



**TOWN OF  
BROOKLINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**Conservation Commission**

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**Tree Stand, Observation Blinds, and Game Camera Policy – Town of Brookline land.**

Tree stands must comply with all necessary laws. In addition to RSA 207:36-a, regarding the use of tree stands, the Brookline Conservation Commission has voted to allow temporary stands to remain up year-round provided the following conditions are met.

- Tree stands shall be maintained by the owner to prevent damage to trees.
- The owner of the tree stand shall possess a current valid NH hunting license or have had one within the prior calendar year.
- All tree stands shall be labeled with the owner's name and contact information (either name & address, or name & phone number).

Observation blinds may be used during the legal windows of April 25 – June 1 and August 1 – December 31; outside of these time periods they must be removed. Observation blinds should be placed at least 15' from a designated town trail and must be maintained. Observation blinds must be clearly labeled with the owner's name and contact information (either name & address, or name & phone number).

Game Cameras must be clearly labeled with the owner's name and contact information (either name & address, or name and phone number).

**Note:** The Brookline Conservation Commission has the right, in their discretion, to ask the owner to remove a tree stand or observation blind if it is determined that any of the above stipulations (or full text of the law) are not being followed or if the commission feels the placement is negatively impacting other property users. If the owner fails to follow the guidance of Brookline Conservation Commission or if no owner information exists, the matter will be referred to NH Fish & Game.

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