

Activity & application & report form number (* means report form used for more than one permit activity)	Total No. of responses (an- nually)	Estimated completion time (hr)	Total annual burden hours	Regulatory authority
CITES Import/Export/Eagle Transport for Exhibition/Scientific Research, 3–200–69.	50	1	50	50 CFR 22.21, 23.11, 23.12, 23.13, 23.15
CITES Import/Export/Eagle Transport for Indian Religious Purposes, 3–200–70.	250	1	250	50 CFR 22.22, 23.11, 23.12, 23.13, 23.15
Total	50,037		22,864	

¹ 10 minutes.² 15 minutes.³ 20 minutes.⁴ 30 minutes.

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Permit Applications and Reports,
Migratory Birds and Eagles.

Service Form Numbers: 3–200–6

through 3–200–18, 3–200–67 through 3–
200–70, 3–202–1 through 3–202–13, 3–
186, 3–186A.

Description of Respondents:

Individuals; zoological parks; museums;
universities; scientists; taxidermists;
businesses; and State, local, Tribal and
Federal governments.

Frequency of Collection: On occasion.

Total Annual Responses: 50,037.

Total Annual Burden Hours: 22,864.

We invite comments concerning this information collection on: (1) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of our functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of our estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and, (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents. This information collection is part of a system of records covered by the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552(a)).

Dated: October 21, 2003.

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ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) announces that the final Comprehensive Conservation Plan (CCP) and Environmental Assessment (EA) is available for Big Stone, Detroit Lakes, Fergus Falls, Litchfield, Morris, and Windom WMDs. The CCPs were prepared pursuant to the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966, as amended by the National Wildlife Refuge System Improvement Act of 1997, and the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, and we describe how the Service intends to manage these districts over the next 15 years.

DATES: Implementation of the CCPs will not begin sooner than 30 days following the publication of this **Federal Register** notice.

ADDRESSES: Copies of the CCPs are available on compact diskette or hard copy, and you may obtain a copy by writing the applicable WMD: Big Stone Wetland Management District, Rural Route 1, Box 25, Odessa, MN 56276–9706; Detroit Lakes Wetland Management District, 26624 North Tower Road, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501–7959; Fergus Falls Wetland Management District, 21932 State Highway 210, Fergus Falls, MN 56537–7627; Litchfield Wetland Management District, 22274–615th Avenue, Litchfield, MN 55355–2900; Morris Wetland Management District, 43875–230th Street, Morris, MN 56267–9735; or Windom Wetland Management District, 49663 County Road 17, Windom, MN 56101–3026. Copies of the CCP can also be accessed and downloaded at the following Web site address: <http://www.midwest.fws.gov/planning/wmdplanning.htm>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966, as amended by the National Wildlife Refuge System Improvement Act of 1997 (16 U.S.C. 668dd–668ee *et seq.*) requires a CCP and

the National Environmental Policy Act compliance (42 U.S.C. 4321–4370d). The purpose in developing CCPs is to provide district managers with a 15-year strategy for achieving district purposes and contribute toward the mission of the National Wildlife Refuge System, consistent with sound principles of fish and wildlife science, conservation, legal mandates, and Service policies. In addition to outlining broad management direction on conserving wildlife and their habitats, the CCPs identify wildlife-dependent recreational opportunities available to the public, including opportunities for hunting, fishing, wildlife observation and photography, and environmental education and interpretation. The CCPs will be reviewed and updated at least every 15 years.

The WMD Waterfowl Production Areas purposes are: “* * * as Waterfowl Production Areas” subject to “* * * all of the provisions of such Act [Migratory Bird Conservation Act] * * * except the inviolate sanctuary provisions * * *” and “* * * for any other management purpose, for migratory birds.”

The Minnesota WMDs are part of a unique natural ecosystem and an equally unique legacy of human partnership. Six WMDs are located in western Minnesota: Big Stone WMD, Detroit Lakes WMD, Fergus Falls WMD, Litchfield WMD, Morris WMD, and Windom WMD. These WMDs used a joint process to prepare the CCPs, resulting in six separate CCPs.

Wetland Management Districts are unique collections of land that are not national wildlife refuges, but are managed as part of the National Wildlife Refuge System. A WMD is the Federal administrative unit that is charged with acquiring, overseeing and managing Waterfowl Production Areas (WPAs) and easements within a multi-county area. Waterfowl Production Areas are wetlands and surrounding upland grasslands purchased by the Service to

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