

Deer / Turkey Harvest Tags

This page has **Harvest Tags** that deer and turkey hunters must use to identify their harvest. Photocopies or handwritten versions of these **Harvest Tags** may also be used. Handwritten versions must be signed and include your Conservation ID#, your name, date of kill, time of kill, town of kill, and the permit type used. Additional copies of these **Harvest Tags** are available on the DEEP's website, <https://portal.ct.gov/DEEPHunting>.

Immediately upon harvesting a deer or turkey, complete and sign a **Harvest Tag** and keep it with the carcass at all times. Harvested deer and turkeys must be reported within 24 hours via the internet at <https://portal.ct.gov/DEEPHunting> or by calling the toll-free number, 1-877-337-4868. After reporting your harvest, you will be given a report confirmation number to write on the tag. Keep the tag, completed with all information, with the carcass until it is cut up for consumption.

If you do not receive a confirmation number after submitting a harvest report online, DO NOT immediately submit another report. Go back to the Tagging and Reporting webpage; select the "Review Reports" button; and enter the required information. You should be able to view your profile to see if the harvest report was recorded and get the confirmation number if it was (there may be a short lag time before the report shows up).

2021

Connecticut Department of Energy & Environmental Protection
DEER/TURKEY HARVEST TAG

2021

Conservation ID#: _____

Name: _____

Date of Kill: ___ / ___ / ___ Time: _____

Town of Kill: _____

PERMIT / SEASON (check the appropriate boxes)

Antlerless Tags cannot be used in Zones 2 and 4A during the Private Land Shotgun/Rifle/Revolver and Muzzleloader seasons.

- DEER**
- | | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Private – Shotgun/Rifle/Revolver | <input type="checkbox"/> Antlerless | <input type="checkbox"/> Either Sex |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Private – Muzzleloader | <input type="checkbox"/> State – Lottery | <input type="checkbox"/> State – No Lottery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Archery (Bow) | <input type="checkbox"/> State – Muzzleloader | <input type="checkbox"/> Archery-only Lottery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Landowner | | |

SPRING TURKEY – Bearded birds only

- Private Land State Land Landowner

FALL TURKEY

- | | |
|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Private – Firearms | <input type="checkbox"/> Landowner – Firearms |
| <input type="checkbox"/> State – Firearms | <input type="checkbox"/> Landowner – Archery (Bow) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Archery (Bow) | |

Signature: _____

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Tagging and Reporting Instructions

1. Immediately upon making your harvest, complete a Deer/Turkey Harvest Tag. The Harvest Tag must be kept with your deer or turkey until it is processed for consumption. While transporting your harvest, you may keep the Harvest Tag in your pocket or wallet. However, if you leave the carcass, the completed Harvest Tag must remain with the animal.
2. Harvested deer and turkeys must be reported within 24 hours via the internet at <https://portal.ct.gov/DEEPHunting> or by telephone at the toll-free number, **1-877-337-4868** (1-877-DEP-HUNT).
3. To report your deer or turkey, you will need to know the 3-digit number code of the town in which the animal was harvested. The table below lists Connecticut's 169 towns and their identifying numbers. If you harvested your deer or turkey on state land, you will also need to know the 3-digit number code of the public hunting area. The tables on the next two pages list the 3-digit number codes of Connecticut's public hunting areas.

