

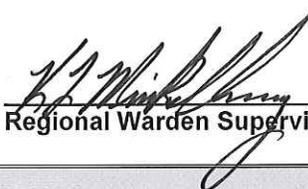


**Public Safety Team Analysis of  
Nature Based Outdoor Activities on  
Projects Purchased with  
Stewardship Grant Funds**

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**NOTE TO DNR STAFF:** This completed form will be attached to the NBOA notice that the DNR will publish when considering a request for Stewardship grant funding. Do not list location information for the subject property or the seller's name because WI courts have held that this information is confidential until land ownership has changed hands. CF Staff completes the project proposal section prior to submitting to public safety team for review.

**PUBLIC SAFETY REVIEW TEAM**

Kyle Drake	10-29-12		11-15-12
Regional Recreational Safety Warden	Date	Regional Warden Supervisor	Date

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

<b>Applicant/ Sponsor:</b> Town of Wilson	<b>Year of Application:</b> 2012
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<b>Project Name:</b> Schinker Creek Park	<b>Primary Purpose:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Habitat Areas <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Areas <input type="checkbox"/> State Trails <input type="checkbox"/> Streambank Protection <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Parks <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Rivers <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Greenspace
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**Project Description:**  
The site is 4.99 acres in a developing residential area that will be maintained as a multi-use neighborhood park. The site will have a shelter with restrooms, a playground, a garden, a prairie restoration area, a picnic area, and a fitness loop.

**FINDINGS OF FACT:**

The Town of Wilson has applied for Stewardship funding for the acquisition of 4.99 acres of land for a neighborhood park. The park site is surrounded by completed residential development or residential development that is under construction. The subject property itself is divided from other lands held for residential subdivision development and preliminary planning indicates the seller would extend a cul-du-sac street on the property. The town has an ordinance prohibiting the discharge of a dangerous weapon, including bow and arrow. Much of the site will be within 100 yards of buildings devoted to human occupancy. State Law prohibits the discharge of firearms and some trapping in these areas. The area that does not fall within these parameters will be the location for the shelter, parking area and playground. Based on these facts the Public Safety Team finds that the prohibition on hunting and trapping is necessary to protect public safety.

**Parcel Size, Shape, and Topography:** Describe the size, shape, and topography of the parcel and how it relates to public safety for this activity on this site.

The property gently slopes from west to east with about 200 feet of a non-navigable waterway in the NE corner. There is a small plowed field to the east and south and subdivision lots on the north property line. The subdivision will further be developed on the eastern and southern property lines. The site has some deteriorating farm buildings that will be removed. There are additional homes to the west.

### Proposed NBOA Prohibition or Restrictions

<b>HUNTING</b>			
	Gun Prohibition/Restriction	Archery Prohibition/Restriction	List Dates/Seasons (opening and closing)
Waterfowl	X	X	N/A
Small Game	X	X	N/A
Turkey	X	X	N/A
Large Game	X	X	N/A
<p><b>Public Safety Team Narrative:</b>            Much of the site will be within 100 yards of buildings devoted to human occupancy. State Law prohibits the discharge of firearms in these areas. There is an additional ordinance prohibiting the discharge of "dangerous weapons" including bows in these areas. The area that does not fall within these parameters will be the location for the shelter, parking area and playground. Based on these facts the Public Safety Team finds that the prohibition on hunting is necessary for public safety.</p>			
<p><b>Public Safety Factors Considered:</b> Check all that apply.</p> <p>X The sponsor is within its own municipality boundary            X Parcel is within 100 yards of building devoted to human occupancy            X Parcel is within 50 feet of the center line of highways &amp; roads  <input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is within 1700 feet of school grounds, hospital, or sanatorium            X Ordinance exists –                X Discharge or carrying a weapon   <input type="checkbox"/> Hunting within a park   X Throwing or shooting missiles, arrows, spears, etc.  <input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is subjected to a non-sponsor ordinance  <input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is adjacent to a parcel where the NBOA's to be prohibited already exists.  <input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is adjacent to a public waterway.            X Visitor's expectations of safety at the site, which includes user conflicts that may create public safety issues and impact one or more NBOA's activities. Describe: SEE ABOVE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>			
<b>Prohibition or Restriction Necessary to Protect Public Safety:</b>		X Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

