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Chapter 1

General

1-1. Purpose

This regulation establishes policies, procedures, and regulations related to wildlife management and recreation on Joint Base Lewis-McCord (JBLM) and governs all recreation in the JBLM Training Areas.

a. The principal use of Department of Defense (DoD) lands and waters is to support mission-related activities; all other land uses are subordinate. JBLM lands and waters are available for non-military purposes in accordance with (IAW) AR 200-1 (Environmental Protection and Enhancement), the Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan (INRMP), the Sikes Act, and Army directives and policies when compatible with the military mission, installation safety and security, ecosystem sustainability, natural resources management, and fiscal responsibility.

b. JBLM programs will maximize access to Army land, air, and water resources for military training, while ensuring the biological diversity of natural resources entrusted to the Army is sustained for promoting the quality of life for Service members, tribal resources, scientific research, education, recreation, and other compatible uses.

c. This regulation does not restrict Service members, civilian employees, or contractors from executing lawful activities on JBLM under the purview of official JBLM organizations, directorates, or units.

d. The Army and the Joint Base Commander reserve the right to change any of the provisions of this regulation at any time and without advance notice. Neither the current provisions of this regulation nor any changes to it are intended to, or do, create any right or benefit, substantive or procedural, enforceable at law or in equity by any party against the United States, its departments, agencies, or entities, or its officers, employees, or agents, or any other person.

1-2. Precedence of federal, state, and local environmental laws and regulations

This regulation implements the requirements of federal, state, regional, and local environmental laws and regulations. Where there is a conflict between a requirement of this regulation and a current requirement of an applicable federal, state, regional, or local law or regulation, the latter will have precedence for compliance.

1-3. Punitive action

Violation of any of the requirements in this regulation is punishable under federal, state, or local law. Military personnel are also subject to punitive action under the Uniform Code of Military Justice, and civilian personnel to disciplinary action within civilian personnel policies.

1-4. References

See Appendix A. The abbreviations, brevity codes, and acronyms (ABCAs) used in this electronic publication are listed in the Glossary and the ABCA database located at <https://armypubs.army.mil/abca/>.

Chapter 2 Responsibilities

2-1. Joint Base Garrison Commander (JBGC)

Joint Base Commander reviews, appeals, and makes final decisions concerning suspensions of recreational privileges on JBLM that have been imposed by the Directorate of Emergency Services (DES).

2-2. Unit Commanders

Unit Commanders are responsible for the conservation, improvement, and management of all natural resources under their jurisdiction that are vital to the sustainability and multi-purpose use of JBLM training lands. JBLM lands are for supporting the military training mission, which includes the morale, welfare, and recreational activities necessary to develop and sustain a satisfactory quality of life for Service members.

2-3. Directorate of Public Works (DPW)

a. Use science-based research, inventory, and monitoring of wildlife, fisheries, and plant communities to sustain the ecological integrity of training land resources on JBLM within the context of the training mission.

b. Ensure compliance with federal and state laws, adhere to the approved INRMP, Biological Opinions, DoD regulations, instructions, directives, policies, guidance, and federal and state agreements required by the Sikes Act for the management of natural resources on DoD lands.

c. Recommend hunting season dates, bag limits, creel limits, size limits, and other regulations governing the harvest of fish and wildlife resources, in cooperation with state and Tribal agencies. Such regulations shall be established IAW applicable federal and state laws, and Army regulations.

d. Assist with maximizing training capacity of land training resources through collaboration with Directorate of Planning, Training, Aviation, Mobilization, and Security (DPTAMS) Sustainable Range Program (SRP) and training requirements.

e. Apply best management practices, cooperative agreements, and the acquisition and management of buffer zones to focus wildlife management activity on sites not used for readiness training.

f. Promote species conservation and mitigation at sites on JBLM, where compatible with the training mission, and assist with regional efforts to conserve rare species and keep common species common.

g. Oversee local operations of the iSportsman website at <https://jblm.iSportsman.net> for providing information, selling and issuing iSportsman permits, and collecting game harvest and other recreational information.

h. Schedule, as appropriate, areas for recreational use based on DPTAMS compatibility allocations per the JBLM Range Facility Management Support System.

i. Maintain and update safety brief video as needed.

j. Collaborate with ITAM Coordinator to create and maintain recreational maps. The maps will depict training areas, recreational areas, ranges, closed or off-limits areas, routes, and other features on JBLM and will be available digitally on iSportsman. Maps will be updated as needed.

k. Manage the handling, budgeting, and expending of 21X funds that are obtained from permit sales IAW the Sikes Act, INRMP, and this regulation.

l. Coordinate with DES and DPTAMS to ensure reasonable accommodations are provided to recreationists requesting access based on the Americans with Disabilities Act, in order to grant, redirect, modify, or deny exceptions based on an interactive and coordinated decision making process.

