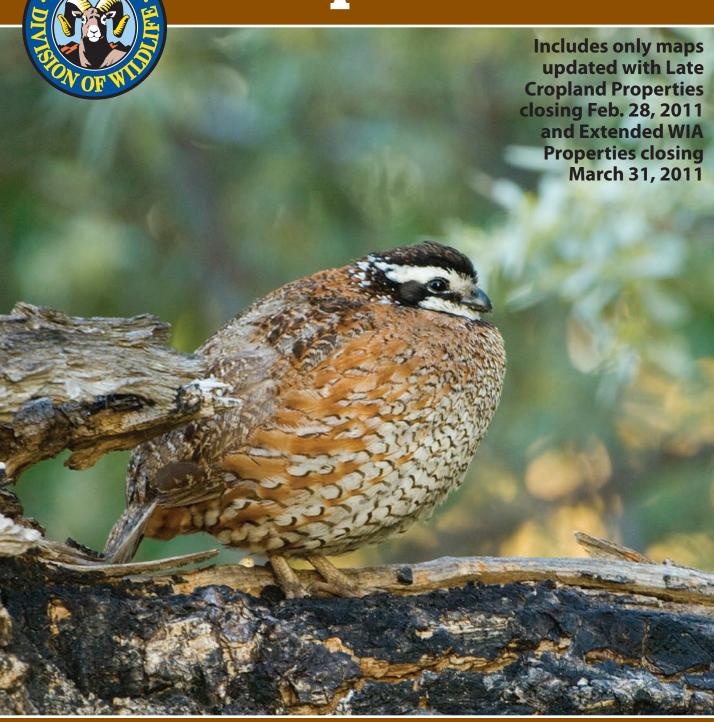
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2010 WALK-IN SUPPLEMENTAL ATLAS

The Walk-In Access program (WIA) is designed to help hunters find good places to hunt by easing the task of acquiring permission to hunt private land. To maximize hunter opportunity and convenience, the Colorado Division of Wildlife targets a diverse mix of properties, including those that offer pheasant, scaled quail, dove, cottontail rabbit, and waterfowl hunting. Although these lands are open for public walk-in hunting, please remember they are privately owned properties. *Respect the land, respect the landowner.*

The Late Cropland Supplemental Atlas only contains new maps (properties not available for September) and maps that have changed since the 2010 regular atlas was published in August. To use the entire suite of WIA properties available, a hunter must reference both the regular atlas and the Late Cropland Supplement. For the maps included in the Late Cropland Supplement, all properties, including *Regular*, *Late Cropland*, and *Extended* (if applicable), have been included. All maps and versions of the atlas will be available for download from the Division's Web site at:

wildlife.state.co.us/Hunting/SmallGame/WalkInAccess/

WIA offers access for small-game hunting only. Big-game hunting remains completely at the discretion of the landowner. Some properties in southeast Colorado are enrolled in both Small Game WIA and the Big Game Access Program (BGAP). These properties are posted with both small game and big game access signs. Hunters please note: During big-game seasons, big-game hunting will be occurring on these properties. Small-game hunters are encouraged to wear hunter orange during these seasons.

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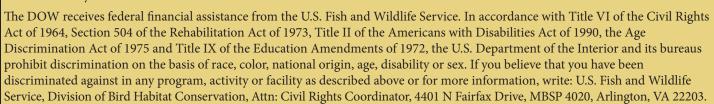
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WALK-IN ACCESS REGULATIONS

The Colorado Division of Wildlife is excited to offer the WIA program to hunters FREE OF CHARGE. Earlier in 2010, the Colorado Wildlife Commission dropped the requirement for hunters to purchase a WIA permit, to help remove barriers to the recruitment of new hunters. To legally hunt small game, waterfowl or furbearers on WIA properties, all hunters must first purchase, sign and have in their possession a valid small-game license and comply with habitat stamp regulations. In addition, hunters age 16 and older must possess state and federal migratory bird stamps prior to hunting waterfowl.

