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IN REPLY REFER TO:

NBVCINST 1710.3D

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NAVBASE VENTURA COUNTY INSTRUCTION 1710.3D

Subj: WATERFOWL HUNTING REGULATIONS ABOARD NAVAL BASE VENTURA
COUNTY, NAVAL AIR STATION POINT MUGU

Ref: (a) NAWSPTMUGUINST 5510.1
(b) NAVSEA OP 5, Vol. 1
(c) OPNAVINST 5090.1B
(d) NBVCNOTE 1710
(e) Title 14, California Code of Regulations, Division 1,
Subdivision 2, Chapters 1 & 7
(f) Title 50, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 1,
Part 20

Encl: (1) Hunting Regulations
(2) Order of Blind Assignments
(3) NBVC Waterfowl Hunter's Access Card
(4) Waterfowl Hunter and Shotgun Registration Form
(5) Duck Blind Assignment Request Form

1. Purpose. Per references (a) through (f), enclosures (1) through (5) establish waterfowl hunting regulations and procedures aboard Naval Base Ventura County (NBVC), Naval Air Station (NAS) Point Mugu.

2. Cancellation. NBVCINST 1710.3C.

3. Background. Waterfowl hunting on NAS Point Mugu is under the jurisdiction of the Federal Government (Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS), Division of Law Enforcement), and the State of California (The Resources Agency, California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG)). References (a) and (b) set forth procedures for the registration, control, and usage of privately owned vehicles and firearms aboard NBVC. Reference (c) sets forth guidelines for environmental and natural resource management on Naval installations. Reference (d) outlines the hunting season schedule. References (e) and (f) outline all applicable state and federal hunting regulations.

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4. Action

a. NBVC Environmental Division. The NBVC Environmental Division shall:

(1) Oversee and manage the NBVC waterfowl hunting program, per reference (c).

(2) Issue a Hunter Access Card to each registered hunter upon receipt of their shotgun registration form, copy of current state issued hunting license and federal waterfowl hunting stamps, completed waterfowl hunting test, and hunting fees.

(3) Receive and investigate violations of all CDFG and FWS hunting regulations or this instruction. Violations must be immediately reported to the NBVC Environmental Division. Suspected violations will be investigated in coordination with CDFG Wardens and FWS Special Agents.

(4) Withdraw hunting privileges, as appropriate.

b. Waterfowl Hunting Committee. The NBVC Environmental Division shall advise the committee. The committee shall be comprised of an elected Chairman and additional members, as required, to perform assigned duties and responsibilities. The committee shall:

(1) Elect a Chairman and five assistants to the Chairman. Elections for upcoming hunting seasons shall be held on an annual basis at the end of the previous hunting season (no later than 31 January of each year). Meet one time per week during hunting season, and as required or requested by the Chairman.

(2) Prepare an annual NBVC Waterfowl Hunting Notice to include the schedule of the shooting periods for hunting season and a current map of the waterfowl hunting areas and blind locations. Submit to the NBVC Environmental Division for review.

(3) Administer an annual waterfowl hunting test in coordination with the NBVC Environmental Division. The test shall be offered at a minimum of three times prior to the beginning of the hunting season. The test shall be administered at the NBVC Environmental Division.

(4) Coordinate the registration of all shotguns used for waterfowl hunting. Membership and guest shotgun registration

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data shall be provided to NBVC Security and NBVC Environmental Division, and updated weekly before hunting commences.

(5) Assign duck blinds for all waterfowl hunting periods in coordination with the NBVC Environmental Division on a weekly basis.

(6) Coordinate the repair or removal of blinds and bridges to ensure regulatory agency compliance and compliance with the NBVC Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan (INRMP) during the hunting and off seasons. All hunters shall have equal opportunity to repair blinds and bridges so that they may earn preferential blind assignment requests.

(7) Issue preferential blind assignment request slips (colored request forms) to hunters.

(8) Collect waterfowl harvest data and submit to the NBVC Environmental Division on a weekly basis during the hunting season.

(9) Prepare an annual waterfowl hunting report and submit to the NBVC Environmental Division within one month following the end of the hunting season.

c. Individuals. Personnel hunting waterfowl shall:

(1) Complete a Shotgun Registration Form (enclosure (4)) for all shotguns prior to bringing them aboard NAS Point Mugu for hunting. Non-registered shotguns are not allowed aboard NAS Point Mugu. All hunting shotguns shall remain cased, unloaded, and secured in the hunter's vehicle, and only removed for use in hunting areas.

