United States DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR National Park Service

OZARK NATIONAL SCENIC RIVERWAYS

COMPENDIUM AMENDMENT: 36 CFR 1.5

Designations, Closures, Permit Requirements and other Restrictions Imposed Under the Discretionary Authority of the Superintendent ... Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 1.

AUTHORITY

Under the authority of 16 U.S.C. Section 3, and Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 1, Parts 1-7, this Compendium of Superintendent's Orders is established for Ozark National Scenic Riverways. Regulations listed in this compendium are a requirement in addition to those listed in Parts 1-7 of Title 36 unless otherwise noted. The specific authority for this regulatory procedure is found in Sections 1.5, 1.6 and 1.7 of Title 36.

PART 1 - General Provisions

Section 1.5(a)(1) Closures and Public Use Limits:

Ozark National Scenic Riverways is hosting the Big Spring Exceptional Warrior Managed Deer Hunt on October 21 & 23, 2022. The Big Spring campground, Peavine Pavilion area and all hiking trails within the Big Spring area will be temporarily closed from Friday, October 21, until the morning of Monday, October 24. Big Spring and the boat ramp will remain open during the hunt and can be accessed from Peavine Road, due to the closure of Big Spring Bridge. All areas will reopen the morning of October 24.

The managed hunt was published in the *Missouri Department of Conservation 2022 Fall Deer & Turkey* booklet. In addition, the public will be notified through a press release prior to the hunt and the closure will be posted on the park's website and Facebook page.

Determination:

The objective of this hunt is to help manage high deer densities on NPS lands. Individuals participating in the hunt will be carrying firearms; however, hunting is prohibited 300 yards from any developed area or public use facilities. To ensure public safety the trails and sections of Peavine Road will be closed to all park visitors.

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Ozark National Scenic Riverways will be hosting a managed youth deer hunt on October 7 & 9, 2022. The Big Spring campground, Peavine Pavilion area and all hiking trails within the Big Spring area will be temporarily closed from Friday, October 7, until the morning of Monday, October 10. Big Spring and the boat ramp will remain open during the hunt and can be accessed from Peavine Road, due to the closure of Big Spring Bridge. All areas will reopen the morning of October 10.

The managed hunt was published in the Missouri Department of Conservation 2022 Fall Deer & Turkey booklet. In addition, the public will be notified through a press release prior to the hunt and the closure will be posted on the park's website and Facebook page.

Determination:

The objective of this hunt is to help manage high deer densities on NPS lands. Youth participating in the hunt will be carrying firearms; however, hunting is prohibited 300 yards from any developed areas or public use facilities. To ensure public safety the trails and sections of Peavine Road will be closed to all park visitors.

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