Regulations for all WIA properties include:

- 1. Public access is prohibited from one hour after sunset to one hour before sunrise, except when hunting waterfowl public access is prohibited from two hours after sunset to two hours before sunrise.
- 2. Species of take will be restricted as follows:
 - a. Lands enrolled and posted as Regular, Late Cropland or Extended Season properties are open for the take of all small game, furbearers, migratory game birds and Eurasian collared-doves, except Gambel's quail, Gunnison's sage-grouse and Greater sage-grouse.
- 3. Public access is allowed:
 - a. From September 1 through the end of February annually for lands enrolled and posted as Regular Season Walk-In Access properties;
 - b. From the opening day of pheasant season through the end of February annually for lands enrolled and posted as Late Season Cropland Walk-In Access properties;
 - c. From the opening day of pheasant season through the end of March annually for lands enrolled and posted as Extended Walk-In Access properties.
- 4. Access shall be by foot only. Entry by horseback, motorized vehicle, or other means is prohibited.
- 5. Access is allowed for hunting only; all other activities are prohibited.
- 6. Access is prohibited as posted when the landowner is actively harvesting crops.

The WIA program depends on private landowners enrolling property for walk-in hunting, and maintaining good relations with those landowners and their neighbors. There are some additional guidelines that, if followed, will improve the opportunities for all hunters and contribute to future WIA enrollments.

- Where designated parking areas are established, use them. Do not block gates or roads for the landowner or his agents that may need to work on the property. Do not park along highways. Do not park in tall grassy or weedy areas where your catalytic converter can cause a fire. Do not smoke or extinguish cigarettes in these areas either, and make sure to completely extinguish cigarettes if you do smoke.
- Don't litter or clean harvested birds on WIA properties or along roadsides. If trash is present, please pick it up.
- Don't shoot near or towards houses, farm buildings, livestock or equipment.
- Don't hunt if cattle are in, or adjacent to, enrolled parcels.

EXTENDED WALK-IN ACCESS PROPERTIES

The CDOW is happy to offer additional waterfowl hunting opportunity through the Extended WIA provision. Access to these properties, depicted in green on WIA maps for Logan, Sedgwick, Kiowa, Lincoln-Crowley-Otero, and Prowers counties, begins on the opening day of pheasant season (2010) and continues through the end of March 2011, encompassing the regular goose season and the majority of the light goose Conservation Order. All normal WIA regulations apply. These properties are for FOOT ACCESS only. Driving decoys into the field with a vehicle is not allowed. To assist with decoy setting and retrieval, properties can be accessed **from two hours before sunrise to two hours after sunset**. Also, **digging hunting pits** is not permitted.

NO HUNTING DURING ACTIVE HARVEST

To promote safe hunting and to help landowners efficiently harvest crops, some WIA properties, primarily grass sprinkler corners adjacent to irrigated corn fields, will be closed to WIA hunting when landowners are actively harvesting crops. Specifically, when harvesting machines are harvesting the associated corn field, sprinkler corners are **CLOSED** to all WIA hunting. In most cases, corners will only be closed for a day or two while the landowner completes harvest. All sprinkler corners will be posted with closure signs in addition to regular boundary signs. Adhering to this temporary closure will help us maintain excellent working relations with landowners and will contribute to keeping high quality sprinkler corners open to public walk-in hunting.



2010 WALK-IN SUPPLEMENTAL ATLAS

Some small-game season dates are included within this atlas for your convenience, however, all season dates are not listed. A complete synopsis of hunting season dates can be found within the *2010 Small Game* and *2010 Waterfowl* brochures. These brochures are available at license agents, DOW Offices and on the Internet at:

www.wildlife.state.co.us.

NORTHERN BOBWHITE, GAMBEL'S AND SCALED OUAIL

1. Dates: Nov. 13-Jan. 2, 2011

Areas: A. Units east of I-25 and north of I-70 from I-25 east to Byers and Hwy. 36 from Byers to Kansas.

B. All units west of I-25 except Pueblo, Fremont, Huerfano and Las Animas counties.

2. Dates: Nov. 13-Jan. 31, 2011

Areas: Units east of I-25 and south of I-70 from I-25 to Byers and Hwy. 36 from Byers to Kansas, and parts of Pueblo, Fremont, Huerfano and Las Animas counties west of I-25.

