

2020-2021

NEVADA

# BIG GAME

SEASONS AND APPLICATIONS



**APPLICATION  
DEADLINE:**  
MAY 4 AT 11PM PST

**DRAW RESULTS  
RELEASED:**  
ON OR BEFORE MAY 22



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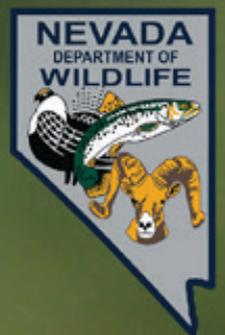
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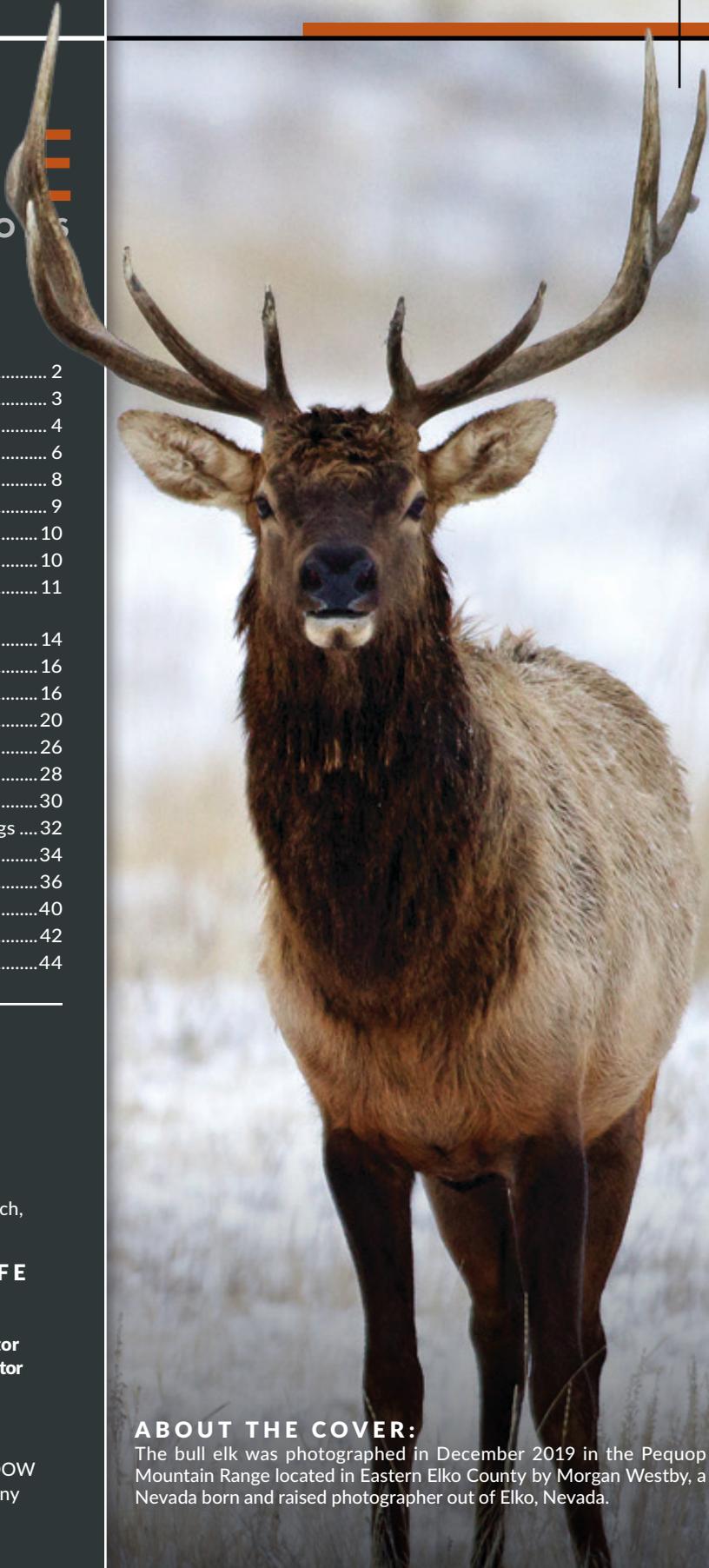
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# DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

## THE CYCLE REPEATS ITSELF EACH YEAR.

As outdoor enthusiasts, our excitement begins in early spring with the release of the application hunt book and the tag application process. Shortly thereafter, although it can feel like an eternity, tag draw results are released. Successful tag applicants begin to plan their hunts with friends and family, excitedly scouting locations for their anticipated adventures. Unsuccessful applicants find solace through invitations from luckier friends and family. It is within these August through December hunt seasons when lifelong memories are made. Following their hunt, successful hunters seek creative recipes, trade meat processing secrets, and share their bounty with relatives, friends, and neighbors. Some, keep and tan hides or preserve horns and antlers as precious mementos from times shared with cherished people. The cycle continues throughout the holiday season when hunters relive the past season's adventures. They share wild harvested foods and the tales of their origin, perhaps stretching the truth at times. Some are lucky enough to extend their outdoor adventures into January and February chasing the "devil bird", otherwise known as chukar, sitting in the marsh for a chance to get a duck or goose, or standing on frozen water in pursuit of a meal or two of fish. When it all winds down and fresh new green growth emerges from a long winter nap, the cycle begins again, with new hopes and new opportunities.

Despite the predictability of this annual cycle, it is critical to take inventory on the bigger picture of conservation. What are we as sportsmen and women doing in the conservation arena? What does our future look like? What are the challenges and where are the opportunities? There are numerous significant and exciting events and activities occurring around the conservation community right now. Recovering America's Wildlife Act (RAWA) is gaining significant support in the House of Representatives with the hope of companion legislation being introduced in the Senate shortly. Passage of this landmark legislation could bring significant resources to the state of Nevada and help to more effectively and adequately address the conservation needs of our many species. The Relevancy Roadmap is a newly released document designed to address the growing challenges around the relevancy of who we are and what we do as conservationists, sportsmen and women, and state wildlife agencies. Gaining and keeping broad support for conservation is paramount to delivering effective conservation and meeting the public's expectations.

Certainly, there are challenges we face as well. The North American Bird Conservation Initiative (NABCI) released a report which showed a 2.9 billion bird loss in North America of the past 50 years. The report stated that nearly 30% of all North American birds have disappeared in the last 50 years. However, recovery is not only possible when we invest in conservation activities but evident through the direct support by hunters and anglers. Of 10 different biomes analyzed, only one showed any increases in bird abundance; that was the wetland biome. Contrary to the findings in all other biomes, the wetland biome showed a gain of 20 million birds. Ducks, geese, turkeys, and grouse, the hunted species, were some of the only species in all North America to show increases over the past 50 years. The contributions of hunters and anglers to protect, restore, and enhance populations and habitat are undeniable. Thank you!

Although our ride on the annual cycle of emotions around the big game tag draw of excitement, anticipation, planning, enjoying, sharing, and reliving is habitual and predictable, it is our contributions to conservation that truly define us. Conservation of species and habitats is the primary benefit of your participation and it is important we recognize and appreciate that. As we go around and around on our annual cycle, much like riding on a Ferris wheel, although our seat stays the same the view is always changing. It is imperative we take time to reflect on the big picture as our views change.

I wish each one of you luck in this year's big game tag draw and want to thank each of you for your contributions to the conservation of Nevada's wildlife and its habitat.

Sincerely,

**Tony Wasley** – Director, Nevada Department of Wildlife



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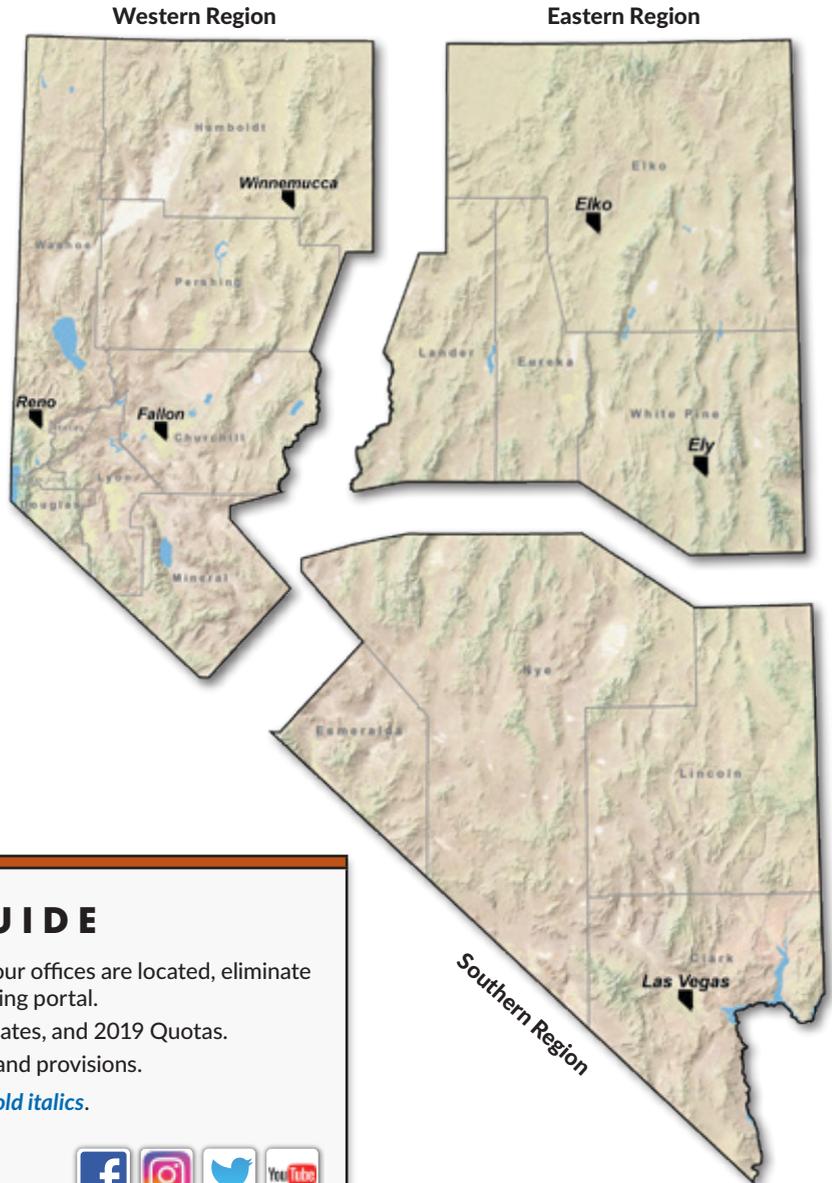
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## HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE

1. The first part of the guide is to help clarify where our offices are located, eliminate tag draw confusion, and helpful steps to our licensing portal.
2. The center has our big game hunts listed, season dates, and 2019 Quotas.
3. The back of the book has definitions, regulations, and provisions.

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Arlington, VA 22203



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# NEVADA HUNTING LICENSES AND TAG FEES

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## RESIDENT

### HUNTING LICENSES

LICENSE	FEES
<b>COMBINATION &amp; HUNTING</b>	
<b>Adult Combination</b> – 18 years of age and older	\$75.00
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<b>Apprentice Hunting License</b> – 12 years of age and older (Available only at NDOW offices)	\$15.00
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<b>Consecutive Day</b>	\$8.00

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In Nevada big game seasons are established for antelope, black bear, deer, elk, bighorn sheep, mountain goat, and mountain lion. Tags for all game species, except mountain lion, are awarded through a random, computerized tag draw process held in late May. Mountain lion tags are available over the counter at Nevada license agents, online at [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com), and at Department offices statewide. Mountain lion season is open year-round.



Hayden Hanson's first buck on his 2019 Junior Mule Deer Hunt.

TAGS/OTHER FEES	FEES
<b>APPLICATION FEES (NONREFUNDABLE)</b>	
<b>Silver State tags</b>	\$20.00
<b>Partnership In Wildlife tags</b> (in addition to regular application fee)	\$10.00
<b>All other big game tags</b> (except mountain lion)	\$10.00
<b>Elk management fee</b> (per elk hunt application)	\$5.00
<b>Predator fee</b> (per application)	\$3.00
<b>Bonus point only application</b> (exempt from elk management and predator fees)	\$10.00
<b>Processing fee</b> (per application)	\$1.00

RESIDENT TAGS	FEES
<b>Deer Tags</b>	\$30.00
<b>Antelope Tags</b>	\$60.00
<b>Black Bear Tags</b>	\$100.00
<b>Bighorn Sheep Tags</b>	\$120.00
<b>Elk Tags</b>	\$120.00
<b>Rocky Mountain Goat Tags</b>	\$120.00
<b>Mountain Lion Tags</b>	\$29.00

NONRESIDENT TAGS	FEES
<b>Deer Tags</b>	\$240.00
<b>Antelope Tags</b>	\$300.00
<b>Black Bear Tags</b>	\$300.00
<b>Bighorn Sheep Tags</b>	\$1,200.00
<b>Antlered Elk Tags</b>	\$1,200.00
<b>Antlerless Elk Tags</b>	\$500.00
<b>Mountain Lion Tags</b>	\$104.00

DUPLICATE	FEES
<b>Duplicate Tag</b>	\$10.00

## QUALIFICATIONS FOR RESIDENT LICENSES

A person is considered to be a resident of the State of Nevada if he is a citizen of, or is lawfully entitled to remain in, the United States, and during the six months next preceding his application to the Department for a license, tag or permit, he maintained his principal and permanent residence in this State; was physically present in this State, except for temporary absences; and did not purchase or apply for any resident license, tag or permit to hunt, fish or trap in another state, country or province. A person who does not maintain his principal and permanent residence in Nevada but who is attending an institution of higher learning in this State as a full-time student is eligible for a resident license, tag or permit if, during the six months next preceding his application to the Department for a license, tag or permit, he/she: was physically present in Nevada, except for temporary trips outside of the State, and did not purchase or apply for any resident license, tag or permit to hunt, fish or trap in another state, country or province. A resident license, tag or permit issued by this State is void if the person to whom it was issued establishes or maintains

his principal and permanent residence in and obtains any hunting, fishing or trapping privilege or entitlement conditional on residency from another state, country or province. Principal and permanent residence means a place where a person is legally domiciled and maintains a permanent habitation in which he lives. The term does not include merely owning a residence in the state (NRS 502.015).

## MILITARY STATIONED IN NEVADA

Any member of the Armed Forces of the United States who has been assigned to permanent duty, as opposed to temporary or casual duty, within the State of Nevada qualifies for all necessary hunting or fishing licenses, tags or permits for fishing, hunting or trapping in the State of Nevada. A like privilege must be extended to spouses and dependents, under the age of 21, of such members of the Armed Forces. All such licenses, tags or permits must be issued on the same terms and conditions and at the same costs as licenses, tags or permits are issued to Nevada residents, except that the 6 months' residence requirement must be waived (Per NRS 502.070).



Father and son duo Martin and Zach Olson on Zach's 2019 Junior Mule Deer Hunt.

