

CAMPING PERMIT ON SAWYER COUNTY FOREST LANDS

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Please read all conditions of this permit listed before applying.

Name		Permit Valid for (Maximum 10 days): _____ to _____	
Address (Street, Fire Number, P.O. Box, etc.)		Home Telephone Number _____ Alternate Telephone Number _____	
City, State and Zip Code		Permit Fee (\$7.00 per night/per unit): _____ Payment Received _____	
Vehicle Make:	Model:	License Number	State
Please describe type of shelter you will be using:		Number of people who will be using this shelter:	

This permit is area specific. Please indicate legal description. Enclose map of area (see Maps 1-24 on website: sawyercountygov.org; go to Departments; Forestry - scroll to bottom of page).

Section _____, T _____ N, R _____ W; _____ Township

Leave this section blank - to be used by Sawyer County Forestry Department	
_____ Approved _____ Denied	
County Forest Administrator Signature	Date Signed

By signing this Permit, the Permittee agrees to all terms and conditions contained herein. Violations of any of the terms of this agreement will immediately render this Permit null and void.

Permittee's Signature	Date Signed
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Have a Great Time on the Sawyer County Forest!

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

Camping with a tent, camper, trailer, truck camper or other camping shelter used for overnight sleeping accommodations is allowed under the following conditions:

- 1) A valid permit for each unit (tent, camper, trailer, truck camper, other camping shelter) must be issued by Sawyer County for the camping site. The Permit must be displayed on the outside of the camping shelter and be readily visible. The Permit is valid only for the permittee, dates and location as issued by Sawyer County.
- 2) Camping permit requests for the traditional 9-day gun deer season will be accepted starting August 1st of each year and must be received by October 31st.
- 3) The Permit fee is \$7.00 per night.
- 4) Camping permits cannot be issued before the calendar year of intended use. Sites are on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- 5) Maximum permit period is ten (10) consecutive days. The camping shelter must be occupied daily and may not be vacated overnight or stored on the site.
- 6) No camping is allowed within 100 feet of a state, county or township road. Vehicles and camping unit may not block any forest roadway or damage the right-of-way.
- 7) No camping is allowed within 1/4 mile (1320 feet) of any day-use area, boat landings, or any designated recreational trail. DO NOT block trails.
- 8) When setting up camp, nails or screws are not allowed in trees, please use rope.
- 9) Firewood gathering in the area of the camp is allowed. Firewood must be downed wood. No standing trees or shrubs may be cut. No firewood may be removed from area without obtaining a Firewood Permit.
- 10) Campfires are permitted provided all applicable state and county burning regulations are followed. All fires must be extinguished and cool enough to the touch by hand before leaving campsite.
- 11) Littering or damage to natural resources is not allowed. Permittee must take all refuse when site is vacated and dispose of properly. Anything brought in must be brought out.
- 12) Privy waste must be buried.
- 13) Camping shelters equipped with septic wastewater holding tanks shall dispose of wastewater at an established dump station.
- 14) Campsites must be left in good condition. Sites will be inspected and citations may be issued.