2-4. Directorate of Emergency Services (DES)

a. Enforce all federal, state, and installation hunting, fishing, and trapping laws and regulations pertinent to natural and cultural resources as they pertain to this regulation.

b. Conduct patrols of the JBLM Training Areas, ensuring that persons utilizing the JBLM Training Areas for recreational purposes are registered through the JBLM iSportsman portal, have all required permits and documentation, and are checked in to an approved area.

c. Provide safety on JBLM by controlling and managing dangerous wildlife.

d. Respond to wildlife complaints and develop mitigation strategies with DPW.

e. Coordinate with DPW and DPTAMS to ensure reasonable accommodations are provided to recreationists requesting access based on the Americans with Disabilities Act, to grant, redirect, modify, or deny exceptions based on an interactive and coordinated decision making process.

f. Plan and conduct investigations for all violations of federal, state, and installation laws and regulations.

g. Direct all civilian and military conservation law enforcement officers on the installation.

h. Provide technical support to the JBC on all aspects of natural resource law enforcement.

2-5. Directorate of Plans, Training, Aviation, Mobilization, and Security (DPTAMS)

a. Responsible for coordinating and synchronizing all downrange activities on JBLM training lands IAW AR 385-63 and DA PAM 385-63 and other applicable DOD regulations.

b. Identify and allocate areas to DPW for recreation via RFMSS. See allocation framework below.

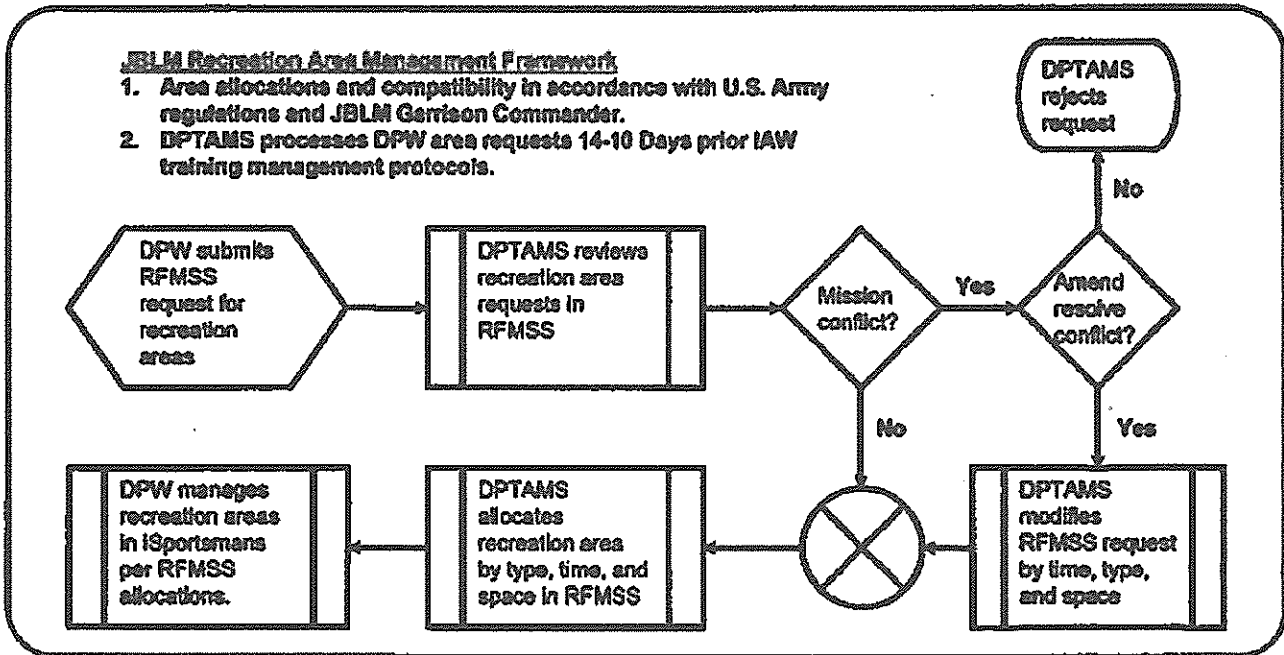


Figure 1-1. JBLM recreation area management framework

c. Review online 3Rs safety brief and evaluate for new or changing conditions, information, and provide updates to DPW.

d. Coordinate with DPW and DES to ensure reasonable accommodations are provided to recreationists requesting access based on the Americans with Disabilities Act, to grant, redirect, modify, or deny exceptions based on an interactive and coordinated decision making process.

e. Review any suggested changes to the recreational georeferenced areas on the range complex for any conflict with existing training apparatus or conflicts with the hazard areas of other ranges.