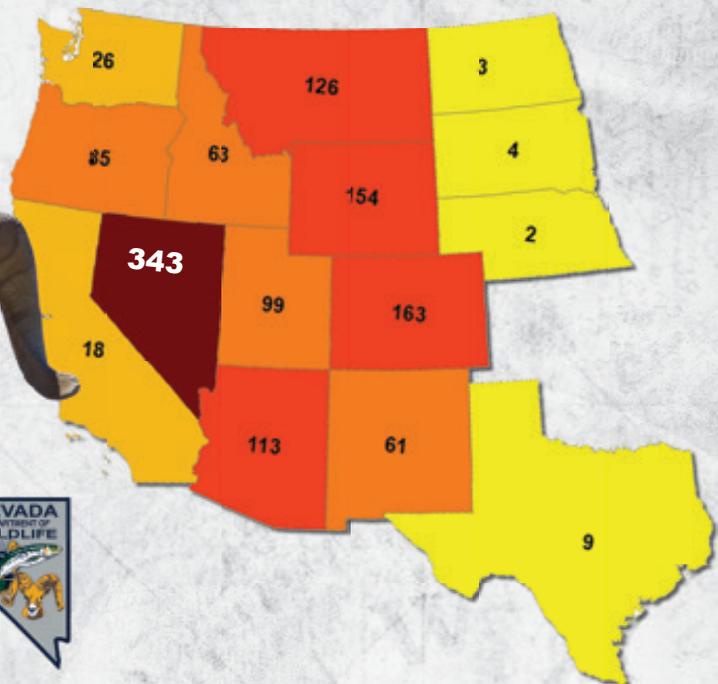


Luke, Faye and Haley Fournier with Haley's 2019 cow elk.

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## WESTERN STATES RAM HARVEST STATISTICS

Numbers are based off of 2018 ram harvest statistics



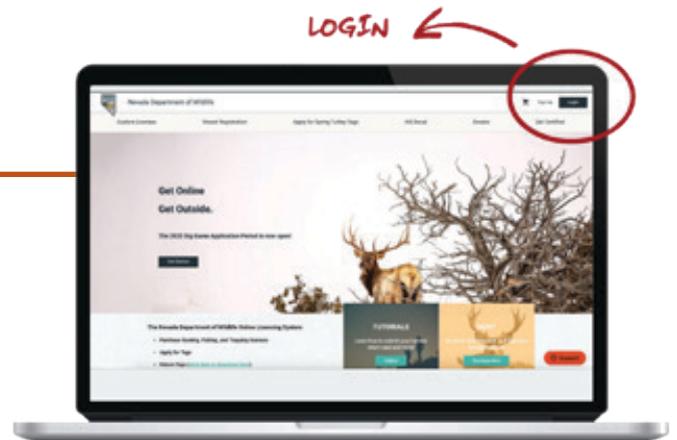
# WELCOME TO NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE'S ONLINE LICENSING SYSTEM

Login to [ndowlicensing.com](http://ndowlicensing.com) to access all of your information, purchase licenses, and apply for tags!

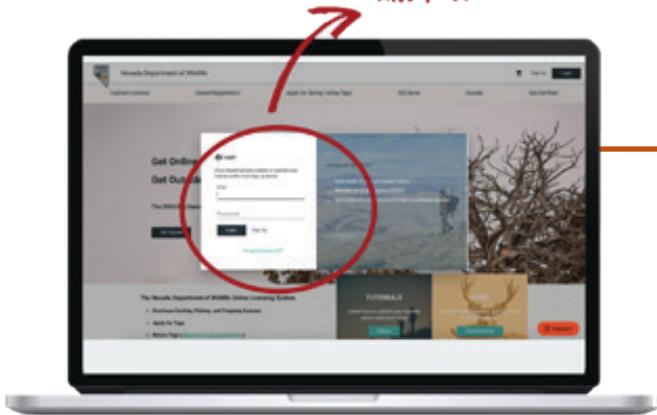
## STEP 1

### LOG INTO YOUR ACCOUNT

Go to [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) and click the "Login" button in the top right corner of the page. If you are a new customer click "Sign Up" to claim your account.



ENTER YOUR USERNAME  
AND PASSWORD



## STEP 2

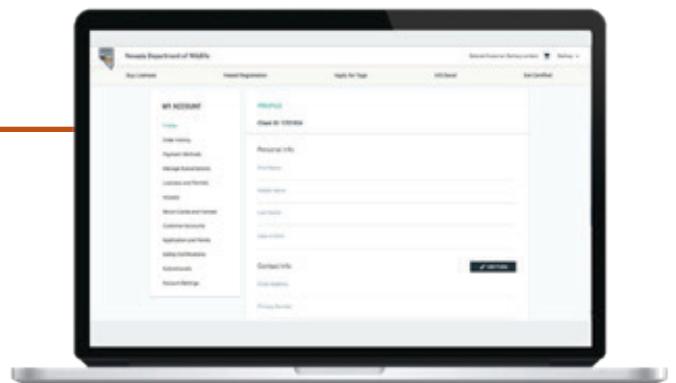
### ENTER YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD

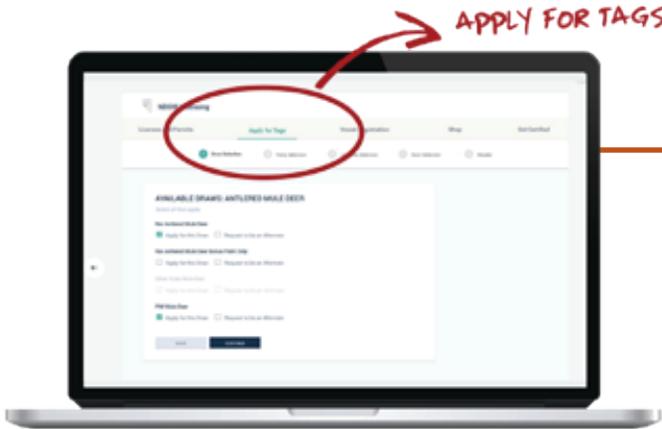
Enter your login email address and password. If you cannot remember and need to retrieve or reset your password, click "Forgot Password".

## STEP 3

### LOG INTO YOUR ACCOUNT

Verify your personal information is still correct, check your bonus points, review your past purchases and applications, or update your payment method using the menu on the left.





## STEP 4

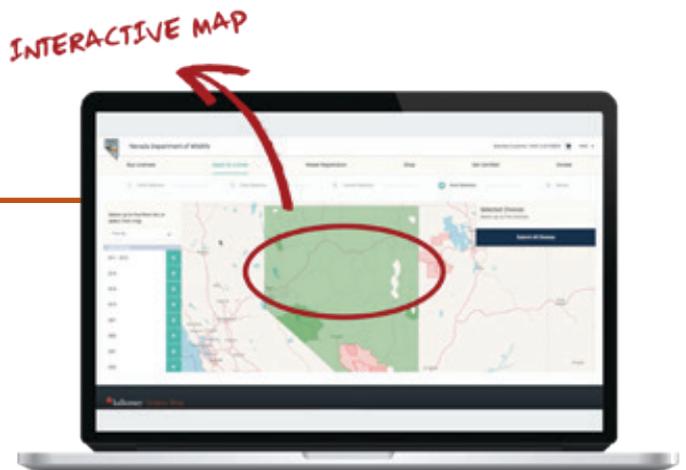
### DRAW PROCESS

To apply for tags, click "Apply for Tags" at the top of the page. After declaring your residency, you will see all of the big game hunts you are eligible for.

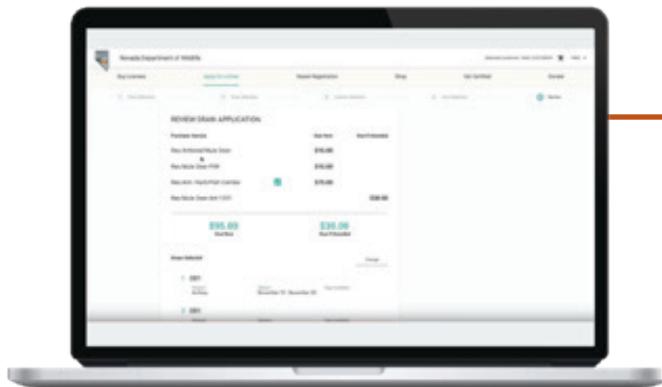
## STEP 5

### SELECT YOUR HUNTS

Once you select a hunt, use the interactive map to select up to five (5) choices for unit group, season, and weapon class. You can re-order your choices using the menu in the top-right corner of the map. When ready, click "Submit All Choices" to continue. You can also edit your choices at anytime until the application deadline.



## STEP 6



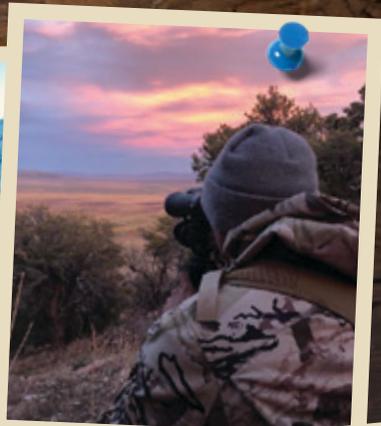
### SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION

Review your application and ensure all choices are correct. You can click "Back" to edit your application, click "Continue Shopping" to apply for additional hunts, or click "Checkout" to begin the payment process.

During the draw process, you'll be able to apply as an individual or as a party for eligible hunts. You can also apply for Bonus Points only. If you have any questions or need assistance using the licensing system, please call 1-855-542-6369.

**Good Luck and Hunt Safe!**

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# NEVADA ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION

## MULE DEER

Eligible persons may apply for both antlered AND antlerless mule deer hunts, but may only obtain one (1) mule deer tag per year; OR eligible juniors may apply for the junior antlered/ antlerless mule deer hunt.

## ANTELOPE

Eligible persons may apply for both antelope horns longer than ears AND antelope horns shorter than ears hunts, but may only obtain one (1) antelope tag per year.

## APPLYING FOR ELK

An eligible applicant can apply for antlered, spike, and antlerless elk in the same draw period but may only obtain one (1) elk tag per year. In addition to antlered and antlerless elk, an applicant may also apply for antlered depredation and antlerless depredation hunts. Be advised that once an elk tag is drawn, all remaining elk applications become unsuccessful. There is the possibility an applicant could draw a spike or antlerless depredation tag instead of an antlered elk tag.

## ELK ELIGIBILITY Q&A

**Q: Can I put in for both a antlered tag and an antlerless elk tag?**

**A: Yes. However, you may only obtain one (1) elk tag in the same draw.**

**Q: How many elk tags could I obtain in the draw?**

**A: Only one (1) elk tag may be obtained in the same draw regardless of sex or antler class.**

**Q: Can I apply for the antlered elk and the spike elk hunt in the same draw?**

**A: Yes. However, you may only obtain one (1) elk tag in the same draw. For example, if your spike elk application is drawn first, your antlered elk application would become unsuccessful. Further, if you also applied for an antlerless elk tag, your antlerless elk application would also become unsuccessful.**

**Q: I put in for antlered elk. Can I apply for the spike elk hunt and the antlered elk depredation hunt in the same draw?**

**A: Yes. See "Notable Changes to the Application Process" on page 10.**

**Q: I am in a waiting period for antlered elk, can I apply for the spike bull hunt?**

**A: Yes.**

**Q: I am eligible for antlered elk. Can I apply for the antlered elk hunt, the antlered elk depredation hunt, the spike elk hunt, the antlerless elk hunt, and the antlerless elk depredation hunt?**

**A: Yes. However, you will be paying the nonrefundable application fees for each application you submit. You will only be able to draw one (1) elk tag. You could have a low draw number for the antlerless elk depredation hunt, draw that tag, and all other elk applications will become unsuccessful. We advise the strategic use of bonus point-only applications if you prioritize certain hunts over others.**

**Q: Can I earn bonus points on the spike elk hunt if unsuccessful?**

**A: Yes.**

**Q: Can I apply for both the spike elk hunt and an antlerless elk hunt in the same draw?**

**A: Yes. However, you may only obtain one (1) elk tag in the same draw.**

## RAM AND EWE SHEEP ELIGIBILITY Q&A

**Q: I am eligible for a bighorn sheep ram hunt (Desert or California). Can I apply for the bighorn sheep ewe hunt?**

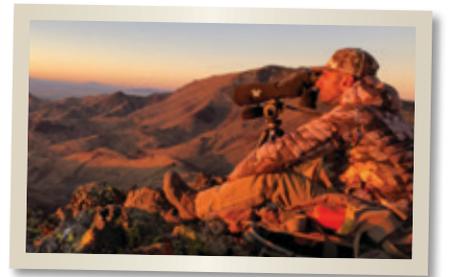
**A: Yes, if you are eligible for both. However, you will only be able to obtain one tag in the same subspecies. Be aware that if the ewe application is drawn first, the ram application will become unsuccessful and vice versa. One strategy is to put in for bonus points for one or the other hunts.**

**Q: I am eligible for a Rocky Mountain ram hunt. Can I apply for the Desert and California bighorn ewe hunt?**

**A: Yes. As long as you are eligible for those hunts.**



Michael, age 15, with his father and his 2019 bull elk.



Brian Hanson glassing on a 2019 mule deer hunt.

## IS THERE AN ORDER TO THE BIG GAME TAG DRAW?

### ANSWER:

No, the big game tag draw uses a random draw number order. Applications are evaluated sequentially beginning with the lowest draw number assigned in the tag draw. The application with the lowest draw number will be awarded a tag. The application with the second lowest draw number will be awarded a tag if quota remains or converted to unsuccessful if the quota is filled. The application with the third lowest draw number will then be evaluated, followed by the fourth lowest draw number, and so forth until all applications in the draw have been evaluated. This is an important consideration when submitting applications for both sexes of a single species. For example, if an applicant's antlerless mule deer application is evaluated and awarded a tag before their antlered mule deer application, the status of their antlered mule deer application would be converted to unsuccessful.

# NEVADA BIG GAME SEASONS

## LIMITS AND HOURS

The limit is one animal per tag and the hunting hours are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset for all big game hunts, unless otherwise specified.

**Important:** The quotas listed are from the 2019 big game seasons. Big game quotas will not be set until the May 2020 Commission meeting in order to accommodate the most current data on big game herds. New hunts, dates or units added to a hunt are marked in *bold blue italics*.

**Note:** Standard dates for opening and closing of seasons are set by calendar date and not based on a Saturday opening and Sunday closing.

## BEFORE YOU APPLY

The Department maintains several informational resources on our website at [www.ndow.org](http://www.ndow.org) to help with planning your hunt including: Hunter Information Sheets (facts on terrain, vegetation, land ownership, hunter access, map references, local services and recommended hunting areas), hunt application advisories, big game demand, hunter success rates, harvest point class and bighorn sheep age and scores.

## BIG GAME MAIN DRAW ELECTRONIC TAG RETURN

**NEW FOR 2020:** Within seven (7) days of public release of draw results, the successful tag recipient can choose to electronically return his or her tag at [ndowlicensing.com](http://ndowlicensing.com).



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR 2020

### Helicopters and your Hunt

Each year, the Nevada Department of Wildlife conducts about 1000 hours of surveys with two Department helicopters to determine the productivity and distribution of wildlife species from mule deer to eagles. These aircraft are occasionally supplemented by contracted fixed-wing aircraft or helicopters to assist during high-demand periods. Wildlife surveys are essential to harvest regulation, and the Department strives to avoid conducting surveys during hunting seasons. Unfortunately, due to weather and demands associated with optimal survey timing, the Department sometimes must conduct surveys during seasons when a hunt may be ongoing. We are

asking hunters to recognize that a survey may occur during any open hunting season, although the Department will do its best to reduce this to the extent possible.