TRAPPING		
Location	Prohibition/Restriction	List Dates/Seasons (opening and closing)
Upland	X	N/A
Water	X	N/A

**Public Safety Team Narrative:**  
 Much of the site will be within 100 yards of buildings devoted to human occupancy. State Law prohibits the use of some traps in these areas. The area that does not fall within these parameters be the location for the shelter, parking area and playground. There will be heavy foot traffic and child use of this park area. Based on these facts the Public Safety Team finds that the prohibition on trapping is necessary for public safety.

**No Water On Site**  
**Public Safety Factors Considered:** Check all that apply.  
 The sponsor is within its own municipality boundary.  
 Parcel is within 100 yards of building devoted to human occupancy and per s. NR 13.(1)(b)(12), the following traps are prohibited: conibear body gripping traps (with jaws wider than 60 sq. inches) and cable restraints.  
 Ordinance exists that prohibits trapping or some type of trapping.  
 Parcel is subjected to a non-sponsor ordinance  
 Parcel is adjacent to a parcel where the NBOA's to be prohibited already exists.  
 Parcel is adjacent to a public waterway.  
 Visitor's expectations of safety at the site, which includes user conflicts that may create public safety issues and impact one or more NBOA's activities. Describe:  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Prohibition or Restriction Necessary to Protect Public Safety:**  Yes  No

FISHING		
Method	Prohibition/Restriction	List Dates/Seasons (opening and closing)
Shore	NO	Per state regulation
Boat	NO	Per state regulation

**Public Safety Team Narrative:**  
 Fishing not prohibited.

**No Water on Site**  
 **Public Safety Factors Considered:** Check all that apply.  
 Ordinance exists –  \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parcel is subjected to a non-sponsor ordinance  
 Parcel is adjacent to a parcel where the NBOA's to be prohibited already exists.  
 Parcel is adjacent to a public waterway.  
 Visitor's expectations of safety at the site, which includes user conflicts that may create public safety issues and impact one or more NBOA's activities. Describe:  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Prohibition or Restriction Necessary to Protect Public Safety:**  Yes  No

HIKING		
Location	Prohibition/Restriction	List Dates (opening and closing)
On-Trail	NO	All year
Off-Trail	NO	All year
<b>Public Safety Team Narrative:</b> Hiking not prohibited.		
<b>Public Safety Factors Considered:</b> Check all that apply. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is subjected to a non-sponsor ordinance</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is adjacent to a parcel where the NBOA's to be prohibited already exists.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is adjacent to a public waterway.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Visitor's expectations of safety at the site, which includes user conflicts that may create public safety issues and impact one or more NBOA's activities. Describe:</li>   <li><input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</li> </ul>		
<b>Prohibition or Restriction Necessary to Protect Public Safety:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

CROSS COUNTRY SKIING		
Type of Trail	Prohibition/Restriction	List Dates (opening and closing)
Off-Trail (un-groomed)	NO	Winter
On-Trail (un-groomed)	N/A	N/A
On-Trail (groomed)	N/A	N/A
<b>Public Safety Team Narrative:</b> Cross-country skiing not prohibited.		
<b>Public Safety Factors Considered:</b> Check all that apply. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is subjected to a non-sponsor ordinance</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is adjacent to a parcel where the NBOA's to be prohibited already exists.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Parcel is adjacent to a public waterway.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Visitor's expectations of safety at the site, which includes user conflicts that may create public safety issues and impact one or more NBOA's activities. Describe:</li>   <li><input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</li> </ul>		
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