2-6. Staff Judge Advocate (SJA)

Provide legal advice regarding Army and DoD regulations, policies, and directives related to natural resource management, the enforcement of federal and state environmental laws, and this regulation.

2-7. Joint Base Safety Office (JBSO)

a. Provide safety assistance and guidance to DPW regarding any issues associated with identified hazards relevant to recreation.

b. Review recreational georeferenced areas in iSportsman to ensure there are not any conflicts with the Installation Explosive Safety Map and historical record.

2-8. Recreationists

a. Individually responsible for understanding and following all federal, state, and local laws, including but not limited to those pertaining to hunting, fishing, and other recreational activities.

b. Comply with all provisions of this regulation while recreating on JBLM, strictly adhering to approved map boundaries and downrange checkout times, completing required safety briefings, and staying up to date with new or changing information that is published on iSportsman. Recreationists will leave an area immediately upon encountering military training.

c. Understand that access to JBLM Training Areas is a privilege, not a right, and areas may close at any time without notice. The possession of an iSportsman permit does not guarantee access. If an area is closed users must vacate the area immediately.

d. Understand that all permit sales are final.

e. Report any and all harvest through the iSportsman system upon checkout, including all requested information. The requirement to report harvests in iSportsman does not relieve hunters/anglers from state reporting requirements.

f. Understand that military training and JBLM land management activities take precedence over recreation at all times. Any conflict between recreational users and JBLM employees may result in training area closures or account suspensions.

Chapter 3

Hunting, Fishing, Wood Collection, and Other Recreation

3-1. Program management using iSportsman

a. JBLM uses iSportsman, a recreation permit sales and management service that assists in providing required services to customers. It also functions as the database for recreational user information, managing data collection and storage for DPW.

b. All recreational users create their own personal accounts, take range safety and environmental briefs, submit documents for account validation, purchase permits, get important notices/information, and update their personal information online on iSportsman.

c. An annual downrange safety briefing (video), including the 3Rs (Recognize, Retreat, Report) brief and environmental awareness training, is required for all recreational users (including youths) and is accessed online through their iSportsman account. Recreational users cannot purchase a permit until completion of the annual downrange safety brief. Parents/guardians are required to ensure that youth who accompany them downrange adhere to all applicable rules and guidelines, including those specified in the downrange safety briefing.

d. The system provides current information about recreational users who have active iSportsman accounts and/or permits, including the number of persons checked in to a given recreation area, and allows for mass notification/warning in the event of emergencies.

e. Open Areas available for hunting and other downrange recreation are posted weekly under the Interactive Map or Open Areas pages on the iSportsman website.

f. Recreational users submit harvest information within iSportsman upon checking out, assisting DPW with the management of natural resources on JBLM.

g. DES and the DPTAMS are provided access to the system for managing downrange access, obtaining information necessary for public safety, coordinating emergency search and rescue operations, and for law enforcement purposes.

h. All persons recreating in the JBLM Training Areas must have a valid iSportsman account and permit and be checked in to an open recreation area. Recreational users are only authorized to enter areas they are actively checked in to. In order to access a new area, users must check out and check back in.

i. A valid iSportsman vehicle dashboard pass should always be visible on the dashboard of all personal vehicles in the Training Areas, and all persons must carry a printed or handwritten copy of their permit to present to JBLM officials upon request.

j. Hand-written iSportsman passes must include the customer's name, permit number, and vehicle license plate number. A hand-written pass can only be used after the customer has successfully completed the check-in procedure on the iSportsman website. Handwritten passes are permissible for personal and dashboard passes.

k. An iSportsman permit is non-transferable.

l. Group permits are available for equestrian, dog training, hunting, and other clubs, and require the approval of the DPW-Environmental Division, Fish & Wildlife Branch Chief.

m. Non-hunting or fishing persons must still have a valid recreation permit when accompanying hunters or fishers, even if they are not participating in hunting or fishing.

n. Open and closing times for recreational activities will change as appropriate and safe for the activity and time of year.

o. Recreational users can obtain and print their permit and vehicle dashboard pass from their iSportsman account or at the dedicated iSportsman workstation located at the JBLM Northwest Adventure Center.

p. Any recreational user with an iSportsman permit must check-out no later than the posted checkout times on iSportsman. Failure to check out of iSportsman by the designated time may result in administrative, civil, or criminal penalties as appropriate.

q. If a person cannot vacate the Training Area they are occupying by the required return time, whether due to injury or packing out a large animal, Range Operations should be notified immediately. Such cases may qualify for exceptions to the check-out time but will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

r. An iSportsman permit can be revoked or suspended in the field by DES personnel.

s. Accounts suspended for violations are unlocked by DPW or DES. Accounts suspended for administrative purposes are unlocked by the DPW. Contact information is located on the iSportsman homepage.