Daily bag limit: 8 of each species **Possession Limit:** 24 of each species

PHEASANT

Dates: Nov. 13-Jan. 31, 2011
 Areas: Units east of I-25
 Dates: Nov. 13-Jan. 2, 2011

Areas: Units west of I-25

Daily bag limit: 3 cocks

Possession limit: 9 cocks

COTTONTAILS, SNOWSHOE HARE, WHITE-TAILED

& BLACK-TAILED JACKRABBITS Dates: Oct. 1 - end of February, 2011

Areas: Statewide

Daily bag limit: 10 of each species **Possession limit:** 20 of each species

SPECIES IDENTIFICATION REQUIRED

A fully feathered wing or head must be attached to all birds in transit to hunter's home or commercial processor. For pheasants, a foot with a visible spur can be substituted.



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www.wildlife.state.co.us

DOW HEADQUARTERS

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SERVICE CENTERS

BRUSH

122 E. Edison Brush, 80723 (970) 842-6300

COLORADO SPRINGS

4255 Sinton Road Colorado Springs, 80907 (719) 227-5200

DENVER/ NORTHEAST

6060 Broadway Denver, 80216 (303) 291-7227

DURANGO

151 E. 16th St. Durango, 81301 (970) 247-0855

FORT COLLINS

317 W. Prospect Road Fort Collins, 80526 (970) 472-4300

GLENWOOD SPRINGS

50633 Hwys. 6 & 24 Glenwood Springs, 81601 (970) 947-2920

GRAND JUNCTION

711 Independent Ave. Grand Junction, 81505 (970) 255-6100

GUNNISON

300 W. New York Ave. Gunnison, 81230 (970) 641-7060

HOT SULPHUR SPRINGS

346 Grand County Rd. 362 Hot Sulphur Springs, 80451 (970) 725-6200

LAMAR

2500 S. Main St. Lamar, 81052 (719) 336-6600

MEEKER

73485 Hwy. 64 Meeker, 81641 (970) 878-6090

MONTE VISTA

0722 S. Road 1 East Monte Vista, 81144 (719) 587-6900

MONTROSE

2300 S.Townsend Ave. Montrose, 81401 (970) 252-6000

PUEBLO

600 Reservoir Road Pueblo, 81005 (719) 561-5300

SALIDA

7405 Hwy. 50 Salida, 81201 (719) 530-5520

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS

925 Weiss Dr. Steamboat Spgs., 80477 (970) 870-2197

For recordings on season dates and other information:

Deer, Elk, Pronghorn, Bear	(303) 291-7529
Fishing	(303) 291-7533
Small Game, Upland Game	(303) 291-7546
Turkey	(303) 291-7547
Waterfowl	(303) 291-7548
Hunter Education	(303) 291-7530
Mobility Impaired Licenses	(303) 291-7528
For a list of recordings	(303) 291-1192

www.wildlife.state.co.us

SMALL-GAME HUNTING INFORMATION

HUNTING HOURS

One-half hour before sunrise to sunset, except furbearers, which can be hunted from one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset. See sunrise/sunset chart below.

GUIDE TO LEGAL HUNTING HOURS

The table below is valid for Denver, CO. Subtract one minute from the opening and closing time for each $12^{1/2}$ miles east of Denver. Add one minute to opening and closing time for each $12^{1/2}$ miles west of Denver. The above changes are based on the assumption that each degree of longitude equals 50 miles and that a change of 1 degree of longitude equals 4 minutes change in sunrise and sunset times.

2010 SUNRISE/SUNSET TABLE (DENVER)						
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4	6:31 7:26	6:59 6:37	7:32 5:55	7:05 4:35	7:21 4:49	
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BEWARE OF HITCHHIKING SEEDS

Many 'noxious' weeds reproduce primarily by seed. These seeds are often transported by wind and occasionally by birds, rodents and other animals, but they could be carried in the shoelaces or pant cuffs of humans. Please help control their spread by taking a few minutes as you leave the field to clean your shoelaces and pant cuffs of any seed. Also, don't forget to give your hunting dog a quick brush over to remove any hitchhiking seeds before traveling to a new hunting spot!

