# 2010 NEVADA BIG GAME SEASONS AND APPLICATION REGULATIONS

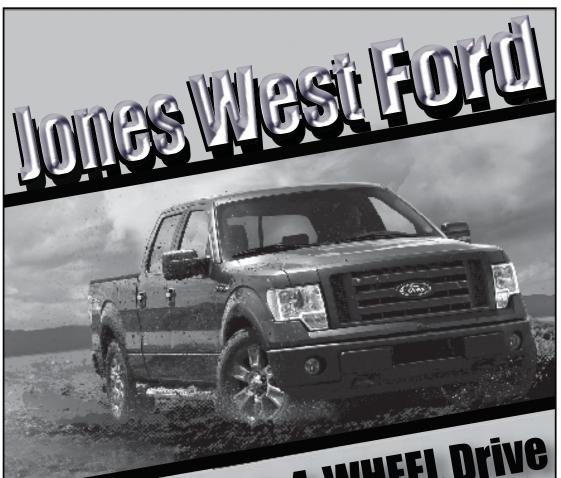


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### **Important Information**

#### Rocky Mountain Bighorn Sheep in Unit 101 and 102

Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep are experiencing a disease event this winter, caused by pneumonia. It is unknown how many animals it will effect. At the time of the January 2010 season adjustment meeting the known mortality rates in Units 101 and 102 was relatively low. As of print time in late February, the number of animals that had succumbed to pneumonia had risen substantially. An investigation has been ongoing and the Nevada Department of Wildlife (NDOW) veterinarian and staff are working proactively to treat animals and monitor the situation. Due to the possibility of high mortality in Units 101 and 102, hunters are advised of the potential for low ram numbers and poor hunter success. NDOW urges hunters to check the NDOW website (www.ndow.org) for further developments.

#### **Changes to Bighorn Sheep Hunts this Season**

**Hunt 9251** - The nonresident Rocky Mountain bighorn hunt has been closed, as the statewide tag quota will be insufficient to allow for one nonresident tag. This closure will have no impact on nonresident hunter's accumulated bonus points due to this season's closure (NAC 502.4187). In addition, applicants will not be able to purchase bonus points for this hunt, as they can only be purchased for an open hunt.

**Unit 132** – New hunt available thanks to the success of the bighorn sheep reintroduction program.

**Unit 221** – Desert bighorn hunt has been closed due to insufficient information on the status of the bighorn population and availability of mature rams.

**Units 243 and 271** -The previous Unit Group 243, 271 was split into separate unit hunts; ample rams exist in both units to allow for separate hunts.

#### Non-Return Questionnaire Administrative Fee Payment Options

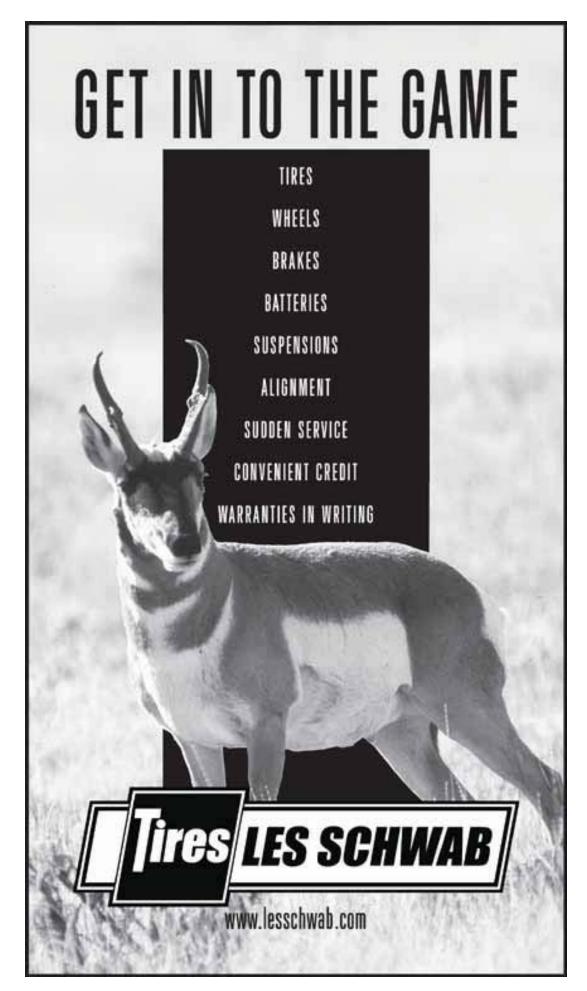
Those hunters who failed to submit last year's big game tag questionnaire by the January 31 deadline will be able to submit the questionnaire and pay the \$50 administrative fee either through the mail to Wildlife Administrative Services or online at www.huntnevada.com. The receipt deadline for submission by mail is March 19, 2010. The deadline for online submission is April 19, 2010.