TOWN 3-DIGIT NUMBER CODES FOR REPORTING HARVESTS

| No. | Town | No. | Town | No. | Town | No. | Town |
|-----|---------------|-----|--------------|-----|------------------|-----|---------------|
| 001 | Andover | 044 | East Haven | 086 | Montville | 128 | Simsbury |
| 002 | Ansonia | 045 | East Lyme | 087 | Morris | 129 | Somers |
| 003 | Ashford | 046 | Easton | 088 | Naugatuck | 130 | Southbury |
| 004 | Avon | 047 | East Windsor | 089 | New Britain | 131 | Southington |
| 005 | Barkhamsted | 048 | Ellington | 090 | New Canaan | 132 | South Windsor |
| 006 | Beacon Falls | 049 | Enfield | 091 | New Fairfield | 133 | Sprague |
| 007 | Berlin | 050 | Essex | 092 | New Hartford | 134 | Stafford |
| 008 | Bethany | 051 | Fairfield | 093 | New Haven | 135 | Stamford |
| 009 | Bethel | 052 | Farmington | 094 | Newington | 136 | Sterling |
| 010 | Bethlehem | 053 | Franklin | 095 | New London | 137 | Stonington |
| 011 | Bloomfield | 054 | Glastonbury | 096 | New Milford | 138 | Stratford |
| 012 | Bolton | 055 | Goshen | 097 | Newtown | 139 | Suffield |
| 013 | Bozrah | 056 | Granby | 098 | Norfolk | 140 | Thomaston |
| 014 | Branford | 057 | Greenwich | 099 | North Branford | 141 | Thompson |
| 015 | Bridgeport | 058 | Griswold | 100 | North Canaan | 142 | Tolland |
| 016 | Bridgewater | 059 | Groton | 101 | North Haven | 143 | Torrington |
| 017 | Bristol | 060 | Guilford | 102 | North Stonington | 144 | Trumbull |
| 018 | Brookfield | 061 | Haddam | 103 | Norwalk | 145 | Union |
| 019 | Brooklyn | 062 | Hamden | 104 | Norwich | 146 | Vernon |
| 020 | Burlington | 063 | Hampton | 105 | Old Lyme | 147 | Voluntown |
| 021 | Canaan | 064 | Hartford | 106 | Old Saybrook | 148 | Wallingford |
| 022 | Canterbury | 065 | Hartland | 107 | Orange | 149 | Warren |
| 023 | Canton | 066 | Harwinton | 108 | Oxford | 150 | Washington |
| 024 | Chaplin | 067 | Hebron | 109 | Plainfield | 151 | Waterbury |
| 025 | Cheshire | 068 | Kent | 110 | Plainville | 152 | Waterford |
| 026 | Chester | 069 | Killingly | 111 | Plymouth | 153 | Watertown |
| 027 | Clinton | 070 | Killingworth | 112 | Pomfret | 154 | Westbrook |
| 028 | Colchester | 071 | Lebanon | 113 | Portland | 155 | West Hartford |
| 029 | Colebrook | 072 | Ledyard | 114 | Preston | 156 | West Haven |
| 030 | Columbia | 073 | Lisbon | 115 | Prospect | 157 | Weston |
| 031 | Cornwall | 074 | Litchfield | 116 | Putnam | 158 | Westport |
| 032 | Coventry | 075 | Lyme | 117 | Redding | 159 | Wethersfield |
| 033 | Cromwell | 076 | Madison | 118 | Ridgefield | 160 | Willington |
| 034 | Danbury | 077 | Manchester | 119 | Rocky Hill | 161 | Wilton |
| 035 | Darien | 078 | Mansfield | 120 | Roxbury | 162 | Winchester |
| 036 | Deep River | 079 | Marlborough | 121 | Salem | 163 | Windham |
| 037 | Derby | 080 | Meriden | 122 | Salisbury | 164 | Windsor |
| 038 | Durham | 081 | Middlebury | 123 | Scotland | 165 | Windsor Locks |
| 039 | Eastford | 082 | Middlefield | 124 | Seymour | 166 | Wolcott |
| 040 | East Granby | 083 | Middletown | 125 | Sharon | 167 | Woodbridge |
| 041 | East Haddam | 084 | Milford | 126 | Shelton | 168 | Woodbury |
| 042 | East Hampton | 085 | Monroe | 127 | Sherman | 169 | Woodstock |
| 043 | East Hartford | | | | | | |