3-2. Fee collections

a. Fee structure for recreational permit sales shall be set and approved by the Garrison Commander, IAW the Sikes Act and Army policy.

b. All fees collected through the JBLM iSportsman portal shall be deposited through Pay.gov to a 21X5095 account and managed by the DPW Resource Management Office.

c. These funds will be used for the protection, conservation, and management of fish and wildlife, including habitat and recreational access improvement and related activities IAW the Sikes Act and the INRMP.

3-3. Licensing requirements

a. JBLM follows and enforces all applicable federal laws and USFWS regulations, as well as Washington state rules and regulations for hunting and fishing.

b. Current USFWS hunting regulations and information on the Federal Duck Stamp are available on the USFWS website at <https://www.fws.gov/service/buy-duck-stamp-or-e-stamp>.

c. Hunters are required to obtain and carry the appropriate Washington state licenses and tags for hunting and fishing. Information is available online at <https://wdfw.wa.gov/licenses>.

d. State license requirements are subject to change; therefore, they are not provided in this regulation. State fishing and hunting regulation brochures are available online at <https://wdfw.wa.gov/>.

3-4. Hold Harmless Agreement (HHA)

a. Every recreational user of the JBLM Training Areas, regardless of account type or activity, is required to read and agree to the Hold Harmless Agreement on the iSportsman website. This acknowledgment is recorded in each customer's account and stored by the iSportsman system.

b. Recreational users will be digitally presented with the Hold Harmless Agreement upon logging in to their iSportsman account. By clicking the "Agree" button, the recreational user agrees that they understand and agree to abide by the agreement. Recreational users will not be allowed to acquire an iSportsman permit unless they agree; otherwise, the customer will have to address the issue with DPW, DPTMS, and DES before recreating or getting an iSportsman permit.

c. Legal minors between 16 and 17 years old must agree to the Hold Harmless Agreement on their own iSportsman account, and youth 15 and under must submit via email a signed Hold Harmless Agreement from a legal parent or guardian as part of the account validation process.

d. The point of contact designated on an approved Event Permit is responsible for ensuring non-participating spectators sign a Hold Harmless Agreement. All Event participants must acquire an iSportsman permit and agree to the Hold Harmless Agreement. PDF copies of the agreement can be found on the Regulations page of the iSportsman website.

3-5. Recreation maps

a. A JBLM recreation map is available to those who purchase a recreation permit of any kind. PDF Maps are available electronically on iSportsman.

b. Electronic maps on iSportsman can be used on smart phones and are downloadable onto map applications for navigation.

3-6. Road use and parking

a. Recreational users must be checked into iSportsman before leaving a paved roadway and entering the JBLM Training Areas.

b. All non-paved roads in the training areas are subject to a 25mph speed limit for all vehicles.

c. Recreational users are prohibited from driving and/or cycling on unauthorized paved roadways. A list of these is available on iSportsman.

d. Recreational users are prohibited from driving off established roads. Off road driving is prohibited outside the Off-road Vehicle (ORV) Park.

e. Transit of No Access (NA) areas in Training Areas 15 and 22 is allowed on improved roads only, when adjoining recreation areas are open. All off-road traffic (including foot traffic) in these areas constitutes trespassing.

f. It is prohibited to drive within 50m of a river, stream, or wetland, except on designated hardened crossings.

g. Non-permitted downrange cycling is limited to approved paved roads, as listed on iSportsman.

h. Off road, non-motorized bicycle use within any designated recreation area requires a valid iSportsman account and permit, and the cyclist must be checked in to all areas included on their route.

i. Off-road use or trail riding of bicycles is strictly prohibited inside the ORV park.

j. It is prohibited to use ATVs, off road vehicles, or motorcycles off road in the JBLM Training Areas or outside the ORV park.

k. Electric bicycles with pedals are allowed in the training areas but are restricted to existing roads.

l. Recreational users are required to park within designated parking areas in Priority Habitat Areas and/or in open grassland areas. In forested areas, recreationists must park within 50 feet of established roads and vehicles must be clearly visible from the road. Shrubs and other vegetation must not be damaged to create parking.

m. Recreational users are prohibited from parking in a training area they are not checked in to.

n. Towing of people using a rope or cable is prohibited (e.g., on inner tubes, sleds, etc.).

o. Driving through areas marked with Siebert Stakes and/or Placards is strictly prohibited.

p. The only permitted travel method in areas marked with Siebert Stakes is on foot. Horses and bicycles are prohibited in these areas at all times.

q. Entry to the JBLM Cantonment Area will be in accordance with DES Security and Access Control Division.

