**

<p>1. Name: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>Phone: _____</p> <p>Hunt Area:    Old Leon    East Leon    Sabanna</p> <p>Selected Hunt Dates (see back):</p> <p>Old Leon _____</p> <p>East Leon _____</p> <p>Sabanna _____</p>	<p>2. Name: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>Phone: _____</p> <p>Hunt Area:    Old Leon    East Leon    Sabanna</p> <p>Selected Hunt Dates (see back):</p> <p>Old Leon _____</p> <p>East Leon _____</p> <p>Sabanna _____</p>
<p>3. Name: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>Phone: _____</p> <p>Hunt Area:    Old Leon    East Leon    Sabanna</p> <p>Selected Hunt Dates (see back):</p> <p>Old Leon _____</p> <p>East Leon _____</p> <p>Sabanna _____</p>	<p>4. Name: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>Phone: _____</p> <p>Hunt Area:    Old Leon    East Leon    Sabanna</p> <p>Selected Hunt Dates (see back):</p> <p>Old Leon _____</p> <p>East Leon _____</p> <p>Sabanna _____</p>

PERMITTEE \_\_\_\_\_

*Disclaimer and Waiver of Liability*

This liability statement allows entry upon lands owned by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for hunting. Permittee is not allowed to hunt until the statement is signed. The Corps of Engineers does not know the proficiency of the other participating hunters, and the Corps specifically does not make any warranty of representation of any type, kind, or character, whatsoever, as to the existing conditions upon said lands for any hunting purpose. Any persons entering upon said lands enters at his or her own risk, impliedly accepts such lands in existing conditions, and recognizes that **all hunting is potentially dangerous** because of the use of firearms/bows by hunters of varying degrees of proficiency, and in consideration of being permitted to participate in this public hunting program, I as a parent or guardian of any accompanying minor, unconditionally release and for all liability, cost, expenses, claims, and damages for which the Corps might otherwise become liable by reasons of accidents, or injuries to or death of any persons, or damage to property or both, in any manner arising from, caused by, connected with or related to the presence of any such person on land or premises, regardless of how, where or when such injury, death, or damage occurs even if caused by the negligence of the Corps of Engineers, its agents, servants, employees, or due to conditions or operation on or in defects in the premises, **I, the Permittee, have read this release and understand all its terms. I execute it voluntarily with full knowledge of its significance.**

1st Signature _____	2nd Signature _____
3rd Signature _____	4th Signature _____

## **PROCTOR LAKE WATERFOWL HUNTING INFORMATION**

What is required to hunt waterfowl at Proctor Lake?

1. **Main Lake:** No permit required. See attached maps for legal hunting areas.
2. **Developed Wetland Areas (Old Leon River, Sabanna River, and East Leon River):** All persons who wish to hunt waterfowl in these areas will be required to hold a waterfowl permit issued by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Proctor Lake Office. Hunting without a valid permit is prohibited. Permits will be awarded only to those persons who satisfy the requirements outlined below and are randomly drawn from the applicant pool.
3. **Applications & Permits.** Completed application forms must be submitted prior to 10 October. Up to four persons may apply on one permit. The **permittee** will be the name of the person responsible for the individuals listed on the application. Application forms are available at the Proctor Lake Office or online at [www.swf-wc.usace.army.mil/proctor](http://www.swf-wc.usace.army.mil/proctor). Completed applications may be submitted in person or by mail. All applicants must sign the waiver at the bottom of the application form to be eligible for the drawing. If you are drawn for a permit, you will be notified by telephone of the dates and area for which you were selected. Your permit will be mailed to you with the permittee, and the other names on the permit. **Applicants may apply to hunt at multiple wetland areas but may not apply for more than two sets of dates per month for each area. Your name may not appear on more than one application form. Incomplete, unsigned, or illegible applications will be discarded.**
4. **Hunter Education.** All applicants will be required to provide a copy of a valid hunter safety card along with a valid driver's license or state-issued identification card **with their application**. Failure to provide either of these documents will render that individual ineligible for the drawing.
5. **Access (see attached maps):** Pedestrian access only. All vehicles and ATV's prohibited. Sabanna River Wetland: Parking at locked gate on south and east side of Sabanna River Bridge off Hwy 16. East Leon River Wetland: Small parking area provided on south side of Jones Crossing. Old Leon River Wetland (below Proctor Dam)\*: After 8 a.m., entry through Sowell Creek Park. Prior to 8 a.m., entry can be obtained using gate by the rock house (see attached map). The gate combination will be provided when you are notified that you have received a waterfowl permit.
6. **General:** All State and Federal laws and Regulations are applicable. All persons 12-17 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. Persons under 12 are not allowed to hunt. Remove all trash(including spent shells) and remains of game when exiting the area. Hunting within 100 yards of the federal boundary is prohibited. Temporary blinds may be erected but must be removed at the end of the permitted hunt period. Cutting of vegetation for blinds is prohibited.

**\*\*HUNTERS NOT DRAWN ON THE DATES FOR WHICH THEY APPLIED WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE RE-DRAWN ON ANY OPEN DATES REMAINING AFTER THE INITIAL DRAW. For additional information contact: Park Rangers Tim Musick, or Brent Hensley at 254-879-2424.**