Western Connecticut - Fairfield, Hartford, Litchfield & New Haven Counties

3-Digit Number Codes for Reporting Harvests

| No. | Western Connecticut - Hunting Area | No. | Western Connecticut - Hunting Area |
|-----|----------------------------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------------------------|
| 308 | Aldo Leopold WMA | 222 | Mount Riga State Park |
| 201 | Algonquin State Forest | 223 | Nassahegon State Forest |
| 202 | American Legion State Forest | 319 | Naugatuck State Forest |
| 203 | Barber Pond WMA | 320 | Naugatuck State Forest (Great Hill Block) |
| 309 | Bennett's Pond State Park | 321 | Naugatuck State Forest (Quillinan Reservoir Block) |
| 204 | Black Rock Lake | 224 | Nepaug State Forest |
| 205 | Bloomfield Flood Control Area (Site 1) | 225 | Newgate WMA |
| 206 | Bloomfield Flood Control Area (Site 2) | 226 | Nod Brook Management Area |
| 4 | Bristol Fish and Game | 227 | Northfield Brook Lake (federally owned) |
| 329 | Bristol Water Company | 262 | NU - Kings Island Coop WMA |
| 207 | Camp Columbia State Forest | 228 | NU - Skiff Mtn. Coop WMA |
| 208 | Cedar Swamp WMA | 229 | Paugnut State Forest |
| 310 | Centennial Watershed State Forest | 322 | Paugussett State Forest |
| 209 | Centennial Watershed State Forest (Canaan Block) | 230 | Peoples State Forest |
| 310 | Centennial Watershed SF - Monroe Parcel (Hattertown Rd.) | 223 | Pequonnock Valley |
| 311 | Centennial Watershed SF - Shelton Parcel | 324 | Pootatuck State Forest |
| 312 | Charles E. Wheeler WMA | 325 | Quinnipiac River Marsh |
| 313 | Collis P. Huntington State Park | 326 | Quinnipiac River State Park |
| 210 | CT Light & Power (borders Newgate WMA) | 231 | Robbins Swamp WMA |
| 314 | East River Marsh WMA | 232 | Roraback WMA |
| 315 | East Swamp WMA | 268 | Scantic River State Park |
| 211 | East Twin Lakes Water Access Area | 233 | Sessions Woods WMA |
| 332 | Enders State Forest (Worthen Parcel ONLY) | 19 | Seymour Fish and Game Club |
| 316 | George C. Waldo State Park | 234 | Simsbury WMA |
| 213 | Goshen WMA | --- | South Central Connecticut Regional Water Authority |
| 317 | Great Harbor WMA | 27 | Stanley Works Coop WMA |
| 318 | Great Swamp Flood Control Area | 350 | Stewart B. McKinney NWR - Calf Island Unit |
| 214 | Hancock Brook Lake (federally owned) | 350 | Stewart B. McKinney NWR - Great Meadows Marsh |
| 215 | Housatonic River WMA | 350 | Stewart B. McKinney NWR - Chimon/Sheffield Islands |
| 216 | Housatonic State Forest | 235 | Sucker Brook Flood Control Area |
| 217 | John Minetto State Park | 22 | Suffield Sportsmen's Association |
| 218 | Mad River Dam Flood Control Area | 236 | Suffied WMA |
| 219 | Mattatuck State Forest | 237 | Sunnybrook State Park (west of Newfield Rd.) |
| 343 | MDC Barkhamsted Reservoir - East Block | 238 | Thomaston Dam (federally owned) |
| 346 | MDC Barkhamsted Reservoir - West Block | 239 | Topsmead State Forest (north and west of Rte. 118) |
| 220 | MDC - Colebrook Reservoir/Hogback Dam | 327 | Trout Brook Valley State Park |
| 221 | MDC - Greenwoods Pond | 240 | Tunxis State Forest |
| 349 | MDC Lake McDonough | 24 | Wallingford Town Owned Area |
| 330 | MDC Nepaug Reservoir - Valentine/Pine Hill Block | 241 | Whiting River Flood Control Area |
| 345 | MDC Nepaug Reservoir - Sweetheart Mt. Block | 242 | Wood Creek Flood Control Area |
| 14 | Meriden Rod and Gun Club | 328 | Wooster Mountain State Park |
| 341 | Mohawk State Forest - Clark Pond Tract | 243 | Wyantnock State Forest |
| 342 | Mohawk State Forest - Ziegler/Johnson Tract | | |