3-7. Firearms, weapons for hunting, and methods of transport

a. All firearms possession, transportation, and use must be IAW with JBLM Reg 190-11, available on iSportsman.

b. All firearms transported or carried on JBLM require registration with the Directorate of Emergency Services Registration Office through the submission of a completed HJB Form 816 or 816-1. Do not bring the firearm onto JBLM for registration. The approved HLB Form 816 or 816-1 must be carried with the associated firearm(s) at all times for presentation to Law Enforcement upon request. See also, <https://home.army.mil/lewis-mcchord/index.php/my-Joint-Base-Lewis-Mcchord/all-services/weapons-registration>. For additional questions, call (253) 967-1914.

c. All legal and properly registered firearms and ammunition that are allowed by federal and state laws for hunting are permitted on JBLM except when designated otherwise by DES. The Range Officer may restrict the type of firearm or archery allowed in any training area for safety or other reasons.

d. Concealed weapons are strictly prohibited.

e. Open carry of a sidearm is authorized but only IAW JBLM Reg 190-11, Section 6-14, available on iSportsman.

f. When transporting firearms, they must be stored in the vehicle's trunk. For vehicles without a trunk, the weapon must be in a container, so it is not readily accessible to the driver or passengers. Firearms must be unloaded, and ammunition must be stored separately from the weapon.

g. Carrying of a loaded firearm in a vehicle is prohibited on JBLM. A loaded firearm is a firearm that has ammunition inserted into the firearm, even if a round is not chambered. A muzzleloader is unloaded if the firearm-firing cap or priming powder is removed, rendering it unable to fire.

h. Hunting in a designated Low Velocity Area is by muzzleloader, shotgun, air rifle, sling shot, or archery only.

i. Any legal firearm or archery weapon can be used for hunting, IAW Washington state regulations, in areas designated as High Velocity Areas.

j. Crossbows are considered high-velocity weapons and may only be used in designated High Velocity Areas, except by persons with a state issued exemption for disability. Proof of exemption must be carried at all times for presentation to Law Enforcement upon request.

k. Target practice and sighting of firearms are allowed only at Range 15, and/or the shotgun-archery complex. These facilities are managed by MWR; more information can be found at <https://jblm.armymwr.com/programs/shooting-sports>.

l. It is prohibited to discharge a firearm within 100 yards of or towards any structure or any training area or sub-area boundary.

m. No one may discharge a firearm from, across, or within 50 feet of the centerline of a paved or improved gravel road.

3-8. Hunting

a. JBLM follows and enforces all WA state hunting bag limits, seasons, hunting hours, licensing and tag requirements, and other regulations, which can be found on the WA state website (<https://wdfw.wa.gov/hunting>).

b. All recreational users engaging in hunting are required to provide harvest information during the iSportsman check-out process. The requirement to report harvests in iSportsman does not relieve hunters from state reporting requirements.

c. Recreational users must not clean or process game within 100 feet of any building, facility, designated parking area, or roadway.

d. Transporting harvested animals must be IAW Washington state hunting regulations. Off-road driving to retrieve game is prohibited.

e. Permanent hunting blinds and/or tree stands are prohibited. No blind or stand may be affixed to a tree with nails, bolts, or screws. Self-supporting hunting blinds or stands may be left in the field for the duration of a hunting season; the owner should affix an iSportsman permit stating their name and the date. Blinds and/or tree stands left longer than a week after the close of hunting season will be removed and destroyed. Blinds or stands do not confer a reservation to a particular hunting space, and if the owner is not present other hunters may utilize the area.

f. Hunting from horseback is authorized in low velocity hunting areas only.

g. Trapping of any kind is not authorized on JBLM.

h. Baiting must be IAW Washington state hunting regulations.

i. Per WA state pheasant hunting regulations, pheasant hunting times are 8AM – 11AM and 1PM – 4PM. Participants will not enter the fields prior to 7AM.

j. Reservations are required for all pheasant hunting events. Participants must not check in to pheasant hunting without a reservation.