(2) Complete an NBVC waterfowl hunting test.

(3) Submit payment of waterfowl hunting fees.

(4) Submit a copy of state issued hunting license and federal waterfowl hunting stamps.

(5) Follow all Federal and State laws, and all NBVC instructions, as applicable, including those regarding sensitive habitat areas of Federal and State listed endangered species inhabiting NAS Point Mugu. Personnel hunting waterfowl could

lose their hunting privilege if found in violation of any CDFG or FWS hunting regulation on this instruction.

(6) Strictly follow and obey all safety regulations pertaining to hunting.

(7) Show their credentials when requested by NBVC Security, NBVC Environmental Division, Command Duty Officer, CDFG Warden, FWS Special Agent, Base Weapons personnel, or a member of the Waterfowl Hunting Committee.

(8) Remove all spent shells and trash from the area whether or not generated by their group.

(9) Immediately depart from the hunting area when directed by proper authority.

5. Forms. NBVC 5512/6 (10-99), Vehicle/Visitor Pass, is available from the Visitor Control Section of the Security Department. NBVC Form 1710/2 (Rev. 06-01), Request for Duck Blind Assignment (enclosure (5)), and NBVC Form 1710/1 (Rev. 07/02), Waterfowl Hunter and Shotgun Registration (enclosure (4)), are available from the NBVC Environmental Division (Code N45V).

6. Directive Responsibility. The Head, Environmental Division (Code N45V) is responsible for updating this instruction.


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HUNTING REGULATIONS

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CHAPTER 1 - NBVC HUNTING REGULATIONS

1. General Requirements. Hunting of waterfowl is authorized aboard NAS Point Mugu during the approved California and federal hunting season as set forth by the California Department of Fish and Game and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. All personnel hunting waterfowl must comply with state and federal licensing requirements.

2. Admittance to NBVC for Hunting

a. Personnel who have valid personal and vehicle base access credentials should arrive for entry at the Main Gate no earlier than two hours before scheduled shooting.

b. Hunting personnel who do not otherwise have base access are admitted only as guests of those personnel (e.g., sponsors) with proper identification. Sponsors must physically accompany guests at all times while on the installation. The guest must have in their possession an approved Request for Duck Blind Assignment form (NBVC Form 1710/2), Hunters Access card, government issued photo identification, and valid California hunting license with state and federal waterfowl stamps.

c. An adult sponsor, with a valid state hunting license and federal waterfowl hunting stamps, shall accompany dependent children under the age of 18 years old in the hunting area at all times.

3. Safety

a. Shotguns must be cased, unloaded, and placed in a locked trunk, compartment, or vehicle when not in use for hunting.

b. Unauthorized patrons are not allowed in the blinds at any time. Any non-shooting guest will have the fact noted in the remarks section of the blind request.

c. Many hunting blinds are located within the Explosive Hazard Area; therefore, there may be instances when the area must be cleared in the interest of safety. Inherent with acceptance of a blind assignment is the understanding that when requested to vacate by any Security Guard, Command Duty Officer, Base Weapons personnel, Environmental personnel, or member of

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the Waterfowl Hunting Committee, hunters will immediately comply.

d. No alcoholic beverages are permitted in the hunting areas.

e. Shooting is prohibited within 500 feet of buildings, utility and communication lines/cables, aircraft and aircraft movement areas, or personnel.

f. No firearm will be discharged within 600 feet of an ammunition bunker or toward any weapons production facility with windows within 1,200 feet. Hunters will not trespass within the perimeter fence of the ammunition bunkers.

g. In the event a downed bird is inside the fence around the magazine, flag down a Security Patrol truck and the guard patrol will provide the escort into the area. Guns can be taken into the magazine area, but the gun must be unloaded with the action open at all times within the fenced area. Also, all flame and spark producing devices must be left at the gate. To minimize the loss of time to the ordnance or security escort, have the bird well spotted before entering so that it can be retrieved expeditiously.

h. Firing from a vehicle or roadway (paved or unpaved) is prohibited.