### Notable Changes to the Application Process

- Within seven (7) days of public release of draw results, the successful tag recipient can choose to electronically return his or her tag at [ndowlicensing.com](http://ndowlicensing.com).
- Eligible persons may apply for both antlered AND antlerless mule deer hunts, but may only obtain one (1) mule deer tag per year; OR eligible juniors may apply for the junior antlered/ antlerless mule deer hunt.
- Eligible persons may apply for both antelope horns longer than ears AND antelope horns shorter than ears hunts, but may only obtain one (1) antelope tag per year.
- Harvested bighorn sheep ewes do not need to be physically inspected by the Department.
- Successful bighorn sheep ewe tag winners and mountain goat tag winners must complete a mandatory sheep and goat gender identification course prior to receiving their tags.
- Harvest return card questionnaires are not required if a harvested bighorn sheep ram, black bear, or mountain goat is physically inspected by the Department.
- Eligible persons may apply for antlered elk, antlered depredation elk, spike elk, antlerless elk, and antlerless depredation elk but may obtain only one (1) elk tag per draw application period;
- Antlerless elk management hunts have been closed for the 2020-2021 Big Game Season.

## IMPORTANT 2020 APPLICATION CALENDAR DATES

2020 APPLICATION CALENDAR	BIG GAME MAIN DRAW	BIG GAME SECOND DRAW
Application Period Opens	3/16/2020	6/8/2020
Application Period Deadline	5/4/2020	6/15/2020
Bonus Point Application & Application Withdrawal Period Closes	5/11/2020	6/22/2020
Initial Draw Results Released	5/22/2020	7/8/2020
Big Game First Come/First Serve is available beginning 7/24/2020		

# NEVADA ANTELOPE HUNTS



Eric Payne with his 2019 antelope.

## RESIDENT

### ANTELOPE HUNTS

#### HORNS LONGER THAN EARS

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
011	Aug 22 - Sept 7	70
012 - 014	Aug 22 - Sept 7	150
015	Aug 22 - Sept 7	75
021 - 022	Aug 22 - Sept 7	45
031	Aug 22 - Sept 7	130
032, 034	Aug 22 - Sept 7	85
035	Aug 22 - Sept 7	35
033 Early	Aug 22 - Aug 28	35
033 Late	Aug 29 - Sept 7	35
041 - 042 Early	Aug 22 - Aug 28	70
041 - 042 Late	Aug 29 - Sept 7	70
043 - 046	Aug 22 - Sept 7	70
051	Aug 22 - Sept 7	35
061 - 062, 064, 071, 073	Aug 22 - Sept 7	140
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	Aug 22 - Sept 7	75
066	Aug 22 - Sept 7	35
067 - 068	Aug 22 - Sept 7	120
072, 074 - 075	Aug 22 - Sept 7	65
076 - 077, 079, 081, 091	Aug 22 - Sept 7	50
078, 105 - 107, 121	Aug 22 - Sept 7	100
101 - 104, 108 - 109, 144 <sup>B</sup>	Aug 22 - Sept 7	90
111 - 114	Aug 22 - Sept 7	120
115, 231, 242	Aug 22 - Sept 7	40
131, 145, 163 - 164	Aug 22 - Sept 7	80
132 - 134, 245	Aug 22 - Sept 7	45
141, 143, 151 - 156	Aug 22 - Sept 7	250
161 - 162	Aug 22 - Sept 7	45
171 - 173	Aug 22 - Sept 7	30
181 - 184	Aug 22 - Sept 7	55
202, 204	Oct 15 - Oct 30	7
203, 291	Aug 22 - Sept 7	8
205 - 208	Aug 22 - Sept 7	25
211 - 213	Aug 22 - Sept 7	8
221 - 223, 241	Aug 22 - Sept 7	40
251	Aug 22 - Sept 7	25

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in Eureka County.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in White Pine County.

ARCHERY		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
011	Aug 1 - Aug 21	15
012 - 014	Aug 1 - Aug 21	25
015	Aug 1 - Aug 21	20
021 - 022	Aug 1 - Aug 21	3
031	Aug 1 - Aug 21	10
032, 034	Aug 1 - Aug 21	25
035	Aug 1 - Aug 21	7
033	Aug 1 - Aug 21	5
041 - 042	Aug 1 - Aug 21	15
043 - 046	Aug 1 - Aug 21	20
051	Aug 1 - Aug 21	15
061 - 062, 064, 071, 073	Aug 1 - Aug 21	40
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	Aug 1 - Aug 21	15
066	Aug 1 - Aug 21	10
067 - 068	Aug 1 - Aug 21	35
072, 074 - 075	Aug 1 - Aug 21	25
076 - 077, 079, 081, 091	Aug 1 - Aug 21	25
078, 105 - 107, 121	Aug 1 - Aug 21	7
101 - 104, 108 - 109, 144 <sup>B</sup>	Aug 1 - Aug 21	15
111 - 114	Aug 1 - Aug 21	15
115, 231, 242	Aug 1 - Aug 14	10
131, 145, 163 - 164	Aug 1 - Aug 14	10
132 - 134, 245	Aug 1 - Aug 14	5
141, 143, 151 - 156	Aug 1 - Aug 21	60
161 - 162	Aug 1 - Aug 21	4
171 - 173	Aug 1 - Aug 21	7
181 - 184	Aug 1 - Aug 21	15
203, 291	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
205 - 208	Aug 1 - Aug 21	10
211 - 213	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
221 - 223, 241	Aug 1 - Aug 14	8
251	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in Eureka County.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in White Pine County.

## ELIGIBILITY

Eligible persons may apply for both antelope horns longer than ears AND antelope horns shorter than ears hunts, but may only obtain one (1) antelope tag per year.

## RESIDENT

## ANTELOPE HUNTS

## HORNS LONGER THAN EARS (CONTINUED)

MUZZLELOADER		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
011	Sept 25 - Oct 4	2
012 - 014	Sept 25 - Oct 4	8
015	Sept 25 - Oct 4	15
021 - 022	Sept 25 - Oct 4	4
033	Sept 25 - Oct 4	5
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	Sept 25 - Oct 4	7
078, 105 - 107, 121	Sept 25 - Oct 4	10
101 - 104, 108 - 109, 144 <sup>B</sup>	Sept 25 - Oct 4	2

MUZZLELOADER (CONTINUED)		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
111 - 114	Sept 25 - Oct 4	10
115, 231, 242	Aug 15 - Aug 21	3
131, 145, 163 - 164	Aug 15 - Aug 21	2
132 - 134, 245	Aug 15 - Aug 21	1
221 - 223, 241	Aug 15 - Aug 21	5

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in Eureka County.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in White Pine County.

## RESIDENT

## ANTELOPE HUNTS

## HORNS SHORTER THAN EARS

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
031	Sept 8 - Sept 24	65
032, 034	Sept 8 - Sept 24	25
035	Sept 8 - Sept 24	10
041 - 042	Sept 8 - Sept 24	40
061 - 062, 064, 071, 073	Sept 8 - Sept 24	170
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	Sept 8 - Sept 24	45
066	Sept 8 - Sept 24	15
067 - 068	Sept 8 - Sept 24	130
072, 074 - 075	Sept 8 - Sept 24	40
076 - 077, 079, 081, 091	Sept 8 - Sept 24	15
078, 105 - 107, 121	Sept 8 - Sept 24	65

ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
101 - 104, 108 - 109, 144 <sup>B</sup>	Sept 8 - Sept 24	40
111 - 114	Sept 8 - Sept 24	60
114 - 115 Baker Ranch <sup>C</sup>	Sept 10 - Sept 16	10
131, 145	Sept 8 - Sept 24	35
141, 143, 152, 154 - 155	Sept 8 - Sept 24	290
151, 153, 156	Sept 8 - Sept 24	240
181 - 184	Sept 8 - Sept 24	25

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in Eureka County.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in White Pine County.

<sup>C</sup> Within 1 mile of the Baker Ranch Properties, non standard hunt.

## NONRESIDENT

## ANTELOPE HUNTS

## HORNS LONGER THAN EARS

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
011	Aug 22 - Sept 7	7
012 - 014	Aug 22 - Sept 7	15
015	Aug 22 - Sept 7	8
021 - 022	Aug 22 - Sept 7	5
031	Aug 22 - Sept 7	15
032, 034	Aug 22 - Sept 7	10
035	Aug 22 - Sept 7	4
033 Early	Aug 22 - Aug 28	4
033 Late	Aug 29 - Sept 7	4
041 - 042 Early	Aug 22 - Aug 28	8
041 - 042 Late	Aug 29 - Sept 7	8
043 - 046	Aug 22 - Sept 7	7
051	Aug 22 - Sept 7	4
061 - 062, 064, 071, 073	Aug 22 - Sept 7	15
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	Aug 22 - Sept 7	10
066	Aug 22 - Sept 7	4
067 - 068	Aug 22 - Sept 7	15
072, 074 - 075	Aug 22 - Sept 7	7

ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
076 - 077, 079, 081, 091	Aug 22 - Sept 7	6
078, 105 - 107, 121	Aug 22 - Sept 7	10
101 - 104, 108 - 109, 144 <sup>B</sup>	Aug 22 - Sept 7	10
111 - 114	Aug 22 - Sept 7	15
115, 231, 242	Aug 22 - Sept 7	4
131, 145, 163 - 164	Aug 22 - Sept 7	10
132 - 134, 245	Aug 22 - Sept 7	5
141, 143, 151 - 156	Aug 22 - Sept 7	25
161 - 162	Aug 22 - Sept 7	5
171 - 173	Aug 22 - Sept 7	3
181 - 184	Aug 22 - Sept 7	6
202, 204	Oct 15 - Oct 30	1
205 - 208	Aug 22 - Sept 7	3
221 - 223, 241	Aug 22 - Sept 7	4
251	Aug 22 - Sept 7	3

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in Eureka County.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in White Pine County.

**NONRESIDENT  
ANTELOPE HUNTS**

**HORNS LONGER THAN EARS (CONTINUED)**

ARCHERY		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
011	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
012 - 014	Aug 1 - Aug 21	3
015	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
021 - 022	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
031	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
032, 034	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
035	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
033	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
041 - 042	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
043 - 046	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
051	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
061 - 062, 064, 071, 073	Aug 1 - Aug 21	4
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
067 - 068	Aug 1 - Aug 21	4
072, 074 - 075	Aug 1 - Aug 21	3
078, 105 - 107, 121	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
101 - 104, 108 - 109, 144 <sup>B</sup>	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
111 - 114	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
115, 231, 242	Aug 1 - Aug 14	1
131, 145, 163 - 164	Aug 1 - Aug 14	1
132 - 134, 245	Aug 1 - Aug 14	1
141, 143, 151 - 156	Aug 1 - Aug 21	6
161 - 162	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1

ARCHERY (CONTINUED)		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
171 - 173	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1
181 - 184	Aug 1 - Aug 21	2
205 - 208	Aug 1 - Aug 21	1

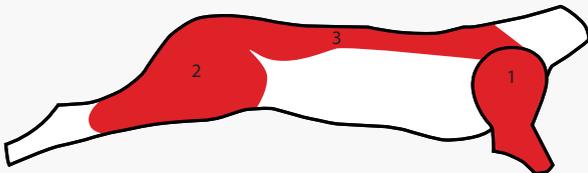
<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in Eureka County.  
<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in White Pine County.



PJ Shumway with his 2019 antelope.

**MINIMUM LEGAL  
REQUIREMENTS FOR  
TAKING EDIBLE MEAT  
FROM THE FIELD**

Hunters are encouraged to use as much of their harvest as possible. Although most meat from big game is edible, below are the minimum lawful requirements.



In the case of a big game mammal, except mountain lion and black bear, the meat of the front quarters as far as the distal joint of the radius-ulna (knee), hind quarters as far as the distal joint of the tibia-fibula (hock), and the meat along the backbone between the front and hind quarters.

1. Front Quarter (Shoulder)
2. Hind Quarter (Thigh)
3. Backbone (Backstrap / Tenderloin)

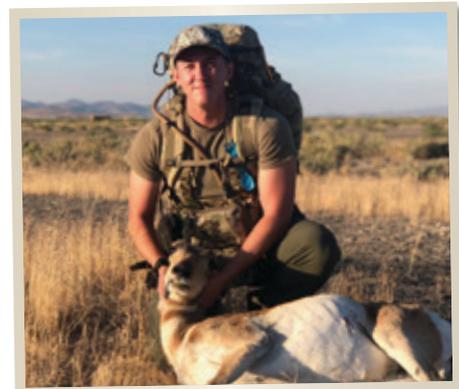
**AFTER THE SHOT**

You have a responsibility and are required to care for the meat you have just taken.

Remember to keep your meat:

- Cool
- Clean
- Dry

Respect the animal you have taken and the results will show up at the dinner table later.



Elijah Taylor on his 2019 antelope hunt.

## NEVADA

## BIGHORN SHEEP HUNTS

[Nelson (Desert), California &amp; Rocky Mountain]

## RESIDENT

## NELSON (DESERT) BIGHORN SHEEP

## ANY RAM

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
044, 182	Nov 20 - Jan 1	17
045, 153 Early	Sept 15 - Oct 15	5
045, 153 Late	Nov 20 - Jan 1	3
131*, 164*	Nov 20 - Jan 1	3
132	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
133, 245	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
134, 251†	Nov 20 - Jan 1	5
161 Early	Sept 15 - Oct 15	6
161 Late	Nov 20 - Jan 1	7
162 - 163	Nov 20 - Jan 1	8
173 N <sup>A</sup>	Sept 15 - Oct 20	4
173 S <sup>B</sup>	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
181**	Nov 20 - Jan 1	18
183	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
184	Sept 15 - Oct 15	4
202	Nov 20 - Jan 1	6
204	Oct 15 - Nov 15	2
205	Nov 20 - Jan 1	13
206, 208	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
207	Oct 15 - Nov 15	5
211	Nov 20 - Jan 1	12
212 Early	Nov 15 - Dec 8	6
212 Late	Dec 9 - Jan 1	6

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
213 Early	Nov 15 - Dec 8	7
213 Late	Dec 9 - Jan 1	6
221 <sup>†</sup> , 223, 241 <sup>C</sup>	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
241 <sup>D</sup>	Nov 20 - Jan 1	3
243	Nov 20 - Jan 1	5
244	Nov 20 - Jan 1	6
252*** (see footnote below)	Nov 16 - Dec 8	4
253	Nov 20 - Jan 1	7
254	Nov 20 - Jan 1	3
261	Nov 20 - Jan 1	5
262	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
263	Nov 20 - Jan 1	7
264 - 265	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
266	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
267	Nov 20 - Jan 1	8
268	Nov 20 - Jan 1	24
242 <sup>†</sup> , 271	Nov 20 - Jan 1	9
272	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
280***	Dec 19 - Jan 3	5
281***	Dec 19 - Jan 3	6
282***	Dec 19 - Jan 3	4
283 - 284	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
286	Nov 20 - Jan 1	5

† Mature ram numbers and distribution are unknown in this unit.