3-9. Fishing, boating, and camping

a. JBLM follows and enforces all WA state fish harvest limits, seasons, licensing, and other regulations, which can be found the WA state website (<https://wdfw.wa.gov/fishing>).

b. All recreational users engaging in fishing are required to provide harvest information during the iSportsman check-out process.

c. Fishing is limited to one rod per person, which must be attended when the line is in the water.

d. Recreational users must not clean or process fish within 100 feet of any building, facility, designated parking area, or roadway.

e. No portion of fish or wildlife shall be placed in any trash receptacles on JBLM.

f. Litter should be properly disposed of in available receptacles or packed out to be disposed of by the individual.

g. Recreational watercraft powered by internal combustion engines are only allowed on American Lake, Nisqually River, and Puget Sound. Boats powered by an electric motor or by hand are considered non-motorized boats and are allowed on all other wetlands, lakes, and streams. All bodies of water in off-limits areas are closed at all times.

h. Individuals engaging in any boating activity, or use of any personal watercraft under 16', such as stand-up paddle boards, must wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved flotation device and a sound producing signaling device while on the water at all times.

i. Swimming is prohibited in any JBLM body of water other than American lake at designated swimming areas. Wading is authorized during lawful fishing or hunting activities.

j. Camping is prohibited within the JBLM training areas.

3-10. Youth recreation

a. Youth hunting must comply with Washington state regulations, including age limitations.

b. Youth, 15 years of age or younger, recreating on JBLM must be accompanied by a parent or guardian that is 18 or older. If hunting or fishing, the parent or guardian does not have to hunt or fish but must meet all requirements to recreate downrange on JBLM, including the possession of a valid JBLM recreation permit (e.g., non-consumptive, fishing, hunting, etc.).

c. Youth recreational users must have a valid iSportsman account and permit and be checked in to an open recreation area when hunting, fishing, or recreating. A printed or handwritten copy of their permit must also be carried at all times by the youth or their parent/guardian for presentation to JBLM officials upon request.

d. Parents or guardians and youth recreational users must be always within 50 feet and within eyesight of each other while in the Training Areas. The parent/guardian is fully responsible for any youth with them.

e. For recreation access only, up to three accompanied youths (15 and younger) can be sponsored at no cost under each adult's permit.

3-11. Wood collection permits

a. Wood collection areas will be updated weekly in iSportsman showing where availability exists.

b. Permit fees will be charged by the cord or ½ cord as well as by the type/quality of wood available.

c. Permits are valid for two calendar days from date of purchase.

d. Users accessing log decks in the JBLM Training Areas are required to display an iSportsman vehicle dashboard pass and carry a valid wood collection permit.

Chapter 4

Regulations and Violations

4-1. Law enforcement

a. DES, USFWS, and WDFW enforce federal and state laws and regulations within their respective jurisdiction.

b. The DES Conservation Law Enforcement Officers may propose suspension of, for up to five years, the recreational privileges of any recreationist who has committed an offense involving willful criminality or gross negligence. Suspensions are recommended by the DES Chief of Conservation Law Enforcement, with the ultimate authority belonging to the JBC.

c. Annual permit fees will not be refunded for suspended recreationists.

d. Violators of JBLM regulations may incur a collateral fine, a suspension or revocation of recreational privileges, etc... Depending on offense, criminal charges resulting in a mandatory court appearance may also be issued.

e. Animals harvested in violation of laws and regulations are subject to immediate forfeiture and confiscation of harvested game, in addition to prosecution by state authorities and suspension of recreation privileges on JBLM.

f. State fishing and hunting brochures identifying species, seasons, and the types of licenses are available from the WA state website. The brochures are a condensed guide issued for convenience and are neither a legal notice nor a complete collection of hunting laws and regulations.

g. Non-hunting related federal laws and regulations are enforced on JBLM, including but not limited to the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA), the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (BGEPA), Clean Water Act (CWA), and the Endangered Species Act (ESA).

4-2. Additional Joint Base Lewis-McChord (JBLM) policies

a. Recreation of any kind is prohibited in the Artillery Impact Area, Surface Danger Zones of active ranges, live-fire training areas, Close-in Training Areas Alpha thru Foxtrot, and any areas closed by DPTAMS.

b. The use of equines (e.g., horses, mules, donkeys, etc.) requires an iSportsman account and permit. Recreationists using equines must use certified weed-free hay and only feed animals inside of trailers.

c. It is prohibited to take, collect, capture, or possess nongame reptiles, amphibians, or invertebrates.

d. It is prohibited to introduce or translocate any species onto or within JBLM.

e. The use of trail cameras, drones, or other mechanical media collection devices are prohibited on JBLM.

f. Trail/flagging tape is authorized for recreational purposes, but all tape must be marked with placement date and either group affiliation or permit number. Flags are valid for the calendar year in which they are placed. Recreationists should remove their own flagging when no longer needed or out-of-date but must not remove any flagging they did not put up (with the exception of out-of-date flagging that can/should be removed).

g. It is strictly prohibited to remove, disturb, or modify any water control device, lake inlet or outlet, irrigation diversion, survey marker, stake, sign, fence, gate, weather station, or survey device.

