Arkansas Game and Fish Commission

Code Book

The regulations in this Code Book are hereby adopted by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission under authority of Amendment 35 to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas. All laws, rules, regulations, or orders in conflict with the regulations in this Code Book are hereby repealed by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission.

19.16 Removal Of Objects Prohibited

A. It is unlawful to remove any objects, including rocks, fruits, nuts, acorns, artifacts, plants, etc., from any Commission-controlled property, without permission from the Commission.
B. It is unlawful to remove endangered plants from Commission-owned lands without a Scientific Collection Permit from the Commission.
C. It is unlawful to remove any objects from natural areas managed in conjunction with the Commission without a permit from Arkansas Natural Heritage Commission.
D. It is unlawful to remove any objects, including rocks, fruits, nuts, acorns, artifacts, plants, etc., from Maumelle River WMA without a permit from Central Arkansas Water.

EXCEPTION: Limited removal of manmade objects (except historical or archaeological artifacts) during daylight hours may be permitted by General or Special Use Permit issued by the Director under special circumstances (e.g., during an AGFC lake draw-down and renovation). Any person acting under authority of such permit must carry the permit on his or her person while collecting or removing any object and must comply with all conditions of the permit and with all applicable laws and regulations governing the permitted activity.

PENALTY: Class 1