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	Resident	Nonresident	
Small Game	\$21.00	\$56.00	
Small Game (one-day)	\$11.00	\$11.00	
Combo Small Game and Fishing	g\$41.00	NA	
Youth Small Game	\$ 1.75	\$1.75	
Federal Duck Stamp	\$15.00	\$15.00	
Colorado Waterfowl Stamp	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	
Habitat Stamp	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	
Annual Maximum of \$10; Lifetime \$200.00; Hunters 18 and			
under and those over 65 do not need a Habitat Stamp.			
License costs include a 25-cent search and rescue fee and a			

75-cent surcharge for the Wildlife Management Education Fund.

HARVEST INFORMATION PROGRAM

If you hunt small game, furbearers, or migratory birds in Colorado, including by falconry, you must sign up with HIP before your license is valid. Hunters must write their HIP number in the space provided on the license. Hunters will be asked questions about their hunting, including how many birds they harvested the previous season and what species they plan to hunt this year. Both the phone line and Web site run 24 hours a day, every day. The process takes about five minutes. To sign up for HIP, hunters need to call 1-866-265-6447 (1-866-COLOHIP) or go to www.colohip.com. For help getting your HIP number, call 1-800-368-4683, Monday through Saturday, 6 a.m. to 4 p.m. MST.

REGULAR WIA MAPS

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All maps are also available on our Web site at:

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SCALED QUAIL

Scaled quail are being banded and radio-marked on some WIA properties as part of a management experiment. Please report leg band numbers and the date of harvest by leaving a message at (719) 227-5280. If you recover a radio collar from a scaled quail, please contact us at the same number, leaving an address with your contact number. We will mail you a postage paid envelope to facilitate the return of the radio collar.

HUNTER ORANGE

Hunter orange is not required by law to hunt small game in Colorado, however, its use is highly recommended to increase your safety and visibility in the field.

2010 WALK-IN ACCESS

Look for these signs at WIA properties:









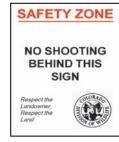
Walk-In Access Program Boundary signs come in three varieties. In the field you will see signs that have an access date of Sept. 1 through the end of February and signs that have an access date of "The opening day of pheasant season" through the end of February. Properties that are posted to open on the opening day of pheasant season cannot be accessed prior to Nov. 13, 2010. Extended Access properties are posted to close at the end of March, annually. Two other signs are used on or near Walk-In Access properties. Parking signs are used to designate where hunters should park at some Walk-In areas. A large majority of WIA properties do not have established parking areas, instead hunters should park along the road, taking care to stay out of the traveled portion of the road but also not park in tall weeds and grass where a fire hazard exists. Safety Zone signs are also common on or near WIA properties. These signs are used to delineate safety zones around buildings, homesteads, livestock corrals or neighboring homes and properties. Please respect safety zone signs wherever you find them posted.

Rarely, it becomes necessary to remove a property from the Walk-In Access program after this brochure is published. When that happens, Walk-In Access boundary signs are removed and replaced with yellow Warning signs to notify hunters that the property is no longer available for Walk-In hunting. Do not hunt if fields are posted with yellow **WARNING!** signs. And remember, if you find a WIA property depicted in the brochure but boundary signs are not present at the field corners, please do not hunt that field!

To promote safe hunting and to help landowners efficiently harvest crops, some WIA properties, primarily grass sprinkler corners adjacent to irrigated corn fields, will be closed to WIA hunting when landowners are actively harvesting crops. Specifically, when harvesting machines are harvesting the associated corn field, sprinkler corners are **CLOSED** to all WIA hunting.

You may also see Pheasant Habitat Project Signs when hunting in eastern Colorado. These signs **DO NOT** open the land or habitat project to public WIA hunting, unless the orange **HABITAT PROJECT** signs are also accompanied by a WIA Boundary sign.







