



How Furbearer Species Season Dates Are Determined

SPECIES	LOCALITY/ ZONE	OPEN SEASON	ADMINISTRATIVE CODE
Beaver	Zone A as described in s. NR 10.35.	Saturday nearest November 4 - April 30.	NR 10.01 (4) (c) 1
	Zone B as described in s. NR 10.35.	Saturday nearest November 4 - April 30.	NR 10.01 (4) (c) 2
	Zone C as described in s. NR 10.35.	Saturday nearest November 4 - March 31.	NR 10.01 (4) (c) 3
	Zone D as described in s. NR 10.35.	The day following the close of the open season for ducks through March 15.	NR 10.01 (4) (c) 4
Otter	North zone as described in s. NR 10.36	Saturday nearest November 4 - April 30.	NR 10.01 (4) (d) 1
	Central zone as described in s. NR 10.36	Saturday nearest November 4 - March 31.	NR 10.01 (4) (d) 2
	South zone as described in s. NR 10.36	Saturday nearest November 4 - March 31.	NR 10.01 (4) (d) 3
Fisher	Management zone A	Saturday nearest October 17 - December 31	NR 10.01 (4) (dm) 1
	Management zone B	Saturday nearest October 17 - December 31	NR 10.01 (4) (dm) 2
	Management zone C	Saturday nearest October 17 - December 31	NR 10.01 (4) (dm) 3
	Management zone D	Saturday nearest October 17 - December 31	NR 10.01 (4) (dm) 4
	Management zone E	Saturday nearest October 17 - December 31	NR 10.01 (4) (dm) 5
	Management zone F	Saturday nearest October 17 - December 31	NR 10.01 (4) (dm) 6
Muskrat / Mink	'North zone'—All that part of Wisconsin north of state highway 64	Saturday nearest October 17 through the last day in February.	NR 10.01 (4) (a) & (e) 1
	'South zone'—All that part of Wisconsin south of state highway 64 and east of the Burlington Northern railway, except as described in subds. 3. and 4.	Saturday nearest October 28 through the last day of February.	NR 10.01 (4) (a) 2
	'Winnebago zone'—All that part of Dodge county lying north of state highway 60, Fond du Lac, Outagamie, and Winnebago counties	Saturday nearest October 28 - March 15.	NR 10.01 (4) (a) & (e) 3
	'Mississippi River zone'—All that part of Buffalo, Crawford, Grant, LaCrosse, Trempealeau, and Vernon counties lying east of the Chippewa river and west of the Burlington Northern railway	Beginning on the second Monday in November or the day following the close of the open season for ducks, whichever occurs first, through the last day of February.	NR 10.01 (4) (a) & (e) 4
Bobcat Hunting & Trapping	All of Wisconsin north of state Hwy 64	Saturday nearest October 17 - December 31	NR 10.01 (3) (d) 1
	Remainder of the state	None	NR 10.01 (3) (d) 2
Fox (all spp) Hunting & Trapping	North zone—All of Wisconsin north of state Hwy 64	Saturday nearest October 17 - February 15.	NR 10.01 (3) (f) 1
	South zone—All of Wisconsin south of state Hwy 64	Saturday nearest October 28 - February 15.	NR 10.01 (3) (f) 2
Coyote	North zone—All that part of Wisconsin north of state highway 64	Saturday nearest October 17 - February 15	NR 10.01 (3) (h) 2 a
	South zone—All that part of Wisconsin south of state highway 64	Saturday nearest October 28 - February 15	NR 10.01 (3) (h) 2 b
Raccoon (resident) Hunting & Trapping	In all counties of the state	Saturday nearest October 17 - February 15.	NR 10.01 (3) (b)
Raccoon (non-resident) Hunting & Trapping	In all counties of the state	Saturday nearest November 1 - February 15	NR 10.01 (3) (b) (bm)