

(1) In New Mexico, each band-tailed pigeon hunter must have a band-tailed pigeon hunting permit issued by the State. The North Zone is defined as that area lying either north or east of a line following U. S. Highway 60 from the Arizona State line east to Interstate Highway 25 at Socorro and then south along Interstate Highway 25 to the Texas State line. The South Zone is that area lying south and west of the North Zone.

(2) In Utah, each band-tailed pigeon hunter must have either a band-tailed pigeon hunting permit or a special bird permit stamp issued by the respective State.

5. Section 20.104 is revised to read as follows:

**§20.104 Seasons, limits, and shooting hours for rails, woodcock, and common snipe.**

Subject to the applicable provisions of the preceding sections of this part, areas open to hunting, respective open seasons (dates inclusive), shooting and hawking hours, and daily bag and possession limits for the species designated in this section are prescribed as follows:

Shooting and hawking hours are one-half hour before sunrise until sunset except as otherwise noted. Area descriptions were published in the July 17, 2003, Federal Register (68 FR 42546).

CHECK STATE REGULATIONS FOR AREA DESCRIPTIONS AND ANY ADDITIONAL RESTRICTIONS.

Note: States with deferred seasons may select those seasons at the same time they select waterfowl seasons in August. Consult late-season regulations for further information.

	Sora and Virginia Rails	Clapper and King Rails	Woodcock	Common Snipe
Daily bag limit	25 (1)	15 (2)	3	8
Possession limit	25 (1)	30 (2)	6	16

**ATLANTIC FLYWAY**

<u>Connecticut</u> (3)	Sept. 2-Nov. 1	Sept. 2-Nov. 1	Oct. 25-Nov. 22	Oct. 25-Nov. 22
<u>Delaware</u>	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Nov. 24-Dec. 13 & Dec. 18-Dec. 27	Nov. 24-Jan. 31
<u>Florida</u>	Sept. 1-Nov. 9	Sept. 1-Nov. 9	Dec. 20-Jan. 18	Nov. 1-Feb. 15
<u>Georgia</u>	Sept. 20-Nov. 28	Sept. 20-Nov. 28	Dec. 20-Jan. 18	Nov. 15-Feb. 28
<u>Maine</u>	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Closed	Deferred	Sept. 1-Dec. 16
<u>Maryland</u>	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Oct. 25-Nov. 15 & Jan. 10-Jan. 17	Sept. 24-Nov. 28 & Dec. 15-Jan. 24
<u>Massachusetts</u> (4)	Sept. 1-Nov. 9	Closed	Deferred	Sept. 1-Dec. 14
<u>New Hampshire</u>	Closed	Closed	Oct. 1-Oct. 30	Sept. 15-Oct. 30
<u>New Jersey</u> (5)				
North Zone	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Oct. 16-Nov. 8	Sept. 19-Jan. 3
South Zone	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Nov. 8-Nov. 29 & Dec. 26-Dec. 27	Sept. 19-Jan. 3
<u>New York</u> (6)	Sept. 1-Nov. 9	Closed	Oct. 6-Nov. 4	Sept. 1-Nov. 9
<u>North Carolina</u>	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Sept. 1-Nov. 8	Dec. 17-Jan. 15	Nov. 14-Feb. 28