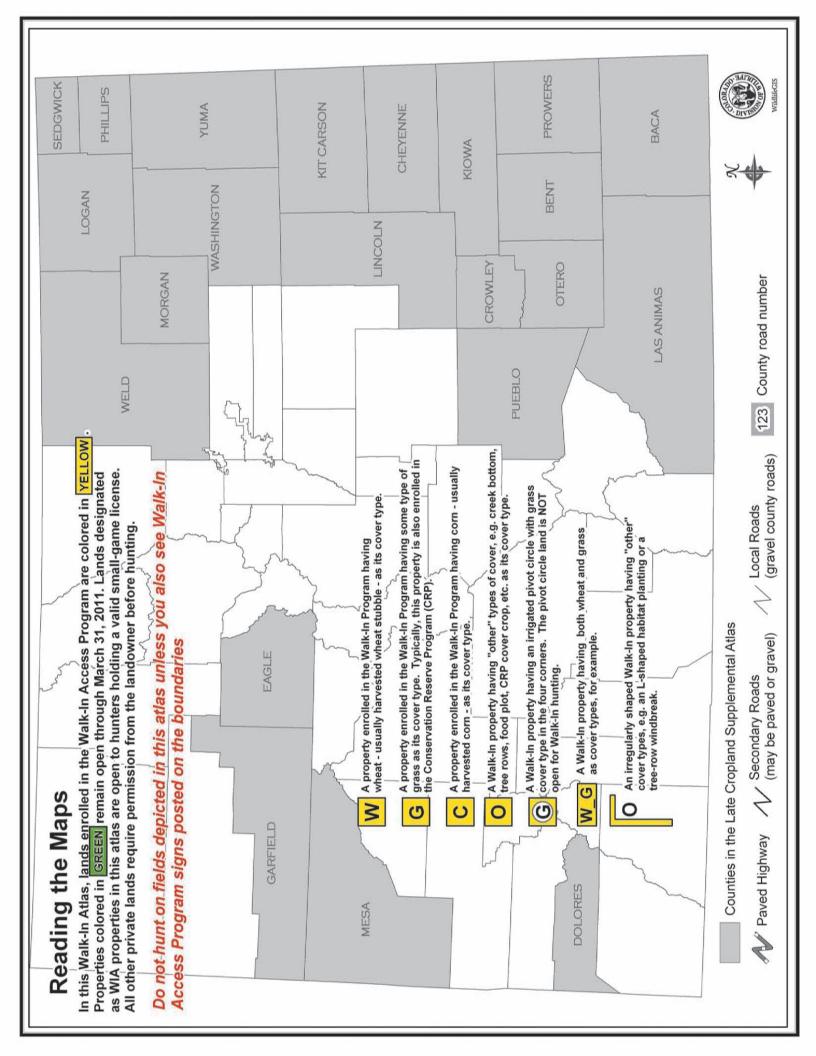


SAFE HANDLING OF GAME MEAT

Concern has grown recently about diseases affecting wild animals that could potentially make humans sick. Most of the time, properly handled and prepared game meat poses no greater risk than domestic meat of causing disease in humans. Hunters are encouraged to contact their local public health department or DOW office for information on wildlife diseases that may be present where they plan to hunt. Public health officials recommend the following precautions when handling and preparing game meat:

•Do not handle animals that are obviously sick or found dead. Report sick or dead animals you find to a DOW office.

- •Keep game cool, clean and dry.
- •Do not eat, drink or smoke while dressing game.
- •Use disposable gloves when cleaning game.
- •Wash your hands with soap and water, or use alcohol wipes after dressing game.
- •Clean all tools and surfaces immediately afterward. Use hot soapy water, then disinfect with a 10% chlorine bleach solution.
- •Cook game meat to an internal temperature of at least 165° F to kill disease organisms and parasites. Juices from adequately cooked game meat should be clear.
- •Do not eat any raw portions of wild game.
- •Do not feed raw wild game to domestic pets.