#### **Pre-Register Your Hunter Education**

The Department offers pre-registration of hunter education. The Department recommends hunters check to see if their hunter education records are on file. You can do so by going to www.huntnevada.com. Call 1-800-576-1020 to confirm your faxed records are received before April 12, 2010.

#### **Postcards**

Hunters who applied online last year will receive a notification postcard reminding them it is time to apply online for big game. Hunters will be able to go to www.huntnevada.com, to look up their bonus points and species eligibility and access an online link to download this Application Regulation Brochure.



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### **Hunting Licenses, Tags, Fees**

(License Year-March 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011)

Resident Hunting Licenses; Fees:	Class	<u>Fee</u>
General Hunting License (18 or older)	20	\$33.00
*Pre-Adult Hunting License (Ages 16-17 at the time of purchase)	60	\$33.00
*Junior Hunting License (Ages 12-15 at the time of purchase)	21	\$13.00
Senior Hunting License (65 years of age or older, with 5 years continuous Nevada residency at the time of purchase)	22	\$13.00
Serviceman's Hunting License (Nevada resident serviceman on active military duty outside Nevada)	23	\$9.00
Severe Disability Hunting License (Requirements in NRS 502.245. Issued at NDOW offices only)	04	\$13.00
Native American Hunting & Fishing License (Resident Native Americans as defined in NRS 502.280. Issued at NDOW offices only)	01	Free
Disabled Veteran Hunting & Fishing License (Nevada resident veteran who has incurred a service-connected disability of 50 percent or more. Issued at NDOW offices only)	03	Free
Combination License (18 years or older)	24	\$54.00
*Pre-Adult Combination License (Ages 16-17 at the time of purchase)	61	\$54.00
*Junior Combination License (Ages 12-15 at the time of purchase)	26	\$21.00
Senior Combination Hunting & Fishing License (65 years or older, with 5 years continuous Nevada residency at the time of purchase)	25	\$21.00
Severe Disability Combination Hunting & Fishing License (Requirements listed in NRS 502.245. Issued at NDOW offices only)	06	\$21.00
* Parental/legal guardian signature required		

### **Hunting Licenses, Tags, Fees**

(License Year-March 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011)

Nonresident Licenses	<u>Class</u>	<u>Fee</u>
General Hunting License (18 years or older)	28	\$142.00
Combination Hunting and Fishing License	40	\$199.00
*Pre-Adult Hunting License (17 years or younger)	62	\$142.00
*Pre Adult Combination Hunting & Fishing License	27	\$199.00

* Parental/legal guardian signature required	
Application Fees (Nonrefundable)  Elk  All other hunts excluding mountain lion  Predator Fee - each application  Resident online convenience fee  Nonresident online convenience fee  Bonus point only  Mountain Lion	Fee \$15.00 \$10.00 \$3.00 \$2.00 \$3.50 \$10.00 No Fee
Resident Tags All Deer Tags All Antelope Tags All Bighorn Sheep Tags All Elk Tags Rocky Mountain Goat Tags Mountain Lion	Fee \$30.00 \$60.00 \$120.00 \$120.00 \$120.00 \$29.00
Nonresident Tags All Antlered Deer Tags All Antelope Tags All Bighorn Sheep Tags Antlered Elk Tags Antlerless Elk Tags Rocky Mountain Goat Tags Mountain Lion	Fee \$240.00 \$300.00 \$1,200.00 \$1,200.00 \$500.00 \$1,200.00 \$104.00
Duplicates Duplicate Tag Fee Duplicate Hunter Education Card Fee	<b>Fee</b> \$10.00 \$3.00

#### **General Provisions**

1. DEFINITIONS (As used in these regulations)

**NAC 502.008 "Antlerless deer" defined.** "Antlerless deer" means any deer without antlers.

**NAC 502.0085 "Antlerless deer only" defined.** "Antlerless deer only" means, in a designation of deer that may be taken during an open season, only deer without antlers.

