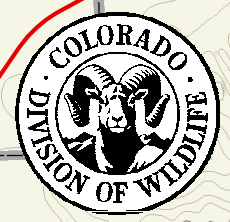
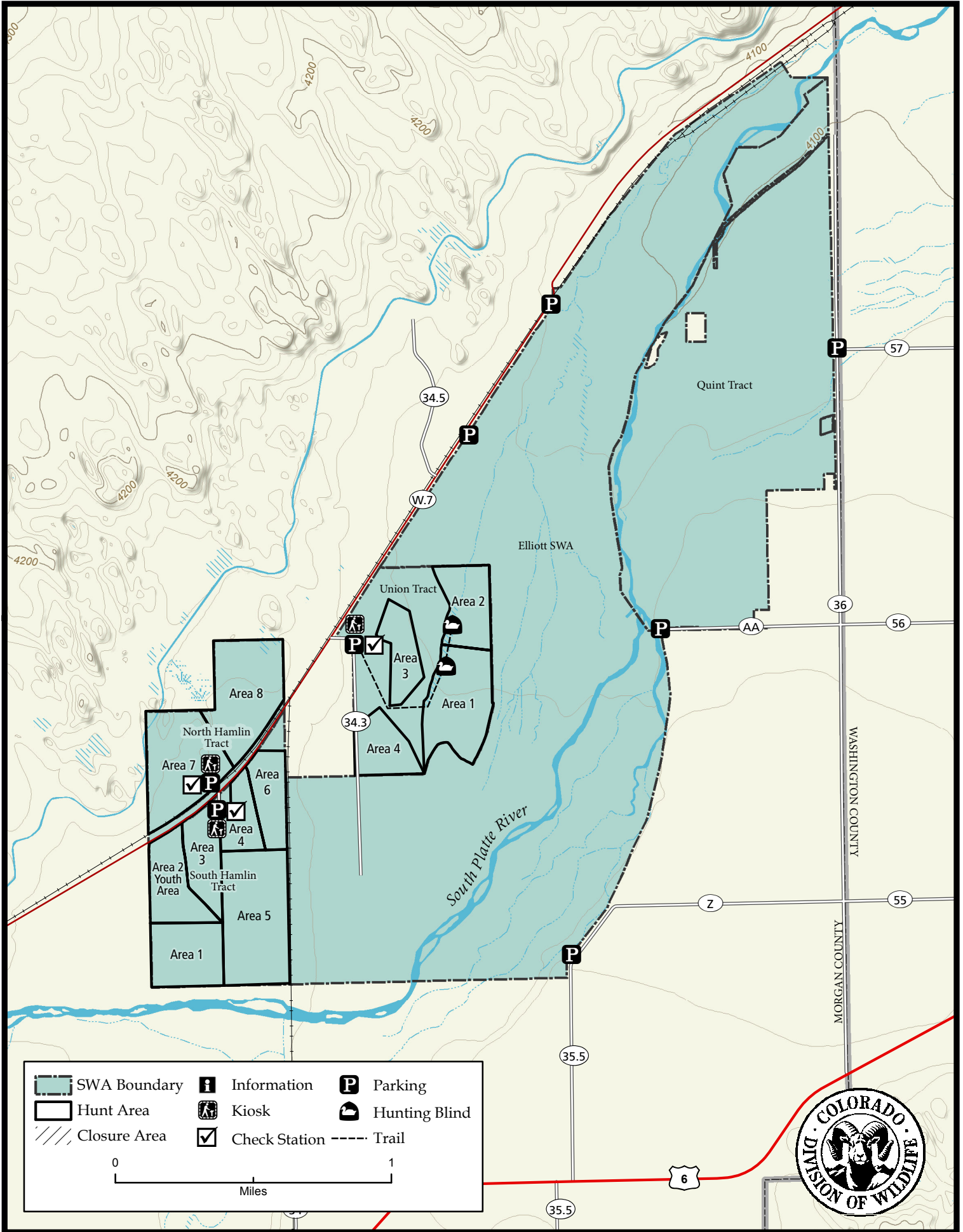
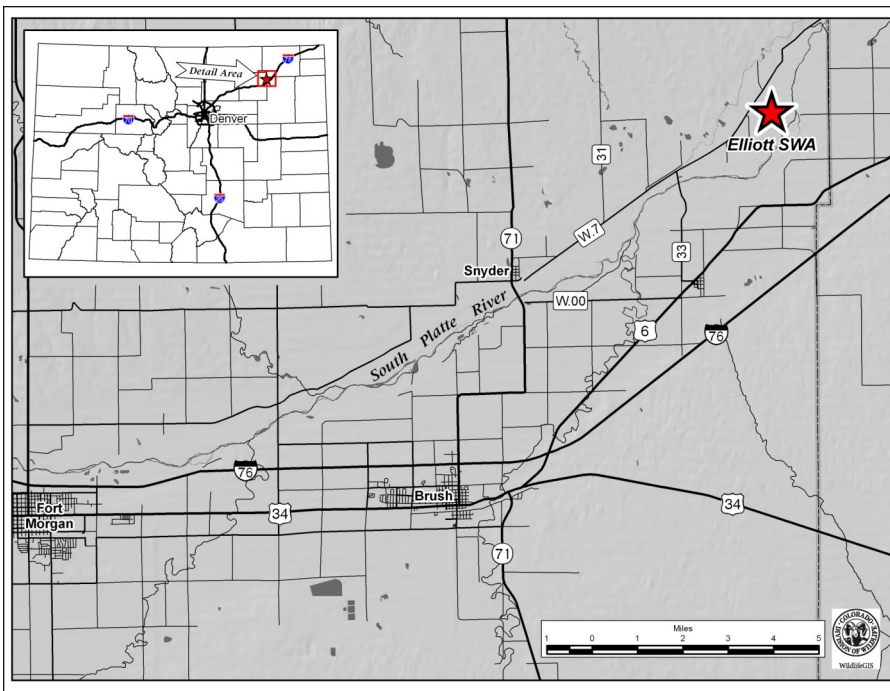