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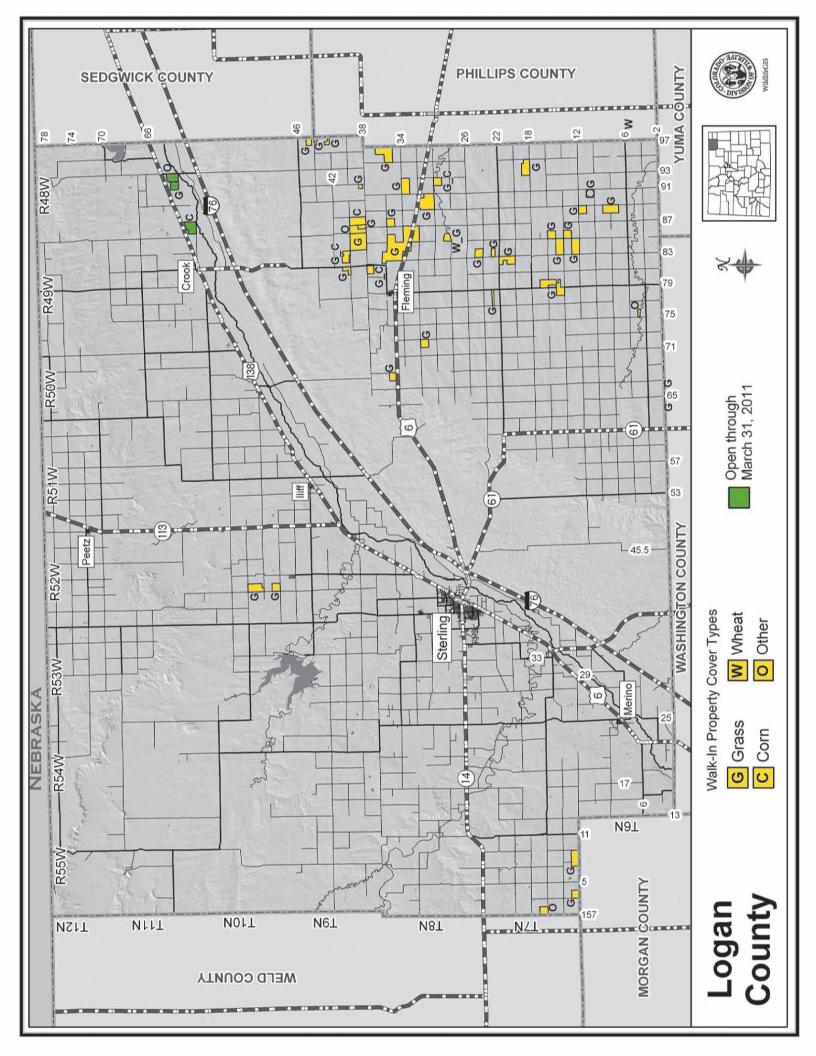