NAC 502.009 "Antlerless elk" defined. "Antlerless elk" means any elk without antlers.

**NAC 502.0095 "Antlerless elk only" defined.** "Antlerless elk only" means, in a designation of elk that may be taken during an open season, only elk without antlers.

**NAC 502.020 "Big game mammal" defined.** "Big game mammal" means any:

- 1. Pronghorn antelope, black bear, mule deer, mountain goat, mountain lion, Rocky Mountain elk; or
  - 2. Of the following subspecies of bighorn sheep:
  - (a) Nelson bighorn sheep;
  - (b) California bighorn sheep; or
  - (c) Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep.

**NAC 502.050 "General hunt" defined.** "General hunt" means any period within a season designated by the Commission for the taking of a game species with any weapon declared legal.

**NAC 502.054 "Hunt number" defined**. "Hunt number" means the number designated by the Commission for a particular hunt pursuant to a regulation of the Commission.

**NAC 502.057 "Hunter choice number" defined.** "Hunter choice number" means a number established by the Department that designates a choice of hunting area and season for which a quota of tags remains to be issued.

**NAC 502.063 "Junior hunt" defined.** "Junior hunt" means a hunt authorized by a regulation of the Commission which is limited to an applicant who:

- 1. Possesses a hunting license or a combined hunting and fishing license;
- 2. Will attain his 12th birthday before the first day of each hunting season to which his application relates; and
- 3. Will not attain his 17th birthday until after the last day of each hunting season to which his application relates.

**Note:** A person who is otherwise eligible to apply for a junior hunt may apply for a junior hunt not more than 4 years (NAC 502.333).

**NAC 503.141 "Longbow" defined.** As used in NAC 503.141 to 503.195, inclusive, "longbow" includes any recurved bow or compound bow.

- **NAC 502.105** "Type of hunt" defined. "Type of hunt" means a hunt authorized by a regulation of the Commission, for which tags are awarded pursuant to application, that differs from another hunt in one or more of the following ways:
- 1. The species to be hunted for any species other than a species that is included in a category of a species pursuant to subsection 2;
- 2. The category of the species to be hunted as described in subsection 1 of NAC 502.4188;
  - 3. The weapons to be used;
  - 4. The residency of applicants; and
  - 5. The method of drawing applications for the award of tags.

#### LCB File No. R115-09 (Effective January 28, 2010)

- Section 1. Chapter 502 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto the provisions set forth as sections 2 to 10, inclusive, of this regulation.
- Sec. 2. "Antelope with horns longer than its ears" means any pronghorn antelope having at least one horn that is longer than either ear of the antelope.
- **Sec. 3. "Antelope with horns longer than its ears only"** means, in a designation of antelope that may be taken during an open season, only an antelope having at least one horn that is longer than either ear of the antelope.
- **Sec. 4. "Antelope with horns shorter than its ears"** means any pronghorn antelope without horns or with both horns that are shorter than its ears.
- Sec. 5. "Antelope with horns shorter than its ears only" means, in a designation of antelope that may be taken during an open season, only an antelope without horns or with both horns shorter than its ears.
- **Sec. 6. "Antler"** means any bony growth originating from the pedicle portion of the skull of a big game mammal that is annually cast and regenerated as part of the annual life cycle of the big game mammal.
- **Sec. 7. "Antlered deer"** means any deer having at least one antler that is visible above the hairline of the deer.
- **Sec. 8. "Antlered deer only"** means, in a designation of deer that may be taken during an open season, only deer having at least one antler.
- **Sec. 9. "Antlered elk"** means any elk having at least one antler that is visible above the hairline of the elk.
- **Sec. 10. "Antlered elk only"** means, in a designation of elk that may be taken during an open season, only elk having at least one antler.