\* Hunter may harvest a Nelson, Rocky Mountain, or hybrid subspecies; for purposes of complying with NAC 502.345, a harvested animal will be considered a Nelson bighorn; hunter is required to provide tissue sample from harvested ram for DNA tests; harvested rams may not be accepted into formal trophy record books.

\*\* There are portions of Unit 181 in Naval Air Station (NAS) Fallon where public access is restricted. To hunt in the NAS portions of Unit 181, the tag holder is required to attend a NAS hunter safety briefing.

\*\*\* Portions of Hunt Units 252, 280, 281, 282 are within the Nevada Test and Training Range (NTTR) where public access is restricted. Hunters and everyone in their respective hunting parties, must comply with all Nevada hunting requirements and all NTTR safety and security requirements including the following: 1) consent to and pass a criminal history background check, 2) be at least 14 years old on opening day of the respective hunting season, 3) attend the Nellis Air Force Base hunter safety briefing, and 4) within the NTTR portion of Unit 252 limit party size to 5 including tag holder. Additional party members may complete background check and safety briefing, but only maximum of 5 party members including tagholder may be present within the NTTR portion of Unit 252 at any given time.

Hunters and members of their parties who fail to comply with these requirements may be denied access to the NTTR. Hunters and members of their parties may not access the NTTR after a tag is filled and animal has been removed and in possession of tagholder. No pets are allowed on NTTR. It is the hunter's responsibility to meet and/or comply with all NTTR eligibility requirements. In some units there may be adjustments to season dates to accommodate Department of Defense operations. The Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners hereby delegates authority to the Nevada Department of Wildlife to adjust season dates to accommodate Department of Defense operations so long as there is no change to the overall length of the season.

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 173 north and west of the Seyler Reservoir/Peavine Creek/Gabbs Valley Pole Line Roads.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 173 south and east of the Seyler Reservoir/Peavine Creek/Gabbs Valley Pole Line Roads.

<sup>C</sup> That portion of Unit 241 west and north of the Turtle Walk/South Poleline/Delamar Valley Road starting 0.25 mile north of mile marker 25 on U.S. Highway 93, across Delamar Valley to U.S. Highway 93 at mile marker 77.

<sup>D</sup> That portion of Unit 241 east and south of the Turtle Walk/South Poleline/Delamar Valley Road starting 0.25 mile north of mile marker 25 on U.S. Highway 93, across Delamar Valley to U.S. Highway 93 at mile marker 77, and south of U.S. Highway 93 to Caliente.

## 2020 HARVEST INSPECTIONS

Successful hunters for bighorn sheep ram, mountain goat and bear who have their harvest physically inspected at a Department office will not be required to return a harvest questionnaire. Unsuccessful hunters for these species will still need to complete the hunter harvest questionnaire. Successful applicants for bighorn sheep ewe and mountain goat tags will need to watch an online seminar before their tags will be mailed to them. Bighorn sheep ewe hunters are not required to have their harvest physically inspected at a Department office.

**RESIDENT**

**NELSON (DESERT) BIGHORN SHEEP**

**ANY EWE**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
213	Oct 5 - Oct 25	50
268	Oct 5 - Oct 25	60

**NONRESIDENT**

**NELSON (DESERT) BIGHORN SHEEP**

**ANY EWE**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
213	Oct 5 - Oct 25	5
268	Oct 5 - Oct 25	7

**NONRESIDENT**

**NELSON (DESERT) BIGHORN SHEEP**

**ANY RAM**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
044, 182	Nov 20 - Jan 1	3
045, 153	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
161 Early	Sept 15 - Oct 15	1
161 Late	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
162 - 163	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
173 N <sup>A</sup>	Sept 15 - Oct 20	1
181*	Nov 20 - Jan 1	2
183	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
184	Sept 15 - Oct 15	1
205	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
207	Oct 15 - Nov 15	1
211	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
212 Early	Nov 15 - Dec 8	1
212 Late	Dec 9 - Jan 1	1
213 Early	Nov 15 - Dec 8	2
213 Late	Dec 9 - Jan 1	1
261	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
262	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
263	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
267	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
268	Nov 20 - Jan 1	4
242 <sup>†</sup> , 271	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1
283 - 284	Nov 20 - Jan 1	1

† Mature ram numbers and distribution are unknown in this unit.  
 \* There are portions of Unit 181 in Naval Air Station (NAS) Fallon where public access is restricted. To hunt in the NAS portion of Unit 181, the tag holder is required to attend a NAS hunter safety briefing.  
<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 173 north and west of the Seyler Reservoir/Peavine Creek/Gabbs Valley Pole Line Roads.

**RESIDENT**

**CALIFORNIA BIGHORN SHEEP**

**ANY RAM**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
012	Sept 1 - Oct 31	3
014	Sept 1 - Oct 31	2
021 - 022	Sept 1 - Oct 31	2
031	Sept 1 - Oct 31	6
032	Sept 1 - Oct 31	10
033	Sept 1 - Oct 31	3
034	Sept 1 - Oct 31	7
035	Sept 1 - Oct 31	6
041	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
051	Sept 1 - Oct 31	2
066	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
068	Sept 1 - Oct 31	7

**RESIDENT**

**CALIFORNIA BIGHORN SHEEP**

**ANY EWE**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
068	Nov 6 - Nov 30	1

**NONRESIDENT**

**CALIFORNIA BIGHORN SHEEP**

**ANY RAM**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
012	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
032	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
034	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
035	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
051	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
068	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1

**RESIDENT**

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN BIGHORN SHEEP**

**ANY RAM**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
074	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
114 Early	Aug 15 - Oct 31	2
114 Late	Dec 20 - Feb 20	1
115 <sup>B</sup>	Dec 20 - Feb 20	2

<sup>A</sup> Interstate hunt with Utah. Nevada hunters may hunt in Unit 091 in Nevada and the Box Elder, Pilot Mtn Hunt Boundary in Utah during the 2019 season. Nevada hunters hunting in Utah must abide by Utah regulations.  
<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 115 outside of the Great Basin National Park

## NEVADA

MOUNTAIN  
GOAT HUNTS

## SUCCESSFUL HUNTERS

- Successful hunters for bighorn sheep ram, mountain goat and bear who have their harvest physically inspected at a Department office will not be required to return a harvest questionnaire.
- Successful applicants for bighorn sheep ewe and mountain goat tags will need to watch an online seminar before their tags will be mailed to them.
- Bighorn sheep ewe hunters are not required to have their harvest physically inspected at a Department office.

## RESIDENT

## MOUNTAIN GOAT HUNTS

## ANY GOAT

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
101	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1
102	Sept 1 - Oct 31	6
103	Sept 1 - Oct 31	1



## NEVADA

## ELK HUNTS

## RESIDENT

## ELK HUNTS

## ANTLERED

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
051 Early	Sept 17 - Sept 30	10
051 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 28	7
061, 071 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 21	30
061, 071 Late	Oct 22 - Nov 5	40
062, 064, 066 - 068 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	35
062, 064, 066 - 068 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 20	30
065	Sept 17 - Sept 30	4
072 - 074 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	190
072 - 074 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 20	190
075 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	15
075 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 20	15
076 - 077, 079, 081 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	60
076 - 077, 079, 081 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	60
078, 105 - 107, 109 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	12
078, 105 - 107, 109 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 28	11
091*	Sept 12 - Oct 2	9
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Nov 6 - Nov 20	50

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Nov 6 - Nov 20	55
111 - 115 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	100
111 - 115 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	90
161 - 164, 171 - 173 Early	Sept 17 - Sept 30	8
161 - 164, 171 - 173 Mid	Nov 6 - Nov 20	40
161 - 164, 171 - 173 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	40
221 - 223 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	60
221 - 223 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	60
231 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	40
231 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	45
241 - 242	Sept 17 - Sept 24	3
262	Sept 17 - Sept 30	3

\* Interstate hunt with Utah. Nevada and Utah hunters may hunt in Unit 091 in Nevada and the Box Elder, Pilot Mtn Hunt Boundary in Utah. Nevada hunters hunting in Utah must abide by Utah regulations

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

**RESIDENT****ELK HUNTS****ANTLERED (CONTINUED)**

ARCHERY		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071	Aug 16 - Aug 31	25
062, 064, 066 - 068	Aug 16 - Aug 31	15
072 - 074	Aug 16 - Aug 31	75
075	Aug 16 - Aug 31	3
076 - 077, 079, 081	Aug 25 - Sept 16	30
078, 105 - 107, 109	Sept 1 - Sep 20	10
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Aug 25 - Sept 16	10
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Aug 25 - Sept 16	10
111 - 115	Aug 25 - Sept 16	35
161 - 164, 171 - 173	Aug 25 - Sept 16	20
221 - 223	Aug 25 - Sept 16	20
231	Aug 25 - Sept 16	20
241 - 242	Aug 25 - Sept 16	2
262	Aug 25 - Sept 16	1

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

MUZZLELOADER		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071	Sept 1 - Sept 16	20
062, 064, 066 - 068	Sept 1 - Sept 16	10
072 - 074	Sept 1 - Sept 16	70
075	Sept 1 - Sept 16	4
076 - 077, 079, 081	Oct 22 - Nov 5	8
078, 105 - 107, 109	Oct 5 - Oct 21	6
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Oct 22 - Nov 5	7
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Oct 22 - Nov 5	6
111 - 115	Oct 22 - Nov 5	35
161 - 164, 171 - 173	Oct 22 - Nov 5	30
221 - 223	Oct 22 - Nov 5	8
231	Oct 22 - Nov 5	10
241 - 242	Oct 22 - Nov 5	2
262	Oct 22 - Nov 5	1

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

**RESIDENT****ELK HUNTS****SPIKE**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	40
061, 071 Late	Nov 6 - Jan 5	50
062, 064, 066 - 068 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	25
062, 064, 066 - 068 Mid	Oct 5 - Oct 20	25
062, 064, 066 - 068 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	25
072 - 074 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	40
072 - 074 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	40
076 - 077, 079, 081 Early	Oct 1 - Oct 20	15
076 - 077, 079, 081 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	10
078, 105 - 107, 109	Sept 21 - Oct 4	10

**RESIDENT****ELK HUNTS****ANTLERED – DEPREDATION**

**Special Regulations:** Eligibility restrictions concerning successive years' hunts as stated in NAC 502.361 do not apply to this hunt.

ANY LEGAL WEAPON DEPREDATION		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
101 - 103 Early	Aug 1 - Sep 30	50
101 - 103 Late	Oct 1 - Jan 5	50
144 - 145 Early	Sept 1 - Sept 30	5
144 - 145 Mid	Oct 1 - Oct 31	5
144 - 145 Late	Nov 1 - Jan 5	5
251	Aug 1 - Jan 5	5

Depredation Hunts are intended to drastically reduce elk numbers. Poor hunter success expected.

**BE AWARE OF ELIGIBILITY CHANGES FOR ELK**

- Eligible persons may apply for antlered elk, antlered depredation elk, spike elk, antlerless elk, and antlerless depredation elk but may obtain only one (1) elk tag per draw application period;
- Antlerless elk management hunts have been closed for the 2020-2021 Big Game Season. The elk management hunt was previously used to achieve higher elk harvests, while not negatively impacting hunter experience due to increased hunter congestion. This hunt is no longer necessary as the hunts were successful in achieving desired elk population decreases.

## RESIDENT

## ELK HUNTS

## ANTLERLESS

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
051 Early	Oct 1 - Oct 20	10
051 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 31	15
061, 071 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	275
061, 071 Late	Nov 6 - Jan 5	170
062, 064, 066 - 068 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	150
062, 064, 066 - 068 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	35
065	Oct 1 - Oct 20	10
072 - 074 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	140
075 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	10
072 - 075 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	130
076 - 077, 079, 081 Early	Oct 1 - Oct 20	40
076 - 077, 079, 081 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	20
078, 105 - 107, 109	Sept 21 - Oct 4	80
091 Early*	Aug 1 - Aug 31	5
091 Late*	Oct 3 - Nov 1	5
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	40
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	15
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Sept 25 - Oct 4	50
111 - 112 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	75
111 - 112 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	70
113 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	25
113 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	30
113 N <sup>C</sup>	Jan 6 - Jan 31	25
114 - 115 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	30
114 - 115 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	45
161 - 164 Early	Oct 1 - Oct 20	65
161 - 164 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	80
221 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	40
221 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	35
222 - 223 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	55
222 - 223 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	50
231 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	55
231 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	80
241 - 242	Sept 25 - Oct 4	6

\* Interstate hunt with Utah. Nevada and Utah hunters may hunt in Unit 091 in Nevada and the Box Elder, Pilot Mtn Hunt Boundary in Utah. Nevada hunters hunting in Utah must abide by Utah regulations.

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>C</sup> That portion of Unit 113 north of White Pine County Road 35.

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON - WILDERNESS ONLY

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
072 <sup>A</sup>	Sept 17 - Oct 4	55
162 <sup>B</sup>	Oct 1 - Oct 20	40
222 Early <sup>C</sup>	Sept 25 - Oct 4	15
222 Late <sup>C</sup>	Dec 5 - Jan 5	15
231 <sup>D</sup>	Sept 25 - Oct 4	25

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 072 within the Jarbidge Wilderness boundary.

<sup>B</sup> That Portion of Unit 162 within the Table Mountain Wilderness boundary.

<sup>C</sup> That Portion of Unit 222 within the Mount Grafton Wilderness boundary.

<sup>D</sup> That Portion of Unit 231 within the Fortification Range, Parsnip Peak, and White Rock Range Wilderness boundaries.

## ARCHERY

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071	Aug 1 - Aug 15	65
062, 064, 066 - 068	Aug 1 - Aug 15	40
072 - 074	Aug 1 - Aug 15	40
075	Aug 1 - Aug 15	5
076 - 077, 079, 081	Aug 1 - Aug 24	15
078, 105 - 107, 109	Aug 1 - Aug 15	15
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Aug 1 - Aug 24	10
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Aug 1 - Aug 24	8
111 - 112	Aug 1 - Aug 24	25
113	Aug 1 - Aug 24	20
114 - 115	Aug 1 - Aug 24	25
161 - 164	Aug 1 - Aug 15	30
221 - 223	Aug 1 - Aug 24	45
231	Aug 1 - Aug 24	35
241 - 242	Aug 1 - Aug 24	5

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

## MUZZLELOADER

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
072 - 074	Sept 1 - Sept 16	50
075	Sept 1 - Sept 16	5
076 - 077, 079, 081	Sept 17 - Sept 30	10
078, 105 - 107, 109	Aug 16 - Aug 31	10
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Sept 17 - Sept 24	10
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Sept 17 - Sept 24	20
111 - 112	Sept 17 - Sept 24	15
113	Sept 17 - Sept 24	10
114 - 115	Sept 17 - Sept 24	15
161 - 164	Sept 1 - Sept 16	20
221 - 223	Sept 17 - Sept 24	25
231	Sept 17 - Sept 24	25

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

SHED HUNTING  
REGULATION

The Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners has passed regulation prohibiting the taking or gathering of shed antlers from public land in Elko, Eureka, Lander, Lincoln, Nye or White Pine counties from January 1 - April 30 each year.