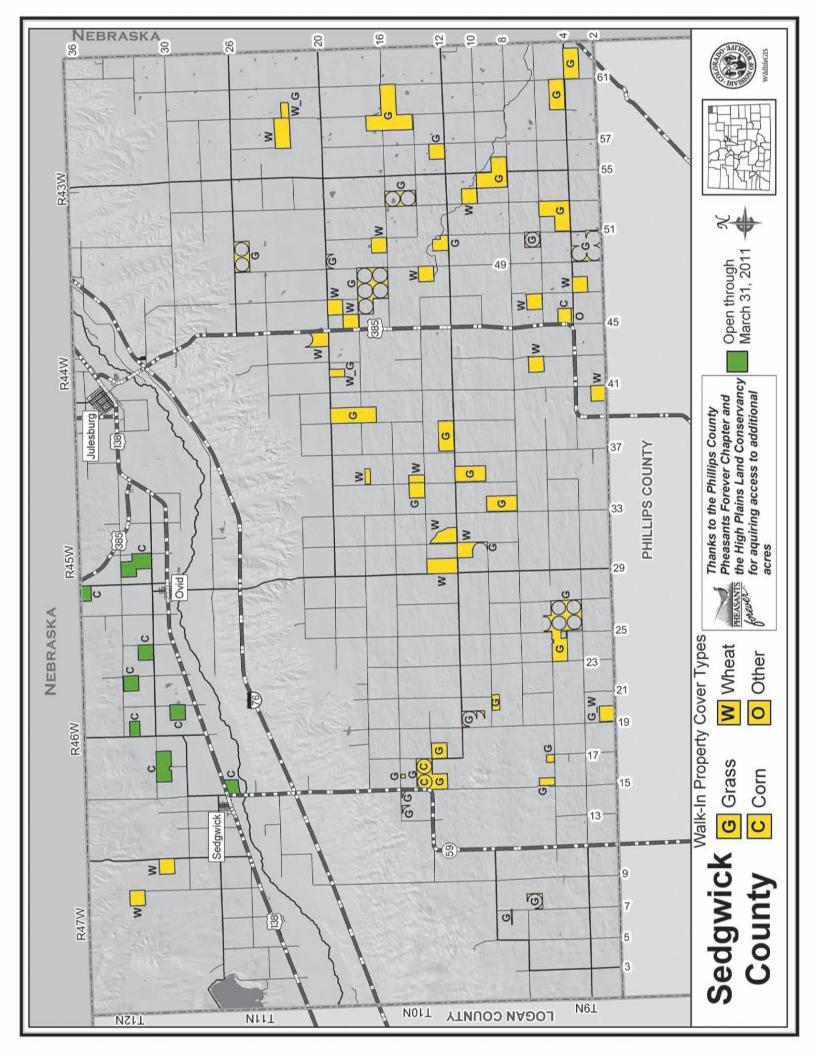


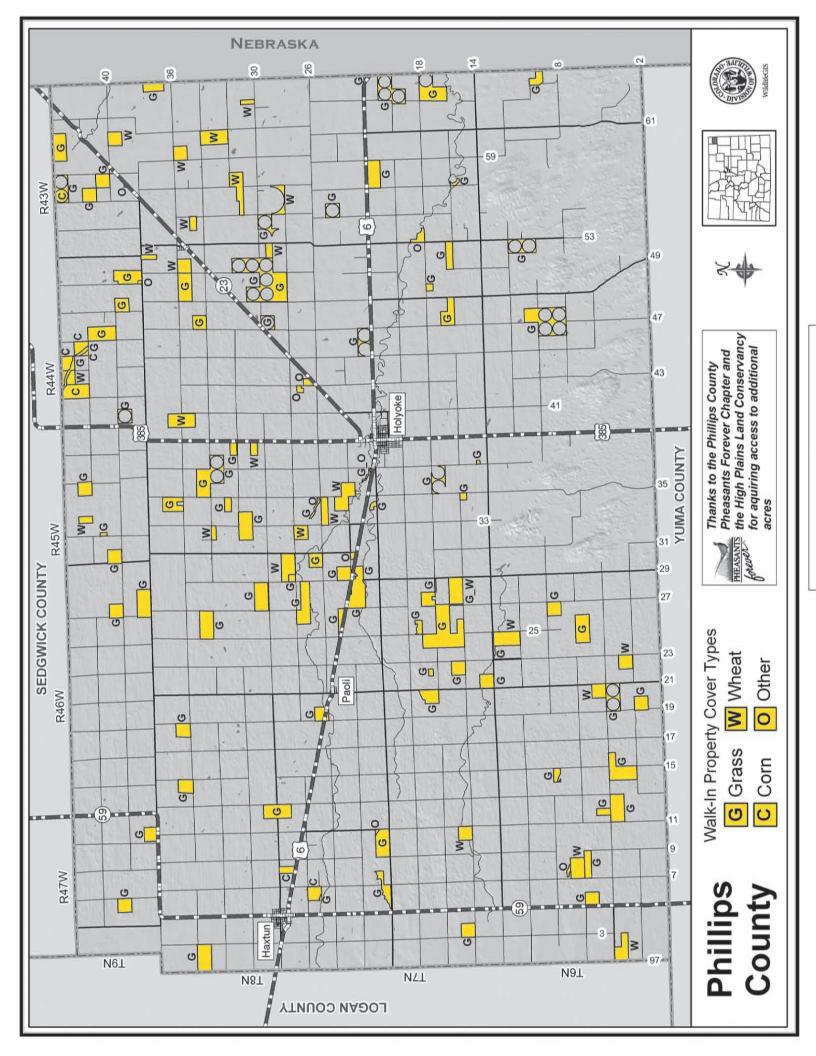
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