

The gate at South Lake Drive will be open so visitors may have vehicular access to the Pungo Unit from Shore Drive. Hunters planning to hunt east of Allen Road should be aware there is private land accessible from this area. North Carolina law requires written owner permission to hunt on private land.

Some refuge hunting areas east of Allen Road require the use of a boat to cross the canal. Note on the map, there are three access points that do not require a boat to cross the canal. The northern-most point is a canal plug, the middle point is a water control structure, and the southern-most point is a foot bridge. Hunters are reminded the Pungo Unit is only open for archery deer hunting during the month of November, and no hunting is allowed after November until next season.

Refuge visitors are welcome to use Allen Road for other authorized refuge recreational opportunities. These activities include fishing, wildlife photography, wildlife observation, environmental education, and interpretation, as well as hunting.

For more information, visit the refuge website at www.fws.gov/pocosinlakes or contact the Refuge Office at 252-796-3004.

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