

- ROAD CLASSIFICATION**
- Limited Access
 - Secondary Highway
 - Primary Highway, Hard Surface
 - = Unimproved Road
 - Electric
 - Oil Pipeline; Gas Line
 - Other Line
 - Phone
 - Sewer Line; Water Line
 - - - Trail
 - Special Trails
 - Stream
- Current_Use**
- Other
 - - - Trail
 - P Parking Area
 - F Food & Cover Crew HQ
 - G Garage
 - ▲ Headquarters
 - O Other
 - S Storage
 - X Gate
 - | Tower Site
 - Food Plot
 - Featured Game Lands
 - Adjacent Game Lands
 - Wetland

PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION

STATE GAME LANDS

079

INDIANA & CAMBRIA COUNTIES

Feet

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79°5'0"W 79°2'30"W 79°0'0"W 78°57'30"W 78°55'0"W 78°52'30"W 78°50'0"W 78°47'30"W 78°45'0"W 78°42'30"W

40°35'0"N 40°32'30"N 40°30'0"N 40°27'30"N 40°25'0"N



SPORTSMEN'S RECREATION MAP



STATE GAME LANDS No. 079 INDIANA & CAMBRIA COUNTIES

Each time a hunter buys a hunting license, the money he spends goes toward many facets of wildlife management. Since 1920, close to a million and a half acres of State Game Lands have been acquired with these funds. Each year nearly \$7,000,000 is spent to improve wildlife habitat. Habitat improvements enhance living conditions for non-game birds and mammals as well as those species which are hunted. Pennsylvania hunters willingly share these lands with the non-hunting public, and with few exceptions, State Game Lands are open for general use year round. Surveys indicate that hunting accounts for only thirty-five percent of game land usage. The remaining sixty-five percent is used by the general public for non-hunting purposes.

“Working Together for Wildlife” is a Game Commission program providing everyone an opportunity to help support wildlife management in the areas for endangered and non-game animals. Monies derived from the “Working Together for Wildlife” Program are being used in Pennsylvania to re-introduce the osprey, river otter, bald eagle, peregrine falcon and provide habitat for other birds and mammals indigenous to the Commonwealth. Construction placement of blue bird houses on State Game Lands provides needed homes for this beautiful songbird. Islands in the Susquehanna River have been set aside as propagations areas for non-game shore birds. Numerous other projects are planned on State Game Lands and other public properties which will also provide food and habitat for non-game wildlife.

The future of Pennsylvania’s wildlife resources requires the concern, cooperation and financial support of everyone, hunters and non-hunters alike. “Working Together for Wildlife” is the answer. Send your contributions to “Working Together for Wildlife”, 2001 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17110-9797.

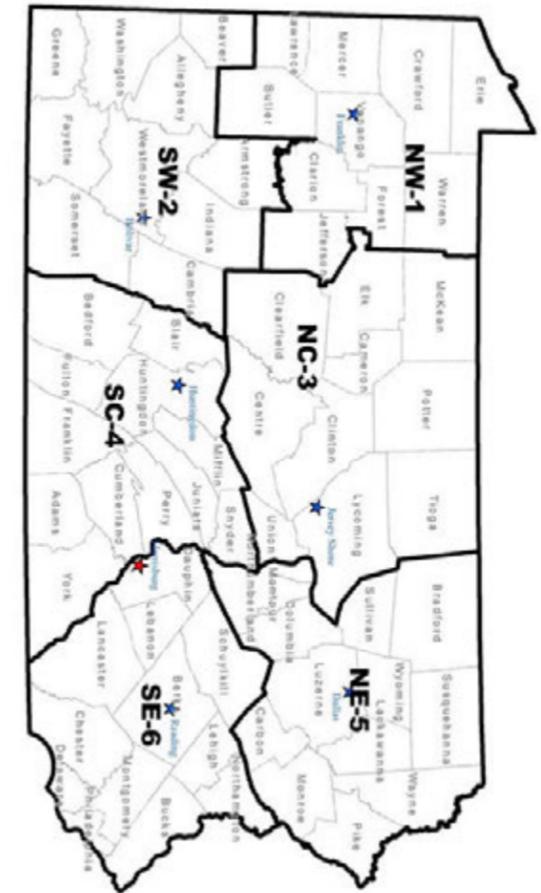
State Game Lands No. 79, comprising 10,593 acres, is located Blacklick, Jackson, and Barr Townships, Cambria County as well as Brush Valley and Buffington Townships, Indiana County in wildlife management units 2C and 2E. Approximately 1.7 miles of Stewarts Run and 0.2 miles of Gillhouser Run, both designated cold water fisheries, flows through SGL 79, and all water within this SGL is part of the Conemaugh watershed, and ultimately flow into the Ohio River..

State game land 079 is located in the Allegheny Mountain section of the Appalachian Plateaus Physiographic Province. The topography of the game land is rolling with some steeper ravines along the watercourses and ranges from 1,400 feet to a high point around 2,500 feet, maintaining this elevation and terrain to the north and to the south.

The Game Commission currently maintains 22 public parking areas on SGL 79. There are 22.1 miles of maintained administrative roads throughout SGL 79, providing for public access to this area by foot. The farthest point on SGL 79 from a parking area or public road is approximately 1 mile by foot. Three administrative roads, totaling 3 miles in length, are open for fall big game season (weather dependent). Otherwise, the roads are currently closed year-round to public motor vehicles and access is controlled with locked gates. The gated roads and rights-of-way provide access by foot for hunters and avenues for hiking, wildlife photography and bird-watching. Hunting opportunities include white-tailed deer, black bear, wild turkey, ruffed grouse, cottontail rabbits. Pheasants are stocked in two locations on this SGL. Furtaking opportunities include raccoon, bobcat, fisher, coyote, fox, and beaver.

The overall goal for SGL 79 is to manage for mixed successional habitat, which will provide ample habitat for generalists such as the white-tailed deer, black bear, and wild turkey while also providing the habitat matrix and juxtaposition necessary for ruffed grouse, American woodcock and a variety of species of greatest conservation need.

For current conservation-sport hunting information, read the Pennsylvania Game News and visit the Pennsylvania Game Commission's home page <http://www.pgc.state.pa.us> or write to the Pennsylvania Game Commission, 2001 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, PA 17110-9797.



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