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Southampton Hills Cooperative Hunting Area - Hunting Area Map and Information Sheet

This area is comprised of Southampton town lands under cooperative agreement with the Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC). DEC manages hunting in the area under the authority of the Fish and Wildlife Management Act to protect and enhance the area's natural value and to provide for compatible public uses. The use of this area is a privilege, not a right. Please note the hunting rules and regulations listed below.

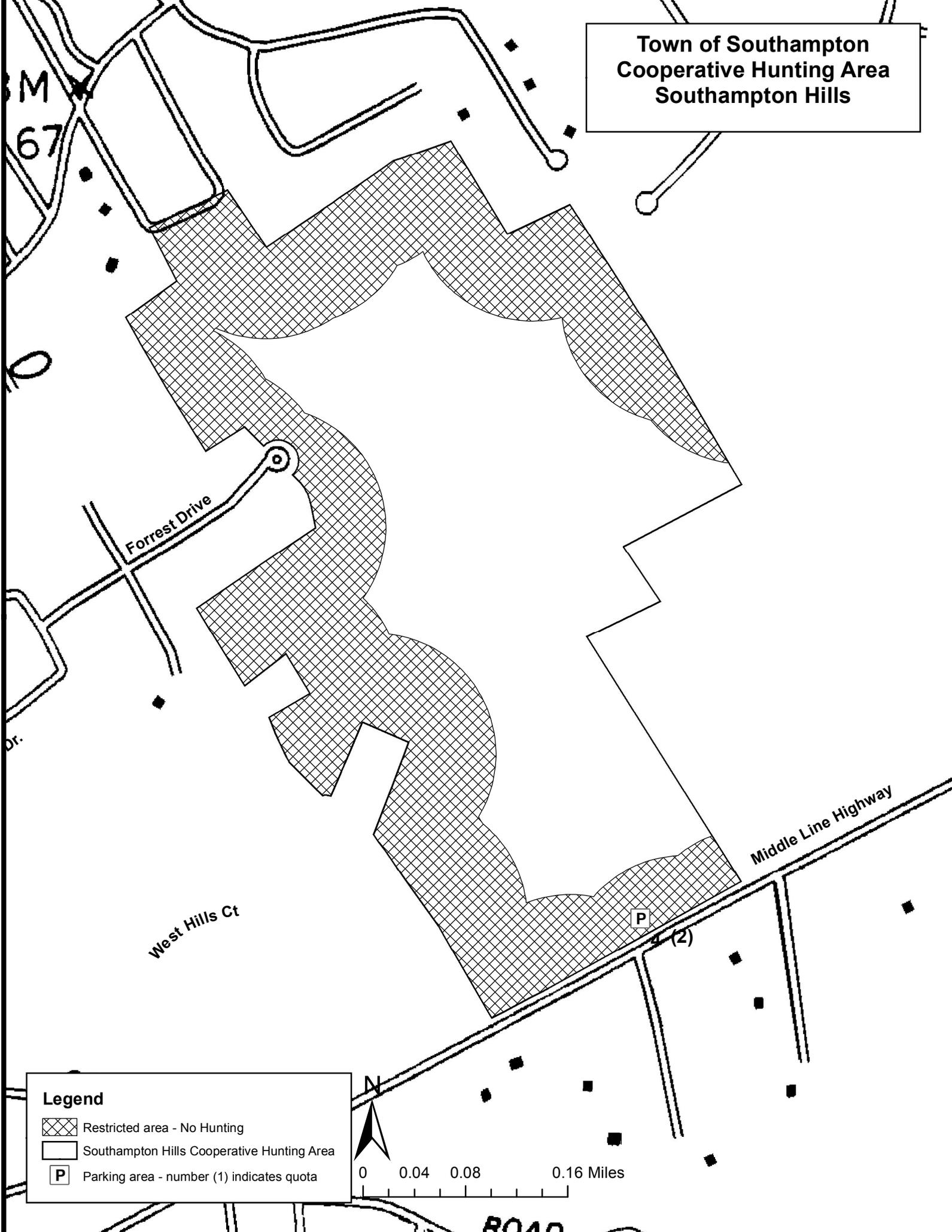
Archery Hunting Procedures

The Southampton Hills Cooperative Hunting Area is open to archery hunting only. A Southampton Town Cooperative Hunting Area permit is required to hunt on this area. Permits are free and valid for 1 year. Permits must be carried while on the property and a parking permit must be visible on the dashboard of your vehicle. Permits are valid from 2 hours before sunrise to 2 hours after sunset. All vehicles must be parked in a numbered parking area. Maximum party size for archery hunting is two individuals. Southampton Town Cooperative Hunting Area permits are available on our website at: http://www.dec.ny.gov/docs/regions_pdf/r1shcoophuntpermit.pdf

1. All hunting is prohibited on the Southampton Hills Cooperative Hunting Area except by permit from the Department of Environmental Conservation.
2. The Southampton Hills Cooperative Hunting Area is open to archery deer hunting only.
3. Trapping is not permitted on the Southampton Hills Cooperative Hunting Area.
4. All applicable provisions of the Environmental Conservation Law will be in effect, and no person may violate the provisions of any law or regulatory sign while using the property.
5. Permits are valid only for the dates issued, and they are not transferable.
6. Permittees must park at designated parking sites and then only if the site quota is not filled.
7. Permittees shall have access only to lands situated on the same side of the road as the permittee's parking site.
8. Permits must be shown to any official requesting to see them.
9. No rifles or pistols shall be used or carried afield on the area.
10. No target or promiscuous shooting is permitted on the area.
11. Construction of permanent blinds, tree stands or other structures is prohibited.
12. Permits obtained by fraud or when the permittee is suspended from using the area shall be void.
13. The area will be closed on Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Years Day.

To protect your interests and those of other sportsmen and women, obey all regulations and be conscientious while afield. You will encounter other users. Respect the rights of the landowners, and other recreationists.

Town of Southampton
Cooperative Hunting Area
Southampton Hills



Legend

-  Restricted area - No Hunting
-  Southampton Hills Cooperative Hunting Area
-  Parking area - number (1) indicates quota

