

# WARNING

## TRAPS/SNARES ARE SET IN THIS AREA

Dogs can easily be released from a foothold trap without harm by simply compressing the trap spring levers on each side of the closed jaws. Your first objective should be to calm the dog. If the dog is overreacting, remove your coat or jacket and place it over the dog. This should allow you to calm the dog down so you can remove the trap. The foothold trap should not cause permanent injuries.

Removing a dog from a snare is as simple as the removal from a foothold trap. If the dog is fighting the set, calm him first. To remove the snare, just pinch the lock that closes it and reverse the lock. Then slip the lock back up the snare cable. This will open the snare loop and allow the dog to be free from the snare.

No person shall remove wildlife from the traps or snares of another person EXCEPT licensed trappers with written permission from the owner. In no instance should you shoot a trapped furbearer. You are in violation of regulations if you disturb a trapper's set.