Elliott State Wildlife Area



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Hamlin North and South Tracts, Union Tract, and Elliott Tract (Elliott SWA): From Brush, go 6 miles north on Highway 71 to the town of Snyder, then 5 miles NE (right) on County Road W.7 to the SWA signs and designated parking areas on the left (Hamlin North) and right (Hamlin South) sides of the road. The parking for the Union Tract is one mile further on County Road W.7 on the right (SE) side of the road. Continue travelling on CR W.7, and there are two parking lots for the Elliott Tract, on the right (SE) side of the road (see map).

Additional parking on the east side of the South Platte River for the Elliott Tract (Elliott SWA) and the Quint Tract can be accessed from county roads reached via U.S. Highway 6 (see map).

Wildlife Area Offers:

Hunting:	Deer, Pheasant, Bobwhite Quail, Rabbit, Squirrel, Turkey, Waterfowl
(GMU 95-96)	
Recreation:	Hiking, Wildlife Viewing

#901.A: Reservations may be made by calling 1-800-846-9453. Reservations are not accepted more than 14 days in advance of the hunt date, nor after 12:00 noon on the day before the hunt date, or Friday at 12:00 noon for Sundays and holidays falling on Monday. Hunters who wish to cancel a reservation must do so no later than 12:00 noon on the day before the hunt date. Failure to hunt a reserved area without prior cancellation, or follow check station procedures, may cause forfeiture of the privilege to make reservations for the remainder of the hunting season. Hunters are limited to a maximum of one reservation per hunt date and one reservation per phone call. Reservations are not transferable. The individual named on the reservation must be at the property on the day of the hunt and be a licensed hunter for the species to be hunted.

Regulations:

