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### Pheasants Forever & Quail Forever Promote Will Robinson to Senior Farm Bill in Northeast Missouri

Robinson will take on expanded responsibilities in new leadership role.

**Shelbyville, MO – July 17, 2024**—Pheasants Forever and Quail Forever in Missouri are excited to announce that the team’s own, Will Robinson, was promoted to Senior Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist. Robinson started his new role on July 1<sup>st</sup> and his expanded duties will further assist the team with guidance and leadership to Farm Bill Wildlife Biologists south of the Missouri River.

The Farm Bill Wildlife Biologists in Missouri are partnership positions supported by the Natural Resources Conservation Service, the Missouri Department of Conservation, and the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation. Robinson is stationed in Shelbyville, MO, and will continue to work with landowners in Shelby, Marion, and Monroe Counties.

"Over the last 4 years, Will has grown into a valued leader on the Missouri Quail Forever Team. I'm excited to see his impact in this new role as Senior FBB, where he will provide expanded support to the biologists," says Farm Bill Manager Haley Lockard.

Will grew up in St. Louis but discovered a passion for the outdoors on his family farm in Southeast Minnesota. He received his B.S. in Wildlife Ecology and Conservation from Northwest Missouri State University. Will began his career with the Idaho Department of Fish and Game before accepting a position with the Missouri Department of Conservation in Chillicothe. He started with Quail Forever as a Farm Bill Biologist II in 2020 and was promoted to Farm Bill Biologist III in 2023. Will has a passion for all things outdoors but especially enjoys spending time with his dog, Branch, roaming the uplands of Missouri.



"I am excited to be a bigger part of the great things that the Quail Forever team in Missouri is accomplishing every day," said Robinson. "I look forward to assisting new and veteran staff in their daily duties, as well as supporting them as they grow in their conservation careers."



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