**RESIDENT**

**ELK HUNTS**

**ANTLERLESS – DEPREDEATION**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON DEPREDEATION		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
081 <sup>A</sup> 1st*	Aug 1 - Aug 24	10
081 <sup>A</sup> 2nd*	Sept 17 - Sept 30	15
081 <sup>A</sup> 3rd*	Oct 1 - Oct 20	15
081 <sup>A</sup> 4th*	Dec 5 - Jan 5	15
101 - 103*	Aug 1 - Jan 5	150
121 <sup>B</sup> 1st*	Aug 1 - Aug 31	25

ANY LEGAL WEAPON DEPREDEATION (CONTINUED)		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
121 <sup>B</sup> 2nd*	Sept 1 - Sept 30	10
121 <sup>B</sup> 3rd*	Oct 1 - Jan 5	10
144 - 145 1st	Aug 1 - Aug 31	5
144 - 145 2nd	Sept 1 - Sept 30	5
144 - 145 3rd	Oct 1 - Jan 5	5
251*	Aug 1 - Jan 5	10

\* Low elk numbers in the area. Depredation Hunts are intended to drastically reduce elk numbers from this Unit Group. Poor hunter success expected.  
<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 081 within Elko County bounded on the west by the Fall Creek Road, on the north by the Idaho state line, on the east by the Utah state line, and on the south by the Signboard Pass-Thousand Springs Road and by State Route No. 233 from Montello to the Utah state line.  
<sup>B</sup> Those portions of Elko County southeast of the Cherry Creek Road and southwest of U.S. Highway 93, and that portion of White Pine County west of U.S. Highway 93, north of White Pine County Road 27 (Bassett Lake Rd.), and east of White Pine County Road 27 to its junction with White Pine County Road 18 to its junction with White Pine County Road 23 (bench road from Bassett Lake Rd to the town of Cherry Creek) to State Highway 489 0.2 miles east to its junction with White Pine County Road 25 to the Elko County Line.

**NONRESIDENT**

**ELK HUNTS**

**ANTLERED**

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 21	4
061, 071 Late	Oct 22 - Nov 5	5
062, 064, 066 - 068 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	4
062, 064, 066 - 068 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 20	3
072 - 074 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	20
072 - 074 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 20	20
075 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	2
075 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 20	1
076 - 077, 079, 081 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	8
076 - 077, 079, 081 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	8
078, 105 - 107, 109 Early	Oct 22 - Nov 5	1
078, 105 - 107, 109 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 28	1
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Nov 6 - Nov 20	7
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Nov 6 - Nov 20	6
111 - 115 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	10
111 - 115 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	9
161 - 164, 171 - 173 Early	Sept 17 - Sept 30	1
161 - 164, 171 - 173 Mid	Nov 6 - Nov 20	5
161 - 164, 171 - 173 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	5
221 - 223 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	7
221 - 223 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	6
231 Early	Nov 6 - Nov 20	4
231 Late	Nov 21 - Dec 4	5

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.  
<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

ARCHERY		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071	Aug 16 - Aug 31	3
062, 064, 066 - 068	Aug 16 - Aug 31	2
072 - 074	Aug 16 - Aug 31	10
076 - 077, 079, 081	Aug 25 - Sept 16	3
078, 105 - 107, 109	Sept 1 - Sept 20	1
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Aug 25 - Sept 16	1
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Aug 25 - Sept 16	1
111 - 115	Aug 25 - Sept 16	4
161 - 164, 171 - 173	Aug 25 - Sept 16	2
221 - 223	Aug 25 - Sept 16	2
231	Aug 25 - Sept 16	2

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.  
<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

MUZZLELOADER		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071	Sept 1 - Sept 16	3
062, 064, 066 - 068	Sept 1 - Sept 16	1
072 - 074	Sept 1 - Sept 16	10
076 - 077, 079, 081	Oct 22 - Nov 5	1
078, 105 - 107, 109	Oct 5 - Oct 21	1
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121	Oct 22 - Nov 5	1
111 - 115	Oct 22 - Nov 5	4
161 - 164, 171 - 173	Oct 22 - Nov 5	3
221 - 223	Oct 22 - Nov 5	2
231	Oct 22 - Nov 5	1

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

## NONRESIDENT

## ELK HUNTS

## ANTLERLESS

ANY LEGAL WEAPON		
UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
061, 071 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	30
061, 071 Late	Nov 6 - Jan 5	15
062, 064, 066 - 068 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	25
062, 064, 066 - 068 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	6
072 - 074 Early	Sept 17 - Oct 4	15
072 - 075 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	15
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	4
104, 108 <sup>A</sup> , 121 Late	Nov 21 - Jan 5	2
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Sept 25 - Oct 4	5
111, 112 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	8
111, 112 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	8
161 - 164 Early	Oct 1 - Oct 20	7
161 - 164 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	10
231 Early	Sept 25 - Oct 4	5
231 Late	Dec 5 - Jan 5	8

<sup>A</sup> That portion of Unit 108 north of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

## ARCHERY

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
072 - 074	Aug 1 - Aug 15	5
076 - 077, 079, 081	Aug 1 - Aug 24	2
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Aug 1 - Aug 24	2

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

## MUZZLELOADER

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
072 - 074	Sept 1 - Sept 16	6
076 - 077, 079, 081	Sept 17 - Sept 30	2
108 <sup>B</sup> , 131 - 132	Sept 17 - Sept 24	2

<sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 108 south of the Falcon to Gonder powerline.

## NEVADA MULE DEER HUNTS



Junior hunter Eslie Clifford and her first buck.

## RESIDENT

## JUNIOR MULE DEER HUNTS

## ANTLERED OR ANTLERLESS

Junior youth tag holders can harvest an antlered or antlerless deer. This tag allows the junior hunter to hunt during the archery season when the unit is open for archery only; to hunt with a muzzleloader when the unit is open for muzzleloader only; and to hunt with any legal weapon when the unit is open for any legal weapon. If a junior hunt applicant is unsuccessful in drawing a tag, bonus points will be awarded for the junior hunt.

**Note:** Any bonus points accrued in the junior hunt will automatically transfer to the antlered deer category at the time the junior hunter becomes ineligible for the junior hunt by either age, or after 5 years of application for the junior hunt.

Junior youth must be 12 years old prior to the opening of each hunt choice applied for (usually Archery), and will not attain their 18th birthday until after the last day of the last season applied for (usually Any Legal Weapon). An eligible junior hunter may apply no more than 5 years.

ARCHERY, MUZZLELOADER, OR ANY LEGAL WEAPON			
UNIT GROUP	WEAPON	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
011 - 013	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	20
014	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	20
015	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Dec 11 - Jan 1	10
021	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Dec 1 - Dec 10 Dec 11 - Dec 20 Dec 21 - Jan 1	15

ARCHERY, MUZZLELOADER, OR ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)			
UNIT GROUP	WEAPON	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
022	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	20
031	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	70
032	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	85
033	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	8

**RESIDENT**

**JUNIOR MULE DEER HUNTS**

**ANTLERED OR ANTLERLESS (CONTINUED)**

ARCHERY, MUZZLELOADER, OR ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)			
UNIT GROUP	WEAPON	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
034	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	10
035	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	35
041 - 042	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	15
043 - 046	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	110
051	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 5	65
061 - 062, 064, 066 - 068	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	375
065	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	25
071 - 079, 091	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	300
081	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Nov 10 - Nov 20 Nov 21 - Dec 10 Dec 11 - Jan 1	20
101 - 109	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Sept 30 Oct 1 - Nov 2	450
111 - 113	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	150
114 - 115	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	30
121	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	75
131 - 134	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Oct 31	150
141 - 145	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	180
151 - 156	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	75
161 - 164	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	140

ARCHERY, MUZZLELOADER, OR ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)			
UNIT GROUP	WEAPON	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTA
171 - 173	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	140
181 - 184	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	65
192	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Nov 5 - Nov 30	20
194, 196	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Nov 5 - Nov 30	30
195	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	10
201, 204	Any Legal Weapon Muzzleloader Archery	Nov 5 - Nov 30 Dec 1 - Dec 15 Dec 16 - Jan 1	5
202, 205 - 208	Any Legal Weapon Muzzleloader Archery	Nov 5 - Nov 30 Dec 1 - Dec 15 Dec 16 - Jan 1	25
203 <sup>A</sup>	Archery Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Nov 5 - Nov 30	20
211 - 213	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 10 Nov 5 - Nov 30	20
221 - 223	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Oct 31	190
231	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Oct 31	85
241 - 245	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Oct 31	30
251 - 254	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Oct 5 - Nov 2	30
261 - 268	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Nov 5 - Nov 30	35
271 - 272	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Nov 5 - Nov 30	15
291	Archery Muzzleloader Any Legal Weapon	Aug 10 - Sept 9 Sept 10 - Oct 4 Nov 5 - Nov 30	20

<sup>A</sup> Special Restrictions apply, see NAC 503.170

**ELIGIBILITY**

Eligible persons may apply for both antlered AND antlerless mule deer hunts, but may only obtain one (1) mule deer tag per year; OR eligible juniors may apply for the junior antlered/antlerless mule deer hunt.

## RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT

## MULE DEER HUNTS

## ANTLERED

## ANY LEGAL WEAPON

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	RESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS	NONRESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS
011 - 013	Oct 5 - Nov 5	50	3
014	Oct 5 - Nov 5	20	2
015	Dec 11 - Jan 1	35	3
021	Dec 21 - Jan 1	40	3
022	Oct 5 - Nov 5	35	3
031	Oct 5 - Nov 5	180	10
032	Oct 5 - Nov 5	130	10
033	Oct 5 - Nov 5	20	2
034	Oct 5 - Nov 5	30	3
035	Oct 5 - Nov 5	100	8
041 - 042	Oct 5 - Nov 5	30	3
043 - 046 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	100	8
043 - 046 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	40	3
051	Oct 5 - Nov 5	180	10
061 - 062, 064, 066 - 068 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	775	50
061 - 062, 064, 066 - 068 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	95	4
065	Oct 5 - Nov 2	60	4
071 - 079, 091 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	550	50
071 - 079, 091 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	140	15
081	Dec 11 - Jan 1	55	5
101 - 109 Early	Oct 1 - Oct 16	700	45
101 - 109 Mid	Oct 17 - Oct 30	650	45
101 - 109 Late	Oct 31 - Nov 8	150	10
111 - 113 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	275	10
111 - 113 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	30	2
114 - 115 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	45	2
114 - 115 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	4	2
115	Dec 1 - Dec 15	5	2
121 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	120	6
121 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	15	2
131 - 134 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	300	20
131 - 134 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	35	3
141 - 145 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	300	20
141 - 145 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	35	3
151 - 156 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	160	10
151 - 156 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	15	2
161 - 164 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	350	25
161 - 164 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	50	5
171 - 173 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 20	375	25
171 - 173 Late	Oct 21 - Nov 5	130	10
181 - 184	Oct 5 - Nov 5	140	10
192	Nov 5 - Nov 30	35	4

**RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT**

**MULE DEER HUNTS**

**ANTLERED (CONTINUED)**

**ANY LEGAL WEAPON (CONTINUED)**

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	RESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS	NONRESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS
194, 196	Nov 5 - Nov 30	70	5
195	Oct 5 - Nov 2	20	2
201, 204	Nov 5 - Nov 30	20	2
202, 205 - 208	Nov 5 - Nov 30	55	4
203 <sup>^</sup>	Nov 5 - Nov 30	55	4
211 - 213	Nov 5 - Nov 30	50	5
221 - 223 Early	Oct 5 - Oct 16	250	20
221 - 223 Mid	Oct 17 - Oct 30	150	10
221 - 223 Late	Oct 31 - Nov 8	25	2
231	Oct 5 - Oct 31	150	15
241 - 245	Oct 5 - Oct 31	95	10
251 - 254	Oct 5 - Nov 2	40	5
261 - 268	Nov 5 - Nov 30	70	5
271 - 272	Nov 5 - Nov 30	30	2
291	Nov 5 - Nov 30	50	2

<sup>^</sup> Special restrictions apply see NAC 503.170.

**ARCHERY**

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	RESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS	NONRESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS
011 - 013	Aug 10 - Sept 9	15	2
014	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
015	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
021	Dec 1 - Dec 10	25	3
022	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
031	Aug 10 - Sept 9	25	2
032	Aug 10 - Sept 9	130	15
033	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
034	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
035	Aug 10 - Sept 9	40	4
041 - 042	Aug 10 - Sept 9	15	2
043 - 046	Aug 10 - Sept 9	70	7
051	Aug 10 - Sept 9	70	8
061 - 062, 064, 066 - 068	Aug 10 - Sept 9	275	30
065	Aug 10 - Sept 9	25	3
071 - 079, 091 Early	Aug 10 - Sept 9	200	20
071 - 079, 091 Late	Nov 10 - Nov 20	20	2
081	Nov 10 - Nov 20	10	2
101 - 109 Early	Aug 10 - Sept 9	500	50
101 - 109 Late	Nov 10 - Nov 20	20	2
111 - 113	Aug 10 - Sept 9	30	4
114 - 115	Aug 10 - Sept 9	60	7
121 Early	Aug 10 - Sept 9	45	5
121 Late	Nov 10 - Nov 20	10	2

## RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT

## MULE DEER HUNTS

## ANTLERED (CONTINUED)

## ARCHERY (CONTINUED)

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	RESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS	NONRESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS
131 - 134	Aug 10 - Sept 9	60	7
141 - 145	Aug 10 - Sept 9	225	25
151 - 156	Aug 10 - Sept 9	80	10
161 - 164	Aug 10 - Sept 9	160	20
171 - 173	Aug 10 - Sept 9	200	20
181 - 184	Aug 10 - Sept 9	55	6
192 Early	Aug 10 - Sept 9	25	5
192 Late	Dec 1 - Jan 1	20	3
194, 196 Early	Aug 10 - Sept 9	15	3
194, 196 Late	Dec 1 - Jan 1	15	3
195	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
201, 202, 204 - 208 Early	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
201, 204 Late	Dec 16 - Jan 1	10	2
202, 205 - 208 Late	Dec 16 - Jan 1	10	2
203 Early	Aug 10 - Sept 9	25	3
203 Late	Dec 16 - Jan 1	25	3
211 - 213	Aug 10 - Sept 9	15	2
221 - 223	Aug 10 - Sept 9	65	7
231	Aug 10 - Sept 9	45	5
241 - 245	Aug 10 - Sept 9	15	2
251 - 254	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
261 - 268	Aug 10 - Sept 9	15	2
271 - 272	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2
291	Aug 10 - Sept 9	10	2

## MUZZLELOADER

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	RESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS	NONRESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS
011 - 013	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
014	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
015	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
021	Dec 11 - Dec 20	5	2
022	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
031	Sept 10 - Oct 4	15	2
032	Sept 10 - Oct 4	8	2
033	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
034	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
035	Sept 10 - Oct 4	15	2
041 - 042	Sept 10 - Oct 4	10	2
043 - 046	Sept 10 - Oct 4	20	2
051	Sept 10 - Oct 4	10	2
061 - 062, 064, 066 - 068	Sept 10 - Oct 4	75	8
065	Sept 10 - Oct 4	10	2

**RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT**

**MULE DEER HUNTS**

**ANTLERED (CONTINUED)**

**MUZZLELOADER (CONTINUED)**

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	RESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS	NONRESIDENT DEER 2019 QUOTAS
071 - 079, 091	Sept 10 - Oct 4	60	5
081	Nov 21 - Dec 10	15	2
101 - 109	Sept 10 - Sept 30	90	8
111 - 113	Sept 10 - Oct 4	25	2
114, 115	Nov 10 - Nov 30	20	2
121	Sept 10 - Oct 4	25	3
131 - 134	Sept 10 - Oct 4	35	4
141 - 145	Sept 10 - Oct 4	30	3
151 - 156	Sept 10 - Oct 4	10	2
161 - 164	Sept 10 - Oct 4	35	4
171 - 173	Sept 10 - Oct 4	85	8
181 - 184	Nov 10 - Nov 30	15	2
192	Sept 10 - Oct 4	15	4
194, 196	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
195	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
201, 204	Dec 1 - Dec 15	5	2
202, 205 - 208	Dec 1 - Dec 15	15	6
211 - 213	Sept 10 - Oct 10	8	2
221 - 223	Sept 10 - Oct 4	25	2
231	Sept 10 - Oct 4	25	2
241 - 245	Sept 10 - Oct 4	6	2
251 - 254	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2
261 - 268	Sept 10 - Oct 4	15	2
271 - 272	Sept 10 - Oct 4	10	2
291	Sept 10 - Oct 4	5	2

**RESIDENT**

**MULE DEER HUNTS**

**ANTLERLESS**

**ANY LEGAL WEAPON**

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	2019 QUOTAS
051	Oct 10 - Oct 31	30
061 - 062, 064, 066 - 068 Early	Oct 10 - Oct 31	225
062, 067 - 068 Late	Nov 6 - Nov 20	225
071 - 079, 091	Oct 10 - Oct 31	275
101 - 102, 109	Oct 5 - Oct 20	225
114 - 115 Baker Ranch, Early <sup>A</sup>	Sept 17 - Sept 24	15
114 - 115 Baker Ranch, Late <sup>A</sup>	Dec 1 - Dec 15	40

<sup>A</sup> Within 1 mile of the Baker Ranch Properties.



