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Title: Create Buffer Zone along property lines where tree stands and hunting blinds are prohibited.

The Problem:

Landowners are finding hunters are placing tree stands and hunting blinds on the very edge of their property lines. When game is shot it often needs to be retrieved on the neighboring land, causing trespassing.

By creating a "buffer zone" along property lines and not allowing tree stands or hunting blind within 50 feet this problem could be minimized.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Conservation Congress at its annual meeting held in Dane County on April 14, 2008 recommends that the Conservation Congress work with the Department to take action to correct this situation by introducing a rule to prohibit placing tree stands or blinds within 50 feet of property lines.

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