4. Firearms

a. All hunters, including guests, are required to fill out and turn in a completed Hunter and Shotgun Registration Form prior to the opening of the waterfowl hunting season. The Waterfowl Committee Chairman shall be responsible for compiling and providing gun registration data to NBVC Security and NBVC Environmental. NBVC Security will not accept Hunter Shotgun Registration Forms at the gate.

b. Only shotguns of 10, 12, 16 or 20 gauge and incapable of holding more than three shells in the magazine and chamber combined, are authorized.

c. All hunters are limited to 50 shot shells while in their blinds and are required to retrieve and remove from the hunting

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areas, all expended hulls and wads. Keep additional shells in vehicles and retrieve as necessary.

d. Only approved non-toxic shot (steel, bismuth, and tungsten) is authorized for waterfowl hunting on NBVC.

e. Authorized hunters who reside off base, and sponsored guests accompanied by their sponsor, are required to register their firearms during the period(s) that their approved blind assignment is valid. Personnel residing on base must follow current instructions regarding weapon storage in base housing.

5. California Hunting License. All personnel desiring to hunt waterfowl aboard NAS Point Mugu, must submit a copy of their California Hunting License along with a Harvest Information Survey Stamp, and both state and federal duck stamps.

6. Waterfowl Hunting Written Test. All personnel desiring to hunt waterfowl aboard NAS Point Mugu, must take and pass a written test that demonstrates that the hunter has read and is familiar with this instruction and the State of California waterfowl hunting regulations. The test includes a special section on species identification. The hunter must score at least 85 percent to pass each section of the test. Guests must take the portion of the test regarding regulations, but need not take the ID portion. The test may be taken home to complete. The completed test shall be returned to the NBVC Environmental office. Upon successful completion of the test, and after the submission of a Hunter and Shotgun Registration Form, hunting fees, and a copy of hunting license and waterfowl stamps, the hunter will be issued an NBVC Waterfowl Hunters Access card.

7. Hunting Fees. Per reference (d), all personnel hunting waterfowl aboard NAS Point Mugu, shall pay a hunting fee. Checks shall be made payable to the "NBVC Waterfowl Hunting Committee" and submit to the Environmental Division. Payment (by check only) may also be attached to the blind assignment request form. Blinds will not be assigned if the fee is not paid in advance.

8. Waterfowl Bag Record. All hunters are required to fill out and turn in the completed waterfowl bag record printed on the back of each blind request for each day of hunting. Completed

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waterfowl bag records for the week and assignments are turned in at the Environmental Division (Bldg. 613) by 1100 on Monday morning before the following week's assignments are made.

Hunters must return waterfowl bag records before future blinds are assigned. If a hunter does not hunt on an assigned day, the waterfowl bag record must still be turned in and should state that fact. This recording system monitors trends in the waterfowl population and aids in the management of our blinds on base.

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CHAPTER 2 - NBVC HUNTING SEASON

1. Pre-Season Blind Repairs. The Waterfowl Hunting Committee shall work through NBVC Environmental to gain all required permits for the construction or major repair of all hunting blinds and bridges that are within jurisdictional wetlands. This will ensure protection against potential impacts to resources of the state coastal zone and federal and state listed threatened or endangered species. The Waterfowl Hunting Committee shall propose repair efforts by June to receive approval by the end of August. Necessary permits or consultation will include but are not limited to the following:

- a. Clean Water Act, Section 404;
- b. Clean Water Act, Section 401;
- c. Rivers and Harbors Act, Section 10;
- d. Coastal Zone Management Act;
- e. Endangered Species Act, Section 7;
- f. Marine Mammal Protection Act;
- g. Federal Noxious Weed Act of 1974;
- h. Construction Programs on Military Reservations (Sikes Act);
- i. Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act; and
- j. National Environmental Policy Act.

2. Shooting Periods

a. All waterfowl hunting shall be accomplished from assigned blinds. Hunters are required to locate the assigned blind before the day of shooting. Hunters should be in their blinds at least 30 minutes before shooting time. If this is not possible, hunters shall not proceed into the area until 30 minutes after shooting time. Compliance is mandatory to prevent latecomers from jeopardizing the potential success of those hunters already in their blinds.

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b. Hunting is permitted only on authorized hunting days per the current NBVCNOTE 1710, reference (d), pertaining to waterfowl hunting periods.