Tristen Yell in 2019 with his first buck.

## NEVADA

## MOUNTAIN LION HUNTS



## RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT

## MOUNTAIN LION HUNTS

## EITHER SEX

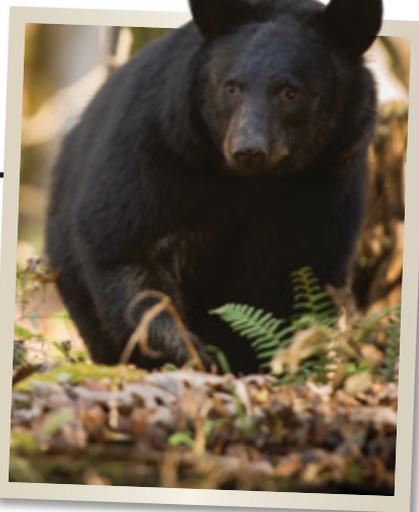
## ANY LEGAL WEAPON

UNIT GROUP	HARVEST LIMIT 2020/2021
Statewide except units 033, 269, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 286.	245
Unit 091*	2

- Hunting hours are any time day or night.
- A hunter, or their licensed guide or subguide if applicable, must call the mountain lion hotline at 1-800-800-1667 prior to hunting to determine if a unit group is open or closed.
- \* Unit 091 is an Interstate hunt with Utah. Nevada and Utah hunters may hunt within open units in both states (Nevada Unit 091, Utah Unit 1C). Nevada hunters hunting in Utah must abide by Utah regulations and season dates on the Utah portion of the hunt area.

## NEVADA

## BLACK BEAR HUNTS



## RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT

## BLACK BEAR HUNTS

## EITHER SEX

UNIT GROUP	SEASON DATES	RESIDENT BLACK BEAR 2019 QUOTA	NONRESIDENT BLACK BEAR 2019 QUOTA	TOTAL HARVEST LIMIT 2019	TOTAL FEMALE HARVEST LIMIT 2019
192, 194 - 196 except those portions of 192 and 194 described in Special Regulations of CR 20-02	Sept 15 - Dec 1 (or until harvest limits are met)	45	5	6	3
201 - 202, 204, 206				6	2
203, 291				8	3

## Special Regulations:

- Hunting hours are one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.
- Tag holders, or their licensed guide if applicable, must call the Black Bear Harvest Information Hotline prior to hunting to determine if the hunt has been closed due to the harvest limit being reached. The number is 1-800-800-1667 and is accessible 24 hours a day.
- Black Bear indoctrination classes will be held on Saturday, August 22, 2020 and on Saturday, September 5, 2020. Both classes will be held from 1 pm to 4 pm at the Nevada Department of Wildlife's conference room, 1100 Valley Road, Reno, Nevada. Attendance at one black bear indoctrination class is mandatory for tag holders or their representative guides or sub-guides. A person represented by a guide or sub-guide at the indoctrination class may only hunt under the direct supervision of the guide or sub-guide who attended the class for them. Tags will only be issued upon completion of an indoctrination class.
- The Department phone number to call and report a harvested black bear is 775-688-BEAR. Leave a message.

## HARVEST QUESTIONNAIRE

Successful bear hunters who have their harvest physically inspected at a Department office will not be required to return a hunter harvest questionnaire. Unsuccessful bear hunters will still need to complete the hunter harvest questionnaire.

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# SILVER STATE TAGS

## AND BONUS PACKAGES

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- A Silver State Tag is the same as the State's Heritage Tags, sometimes called Governor's Tag or bid tags.
- Hunt mule deer, antelope, and elk statewide with any weapon August 1 – December 31. Bighorn sheep can be hunted September 1 – December 31.
- Along with the tag itself, you will receive thousands of dollars in goods and services. (See full list of prizes and donors below!)
- Sportsmen may apply even if they are in a waiting period for sheep, elk or antelope.
- Open to both resident and nonresident hunters.
- One chance per species per applicant.
- No bonus points apply. Everybody has the same chance to win.
- One tag is available for each of the following species: antelope, mule deer, elk, and Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep (limited unit restrictions for sheep hunt).
- Apply during the regular big game tag application period.



## DONORS AND PRIZES

### DESERT BIGHORN SHEEP TAG

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Silver State Tag application fees will be deposited into the Wildlife Heritage Trust Account. Funds from this account must be used for the protection, propagation, restoration, transplation, introduction and management of Nevada's wildlife. Funds are allocated and administered by NDOW and the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners



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## PARTNERSHIP IN WILDLIFE (PIW) HUNTS (CR 20-06)

Partnership In Wildlife (PIW) is a voluntary and optional participation program that offers unique hunting opportunities for a few state-wide big game tags. A person with a PIW tag may hunt with an authorized weapon in any unit with an open season for the species listed on the tag during the season dates when that unit is open for that species and weapon class.

### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Applicants who are eligible and apply for hunts in the big game main draw can also apply for PIW hunts for antlered deer, antelope horns longer than ears, Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep ram, antlered elk, and California bighorn sheep ram. The PIW application fee is an additional \$10 for each species, which is deposited into the Wildlife Heritage Trust Account.

### FUNDS BENEFIT WILDLIFE HERITAGE TRUST

The funds raised through PIW applications are placed in the Wildlife Heritage Trust Account. Nevada statute allows 75% of the money deposited into this account, 100% of the interest earned on the account during the previous year, and a portion of the principle to be used by the Department for the protection, propagation, restoration, transplantation, introduction, and management of any game fish, bird, or mammal and the management and control of predatory wildlife in the state. The Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners is responsible for reviewing and approving expenditures from this account.

Every year a number of wildlife management projects are funded by the Wildlife Heritage Trust account. PIW promises to benefit Nevada's wildlife by providing financial support to the Wildlife Heritage Trust account and the sportsmen and women who support Nevada wildlife by providing additional, unique hunting opportunities that would not otherwise be available in the state.

## 2020 PIW HUNTS

**Legal Weapon:** Archery when the season for that species and management unit is restricted to archery. Muzzleloader when the season for that species and management unit is restricted to muzzleloader. Any legal weapon, including crossbow, when the season for that species and management unit allows any legal weapon.

**Limit:** One animal.

**Hours:** One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset.

### RESIDENT MULE DEER

**Category:** Antlered only.

**Unit Group:** Any hunt unit where there is an open season for antlered deer.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the dates set for each hunt unit group for resident mule deer antlered hunts.

**Quota:** 22

### NONRESIDENT MULE DEER

**Category:** Antlered only.

**Unit Group:** Any hunt unit where there is an open season for antlered deer.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the dates set for each hunt unit group for non-resident mule deer antlered hunts.

**Quota:** 3

### RESIDENT PRONGHORN ANTELOPE

**Category:** Antelope with horns longer than ears.

**Unit Group:** Any hunt unit where there is an open season for pronghorn antelope with horns longer than the ears.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the dates set for each hunt unit group for resident pronghorn antelope horns longer than ears hunts.

**Quota:** 5

### RESIDENT ELK

**Category:** Elk with at least one antler.

**Unit Group:** Any hunt unit where there is an open season for antlered elk except for Unit 091.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the dates set for each hunt unit group for resident elk antlered hunts.

**Quota:** 3

### RESIDENT CALIFORNIA BIGHORN SHEEP

**Category:** Any ram.

**Unit Group:** Any hunt unit where there is an open season for California Bighorn sheep except for units 031, 041 and 051.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the dates set for each hunt unit group for the resident California bighorn sheep any ram hunt.

**Quota:** 1

### RESIDENT NELSON (DESERT) BIGHORN SHEEP

**Category:** Any ram.

**Unit Group:** Any hunt unit where there is an open season for Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep except for units 262 and 267.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the dates set for each hunt unit group for the resident Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep any ram hunt.

**Quota:** 1



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## GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION (CR 20-08)

All applications for deer (including the Restricted Nonresident Guided Mule Deer Hunt), antelope, elk, black bear, bighorn sheep, and mountain goat tags must be submitted online at [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com). Applications by mail will not be accepted. Mailed applications received by the Department will be returned to the applicant unprocessed.

## MAIN DRAW DEADLINE DATE

The Department will only accept applications for the big game main draw submitted online through [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) before **11pm (pacific time) on Monday, May 4, 2020**. Bonus point only applications submitted online through [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) will be accepted until **11pm (pacific time) on Monday, May 11, 2020**.

## MAIN DRAW RESULTS

Initial big game main draw results will be posted online at [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) no later than 48 hours after the completion of the draw. Final results of the big game main draw will be provided on or before **Friday, May 22, 2020**. Draw results will not be released until results are available online.

## SECOND DRAW DEADLINE

The Department will only accept applications for the big game second draw submitted online through [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) before **11pm (pacific time) on Monday, June 15, 2020**. Bonus point only applications submitted online through [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) will be accepted until **11pm (pacific time) on Monday, June 22, 2020**.

## SECOND DRAW RESULTS

Initial big game second draw results will be posted online at [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) no later than 48 hours after the completion of the draw. Final results of the big game second draw will be provided on or before **Wednesday, July 8, 2020**. Draw results will not be released until results are available online.



Megan Keller with her 2019 bull elk.



Gerald Cahoon II on a cow elk hunt with his granddaughter.

## REMAINING TAG DEADLINE

Following the big game second draw, any remaining tag quotas for antlered and antlerless deer, antelope, elk, black bear, bighorn sheep, or mountain goat will be available to eligible resident and non-resident applicants through a first-come first-served application process. Remaining junior deer quotas will only be available to eligible resident junior applicants. First-come first-served applications must be submitted online at [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com). Remaining tags will not be available for sale at Department offices or license vendors. Applicants must be at least 12 years old at the time a first-come first-served application is submitted for a hunt season that is already in progress.

The Department will accept online applications for remaining first-come first-served big game tags beginning at **5pm (pacific time) on Friday, July 24, 2020**.



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## 2020 BIG GAME TAG APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY AND TAG LIMITS (CR 20-09)

The Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners, under the authority of Section 501.181, 502.140, 502.250 and 503.140 of the Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS), does hereby adopt the following regulation for the management of wildlife resources in the State of Nevada.

### BIG GAME TAG APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY

Except as otherwise provided by regulation, a person may only **apply** for one (1) big game tag per species or subspecies per draw application period, with the following exceptions:

- An eligible person may submit one (1) application for antlered mule deer and one (1) application for antlerless mule deer, or an eligible person may submit one (1) application for the junior antlered or antlerless mule deer hunt, per draw application period;
- An eligible person may submit one (1) application for pronghorn antelope horns longer than ears and one (1) application for pronghorn antelope horns shorter than ears per draw application period;
- An eligible person may submit one (1) application for antlered elk, one (1) application for antlered depredation elk, one (1) application for spike elk, and one (1) application for each type of antlerless elk, including antlerless elk, and antlerless depredation elk, per draw application period;
- An eligible person may submit one (1) application for ram bighorn sheep per subspecies and one (1) application for ewe bighorn sheep per subspecies per draw application period;
- An eligible person may submit one (1) application for antlered mule deer and one (1) application for antlerless mule deer per hunt application period; and
- An eligible person may submit one (1) application for pronghorn antelope horns longer than ears and one (1) application for pronghorn antelope horns shorter than ears per hunt application period.

### BIG GAME TAG LIMITS

Except as otherwise provided by regulation, a person may only **obtain** one (1) big game tag per species or subspecies per year, with the following exceptions:

- An eligible person may obtain one (1) bighorn sheep tag per subspecies per year;
- An eligible person may obtain Heritage tags, Mule Deer or Pronghorn Antelope Landowner Damage Compensation tags, Elk Incentive tags, and Antlerless Elk Landowner tags in addition to any tags obtained through a draw process.

## HARVEST RETURN CARD QUESTIONNAIRE

The issuance of a big game tag includes an online harvest questionnaire that tag recipients are required to complete, regardless of whether or not they hunted or harvested big game. Harvest questionnaires may be submitted online at [www.ndowlicensing.com](http://www.ndowlicensing.com) or by telephone at 1-855-542-6369.

Except as otherwise noted, successful hunters for bighorn sheep ram, mountain goat and bear who have their harvest physically inspected at a Department office will not be required to return a harvest questionnaire. (Refer to pages 14, 16 and 26)

Properly completed harvest return card questionnaires must be submitted before **5pm (pacific time) on January 31** following the close of the hunt season for which the tag was issued, with the exception of hunts that end on or after January 31, which must be properly completed and submitted before 5pm (pacific time) on February 28 following the close of the hunt season for which the tag was issued.

### BIG GAME SECOND DRAW ELIGIBILITY

A second drawing will be held for all mule deer, pronghorn antelope, black bear, elk, mountain goat and bighorn sheep tags that remain after the completion of the big game main draw process. Eligible residents and nonresidents may apply for **any** remaining tags during the big game second draw application period, with the exception of the junior mule deer and antlerless mule deer hunt tags, which will only be available to eligible resident applicants.

### FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED REMAINING BIG GAME TAG ELIGIBILITY

Any mule deer, pronghorn antelope, elk, mountain goat or bighorn sheep tags remaining after the completion of the big game second draw process will be available to eligible resident and nonresident applicants through a first-come,

first-served process, with the exception of the junior mule deer and antlerless mule deer hunt tags, which will only be available to eligible resident applicants. Applicants must be at least 12 years old at the time the application for a first-come, first-served tag is submitted for a hunt season that is already in progress.