Eastern Connecticut - Middlesex, New London, Tolland & Windham Counties

3-Digit Number Codes for Reporting Harvests

| No. | Windham - New London County Hunting Areas | No. | Windham - New London County Hunting Areas |
|-----|-------------------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 272 | Assekonk Swamp WMA | 261 | Nathan Hale State Forest Mgmt. Area |
| 244 | Babcock Pond WMA - Waterfowl Hunting Blind | 287 | Nehantic State Forest |
| 273 | Barn Island WMA | 288 | Nipmuck State Forest |
| 274 | Bartlett Brook WMA | 17 | Norwich Fish and Game Assoc. (South) |
| 275 | Bear Hill WMA | 289 | Nott Island WMA |
| 276 | Beaver Brook State Park | 263 | NU - Maromas Coop WMA |
| 277 | Bigelow Hollow State Park | 264 | Nye Holman State Forest |
| 245 | Bishops Swamp WMA | 290 | Pachaug State Forest |
| 337 | Black Pond WMA | 291 | Pease Brook WMA |
| 347 | Candlewood Hill WMA | --- | Plum Bank WMA |
| 246 | Cockaponset State Forest | 292 | Pomeroy State Park |
| 247 | Cromwell Meadows WMA | 293 | Quaddick State Forest |
| 248 | Durham Meadows WMA | 294 | Quinebaug River WMA |
| 6 | East Windsor - Enfield Area | 295 | Quinebaug River WMA (Aspinook Pond) |
| 249 | Eightmile River WMA | 265 | Ragged Rock Creek WMA |
| 250 | Ellithorpe Flood Control Area | 266 | Raymond Brook Marsh WMA |
| 212 | Flaherty Field Trial Area | 296 | Red Cedar Lake (Camp Mooween) |
| 278 | Franklin Swamp WMA | 279 | Roger Tory Peterson Wildlife Area (formerly Great Island WMA) |
| 280 | Harkness Memorial State Park (Verkade Property) | 297 | Rose Hill WMA |
| 11 | Hebron Area | 298 | Ross Marsh WMA |
| 9 | Higganum - Haddam Rod and Gun Club | 299 | Ross Pond State Park |
| 251 | Higganum Meadows WMA | 267 | Salmon River Cove and Haddam Neck WMA |
| 252 | Higganum Reservoir | 300 | Salmon River State Forest (including Holbrook Pond) |
| 302 | James V. Spignesi WMA | 301 | Selden Neck State Park (Selden Island) |
| 281 | Killingly Pond State Park | 269 | Shenipsit State Forest |
| 253 | Kollar WMA | 333 | Silvio O. Conte NWR - Deadman's Swamp Unit |
| 254 | Larson Lot WMA | 333 | Silvio O. Conte NWR - Roger Tory Peterson Unit |
| 282 | Lebanon Coop Mgmt. Area | 333 | Silvio O. Conte NWR - Salmon River Division |
| 283 | Little River Fish and Wildlife Area | 333 | Silvio O. Conte NWR - Whalebone Cover Division |
| 284 | Lord's Cove WMA | 20 | Sprague Town Land PR Area |
| 255 | Mansfield Hollow Lake (excluding State Park) | 350 | Stewart B. McKinney NWR - Salt Meadow Unit |
| 256 | Mansfield State - Leased Field Trail Area | 303 | Sugarbrook Field Trial Area |
| 339 | Meadow Brook WMA | 304 | Talbot WMA |
| 338 | Menunketesuck WMA (formerly Chapman's Pond WMA) | 334 | Tankerhoosen WMA |
| 257 | Meshomasic State Forest | 270 | Wangunk Meadows (off Rte. 17a) |
| 258 | Messerschmidt Pond WMA | 305 | West Thompson Dam (federal land) |
| 259 | Millers Pond | 271 | Wopowog WMA |
| 285 | Mohegan State Forest | 306 | Yale Forest (owned by Yale University) |
| 260 | Mono Pond | 307 | Zemko Pond WMA |
| 286 | Natchaug State Forest | | |

