

Dear Hunter,

Attached you will find a copy of your Pheasant Hunting Permit and Application for the 2018-2019 pheasant hunting season at Dunn Ranch Prairie. Each hunter will need to fill out an Application and both copies of the Permit. One copy of the Permit is for you to retain and display in your vehicle on the day(s) of your hunt. The other copy of the **Permit with the Application needs to be returned to Dunn Ranch prior to your first hunting trip**. You can drop off your signed Permit and Application in the hunter's box located on the small building along the drive east of our office headquarters on or before the first day of your hunt.

You will also find a map enclosed that shows the areas that are open to pheasant hunting at Dunn Ranch. Please note that **there are bison present on Dunn Ranch**. The bison will be located in a securely fenced pasture in an area not open to the public for hunting or any other recreational activities. If you are interested in viewing the bison, there are four parking lots available for public viewing along Route M, Route D, and along West 150th Street. Please be respectful of the animals and of our viewing guidelines.

Please also note that the hunting regulations have changed for Dunn Ranch this year. We will **not be allowing the harvesting of quail** this hunting season. We are only allowing the hunting of pheasants on our property. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at (660) 867-3866.

Thank you and we hope you have a successful hunting season!

Hilary Haley

The Nature Conservancy
Conservation Coordinator



2018 PHEASANT HUNTING PERMIT FOR THE NATURE CONSERVANCY DUNN RANCH PRESERVE

The Nature Conservancy, a non-profit corporation organized and existing under the laws of the District of Columbia (Conservancy) hereby grants this Permit to _____ (“the Hunter”) authorizing him or her to hunt for pheasant
(print Hunter’s name here)

during the 2018 season within a specific area of the Conservancy’s property (“the Preserve”) described on the maps described in Item 6 below. All hunting activities must be conducted in accordance with the conditions stated on this Permit. The Permit is personal to the Hunter and may not be used by or assigned to any other individual. The Hunter shall comply with all local, state, and federal laws and ordinances governing hunting activities, including obtaining government licenses or permits required. The Hunter shall abide by the following rules when using the Preserve for hunting or hunting-related activities:

- 1) Only pheasants may be hunted (no other animals).
- 2) No fires, camping, littering (including the use of plastic flagging), or dumping of waste on the Preserve.
- 3) No cutting, breaking, or clearing of vegetation.
- 4) No off-road vehicle use.
- 5) No hunting is allowed within a 200-yard radius of any inhabited dwelling.
- 6) Maps showing current areas of the Dunn Ranch Preserve open to pheasant hunting will be available on the Missouri TNC website or by contacting staff located at the Dunn Ranch Office.
- 7) The Hunter must place this fully signed Permit for each and every hunter in the party on the dashboard of his/her vehicle at all times while hunting on the Preserve.
- 8) Alcohol is not allowed on the Preserve or in the parking lots.
- 9) Unnecessary shooting or shooting at targets is prohibited.
- 10) The Hunter may be accompanied by one or more of his/her own children to hunt on the Preserve. The minor must be at least 12 years of age and have all licenses or permits required to hunt under Missouri law. The Hunter agrees to take full responsibility for the minor. If the minor is 12-13 years of age the hunter agrees to keep the minor within sight and voice contact, and to directly supervise the minor at all times. Minors 14-17 years of age may hunt without supervision if they have first taken a required hunter safety course. If the minor is not the child of the Hunter, then the Conservancy must receive a *Parental Consent and Release of Liability* form (available from the Conservancy) signed by the minor’s parent and the Hunter, prior to the minor entering the Preserve.
- 11) The Hunter may be accompanied by no more than one non-hunting guest while hunting on the Preserve.

The Hunter acknowledges that hunting is inherently dangerous and that he/she is aware of the risks and dangers involved. The Hunter hereby assumes all responsibilities for any injury to persons or damages to property which occur in connection with his or her use of the Preserve pursuant to this Permit. The Hunter, for himself, his heirs, successors and assigns, hereby agrees to release, indemnify, and hold the Conservancy harmless from any and all claims, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses incurred in connection with the Hunter’s and any accompanying minor child’s activities or presence on the Preserve, whether or not due to any negligent acts or omissions of the Conservancy.

The Hunter acknowledges that this Permit is non-exclusive and that the Conservancy may issue similar permits to other hunters. The Conservancy reserves the right to full use of the Preserve covered by this Permit. Activities of the Conservancy and its guests shall take precedence over the Hunter’s rights under this Permit, and the Hunter agrees to comply with any restrictions specified by the Conservancy to accommodate these activities. The Hunter acknowledges that the Conservancy may revoke this Permit at any time. If the Conservancy provides the Hunter with oral or written notice of revocation, the Hunter shall immediately cease all hunting activity on the Preserve and shall return this Permit to the Conservancy.

This Permit is not valid until it has been signed and dated by the Hunter. A copy of this Permit signed by both parties must be placed on the dashboard of the Hunter’s vehicle at all times while Hunter is engaging in hunting activities on the Preserve. In signing this Permit, the Hunter certifies that: he/she is at least 18 years of age, the Hunter has not modified this Permit in any way, and that the Hunter has read and fully understands the Permit and significance of the agreements contained herein. The Conservancy may revoke this permit if the Hunter has supplied false information on the application or if these certifications are false.

HUNTER _____ DATE _____
(print name)

(sign name)

The Conservancy Hilary Haley DATE 10/31/2018
(Dunn Ranch Prairie, Conservation Coordinator)

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(print name)

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The Conservancy Hilary Haley **DATE** 10/31/2018
(Dunn Ranch Prairie, Conservation Coordinator)

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Protecting nature. Preserving life.

2018 PHEASANT HUNTING APPLICATION FOR THE NATURE CONSERVANCY DUNN RANCH PRESERVE

Date: _____

Name: _____ Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____ E-mail: _____

Phone number: () _____ Vehicle Make: _____ License Plate Number: _____

MDC Conservation ID Number: _____ 

Will you be under the age of 18 at any time during the 2018 hunting season? Yes No

Have you been cited with an MDC violation within the last five years? _____ If yes, what violation? _____

INSTRUCTIONS: YOU MUST COMPLETE THIS PERMIT AND APPLICATION AND RETURN TO THE DROPBOX * AT THE DUNN RANCH PRESERVE OFFICE BEFORE ENGAGING IN ANY HUNTING ACTIVITIES ON THE PRESERVE.

Dunn Ranch Office
16970 West 150th Street
Hatfield, MO 64458.

The Permit must be signed on behalf of the Conservancy to be valid.

The signed application and a copy of the signed permit shall be left at the Dunn Ranch Office. The signed permit, along with the Daily Hunter Report Card, shall be placed on the dashboard of your vehicle at all times while hunting on the Preserve.

***The dropbox is located on the small building along the drive east of the office.**