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## BIG GAME APPLICATION SEMINARS

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## DEFINITIONS (AS USED IN THESE REGULATIONS)

**Antlerless deer** — Any deer without antlers (NAC 502.008).

**Antlerless elk** — Any elk without antlers (NAC 502.009).

**Antelope with horns longer than its ears** — Any pronghorn antelope having at least one horn that is longer than either ear of the antelope (NAC 502.002).

**Antelope with horns shorter than its ears** — Any pronghorn antelope without horns or with

both horns that are shorter than its ears (NAC 502.003).

**Antlered deer** — Any deer having at least one antler that is visible above the hairline of the deer (NAC 502.007).

**Antlered elk** — Any elk having at least one antler that is visible above the hairline of the elk (NAC 502.0074).

**Spike elk** — Any antlered elk having not more than two points above the top of the ear on either antler (NAC 502.104).

**Ewe** — Any female bighorn sheep having a horn or horns of at least 5 inches in length each as measured on the outside curve of the horn from the skull to the tip (NAC 502.345).

**Junior hunt** — A hunt authorized by a regulation of the Commission which is limited to an applicant who (NAC 502.063):

1. Possesses a hunting license or a combined hunting and fishing license;
2. Will attain his or her 12th birthday before the first day of each hunting season to which his or her application relates; and
3. Will not attain his or her 18th birthday until after the last day of each hunting season to which his or her application relates.

**Note:** A person who is otherwise eligible to apply for a junior hunt may apply for a junior hunt not more than 5 years (NAC 502.333).

## LEGAL WEAPON TYPES FOR HUNTING BIG GAME

GAME ANIMAL/ METHOD	BOW	MUZZLELOADING RIFLES	CENTERFIRE FIREARMS	SHOTGUNS*	RIMFIRES	CROSSBOW
Antelope	✓	✓	✓			✓
Bear	✓	✓	✓			✓
Bighorn Sheep	✓	✓	✓			✓
Elk	✓	✓	✓			✓
Mountain Goat	✓	✓	✓			✓
Mountain Lion	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
Mule Deer	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓

\* Includes muzzleloading shotguns.

## LEGAL WEAPONS FOR BIG GAME

### CENTERFIRE FIREARM NRS 503.150 AND NAC 503.142

**Rifles:** Must use a centerfire cartridge of caliber .22 or larger, but not larger than .50 caliber with a case length no longer than 3 inches.

**Handguns:** Must use a centerfire cartridge of caliber .22 or larger and a barrel length of 4 inches or more.

**Prohibited Firearms:** Any firearm capable of firing more than one round with one continuous pull of the trigger. Any firearm equipped with a sighting system that uses an electronically controlled or computer controlled firing mechanism.

**Prohibited Ammunition:** Full metal jacket, full steel, full steel core, tracer or incendiary bullets or shells.

**Shotgun (only legal for deer and mountain lion):** 10, 12, 16 or 20 gauge. Shotgun barrels may be smooth or rifled for either species.

**For Deer:** Only rifled slugs or shotgun rounds with sabots that contain a single expanding projectile may be used for deer.

### MUZZLELOADING RIFLE AND MUSKET NAC 503.142 AND NAC 503.145

#### During a "Muzzleloader-Only" Hunt:

**Caliber:** Firearm must have a single barrel of .45 caliber or larger. Ignition: Wheel-lock, matchlock, or flintlock ignition system, or percussion ignition system that uses a primer or percussion cap; (in-lines are permitted.)

**Legal Projectiles:** Lead ball, lead bullet, semi-jacketed bullet or a metal alloy bullet that expands. A sabot round may be used.

**Sights:** Only open sights or peep sights are permitted; scopes prohibited. A sight that is operated or powered by a battery, electronics or a radioactive isotope such as tritium is prohibited. Scopes are permitted only during an "any legal weapon" hunt.

**Powder:** Only black powder or a black powder substitute may be used.

A muzzleloading tagholder may carry a flintlock or percussion handgun during a

muzzleloading-only hunt, however, it may not be used to hunt big game.

**Note:** Per NAC 503.146, the Department may issue a scope permit to a person with a visual disability which will authorize the use of a 1x magnification scope during a hunt that is restricted to archery or muzzleloading weapons only. Applications must be submitted to the Department on a form provided by the Department.

### BOW AND ARROW NAC 503.144

**Bow** includes any longbow, recurve bow or compound bow. A crossbow is not a bow.

**Bow characteristics:** A bow used in hunting a big game mammal must have a minimum draw weight of 40 pounds and a maximum let-off of 80 percent.

**Arrows:** Legal hunting arrows must have a broadhead attached, be 24 inches in length from the end of the nock to the tip of the broadhead and have a 300 grain minimum weight with all components installed.

**Broadheads:** Fixed broadheads must be at least 7/8 inch wide at the widest point; mechanical

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**CROSSBOW  
NAC 503.143**

Unless a tag holder holds an Archery Disability Permit, it is unlawful to:

- Hunt a big game mammal with a crossbow during either a 'bow-only' or a 'muzzleloader-only' hunt.
- Carry a cocked crossbow containing an arrow or a bolt while in or on any motorized vehicle while the vehicle is on a public highway or other public right-of-way.

**Archery Disability Permit:** A person with a permanent physical disability can now qualify for a permit that authorizes them to use a crossbow or a bow that uses a mechanical device that can anchor a nocked arrow at full draw or partial full draw during an archery hunt.

As used for this permit, "permanent disability" means a disability which prohibits a person from manually drawing and holding a legal bow at full draw. Contact your local NDOW Office for information.

**SIGHT ATTACHED TO  
FIREARM OR BOW  
NAC 503.145**

A sight attached to a firearm or bow that is used to hunt a game mammal or game bird, or a sight attached to a crossbow that is used to hunt a big game mammal, may be illuminated or powered by:

1. A battery contained within the sight;
2. Light-gathering fiber optics;
3. A radioactive isotope such as tritium; or
4. Iridescent or fluorescent paint.

It is unlawful for a person to hunt a big game mammal, a game mammal or a game bird with a weapon that is equipped with a sight that is capable of casting or projecting a beam of light that is visible to the unaided human eye from the sight to the animal.

**HUNTER EDUCATION  
REQUIREMENTS**

Anyone born after January 1, 1960 is required to provide proof of Hunter Education, in order

to purchase a Nevada hunting license. Proof of Hunter Education is an official Hunter Education card or certificate from any state or Canadian province, with the Hunter Education number and state or provincial logo or seal or a previous year's hunting license with the Hunter Education number or mark. If you have taken a hunter education class in another state or Canadian province, verification must be provided. (NRS 502.330)

**BONUS POINT  
INFORMATION**

**WHAT IS A BONUS POINT?**

An accumulated credit (or point) that authorizes the Department to issue an applicant additional computer generated random draw numbers during a draw. One point is accumulated for every application that is unsuccessful in the computerized draw for an established species category. The bonus point system grants an applicant one random draw number for each bonus point that has been accumulated going into the drawing for that species category. Each bonus point random draw number is in addition to the application random draw number. The total number of accumulated points is squared and added to the current application to arrive at the total number of random draw numbers that will be assigned

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to the application for that species category (e.g. Hunter has two bonus points entering draw:  $2^2 (2 \times 2=4) 4+1$  (for current application) = 5. Applicant receives five random numbers for draw) This system provides applicants with an added chance of receiving a low random number in the draw, hence improving their draw odds, while still providing a chance (no matter how small) for any applicant.

**BONUS POINT PROGRAM GUIDELINES**  
**NAC 502.4187-4189**  
**AND NAC 502.4225**

Residents and nonresident tag applicants receive bonus points for all hunts that have a quota set by the Wildlife Commission when they are unsuccessful in drawing a tag through the computerized random draw system. In addition to deer, elk, antelope, sheep, goat and black bear applicants also receive bonus points for wild turkey. Prior to applying or during the application process applicants must purchase the hunting or combination hunting and fishing license to earn bonus points.

Bonus points are awarded by specific species categories, each encompassing all separate weapons hunts available in that category. These categories are: antlered mule deer, antlerless mule deer, antlered Rocky Mountain elk, antlerless Rocky Mountain elk (antlerless elk), spike Rocky Mountain elk, Pronghorn antelope whose horns are longer than their ears, Pronghorn

antelope whose horns are shorter than their ears, mountain goat and black bear. Rams, from each of the following subspecies: Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep, California bighorn sheep and Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep. Ewes, from each of the following subspecies: Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep, California bighorn sheep and Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep.

Those points cannot be transferred to another person or into another species category.

Applicants are only able to accumulate one bonus point per species category each year. So, if you applied for any legal weapon tag and were unsuccessful, and then applied for an archery tag in a separate draw, and were unsuccessful, you still only accrue one point because these are both in the antlered deer category.

However, if you apply for any legal weapon tag, and are unsuccessful, and then apply for a doe tag in separate draws, and are unsuccessful, you would receive a bonus point for each because they are in two different categories — antlered deer and antlerless deer. Depredation and management hunts do not earn bonus points.

Those applying as a “party hunt” will have their points averaged (total points of all hunters in the party, divided by the number of hunters) and rounded to the closest whole number. Bonus points are squared by species category, resulting in the number of draw numbers that an individual hunter or hunt party will receive in that drawing.

Except for tags issued during the first-come, first serve draw a hunter’s bonus points revert to zero in a particular species category when he is successful at obtaining a tag or fails to apply for two consecutive years.

Because the draw numbers that determine whether or not a hunter draws a tag are generated randomly across all applications, there is no guarantee that a hunter will draw a tag for the species category because he or she may have more bonus points than anyone else.

**BONUS POINT PROGRAM EXCEPTIONS**  
**NAC 502.4187**

Bonus points are not awarded for depredation hunts or management hunts. (Refer to NACs 502.4188 and 502.4189)

**REFUND OF FEE FOR HUNTING LICENSE – LOSS OF BONUS POINTS**

An applicant who fails to obtain a tag may obtain a refund of the fee for his/her hunting license if the license is not a combined hunting and fishing license and he/she:



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1. Purchased the license solely to apply for a tag;
2. Does no hunting under the authority of the license; and
3. Submits the license to the Department on or before the last weekday of August of the year in which the license was valid. The Department shall accept the license only if it is received on or before that date.

Please be aware that an applicant will not be awarded any bonus points if they obtain a refund for their hunting license.

## LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

### LICENSE OR PERMIT REQUIRED FOR HUNTING; LIMITATIONS ON HUNTING BY MINORS NRS 502.010

- Any person 12 years of age or older, who hunts big game mammals in Nevada is required to have a hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license.
- A child under 12 years of age cannot hunt big game animals. The child may accompany licensed big game hunters.
- A child under 18 years of age, hunting with a firearm, must be accompanied at all times by the child's parent or guardian. A parent or guardian may authorize an adult to take the

child hunting, if that adult is licensed to hunt and accompanies the child at all times; or

- With the permission of a parent, a child 14 years of age or older may hunt alone if the child has a valid hunting license in his or her possession and uses a shotgun or rifle that is not a fully automatic firearm. (NRS 202.300)

## INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY APPLICANT

### STATEMENT OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN REQUIRED FOR MINORS; PENALTIES FOR FALSE STATEMENTS; USE OF INVALID LICENSE UNLAWFUL NRS 502.060

A person applying for and procuring a license, tag or permit, shall give to the license agent the person's name and residence address.

If a child under the age of 18 years is applying for a license to hunt, the child's parent or legal guardian must sign the application and an attached statement acknowledging that the parent or legal guardian has been advised of the provisions of NRS 41.472.

Any person who makes any false statement or furnishes false information to obtain any license,

tag or permit issued pursuant to the provisions of this title is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Any person who makes any false statement or furnishes false information to obtain any big game tag issued pursuant to the provisions of this title is guilty of a gross misdemeanor.

It is unlawful for any person to hunt, fish or trap using any hunting, fishing or trapping license which is invalid by reason of expiration or a false statement made to obtain the license.

Any person convicted of violating these provisions forfeits any bonus point or other increased opportunity to be awarded a tag in a subsequent drawing conducted for that tag if the bonus point or other increased opportunity was acquired by the false statement or false information.

As used in this section, "big game tag" means a tag permitting a person to hunt any species of pronghorn antelope, bear, deer, mountain goat, mountain lion, bighorn sheep or elk.



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## SPECIAL REGULATIONS

### ANTELOPE SPECIAL REGULATIONS NAC 502.341

Any resident of Nevada or nonresident is eligible to apply in any year for a tag to hunt antelope unless his or her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law.

The antelope waiting period for horns longer than ears is 3 years regardless of harvest success.

### BLACK BEAR SPECIAL REGULATIONS NAC 502.373

Any resident or nonresident of this State is eligible to apply in any year for a black bear tag to hunt black bear unless his or her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law.

A person who obtains a black bear tag or a replacement black bear tag and who is successful in harvesting a black bear is not eligible to apply for another black bear tag during the next 5 years.

A person who harvests a black bear must call the Black Bear Harvest Information Hotline (1-800-800-1667) within 24 hours to report the harvest. He/she must also personally present the skull and hide to a representative of the Department for inspection within 72 hours of harvesting.

If a person accidentally traps or kills a black bear, the person must report the trapping or killing to a representative of the Department within 48 hours and dispose of the remains of the black bear in accordance with the instructions of the Department.

It is unlawful for any person to kill a female black bear that is accompanied by a black bear cub; or kill or possess a black bear cub.

As used in this subsection, "black bear cub" means any black bear which is less than 1 year of age or less than 50 pounds.

A tag holder must call the Black Bear Harvest Information Hotline prior to hunting to determine if the hunt has been closed due to the harvest objective being reached. The number is 1-800-800-1667 and is accessible 24 hours a day.

### DEER SPECIAL REGULATIONS NAC 503.170

In the fenced or cultivated lands of the Smith and Mason Valleys, in the Mason Valley Wildlife Management Area and in the zones within the Fort Churchill State Historic Park and the Lahontan State Recreation Area that are designated for hunting by the Administrator of the Division of State Parks of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources:

Deer may be hunted only with a shotgun no larger than 10 gauge and no smaller than 20 gauge, using rifled slugs or shotgun rounds

with sabots that contain rifled slugs or a single expanding projectile; or a longbow and arrow.

The use or possession of shotgun rounds with sabots that contain other than rifled slugs or a single expanding projectile is prohibited.

A shotgun that is used to hunt deer may be equipped with a smoothbore barrel or a barrel that is partially or fully rifled.

In the Mason Valley Wildlife Management Area deer may be hunted only on the following days during the season set for the hunting of deer:

- Saturdays, Sundays and Wednesdays;
- Nevada Day, as observed;
- November 11, Veteran's Day;
- Thanksgiving Day; and
- Family Day.