- A. Camping is prohibited.
- B. Fires are prohibited.
- C. Target practice is prohibited, except when authorized by the area wildlife manager.
- D. Discharge of firearms or bows is prohibited, except when hunting or bow-fishing.
- E. All recreational activities, except deer hunting, are prohibited on the opening weekend of the regular plains rifle deer season and on the opening day and first weekend of the late plains rifle deer season.
- F. Horse use is prohibited, except when used in direct association with training of hunting dogs, and then only permitted in February, March, April (through the Wednesday immediately preceding the opening of the spring turkey season) and August.
- G. The launching or takeout of vessels is prohibited from the first day of the September teal season until the last day of the dark goose season.
- H. Public access is prohibited from 9:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m. daily, except when authorized by a night hunting permit.
- I. Landowner permission is required to hunt deer on the Quint Tract.
- J. On the **Union Tract**, all public use is prohibited, except for waterfowl hunting.
 1. Hunting is allowed only from designated blinds, as posted and/or within the area identified for each blind. No more than four hunters are allowed per area.
 2. From the September teal season through the first segment of the regular waterfowl season, waterfowl hunting is allowed only on Saturday, Sunday, Wednesdays and Columbus Day (observed) during established waterfowl seasons. Reservations are available, but not required, and are limited to two reservations per hunter annually. Reservations are valid until 9:00 a.m. All hunters are required to check in and check out as posted, and may only hunt the area to which they have checked in. Hunters may check in on a first come, first served basis after a hunter with a reservation checks out, or if no reservation exists for a hunt area after 3:00 a.m. immediately preceding the hunt. Reservations may be made in accordance with #901.A of these regulations.
 3. From the Thursday before the opening of the September teal season through the first segment of the regular duck season, scouting is permitted only on Thursdays that are not open to hunting within and immediately prior to established waterfowl seasons. Scouting will be permitted from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm with a reservation confirmation number or letter issued by the Division, and all persons scouting must check in and

check out at the check station. During scouting dates, firearms and dogs are prohibited.

4. During any subsequent segments of the regular waterfowl season, the Director is authorized to establish no more than 15 days of waterfowl hunting. These days of hunting shall be consistent with property-specific management objectives or restrictions, including, but not limited to, those related to weather, water levels, presence of waterfowl and need for waterfowl resting areas, and shall otherwise seek to maximize public hunting opportunity, specifically considering youth hunting opportunity, by focusing on weekends, holidays and other periods of public school recess. To enter a drawing to reserve an area, send a postcard with name, address, and phone number, along with the desired dates and area number to DOW, Union Tract Drawing, 122 E. Edison, Brush, CO 80723. Cards must be postmarked by September 30. Successful applicants will be notified by October 21. Hunters can apply for one hunt area a day, but can list multiple requests on one postcard. Reservations are limited to one lottery drawing per hunter annually. Reservations are only valid until 9:00 am. Hunters may check in on a first-come, first-served basis after a hunter with a lottery reservation checks out, or if no lottery reservation exists for a hunt area after 3:00 am immediately preceding the hunt. See the current waterfowl brochure for available dates and areas.
5. All access is from the designated parking area only.

K. Hamlin Tracts (North and South)

1. All hunters are required to check in and check out as posted. No more than four hunters are allowed in each area at any one time.
2. From the September teal season through November 30, migratory bird hunting is allowed only on Saturday, Sunday, Wednesday, Labor Day, Columbus Day (observed), Veterans' Day (observed), and Thanksgiving Day during established waterfowl seasons. Reservations are available, but not required, and are limited to three per hunter annually. Reservations are valid until 9:00 a.m. Hunters may check in on a first come, first served basis after a hunter with a reservation checks out, or if no reservation exists for a hunt area after 3:00 a.m. immediately preceding the hunt. Reservations may be made in accordance with #901.A of these regulations. Hunters may only hunt the area specified on the reservation or which they check into. On the Hamlin South Tract, hunters must comply with youth-mentor only area restrictions as posted.
3. From the Thursday before the opening of the September teal season through November 30, scouting is permitted only on Thursdays that are not open to hunting within and immediately prior to established waterfowl seasons. Scouting will be permitted from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm with a reservation confirmation number or letter issued by the Division, and all persons scouting must check in and check out at the check station. During scouting dates, firearms and dogs are prohibited.
4. From December 1 through March 31, reservations are not available. Hunters may check in on a first come, first served basis, but not until 3:00 a.m. immediately preceding the hunt. Two hunting areas are open for check-in on the Hamlin North tract, and two areas are open for check-in on the Hamlin South tract. Hunters properly checked into the North tract may hunt anywhere on the North tract, and hunters properly checked into the South tract may hunt anywhere on the South tract.

In addition to or in place of those restrictions listed in regulation #900 the above listed provisions or restrictions apply (see Chapter 9, <http://wildlife.state.co.us/RulesRegs/Regulations/>).