Tagging and Reporting Instructions

How do I report my deer and turkey harvests and get a harvest report confirmation number?

You can report your harvest on the Department's website or by calling the toll free number 1-877-337-4868. After reporting your harvest, you will be given a confirmation number to write on your Harvest Tag. This confirmation number serves as proof that you have legally reported your harvest. You may find that submitting harvest reports on the Department's website is much easier than using the telephone reporting system. The telephone reporting system uses a live attendant that will ask you a series of questions to obtain harvest information. On the website, you answer questions by using convenient drop-down menus. Other advantages of using the website to report your harvest is that you can review reports you have previously submitted and print out copies of these reports.

Reporting Your Harvest by Telephone

Call 1-877-337-4868 (1-877-DEP-HUNT). The telephone reporting system uses a live attendant who will ask you a series of questions to obtain harvest information.

Reporting Your Harvest on the Internet

Go to <https://portal.ct.gov/DEEPHunting> and look for the link for reporting deer and turkey.



HARVEST REPORT INFORMATION

Before reporting your harvest, use this form to make sure you have all of the information you need to accurately make your report.

| | |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Number of Hours Hunted | _____ (number of hours) |
| Number of Deer Observed | ___ Fawns ___ Does ___ Bucks |
| Conservation ID#: | _____ (5 or 6 digits on license) |
| 4-Digit Year of Your Birth: | ____ (e.g. 1960) |
| Permit Type/Season: | _____ (e.g. Archery Deer, Spring Turkey, etc.) |
| 2-Digit Month of Harvest: | ____ (01 to 12) |
| 2-Digit Day of Harvest: | ____ (01 to 31) |
| 3-Digit Town Code: | ____ (see Town Code table) |
| 3-Digit Public Hunting Area Code: | ____ if applicable (see Hunting Area Code tables) |
| Land Type: | _____ (Private or State) |
| Tag Type: | _____ (e.g. Antlerless, Either Sex, etc.) |
| Type of Hunting Implement: | _____ (e.g. Rifle, Shotgun, Bow, etc.) |
| Age/Sex Description: | <i>See Deer and Turkey Age/Sex Descriptions on opposite page.</i> |
| Number of Points: | ____ (00 to 24) if applicable |

Tagging and Reporting Instructions



Deer Age/Sex Description



___ Adult Doe ___ Young-of-the-year Doe ___ Button Buck ___ Antlered Buck ___ Adult Buck with Dropped Antlers



Fall Turkey Age/Sex Description



___ Adult Tom ___ Juvenile Tom or Jake ___ Adult Hen ___ Juvenile Hen ___ Unsure of Sex/Age



___ Beard longer than 6 inches

___ Beard shorter than 6 inches



___ Spur longer than 1/2 inch

___ Spur shorter than 1/2 inch



___ Breast feathers black-tipped



___ Breast feathers buff-tipped



___ Outer two wing feathers pointed with no barring

___ Outer two wing feathers rounded with barring to the tip



Spring Turkey Age/Sex Description



___ Adult Tom ___ Juvenile Tom or Jake ___ Bearded Hen ___ Unsure of Sex/Age



___ Beard longer than 6 inches

___ Beard shorter than 6 inches



___ Spur longer than 1/2 inch

___ Spur shorter than 1/2 inch



___ Tail fan smooth in shape



___ Middle tail feathers longer than others