

# OPEN WATER WATERFOWL HUNTERS PROVIDE YOUR INPUT

## Take the 2022 – Green Bay and Lake Michigan Hunter Harvest Survey and Questionnaire

### About this Hunter Survey –

From 2021 through 2025, the Wisconsin waterfowl hunting zone will have a North, South, and Open Water Zone. The Open Water Zone will be specific to the offshore, open waters of Lake Michigan and Green Bay. Specific regulations for this new zone, that starts 500 feet offshore and extends to the Wisconsin/Michigan state boundary, can be modified during the five-year period and input from hunters will provide a means of tailoring the season framework for this open water environment. A link and QR code (below) will take you to the two-section survey that addresses questions regarding the harvest that is occurring and helps inform the season frameworks for the Open Water Zone.

\*The survey can accept any harvest information that occurred during the 2022 hunting season and earlier harvest data would be appreciated.

### Web Link and QR Code to the Hunter Survey –

(The link will be available from now through 11:45 PM on 31 December 2021)

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=urWTBhhLe02TQfMvQApUIMIOGowVrx9LtvH3HaawIYNURFBNVIBRQUJVNEUwTjBLQTJUMTdNMThEVC4u>



**USGS Role:** The U.S. Geological Survey Upper Midwest Environmental Sciences Center (UMESC) (<https://www.usgs.gov/centers/umesc/>), one of 16 ecosystems science centers in the USGS, conducts a broad portfolio of research focused on ecosystems in the Upper Mississippi River Basin and Great Lakes Basin. The UMESC supports state and federal resource conservation and management agencies by providing objective information and data. For any questions regarding the survey, contact Luke Fara at [lfara@usgs.gov](mailto:lfara@usgs.gov).