MAPS

WESTERN DISTRICT WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

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BECKET WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

LOCATION

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Location: Becket

Size: 23 $\frac{1}{4}$ Acres

Topography: Gently rolling land

Vegetation: Mixed hardwood and softwood stands 20 - 60 feet in height.

Water: Shale brook forms the western boundary, and there is a 25 acre beaver pond.

Noted Wildlife: Grouse, waterfowl, raccoon, whitetailed deer, snowshoe hare, gray squirrel, beaver.

CHALET WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

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Location: Dalton, Windsor

Size: 723 Acres

Topography: Hilly north-south facing hills.
Elevation, 1600 - 2200 feet.
The old Appalachian Trail forms the
Western boundary of the area.

Vegetation: Almost exclusively mature hardwoods.

Water: A small stream cuts through part of area.

Noted Wildlife: Grouse, snowshoe hare, whitetailed deer,
gray squirrel.

HIRAM H. FOX WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

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SCALE : 1" = 2000'

HIRAM H. FOX WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
(Canada Hill)

Location: Chester, Chesterfield, Huntington, Worthington

Size: 2022 Acres

Topography: Rolling hills, some steep ledges and gullies.
Elevations 700 - 1200 feet.

Vegetation: Predominantly 40 - 60 feet, mixed hardwood and
softwood stands.

Water: Meadow Brook and Little River divide the
area in a north - south direction.

Noted Wildlife: Whitetailed deer, grouse, raccoon, snowshoe
hare, gray squirrel.

HINSDALE FLATS WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

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Location: Hinsdale

Size: 946 Acres

Topography: River valley land rising to the east to become rolling hills.
Elevation, 1420 - 1470 feet.

Vegetation: Seasonally flooded grassy and shrub bottomland. The upland area has some abandoned fields but is mostly 20 - 60 feet mixed softwood - hardwood stands.

Water: The East Branch Housatonic River, Bilodeau Brook and Bennett Brook bisect the area. The Housatonic and Bennett Brook provide trout fishing. There is also a small artificial pond.

Noted Wildlife: Stocked pheasant, woodcock, grouse, waterfowl, raccoon, snowshoe hare, beaver, otter, mink.

HOUSATONIC VALLEY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

Location: Lenox, Lee, Pittsfield

Size: 661.7 Acres

Topography: Flat river plain, gently rolling in the west and rising abruptly to the east.

Vegetation: Abandoned fields are being invaded by brushy species and small hardwood - softwood lots. Approximately 1/3 of the area is in wetland.

Water: The Housatonic River bisects the area with many backwaters. These and Woods Pond comprise the majority of the wetland. Several small brooks flow into the Housatonic.

Noted Wildlife: Stocked pheasant, woodcock, cottontail rabbit, raccoon, waterfowl, ruffed grouse, muskrat, gray squirrel.

SCALE : 1" = 2000'

KELLY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA (CHESTER)

LOCATION

KELLY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

Location: Chester

Size: 267 Acres

Topography: Located on the slope of Round Top Hill, the area is bordered partly on the southeast by Round Hill Road and on the northwest by Walker Brook. Hillsides are steep with elevations of 650'-1572'.

Vegetation: Thickly wooded with mixed hardwoods.

Water: Blair Brook, which transects the southwestern corner of the area, flows seasonally.

Noted Wildlife: Whitetailed deer, gray squirrel, raccoon.

**KNIGHTVILLE
WILDLIFE
MANAGEMENT
AREA**
(HUNTINGTON)
296.4 Acres

SCALE : 1" = 2,000'

LOCATION

KNIGHTVILLE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
(Owned by U. S. Army Corps of Engineers)

Location: Huntington

Size: 296.4 Acres

Topography: A dry bed reservoir on the Westfield River
with land rising abruptly from the flood
plain.

Vegetation: Grassy and brushy land in a seasonally flooded
plain. Portions of the land above the flood
plain are mature hardwoods and softwoods.

Water: The Westfield River provides fine trout fishing.

Noted Wildlife: Stocked pheasant, woodcock, grouse, cottontail
rabbit, gray squirrel, raccoon.

EUGENE D. MORAN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA (WINDSOR)

LOCATION

EUGENE D. MORAN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

Location: Windsor

Size: 1022 Acres

Topography: Mostly flat, gently rising hills in southern portion.
Elevation, 1900 - 2160 feet.

Vegetation: Largely open fields and fresh meadow.
The wooded sections are mixed hardwoods and softwoods, and there is one true softwood stand.

Water: Windsor Brook, shallow marsh, one beaver pond.

Noted Wildlife: Stocked pheasant, grouse, woodcock, snowshoe hare, whitetailed deer, raccoon, cottontail, beaver, otter some waterfowl early fall.

PERU WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

SCALE 1" = 2000'

PERU WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

Location: Peru

Size: 2638 Acres

Topography: Rolling hills, several steep hills and gullies.

Vegetation: Almost totally wooded. Hardwoods and softwoods in different stages of maturity. A majority of the woodland is 20 - 60 feet in height.

Water: Trout brook provides trout fishing, and there is some shallow shrub swampland.

Noted Wildlife: Grouse, woodcock, gray squirrel, snowshoe hare, whitetailed deer, raccoon, beaver.

SAVOY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

SCALE : 1" = 2000'
CONTOUR INTERVAL : 20'

SAVOY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

Location: Savoy

Size: 420 Acres

Topography: Mostly gentle grades, but there are several steep hills. Highest elevation; 2156 feet.

Vegetation: Woodland, mature hardwoods and conifers, wooded swamps.

Water: Two small streams and a wooded swamp.

Noted Wildlife: Grouse, snowshoe hare, whitetailed deer.

STAFFORD HILL WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA (CHESHIRE)

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SCALE: 1" = 2000'

STAFFORD HILL WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

Location: Cheshire

Size: 675 Acres

Topography: Hilly, with some steep areas. Elevation 950 - 1600 feet. There is a flat plain along Hoosic River, and there are two relatively flat plateaus.

Vegetation: Old farm pasture, with invading woody growth. A shrub swamp along the river bottom. Some small woodlots.

Water: The Hoosic River forms the western boundary, and there are two seasonally running brooks, in addition there is a .25 acre wet meadow, and a .10 acre pond.

Noted Wildlife: Stocked pheasant, woodcock, cottontail rabbit, waterfowl.