

If you're on a holiday timeline, check out our new, convenient access to Holiday Tree Permits online. Scan the QR to the left to get started.

Don't forget to read the "Know Before You Go" details.



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Holiday Tree Hunting Know Before You Go

This Year's Holiday Tree Season Dates:





General Info

Forest Service employees can provide valuable information about road and trail access and permissive cutting areas. Use this information to plan your trip and travel route.

- No off-road travel is allowed (unless by snowmobile in open-riding areas).
- * Permit must be in possession when cutting and transporting tree(s).
- * Full permit rules details can be found on the permit purchase site or by calling your local Forest Service Office.

No Tree Cutting:

- Within areas with signs posted that prohibit woodcutting.
- * Within 200 feet of campgrounds, paved roads, and administrative sites.

Selecting a Tree

- * Tree Height: 20 feet maximum * Stump height: 12 inches maximum
- Stump diameter: 6 inches maximum
- Do not cut isolated trees growing in the open.
- * Take the whole tree of correct size for your home.
- * Do not cut a larger tree and remove the top of the tree.
- * Select Pine, fir, or cedar. Do not cut any hardwood such as aspen or oak.
- * If snow is on the ground, remove it from around the stump so you can accurately measure the stump and tree height.