#### 2. LEGAL WEAPONS

**NAC 503.142 Hunting big-game mammal with firearm.** The Board of Wildlife Commissioners hereby establishes the following exceptions to paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NRS 503.150:

- 1. During a type of hunt that is <u>restricted to muzzle-loading firearms</u>, a person may hunt a big game mammal only with a muzzle-loading rifle or muzzle-loading musket, and may use only a lead ball, a lead bullet, a semijacketed bullet or a metal alloy bullet that expands. The use of smokeless powder is prohibited. Only black powder or a black powder substitute such as Pyrodex or Triple 7 may be used as a propellant. A sabot round may be used. The muzzle-loading rifle or muzzle-loading musket must have the following characteristics:
- (a) A wheel lock, matchlock or flintlock ignition system, or a percussion ignition system that uses a primer or percussion cap;
  - (b) A single barrel of caliber .45 or larger; and
- (c) Open sights or peep sights. The use of a sight that is operated or powered by a battery, electronics or a radioactive isotope such as tritium is prohibited.

The muzzle-loading rifle or the muzzle-loading musket is deemed to be not loaded if the priming compound or element, such as the priming powder or the unfired primer or percussion cap, is removed.

- 2. During a type of hunt that is <u>restricted to muzzle-loading firearms</u>, it is unlawful for a person hunting under the authority of a tag for such a hunt to carry in the field a firearm or longbow and arrow except for:
- (a) A muzzle-loading rifle or a muzzle-loading musket with the characteristics set forth in subsection 1; or
- (b) A flintlock or percussion handgun. However, it is unlawful to use such a handgun to hunt a big game mammal.
- 3. During a type of hunt in which the use of any legal weapon is authorized by a regulation of the Commission, a person may hunt a big game mammal with a muzzle-loading rifle or muzzle-loading musket only if:
  - (a) The muzzle-loading rifle or muzzle-loading musket has:
    - (1) A single barrel of caliber .45 or larger; and
    - (2) Open sights, peep sights or a rifle scope.
- (b) The person uses a lead ball, a lead bullet, a semijacketed bullet or a metal alloy bullet that expands. A sabot round may be used.

The muzzle-loading rifle or muzzle-loading musket is deemed to be not loaded if the priming compound or element, such as the priming powder or the unfired primer or percussion cap, is removed.

- 4. A person <u>may hunt big game mammals with a rifle</u> if the rifle uses a <u>centerfire cartridge of caliber .22 or larger</u>.
- 5. A person <u>may hunt big game mammals with a handgun</u> if the handgun uses a <u>centerfire cartridge</u>, has a barrel length of 4 inches or more and:
- (a) Uses a cartridge of caliber .22 or larger with an overall loaded length of 2 inches or more; or
- (b) Uses a cartridge of caliber .24 or larger with a case of length no less than the length of the case of a cartridge for a Remington magnum of caliber .44.

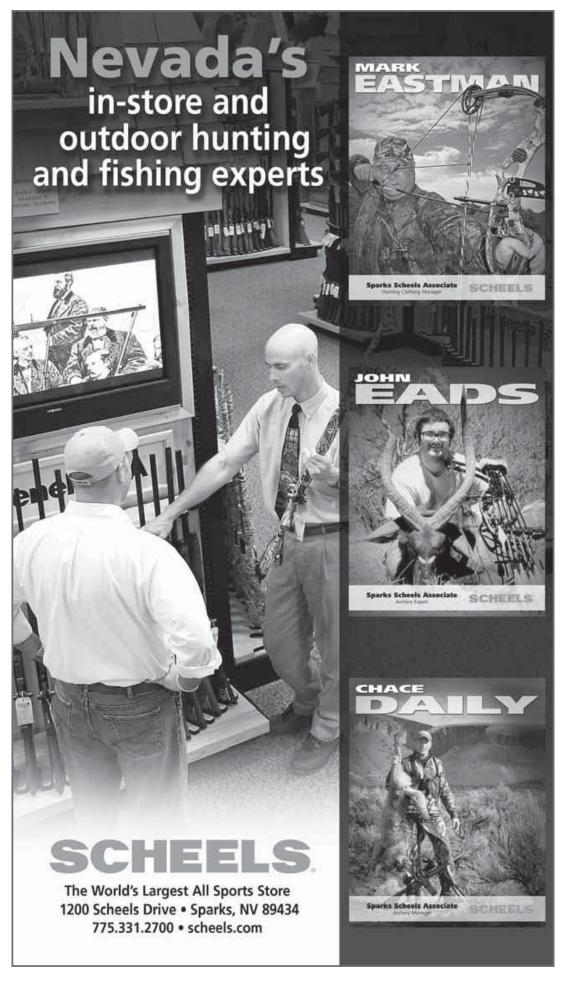
6. A person may hunt deer and mountain lion with a shotgun no larger than 10 gauge and no smaller than 20 gauge. Only rifled slugs or shotgun rounds with sabots that contain a single expanding projectile may be used when hunting deer. A shotgun that is used to hunt deer or mountain lion pursuant to this subsection may be equipped with a smoothbore barrel or a barrel that is partially or fully rifled.