h. It is prohibited to collect, deface, remove, cut, or damage cultural or natural resources.

i. It is prohibited to collect firewood without a valid permit. Firewood may only be collected from decks/areas approved by Army Corps of Engineers/Cultural Resources on the granted permit.

j. All ground-disturbing activities, such as digging and off-road maneuvers, as well as all refueling activities, are prohibited within 50 meters of any open waterbody on JBLM.

k. It is unlawful to cut down or otherwise tamper with live trees or collect standing or downed snags.

l. It is prohibited to enter or tamper with equipment, fencing, buildings, or facilities in the JBLM Training Areas.

m. Dogs are authorized in non-training and training contexts within recreation areas. Owners are required to clean up after their animals and dispose of waste off premises.

n. It is prohibited to train dogs at any water body when anglers are present or when waterfowl hunters are hunting.

o. Metal detecting, digging, and/or magnet fishing are prohibited.

p. The government is not responsible for the theft, loss, or damage of any items left in the JBLM Training Areas.

q. "Red flag" or high fire danger conditions will be announced on the iSportsman homepage, and activities will be restricted in accordance with any applicable governing directives and/or as directed by the JBGC.

r. Consumptive uses of training areas such as the collection of fiddlehead fern, berries, fruits, mushrooms, etc. for personal use during authorized recreation is allowed in all open training areas. Personal use is defined as one gallon container or less per person per day. Any collection above this limit shall be considered commercial use not in keeping with recreation and may be subject to fines or criminal penalties as appropriate. There is no collection of salal leaves, stems, or vegetation allowed on any JBLM lands.

s. Accessing McKay Marsh Nature trails on Lewis-North across from the Museum requires an iSportsman account and permit.

t. An iSportsman permit does not confer JBLM gate access to the holder. Therefore, some areas, such as TA2, may be off-limits to some recreational users.

u. Private and public lands adjacent to JBLM will not be entered by recreational users.

v. It is unauthorized to remove any discarded military munitions or ammunition items found anywhere on the training complex.

w. It is prohibited to park on the beach at Solo Point. Parking is limited to the existing gravel lot.

Chapter 5

Accommodations of Persons with Disabilities

5-1. Reasonable accommodations

a. JBLM will strive to provide reasonable accommodations to persons with a substantial impairment of a major life activity as identified under the Americans with Disabilities Act. Impairment is defined as a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities.

b. For consideration, applicants will request accommodation in writing, at least 30 days prior to the requested effective date. All requests must include sufficient information to understand the nature of the impairment and the specific type of accommodation being requested. Where applicable, the applicant must include any relevant and current state-approved Accommodation Permit.

c. Requests will be submitted via e-mail, to the identified contact on the iSportsman Website.

d. Requests will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis. Additional information or documentation may be requested, if necessary.

5-2. Process

a. An interactive process may result in approval or modification of the specific accommodation requested but may not significantly alter the purpose of this regulation, jeopardize the safety of the applicant or others, adversely affect military training, or pose undue hardship for the Army. Any modification must adhere to all current installation and regulatory requirements.

b. Requests will be reviewed by the Chief of the Natural Resources Branch, DPW-Environmental Division, the Chief of the Conservation Law Enforcement Program, and/or the Director of Range Operations. These individuals may consult with subject matter experts as necessary. An accommodation may include an exception to this regulation based upon findings on a case-by-case basis.

Appendix A References

Section I

Required Publications

JBLM publications are available on the JBLM Publications and Forms site at: <https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/IMCOM-ID-R-USAG-JBLM/SitePages/DHR-JBLM%20Publications-and-Forms.aspx>; Joint Basing publications are available on the milSuite website at: https://www.milsuite.mil/wiki/Joint_Basing. Installation Management Command (IMCOM) publications are available on the IMCOM Publications and Forms site at <https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/IMCOM-HQ-G1/docs/Forms/AllItems.aspx>. Army Mobility Command (AMC) publications are available on the AMC Publications and Forms site at https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/HQAMC/SitePages/AMC_HQ_AMIO_Pubs.aspx. Department of the Army publications are available on the Army Publishing Directorate website at <http://www.apd.army.mil/>; Department of the Air Force publications are available on the Air Force e-Publishing website at <https://www.e-publishing.af.mil/>. Department of Defense publications are available on the ESD website at: <https://www.esd.whs.mil/DD/DoD-Issuances/>. The USC is available at <https://uscode.house.gov/>. Executive Orders are available on the Federal Register at <https://www.federalregister.gov/presidential-documents/executive-orders>.

