DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY AND THE AIR FORCE

CAMP GRAYLING JOINT MANEUVER TRAINING CENTER HEADQUARTERS
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CAMP GRAYLING, MI 49739

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Range Report & Firing Schedule
November 2-22, 2026

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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GRAYLING, MI and surrounding counties **– Each week the "*CAMP GRAYLING RANGE REPORT*" is broadcast on Q100 FM radio to keep the public informed and safe. This report can also be found on our social media platforms, Up North Voice, Grayling Visitor's Bureau and Crawford County Avalanche.**

RANGE ACTIVITY:

30 Complex	**ACTIVE (UAS)**	**Gates CLOSED Nov 7-22** *(Potential to reopen Nov 18)*
40 Complex Air-To-Ground	**NOT ACTIVE**	**Gates OPEN at NTA 27&28**
40 Complex	**NOT ACTIVE**	**Gates OPEN**
13 Complex	**NOT ACTIVE**	**Gates OPEN**
South Camp	**ACTIVE**	**Drill weekend, intermittent small arms Nov 5-8**

TEMPORARY RANGE 30 CLOSURES DURING FIREARM DEER SEASON:

We recognize how important firearm deer season is to Michigan hunters, families, and communities. While we have traditionally kept our gates open during the hunting opener, our service members require access to a portion of our training complex during this period. Therefore, from approximately Nov 7-22, 2026, designated gates, roads, and trails within the Camp Grayling Range 30 Complex will be temporarily closed as we support a vital federal defense program focused on rapidly evaluating and delivering tens of thousands of combat-ready drones directly into the hands of our frontline warfighters. These short-term closures ensure the public stays safely away from active testing zones. The area closed includes the small fan, large fan, and portions of the extended fan. (See attached maps.) The restrictions are required to keep the public safe by remaining outside active testing and evaluation. All other Camp Grayling training areas will remain open during this time. Please note, if the weather cooperates, these gates may open sooner.

We appreciate the patience and cooperation of Michigan's hunting community while this event supports the arming of new systems for America's warfighters.

LEARN MORE about the 30 Complex gate closures during a portion of rifle season, listen to last week's interview on Q100's Northern Focus, where Garrison Commander COL Lucas Lanczy and JC Coyne discuss the vital reasons behind the temporary closure:

https://share.transistor.fm/s/505880b2

Approximately 21,633 acres, or 10.8% of the acreage associated with Camp Grayling, will be affected. *Roughly 89% will remain unaffected by the Range 30 closure*. The affected area represents less than 0.3% of Michigan's available state and federal public hunting land. Please review the 30 complex closure maps before traveling and plan an alternate hunting location if your planned area is affected. You can also view all military lands and roads at the following DNR link:

https://www2.dnr.state.mi.us/publications/pdfs/ForestsLandWater/DNRRoads/ARCHIVE/2025%20Final%20Maps/PA288_CAMPGRAYLING.pdf

For immediate gate closure inquiries or clarification, please call Range Control at 989.344.6156 or Community Relations at 989.344.6190.

RANGES AND LOCATION SUMMARY

Training Complex	Primary Activity	Key Boundaries & Access Roads
30 Complex	Fenced Range & Multi-Use *(HIMARS, heavy gunnery, Rotary wing, UAS)*	Bounded by N Down River Rd, Stephan Bridge Rd, Bucks E-W Truck Trl and Jones Lake Rd
40 Complex	Artillery & Air to Ground *(Aerial gunnery & bombing)*	SE of Marlette Rd, SW of Sand Lake Trl and North of Co Hwy 612
13 Complex	Mortars & Light Demo	Southend of Beaver Rd (Crawford Co) and West of Engineer Valley (Kalkaska Co)
South Camp	Small Arms Ranges	West of Lake Margrethe, East of the Pipeline; Howe, Murphy & Daniels Rds