3. Special Hunts: Calleguas Creek. There will be six special hunts per year in Calleguas Creek, in the eastern arm area of Mugu lagoon. Assignments are divided into morning and afternoon hunting periods. These hunting periods will extend from start time to 1130 for the morning shoot and 1200 to stop time for the afternoon shoot. One-half hour is allowed for decoy pick up, transit and incoming hunter setup. Hunters are assigned one of the blind locations defined by the placement of marked stakes. These are located on the hunting area map in reference (d). In order to hunt in this area, one must bring their own temporary blind construction material since there are no permanent blinds allowed in the area.

a. All hunting is done from portable blinds. There is no hunting from the open sand bars.

b. Use of a boat is required due to the tidal action and swift currents. Personnel desiring to hunt this area should indicate on their chit whether or not they have a boat.

c. Tidal movement can be significant in this area. It is strongly encouraged that each party carefully consult a tide chart for the predicted times and severity of water flow.

4. Post-Season Cleanup. All bridges made and used for waterfowl hunting must be secured one week after the conclusion of the waterfowl hunting season, as determined by NBVC Environmental and the Waterfowl Hunting Committee.

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CHAPTER 3 - NBVC HUNTING AREAS1. Assignment of Hunting Blinds

a. Hunters shall submit a Request for Duck Blind Assignment (NBVC Forms 1710/2 (09-04)) to the Environmental Division, Bldg. 613, before 1100 each Monday. Hunters may email the form to nbvchunting@navy.mil, fax the form to 805-989-1011, or drop it off at Bldg. 613. Blind assignments are normally completed by 1300 each Monday, unless it is a holiday, in which case blinds may be assigned on Tuesday. Approved requests can be picked up at the Environmental Division, Bldg. 613, faxed back to the hunter (if a fax number has been provided on the form), or emailed back to the hunter (if an email address has been provided on the form). Weekly blind assignments can also be viewed at <http://www.nbvc.navy.mil/environ/prgms.html#L12>.

b. Follow these procedures when blind assignment requests are submitted after 1100 on Monday:

(1) Patron will submit a completed NBVC Form 1710/2 to the Environmental Division.

(2) The Environmental Division will verify the patron's eligibility and blind request and assign an available blind from the unassigned blinds using the blind assignment log. The Environmental Division will sign or stamp the patron's blind request. The form will be returned to the hunter by the means specified on the blind request.

c. The signature of the Waterfowl Hunting Committee Chairman, a committee member acting for the Chairman, or the Environmental Division is required for all blind assignment requests. Telephone requests are not accepted. Direct complaints concerning assignment of blinds shall be submitted to the Chairman of the Waterfowl Hunting Committee.

d. Persons desiring to hunt together in the same blind should clip or staple their blind requests together. No more than two persons are allowed in each blind unless approved in advance by the Waterfowl Hunting Committee. Enter such requests in the "REMARKS" section of the blind assignment request form.

e. Blinds are assigned per the priorities listed below:

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- and
- (1) Active duty military personnel
 - (a) NBVC and tenant commands;
 - (b) all other active duty military.
 - (2) Retired military personnel
 - (a) Ventura County residents; and
 - (b) all other retired military.
 - (3) DOD civil service personnel
 - (a) NBVC and tenant commands;
 - (b) Mugu Alumni Association; and
 - (c) China Lake and Vandenberg AFB.
 - (4) Reserve military personnel
 - (a) All commands assigned to Ventura County; and
 - (b) all other units.
 - (5) NBVC contractor personnel (with NBVC photo ID badge).

f. Personnel listed in the priority categories above, except category 5, are permitted to sponsor one guest. Attach the request, along with the full name of the guest, to the sponsor's request. The sponsor must accompany the guest at all times. The sponsor is responsible for the actions of his/her guest, including regulations observation and species identification. "Guest" shall be entered in the priority block of NBVC Form 1710/2. Guests must also pay the fee specified in reference (d) to hunt, take the regulations portion of the test, and have a Hunter and Shotgun Registration form (NBVC Form 1710/2) on file.

g. Personnel may volunteer to repair or construct blinds and/or bridges prior to the beginning of the hunting season. Preferential blind assignment requests request slips (colored