AR 200-1

Environmental Protection and Enhancement

FL 200-1

Fort Lewis Environmental Protection and Enhancement

JBLM Reg 190-11

JBLM Physical Security of Army, Ammunition & Explosives (AA&E)

FL Reg 350-30

Fort Lewis Range Regulations

FL 420-5

Fort Lewis Procedures for the Protection of State and Federally Threatened, Endangered, Candidate Species, Species of Concern, and Designated Critical Habitat

Section II

Related Publications

A related publication is a source of additional information. The user does not have to read it to understand this regulation. JBLM publications are available on the JBLM Publications and Forms site at: <https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/IMCOM-ID-R-USAG-JBLM/SitePages/DHR-JBLM%20Publications-and-Forms.aspx>; Joint Basing publications are available on the milSuite website at: https://www.milsuite.mil/wiki/Joint_Basing. Installation Management Command (IMCOM) publications are available on the IMCOM Publications and Forms site at <https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/IMCOM-HQ-G1/docs/Forms/AllItems.aspx>. Army Mobility Command (AMC) publications are available on the AMC Publications and Forms site at https://armyeitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/HQAMC/SitePages/AMC_HQ_AMIO_Pubs.aspx. Department of the Army publications are available on the Army Publishing Directorate website at <http://www.apd.army.mil/>; Department of the Air Force publications are available on the Air Force e-Publishing website at <https://www.e-publishing.af.mil/>. Department of Defense publications are available on the ESD website at: <https://www.esd.whs.mil/DD/DoD-Issuances/>. The USC is available at <https://uscode.house.gov/>. Executive Orders are available on the Federal Register at <https://www.federalregister.gov/presidential-documents/executive-orders>.

16 USC § 670

Sikes Act Amendment Act of 1997

16 USC § 1531-1544

Endangered Species Act (ESA) of 1973, as amended

42 USC § 4321

National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended

33 USC § 1251

Clean Water Act of 1972

16 USC § 661

Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act of 1985

16 USC § 703

Migratory Bird Treaty Act of 1918, as amended

16 USC § 718

Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp Act of 1934, as amended

16 USC § 1361

Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended

PL 94-265

Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act of 1934, as amended

Public Law 85-337

Hunting, Fishing, and Trapping on Military Lands

EO 11990

Protection of Wetlands

EO 12962

Recreational Fisheries

EO 13186

Responsibilities of Federal Agencies to Protect Migratory Birds

DoD Directive 4700.4

Natural Resources Management Program

Section III

Prescribed Forms

JBLM forms are available on the JBLM Publications and Forms site:

<https://armveitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/IMCOM-ID-R-USAG-JBLM/SitePages/DHR-JBLM%20Publications-and-Forms.aspx>. Installation Management Command (IMCOM)

forms are available on the IMCOM Publications and Forms site at

<https://armveitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/IMCOM-HQ-G1/docs/Forms/AllItems.aspx>.

Army Mobility Command (AMC) forms are available on the AMC Publications and

Forms site at [https://armveitaas.sharepoint-](https://armveitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/HQAMC/SitePages/AMC_HQ_AMIO_Pubs.aspx)

[mil.us/sites/HQAMC/SitePages/AMC_HQ_AMIO_Pubs.aspx](https://armveitaas.sharepoint-mil.us/sites/HQAMC/SitePages/AMC_HQ_AMIO_Pubs.aspx). Department of the Army

(DA) Forms are available on the Army Publishing Directorate (APD) website at

<https://armypubs.army.mil/>. Department of the Air Force forms are available on the Air

Force e-Publishing website at <https://www.e-publishing.af.mil/>. Department of Defense

(DoD) forms are available at <https://www.esd.whs.mil/Directives/forms/>. General

Services Administration (GSA) forms (GSA forms, Standard Forms (SF), Optional

Forms (OF)) are available at <https://www.gsa.gov/forms>. Office of Personnel

Management (OPM) forms are available at <https://www.opm.gov/forms/>.

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Section IV

Referenced Forms

This section contains no entries.

Glossary of Terms

Activity

Any DOD organization such as headquarters, agency, depot, or unit.

AR

Army Regulation

BGEPA

Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act

DA

Department of Army

DES

Directorate of Emergency Services

DoD

Department of Defense

DoDI

Department of Defense Instruction

DPTAMS

Directorate of Plans, Training, Aviation, Mobilization, and Security

DPW

Directorate of Public Works

IAW

In Accordance With

INRMP

Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan

JBGC

Joint Base Garrison Commander

JBLM

Joint Base Lewis-McChord

MBTA

Migratory Bird Treaty Act

MOU

Memorandum of Understanding

ORV
Off-Road Vehicle

SJA
Staff Judge Advocate

USFWS
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

UXO
Unexploded Ordnance

WDFW
Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife