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**STATE GAME LANDS**  
**157**  
 BUCKS COUNTY

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2,065 Acres      REVISED: May 2022

Applebachsville  
 LAKE TOWHEE  
 COUNTY PARK

HAYCOCK  
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# SPORTSMEN'S RECREATION MAP



## STATE GAME LANDS No. 157 BUCKS COUNTY

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.

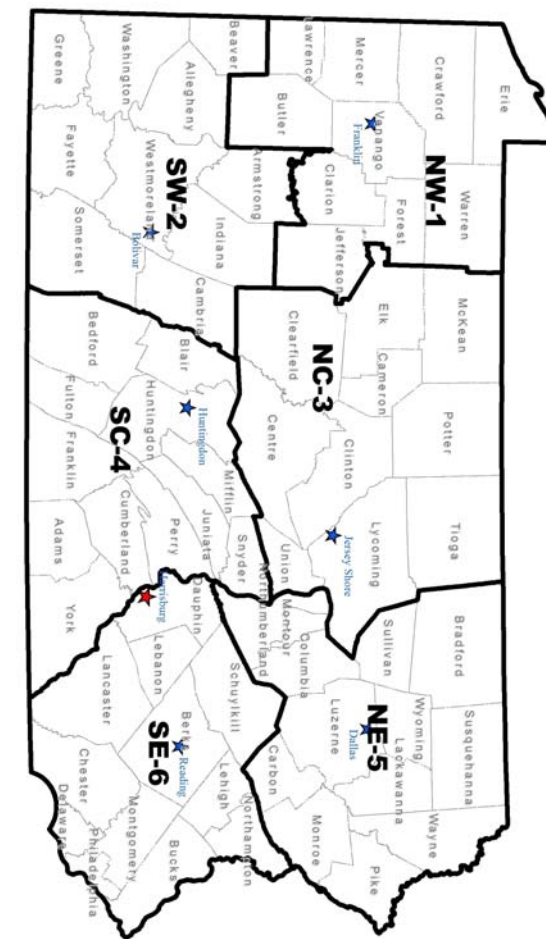
The future of Pennsylvania’s wildlife resources requires the concern, cooperation and financial support of everyone, hunters and non-hunters alike. “Working Together for Wildlife” is the answer. Send your contributions to “Working Together for Wildlife”, 2001 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania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

State Game Land (SGL) 157, which totals 2085 acres, is located in Haycock, Springfield, and Nockamixon Townships, Bucks County. It is in the PA Game Commission's (PGC) Southeast Region and located entirely in Wildlife Management Unit 5C. The Game Lands is made up of one large tract with three much smaller pieces. SGL 157 is 14 air miles Southeast of Allentown.

Game Land 157 is 98% forested with the remaining area in food plots. Topography varies from hill tops to flat lower slopes. The highest elevation of about 960 is found on the southern peak of Haycock Mountain. The lowest elevation of 440 feet is found near Haycock Creek along the northern boundary.

SGL 157 is in Wildlife Management Unit 5C and is a popular destination with deer hunters. It receives heavy hunting pressure from the start of the early archery season to the end of the extended antlerless season. The other two species that are most frequently hunted are wild turkey and squirrel. Fox, raccoon, and coyote are also found on the game lands.

SGL 157 is a popular location with boulder climbers. The large areas of rock are popular destinations with rock climbers and on nice days the parking lot can be full of cars from people who are up climbing. There is a fairly extensive road system on the game lands and it is a popular place with hikers and birdwatchers.



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