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forms) shall be awarded to those individuals who participate in the repair or construction of blinds and/or bridges. No more than six (6) preferential blind assignment request slips shall be issued to each hunter per season. These request slips may not be transferred to another individual. Additionally, for opening day hunting, personnel who repaired blinds are guaranteed that blind, if they so request and their request contains two preferential blind assignment request slips. After opening day, if personnel desire to increase the probability of getting their listed blind preference, more than two preferential blind assignment request slips may be used. For example, six preferential blind assignment request slips would be processed before five, and five before four, etc. See enclosure (2) for more detail. In this case, fill out the primary applicants name on the preferential blind assignment request slip and any appropriate remarks on the top form only. Appropriate remarks might include any restrictions on how you want to use the slips, i.e. "use the preference slips only if I get one of my first three blind choices".

h. The Waterfowl Hunting Committee has grounds to revoke hunting privileges on NBVC, if a request for a blind is received that fraudulently indicates a priority category higher than appropriate for the requester. This includes adding a request for another hunter who had no intention of hunting.

i. Notify the Environmental Division as soon as possible at 989-3204 of a cancellation of blind assignment so that the canceled blind can be reassigned.

j. When a blind is assigned, the hunter can use it for the period of time indicated on the blind assignment chit. If the assigned hunter leaves the blind and returns later, he/she still has priority for the assigned blind. Anyone using the blind while the assigned user is gone is expected to courteously and promptly vacate the blind.

2. Hunting Blinds

a. Waterfowl hunting is allowed only in blinds as outlined in NBVCNOTE 1710, reference (d), published annually.

b. Waterfowl hunting in Mugu Lagoon between Laguna Road and the airfield is prohibited.

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c. Decoys shall not be set out earlier than two hours before an assigned day of shooting. Decoys used during hunting periods must be picked up immediately after the shoot is completed.

d. The beach area shall not be traversed to go to and from blinds.

e. Blinds 10 through 17, and the Calleguas Creek area are reserved for "decoy and call" use and require the use of at least one dozen decoys. Hunters in these blinds will cooperate to the maximum extent possible, making sure that they allow the birds to fully work the decoys. Do not shoot at far ranging birds that are working the spreads of a neighboring blind.

f. Blinds 11 through 13 may only be accessed via boat through the tidal creeks. Blind 10 shall normally be accessed via the COTAR pad to the west. Otherwise it will be accessed as close as possible by boat.

g. Clean or dress waterfowl only in the established messes or quarters, not in the field.

h. Hunters are held responsible for the general cleanliness of their assigned blinds and the surrounding area. They will police the area of expended ammo and wads, particularly in and around buildings and parking areas, and remove all debris from the blind areas. Failure to police assigned blinds can result in revocation of future hunting privileges.

i. Bright colored clothing, e.g., yellow rain slickers, red coats, shirts or caps are not permitted.

3. Use of Dogs

a. Restrain dogs while proceeding to and from the blinds.

b. During shooting periods, confine dogs to the blinds except when retrieving ducks. The use of dogs to help find and return downed birds is encouraged.

4. Use of Boats. Small boats can be used to retrieve downed birds. Use boats only to proceed expeditiously to and from the blinds and for retrieving downed birds, being careful not to

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interfere with hunting in adjacent blinds. There is no hunting from the boats.

5. Parking Areas

a. Parking for the 10s, 20s, and 30s series blinds is restricted to designated parking areas only. These parking areas are indicated in reference (d). Parking area "A" is allowed one vehicle in the designated parking area. People hunting together are encouraged to car pool from the parking lot outside Gate 2 (Main Gate).

b. Authorized parking areas (some blinds listed twice).

(1) Parking area (A) 22, 24-26 (only one vehicle allowed);

(2) Parking area (B) 10-14, 15, 15A, 27 (Ditch Road);

(3) Parking area (C) closed;

(4) Parking area (D) 15-17 (Beach Road - see note in paragraph below); and

(5) Parking area (E) 17-19, 27, 30-36, 39, 70-72.

c. Hunters shall not park in areas that would prevent employees from parking in their usual areas during normal working hours. Parking is not permitted on the roadways in front of blinds or in such a manner as to block roadways. Personnel parked in area D (Beach Road) shall move their vehicles, if a target launch occurs. The blinds themselves are out of the target launch hazard pattern.

d. Hunters will leave their approved Duck Blind assignment form face up on the dash of their vehicles to aid Weapons Department or security personnel in identifying individuals and their locations, in case vehicles need to be moved or other emergency.

e. Personnel repairing blinds before season or cleaning up afterward shall leave a Waterfowl Blind assignment form (completed but unsigned) on the dash with appropriate purpose for being in the restricted area in the "REMARKS SECTION".

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CHAPTER 4 - COMPLIANCE

Violations of California or Federal hunting regulations or provisions of this instruction shall result in revocation of shooting privileges. Personnel authorized to hunt waterfowl per this instruction are authorized to shoot any waterfowl as defined by the Federal and California hunting regulations, excluding base exceptions. If asked by any member of the Environmental Division, Waterfowl Hunting Committee, Security, Command Duty Officer, CDFG Warden, Base Weapons personnel, or FWS Special Agent to present his or her blind request, hunting license, shot shells, or species of waterfowl taken, the hunter will comply or be considered in violation.

1. Protected Species

a. Designation of hunting areas has been accomplished in such a manner as to minimize any potential negative impact to protected and endangered species found at NBVC. The Western Snowy Plover, Light-footed Clapper Rail, and the California Brown Pelican are protected under the Federal Endangered Species Act (Public Law 97-304, as amended by Public Law 96-159), the Federal Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C 703-712), and the California Endangered Species Act. The Belding's Savannah Sparrow is protected under the Federal Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C 703-712) and the California Endangered Species Act. Harbor seals are protected under the Federal Marine Mammal Protection Act (Public Law 92-522, as amended by Public Law 100-711). Each of these laws prohibits the unauthorized harassment or killing of these protected species. The penalties for potential violation of these laws are as follows:

(1) Federal Endangered Species Act, \$25,000 or 1 year imprisonment or both per violation.

(2) Migratory Bird Treaty Act, \$5,000 or 6 months imprisonment or both per violation.

(3) Marine Mammal Protection Act, \$20,000 or 1 year imprisonment or both per violation.

b. Salt marsh birds-beak is a federal and state listed endangered plant protected under both the Federal Endangered

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Species Act and the California Endangered Species Act. All salt marsh birds-beak areas are delineated with flagging. Entrance to all salt marsh birds-beak areas is prohibited. The following conditions apply, if a downed waterfowl falls into a flagged area of salt marsh birds-beak:

(1) Hunters shall use a pole to retrieve a downed bird, when feasible.

(2) Dogs are not allowed into any salt marsh birds-beak area.

(3) If the downed bird cannot be retrieved with a pole, the downed bird shall be retrieved with minimum impact to the flagged area. The hunter is permitted to carefully enter the flagged area to retrieve the downed bird. The hunter shall enter and leave by the same path. The path shall be the shortest path possible to reach the downed bird.

(4) NBVC Environmental must be contacted by the first working day after entry.

c. All hunting blinds are evaluated annually, prior to the hunting season, to determine the need for closure because of potential impacts to endangered species.

2. Non-Game Wildlife

a. Shooting of the common snipe is prohibited because of its close resemblance to many protected shorebirds found in the lagoon.

b. Shooting of non-game migratory birds is prohibited.

c. Shooting of mammals and other wildlife is prohibited.

d. Coots are a waterfowl game bird and must be retrieved, if shot.

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3. Effective Shooting Range

a. Hunters shall not shoot waterfowl, unless within effective killing range, as crippled or wounded birds too frequently cannot be retrieved.

b. The maximum effective range for most hunters with steel shot is 30-45 yards, which also allows for positive species identification, improved shooting, and more ducks.

c. While present day guns and ammunition are often capable of killing at longer ranges, the shot pattern is diffused and usually ineffective. Statistics prove that an average of five shot pellets must strike a duck to assure a kill. "Skybusting" beyond the recommended limits spoils the hunting for everyone. This is especially important while using steel shot.

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ORDER OF BLIND ASSIGNMENTS

	Total Number of Preferential (priority) slips (First sort)	Highest Priority of Hunter(s) Requesting Blind (2nd sort)	Priority of Second Hunter (if any) (Final sort)
<p>Start with all the chits and sort them in the following order:</p> <p>First: sort into groups by total number of preferential (blind repairer) slips for each group of hunters.</p> <p>Next: sort within each group in order of the highest priority (employment or duty status) of the hunter(s) who are requesting a blind together.</p> <p>Finally, sort next within each sub-group by the priority of the second hunter (if one).</p> <p>The only exception to this order is on opening day when the person repairing a given blind will be assigned THAT blind if they request it and use TWO preference request slips.</p>	<p>6 Preference slips (colored request forms)</p> <p>(Count total number combined between all hunters in blind)</p>	<p>Pri 1 Active Duty</p>	1 - Active
			2 - Retired
			3 - DoD
			4 - Reserve
			5 - Contractor
			Guest No other hunter
		<p>2 Retired</p>	2
			3
			4
			5
			Guest
			No other hunter
		<p>3 DoD</p>	3
			4
			5
	Guest No other hunter		
	<p>4 Reserves</p>	4	
		5	
		Guest No other hunter	
	<p>5 Contractor</p>	5	
		Guest No other hunter	
5	Same Scheme as above		
4	Same Scheme as above		
3	Same Scheme as above		
2	Same Scheme as above		
1	Same Scheme as above		
None (All "white" blind request slips)		Same Scheme as above	

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Waterfowl Hunter's Access Card

The image shows a form for a Waterfowl Hunter's Access Card. It features a logo on the top left, the title "NBVC Waterfowl Hunter Access Card" in the top center, and a small illustration of a waterfowl on the top right. The form contains several fields: "Name:", "Drivers License #:", "State:", "Valid: Oct 2004 thru Jan 2005", and "NBVC Environmental:". A large, diagonal "SAMPLE" watermark is overlaid across the center of the form.

 **NBVC Waterfowl Hunter Access Card** 

Name: _____

Drivers License #: _____ State: _____

Valid: Oct 2004 thru Jan 2005

NBVC Environmental: _____

Waterfowl Hunter and Shotgun Registration

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Last Name		First Name		MI	Date
Home Street Address					Status / Priority (Place 'X' in box)
City		Zip			Active Duty Military
Home Phone ()					Retired Military
Drivers License No			State of Issue for License		DoD (Mugu, China Lake, VAFB)
Guests Living Blank	Employer (or Unit if Navy/DoD)				Reserve Military
	Work Address (or Code if Navy/DoD)				Contractor (NBVC only)
	City		Zip		Guest (none of above)
	Work Phone ()		Fax ()		E-mail
Boat Description, i.e. 12' black aluminum boat, # CF 1234 HK, Name: none					SBN (last 4 digits)
					Pass Test

Complete the following registration information for ALL shotguns you intend to bring on base to hunt with. If you have completed the information for the Point Mugu Gun Club, you MUST REPEAT it here since the authorization is for use at different places/times and may involve different guns.

DO NOT bring any shotgun onto Naval Base Ventura County until it has been registered on this form AND you have received your "Waterfowl Hunter Access Card".

DO NOT ever bring any other type of firearm (rifle, handgun) aboard the base. Violators are subject to Federal prosecution and firearms confiscation.

Manufacturer	Model (i.e. 870)	Type (i.e. pump)	Gauge	Ser # / Remarks

I understand that shotguns are not to be brought aboard Naval Base Ventura County until they have been registered on this form and I have received my "Waterfowl Hunter Access Card". I understand that once registered, shotguns are to be brought aboard cased, unloaded, and secured in my vehicle. They are to be removed only in the hunting areas, defined as the area to the west of the main runway 03/21 and the area east of Las Posas Road in the area adjoining Calleguas Creek on the days hunting is authorized there.

Signature:

Date:

REQUEST FOR DUCK BLIND ASSIGNMENT		DATE BLIND ASSIGNMENT IS REQUESTED FOR			
		DAY OF WEEK	DATE		
APPLICANTS NAME		SSN (last 4 digits)	* PRIORITY (see below) (or "Guest")		
PHONE NO.	EMAIL	FAX			
IF APPLICANT IS A GUEST, PLEASE FILL IN THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION					
SPONSORS NAME		CODE / STATUS	PHONE NUMBER		
INDICATE INTENDED TIMES IF EARLIER OR LATER THAN LEGAL TO FACILITATE HALF DAY ASSIGNMENT (DO NOT LEAVE BLANK)	START TIME	BLIND NUMBER DESIRED IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE:			
	STOP TIME	1.	4.	7.	10.
		2.	5.	8.	11.
3.	6.	9.	12.		
IF THE ABOVE CHOICES ARE NOT AVAILABLE, ASSIGN THE NEXT AVAILABLE BLIND: _____ YES _____ NO					
RETURN BLIND ASSIGNMENT TO HUNTER BY: _____ PICK UP _____ EMAIL _____ FAX _____					
* PRIORITY					
1. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL 2. RETIRED MILITARY PERSONNEL 3. DOD CIVIL SERVICE PERSONNEL ATTACHED TO ANY NBVC, CHINA LAKE, or VAFB ACTIVITY, or PT. MUGU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERS 4. RESERVE MILITARY PERSONNEL 5. RESIDENT CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL EMPLOYED AT NBVC AND TENANT COMMANDS WHO POSSESS A NBVC ID BADGE GUESTS ENTER "GUEST" IN THE "PRIORITY" BLOCK					
PERSONNEL LISTED IN THE PRIORITY CATEGORIES ABOVE ARE PERMITTED TO SPONSOR ONE GUEST. REQUEST OF GUEST MUST BE ATTACHED TO SPONSOR'S REQUEST AND GUEST MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY SPONSOR AT ALL TIMES WHILE ABOARD THE NAVAL BASE VENTURA COUNTY.					
REMARKS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> RETURN REQUEST TO NBVC ENVIRONMENTAL, BLDG. 613 (805-989-3204) NO LATER THAN 1200 MONDAY OF HUNT WEEK – EMAIL REQUEST TO nbvchunting@navy.mil, FAX TO 805-989-1011, OR DROP OFF. DUCK BLIND ASSIGNMENTS ARE POSTED ON THE NBVC WATERFOWL HUNTING WEBSITE (http://www.nbvc.navy.mil/environ/prgms.html#112) BY TUESDAY OF HUNT WEEK. PLACE THIS BLIND REQUEST IN YOUR WINDSHIELD TO AID SECURITY IF THEY NEED TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING VEHICLE PLACEMENT 					
APPLICANTS SIGNATURE		DATE			
Blind No. _____ is hereby assigned to you for the above period. This blind assignment form authorizes you to bring one shotgun aboard NBVC on the day specified in your request.					
WATERFOWL HUNTING COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE		DATE			

NAVAL BASE VENTURA COUNTY

NAME	DATE	BLIND NO.
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COMMENTS:

If you do not plan to hunt, call the Environmental Division at 989-3204 no later than 1700 on Thursday so the blind can be reassigned.

If you don't shoot anything, you must still turn in this filled out form anyway, whether or not you cancelled your blind assignment.

WATERFOWL BAG RECORD

Number	Blind	Species	Number	Blind	Species
/	/	PINTAIL	/	/	CANADA GOOSE
/	/	MALLARD	/	/	SNOW GOOSE
/	/	WIDGEON	/	/	ROSS'S GOOSE
/	/	SHOVELER	TOTAL GEESE		
/	/	GREEN-WINGED TEAL			
/	/	BLUE-WINGED TEAL	/		COOT
/	/	CINNAMON TEAL			
/	/	GADWALL	NUMBER OF BANDED BIRDS		
/	/	REDHEAD	NUMBER OF SPECIES OF BANDED BIRDS		
/	/	CANVASBACK	BAND NUMBER		SPECIES
/	/	SCAUP			
	OTHERS (SPECIFY)				
	TOTAL DUCKS				
	NUMBER OF DUCKS DOWNED BUT NOT RETRIEVED				

***** HUNTERS NOTES *****

PARK IN RECOMMENDED AREAS ONLY; ONE CAR PER BLIND IF POSSIBLE TO REDUCE CONGESTION.

PLACE THIS REQUEST IN THE WINDSHIELD OF YOUR CAR TO AID SECURITY

IF NEEDED TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING VEHICLE PLACEMENT.

THIS WOULD BE MOST USEFUL FOR THOSE USING BLINDS 15/16 DURING WEDNESDAY HUNTS WHEN LAUNCHING OF TARGETS MAY REQUIRE VEHICLE MOVEMENT FROM NORMAL PARKING AREA