### BIGHORN SHEEP SPECIAL REGULATIONS NAC 502.345

1. Unless his or her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, any resident of Nevada or nonresident is eligible to apply for a tag to hunt for a ram from one or more of the following subspecies of bighorn sheep:
  - (a) Nelson bighorn sheep;
  - (b) California bighorn sheep; or
  - (c) Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep,
 if, in the immediately preceding 10 years, he or she did not receive a tag or replacement tag to hunt for a ram from that subspecies of bighorn sheep.
2. Unless his or her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, any resident of Nevada or nonresident is eligible to apply for a tag to hunt for a ewe from one or more of the following subspecies of bighorn sheep:
  - (a) Nelson bighorn sheep;
  - (b) California bighorn sheep; or
  - (c) Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep,
 if, in the immediately preceding 2 years, he or she did not receive a tag or replacement tag to hunt for a ewe from that subspecies of bighorn sheep.
3. A person who kills a bighorn sheep, regardless of subspecies or gender, shall, within 5 days after killing it, personally present the skull and horns of the animal to a representative of the Department for inspection. For a ram, the inspector shall permanently attach a seal to one of the horns by plugging the seal into the horn or permanently brand an identification number on one of the horns. It is unlawful for any person to alter or remove the seal after the seal is permanently attached to a horn or to alter or remove the permanently branded identification number. It is unlawful to possess or sell the horns of a ram without a seal having been so attached or number so branded.
4. As used in this section, "ewe" means any female bighorn sheep having a horn or horns of at least 5 inches in length each as measured on the outside curve of the horn from the skull to the tip.

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Wildfires have many possible causes. The National Shooting Sports Foundation, the trade association for the firearms and ammunition industry, reminds all shooters that during dry and hot weather conditions their use of certain ammunition and targets could accidentally ignite a wildfire. NSSF reminds all target shooters and hunters, as well as other outdoor enthusiasts, to consider the potential consequences of their activities in fire-prone environments.

- **Make it a point to know the regulations and rules related to shooting in areas experiencing dry and hot conditions, whether on public or private land or at shooting ranges. Many national forests, for example, do not allow recreational shooting when fire restrictions are in effect.**
- **Consider the type of ammunition and targets you are using. Minimize the risk of fires by not using steel-jacketed ammunition, ammunition with steel-core components, tracer rounds or exploding targets in fire-prone areas.**
- **Remember that equipment, such as cars and ATVs, can have extremely hot exhaust systems that could ignite dry vegetation, so park only in designated areas.**
- **Extinguish and dispose of smoking materials safely.**
- **Follow guidelines to extinguish campfires.**
- **Warn others of potential dangers and behaviors for starting wildfires.**
- **Report any wildfire you see to authorities.**
- **Spread this message to other target shooters, hunters and outdoor enthusiasts.**



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### ELK SPECIAL REGULATIONS NAC 502.361

1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3 or NAC 502.4293, or unless his or her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, a person is eligible to apply for a bull elk tag in any year if he or she did not receive a bull elk tag or a replacement tag for a bull elk in the previous 7 years. Unless his or her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, a person is eligible to apply for an antlerless elk tag in any year.
2. The waiting period for bull elk is 7 years regardless of harvest success.

### MOUNTAIN GOAT SPECIAL REGULATIONS NAC 502.364

1. Except as otherwise provided by a regulation of the Commission or title 45 of NRS, a person may apply for a mountain goat tag in any year if, in the immediately preceding 10 years, he or she did not receive a tag or replacement tag for a mountain goat.
2. A person who harvests a mountain goat shall, within 5 days after harvesting it, personally present the skull, hide and any edible portion of the animal, or its carcass, to a representative of the Department for inspection.

## IMPOSITION OF LIABILITY (NRS 41.472)

1. If a parent, guardian or other person legally responsible for a minor under the age of 18 years:
  - (a) Knows that the minor has previously been adjudicated delinquent or has been convicted of a criminal offense;
  - (b) Knows that the minor has a propensity to commit violent acts; or
  - (c) Knows or has reason to know that the minor intends to use the firearm for unlawful purposes, and permits the minor to use or possess a firearm, any negligence or willful misconduct of the minor in connection with such use or possession is imputed to the person who permits such use or possession for all purposes of civil damages, and, notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 2 of NRS 41.470\*\*, that person is jointly and severally liable with the minor for any and all damages caused by such negligence or willful misconduct.

**NRS 41.470\*\*** Subsection 2 states the joint and several liability of one or both parents or guardian having custody or control of a minor under this section shall not exceed \$10,000 for any such act of willful misconduct.

## APPLICATION PROCESS, PAYMENTS, REJECTION OF APPLICATIONS

### LIMITATION ON NUMBER OF BIG GAME TAGS; APPLICATION AND FEE FOR TAG OR BONUS POINT NAC 502.331

1. Unless otherwise authorized by the Commission, it is unlawful for any person to obtain more than one tag for an antelope, any subspecies of bighorn sheep, an elk or a mountain goat for a season.
2. An application for a tag or bonus point must be:
  - (a) Completed in accordance with the regulations of the Commission.
  - (b) Made for one applicant only.
3. Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.4292 (Silver State Tag), the following nonrefundable fees must be charged for acting upon each application for a tag or bonus point:
  - (a) Elk tag \$15
  - (b) Any other tag, other than a mountain lion tag \$10
  - (c) Bonus point \$10

### WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION; ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION OF NEW APPLICATION NAC 502.4183

1. An application for a tag, permit or bonus point for a species or category of species may be withdrawn after it is received by the Department:
  - (a) Electronically, if the application was submitted electronically; or
  - (b) By submitting a written request to the Department which includes the applicant's client number if the request is received by the Department on or before the Friday next preceding the draw.
2. If an application is submitted electronically and is withdrawn before the deadline for the draw, the applicant may submit a new application for a tag, permit or bonus point for the same species or category of species in that draw on or before the deadline for the draw.
3. If an application is submitted electronically and is withdrawn after the deadline for the draw, the applicant may submit a new application for a bonus point for the same species or category of species within 7 days after the deadline for the draw.
4. The Department shall not consider a withdrawn application in the procedure for awarding tags or bonus points.

### BONUS POINTS: ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES NAC 502.4185

An eligible applicant who has submitted an application for a tag, permit or bonus point for a species or category of species and who withdraws the application pursuant to NAC 502.4183 of this regulation or who fails to submit an application for a species or category of species may, within 7 days after the deadline for the draw, electronically submit an application for a bonus point for that species or category of species.

### APPLICATION FOR TAG OR BONUS POINT; FEES NAC 502.4175

1. Except as otherwise authorized by the Commission, a person desiring to obtain a tag, permit or a bonus point without the opportunity to obtain a tag must submit an electronic application provided by the Department. In addition to any information required pursuant to section 9 of this regulation, the application must:
  - (a) Specify whether the applicant is a resident or nonresident of this State;
  - (b) Specify the species or category of species for which the applicant is applying;
  - (c) If the applicant is applying for a tag to hunt deer, bear, elk, antelope, bighorn sheep, mountain goat, moose or wild turkey, include a selection of not more than five hunter choice numbers; and
  - (d) Set forth an acknowledgment of the affidavit that is included in the application provided by the Department.
2. A person who desires to be placed on an alternate list pursuant to NAC 502.421 or 502.4275 must apply to the Department electronically to obtain a tag and must indicate on the electronic application his or her desire to be placed on an alternate list.
3. If an applicant desiring to obtain a bonus point without the opportunity to obtain a tag specifies a hunter choice number on his or her application, the Department shall ignore the specification of the hunter choice number by the applicant and process the application for the bonus point.
4. The Commission will establish the seasons and quotas for a hunt, and the method for submission and deadline for receipt of applications.
5. An applicant must obtain a valid hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license before submitting his or her application for a tag, permit or bonus point, except that an applicant may apply for a hunting license when submitting the application for a tag, permit or bonus point.
6. A hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license may not be used to comply with the provisions of this section for more than one application period for each random draw during a 1-year period after the date of issuance of the license.



7. The electronic application for a tag, permit or bonus point must be accompanied by:
- The fee required pursuant to NRS 502.253 for the support of programs to control predators and protect wild-life habitat;
  - Any donation the applicant wishes to make to a program specified in paragraph (a) or any other program conducted by the Department;
  - The fee for a hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license, as provided in NRS 502.240, as amended by section 7 of Senate Bill No. 511, chapter 533, Statutes of Nevada 2017, at page 3633, if the application is for:
    - A tag or permit and the applicant:
      - Has not obtained a hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license; and
      - Indicates on the application that he or she wishes to purchase the hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license regardless of whether his or her application is successfully drawn; or
    - A bonus point and the applicant has not obtained a hunting license; and
  - The applicable fee required pursuant to NAC 502.331 for the Department to act upon the application. The Department shall apply the proceeds of the fee in accordance with the provisions of NRS 502.255.
8. If an application for a tag specified in subsection 7 is:
- Successfully drawn, the Department shall collect from the applicant:
    - The appropriate fee for the tag as provided in NRS 502.250;
    - The fee for a hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license, as provided in NRS 502.240:
      - Has not obtained a hunting license and indicates on the application that he or she wishes to purchase the hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license only if his or her application is successfully drawn; or
      - The hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license submitted with the application for the tag or permit will expire before the opening day of the season for the permit or tag.
9. An application to obtain a tag that is issued by random selection may be submitted by a person who is under 12 years of age if he or she will attain the age of 12 years before the commencement of each season to which the application relates. An application to obtain a

tag that is issued on a first-come, first-served basis may not be submitted by a person who has not yet attained the age of 12 years.

10. The Department and its agents and employees shall not:
- Amend or otherwise alter an application to obtain a tag, permit or bonus point.
  - Issue a tag or permit or award a bonus point to an applicant who fails to submit the fees required pursuant to this section.

### RESTRICTION ON APPLICATIONS NAC 502.4179

A person may not submit an application for a:

- Tag and an application for a bonus point for the same category or species in the same drawing unless authorized by the Commission.
- Bonus point in a subsequent drawing if a tag or bonus point was obtained for that category of species in a previous drawing that year unless authorized by the Commission.

### REJECTION OF APPLICATION NAC 502.418

The Department shall reject an application to obtain a tag, permit or bonus point if any of the following occurs:

- The applicant fails to provide the information required pursuant to NAC 502.199 of this regulation, unless that information exists in the records of the Department.
- The applicant fails to specify or incorrectly specifies the number of his or her hunting license or combination hunting and fishing license, unless that information exists in the records of the Department.
- The applicant fails to specify his or her social security number pursuant to NAC 502.199 of this regulation, unless that information exists in the records of the Department.
- The parent or legal guardian of an applicant who is at least 12 years of age but
  - less than 18 years of age fails to provide the acknowledgment required pursuant NRS 502.060.
- The applicant fails to specify on the application the species or the category of the species for which the application was submitted and, if the application is for a tag, a valid hunter choice number for that type of hunt. If the applicant specifies valid and invalid numbers, the Department shall accept the application for the valid numbers only.
- The applicant fails to provide the acknowledgment required pursuant to NRS 502.030.
- The applicant fails to submit the fees required pursuant to NAC 502.4175.
- The applicant fails to comply with the provisions of NAC 502.405, unless, on or before the deadline set forth in an annual regulation of the Commission for the year in which the application is submitted, he or she pays the applicable administrative

fine and submits the properly completed questionnaire issued as part of the tag or permit or the information required by the questionnaire.

- Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.4183, the applicant submits more than one application to hunt for the same species or category of species of wildlife during the same year, unless such an application is specifically authorized by the Commission. If such an application is not specifically authorized by the Commission, all applications submitted by the applicant to hunt for the same species must be rejected.
- Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.4183 and 502.41895, the application is received after the deadline set by the Commission or by the Director pursuant to NAC 502.4196.
- The applicant fails to comply with the provisions of NRS 502.330.
- The applicant is otherwise ineligible to apply for the tag or bonus point.

### METHOD OF PAYMENT; PROCESSING FEE FOR SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT NAC 502.118

- A payment for any license, permit, tag, certificate of ownership, certificate of number or any other service provided by the Department must be:
  - Made payable to the Department;
  - In the form of:
    - Cash;
    - A personal check that is drawn by a drawer who is a resident of this State and that includes on the face of the check the address of the drawer in this State;
    - If required by the Department, a cashier's check, certified check or money order; or
    - If an application for the service is submitted electronically, an electronic method of payment that is specified by the Department; and
  - Paid in United States currency.
- The Department shall not accept the following forms of payment:
  - A check or draft that does not comply with subparagraph (2) of paragraph (c) of subsection 1; or
  - A check or draft that is endorsed to a third party.
- The Department may, in accordance with NRS 353.1465, charge and collect a nonrefundable processing fee.

### DISHONORED CHECKS OR DRAFTS; EFFECT OF DISHONORED PAYMENT OR NONPAYMENT NAC 502.119

- If a person submits a check or draft to the Department and the check or draft is dishon-



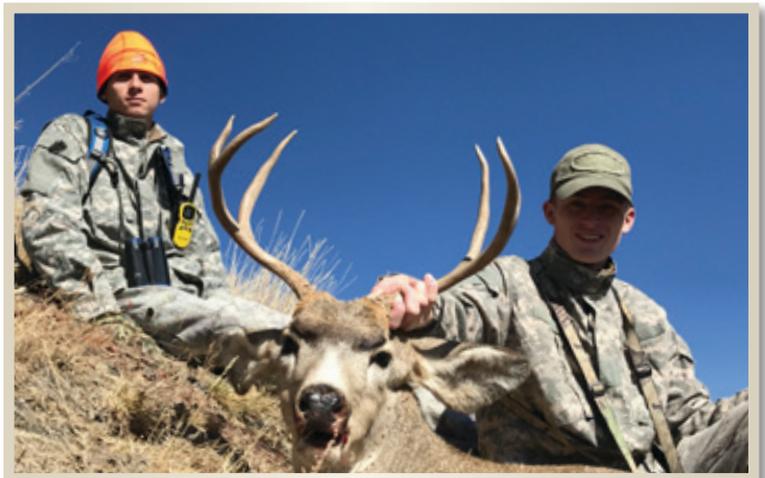
Junior hunter Ruby Hanson practices shooting her rifle before her 2019 hunt.

- ored by the bank upon which the check or draft is drawn, the Department shall charge and collect a fee of \$25 from the person.
2. An application for a license, permit, tag, certificate of ownership, certificate of number or any other service provided by the Department shall be deemed invalid if any payment that is required to be included with the application is not received by the Department or if a check or draft for that payment is dishonored by the bank upon which the check or draft is drawn.
  3. Any person who submits an application that is deemed invalid pursuant to subsection 2 is ineligible to receive or exercise any privilege conferred upon him pursuant to title 45 of NRS until:
    - (a) The Department receives the payment specified in subsection 2; and
    - (b) The person pays any costs incurred by the Department in collecting the payment.
  4. The Department may require a person specified in subsection 3 to submit a payment in the form of a cashier's check, certified check or money order for:
    - (a) Any license, permit, tag, certificate of ownership, certificate of number or any other service provided by the Department; and
    - (b) Any delinquent fees associated with the original transaction for the license, permit, tag, certificate of ownership, certificate of number or service.

**APPLICATIONS BY GROUP OF PERSONS  
NAC 502.4185**

1. Except for a restricted nonresident deer hunt, residents and nonresidents may apply for tags as one party if they:
  - (a) Submit individual applications to obtain tags;
  - (b) Indicate the desire to hunt as a party on their applications; and
  - (c) Select the corresponding valid hunter choice numbers for a species or category of species.
2. If the Department is required, pursuant to NAC 502.418, to reject an application

- submitted by one member of a party, the Department is not required to reject the applications of the remaining members unless the ground for rejecting the one application also applies to the other applications.
3. Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.4195, the Department shall not exceed its quotas for the respective resident and nonresident units of a season when issuing tags to a party.
  4. As used in this section, "party" means two or more persons applying together as a group to obtain tags for a season to hunt any deer, antlerless elk or antelope with horns shorter than its ears.



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