

**GAME, FISH AND PARKS COMMISSION ACTION  
PROPOSAL**

**Sandhill Crane Hunting Season  
Chapter 41:06:18**

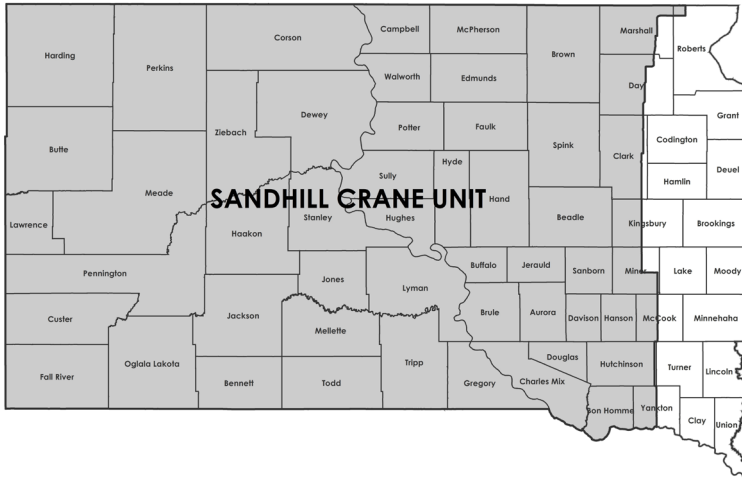
<b>Commission Meeting Dates:</b>	<b>Proposal</b>	<b>January 28-29, 2021</b>	<b>Pierre</b>
	<b>Public Hearing</b>	<b>March 4, 2021</b>	<b>Pierre</b>
	<b>Finalization</b>	<b>March 4-5, 2021</b>	<b>Pierre</b>

**DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATION**

**Duration of Recommendation:** 2021 hunting season

**Season Dates:** September 25 – November 21, 2021

**Open Area:** That portion of the state lying west of a line beginning at the South Dakota-North Dakota border and State Highway 25, south on State Highway 25 to its junction with State Highway 34, east on State Highway 34 to its junction with U.S. Highway 81, then south on U.S. Highway 81 to the South Dakota-Nebraska border.



**Daily Limit:** 3 Sandhill cranes

**Possession Limit:** 9 Sandhill cranes

**Requirements and Restrictions:**

1. Shooting hours are ½ hour before sunrise to sunset.
2. Nontoxic shot rules apply to Sandhill crane hunting.

**Recommended change from last year:** None.

**RESIDENT/NONRESIDENT CRITERIA**

Not applicable; no recommended changes.

**RECRUITMENT, RETENTION, REACTIVATION (R3) CRITERIA**

Not applicable; no recommended changes.

<b>APPROVE</b> _____	<b>MODIFY</b> _____	<b>REJECT</b> _____	<b>NO ACTION</b> _____
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