#### NAC 503.143 Crossbows

- 1. A crossbow may be used to hunt a big game mammal in a type of hunt that allows the use of any legal weapon if the crossbow has:
  - (a) A minimum draw weight of 125 pounds;
- (b) A minimum draw length of 14 inches from the front of the bow to the nocking point;
  - (c) A stock that is at least 18 inches long; and
  - (d) A positive mechanical safety mechanism.
- 2. Crossbow arrows or bolts used in hunting big game mammals must be at least 16 inches long and have:
- (a) Fixed broadheads that are at least 7/8 inch wide at the widest point; or
- (b) Expandable, mechanical broadheads that are at least 7/8 inch wide at the widest point when the broadhead is in the open position.
- 3. It is unlawful for any person to:
- (a) Hunt a big game mammal with a crossbow during a type of hunt restricted to the use of archery or muzzle-loading firearms.
- (b) Except as otherwise provided in this paragraph, 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. The provisions of this paragraph do not apply to a person who is a paraplegic, has had one or both legs amputated or has suffered a paralysis of one or both legs which severely impedes his walking, if the motorized vehicle is not in motion.
- (c) Hunt any wildlife with an arrow or bolt that has any chemical, explosive or electronic device attached.

#### NAC 503.144 Hunting with longbow and arrow

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (c) of subsection 3, the bowstring of a longbow used in hunting any game mammal or game bird must be moved or held entirely by the muscle power of the shooter through all points of the draw cycle until release and may only be released by direct and conscious action of the shooter, either by relaxing the tension of the fingers or by triggering the release action of a handheld release aid.
- 2. A longbow used in hunting a big game mammal must, in the hands of the user, be capable of throwing a 400 grain arrow 150 yards over level terrain. Arrows used in hunting big game mammals must be at least 24 inches long and have:
  - (a) Fixed broadheads that are at least 7/8-inch wide at the widest point; or
- (b) Expandable, mechanical broadheads that are at least 7/8-inch wide at the widest point when the broadhead is in the open position.
  - 3. It is unlawful for any person to:
  - (a) Carry any firearm in the field while hunting under archery regulations.



- (b) Except as otherwise provided in this paragraph, carry a longbow with an arrow nocked on the bowstring while in or on any motorized vehicle while the vehicle is on a public highway or other public right-of-way. The provisions of this paragraph do not apply to a person who is a paraplegic, has had one or both legs amputated or has suffered a paralysis of one or both legs which severely impedes his walking, if the motorized vehicle is not in motion.
- (c) Hunt any game mammal or game bird with a longbow that uses any mechanical device that can anchor a nocked arrow at full draw or partial draw unless the person:
- (1) Carries written documentation, signed and dated by a licensed physician, stating that the person has a permanent disability in the upper torso; or
- (2) Has had one or both arms, or a part thereof, amputated, and the permanent disability or amputation prevents him from manually drawing and holding at full draw a longbow that meets the requirements of subsection 2.
- (d) Hunt any wildlife with an arrow that has any chemical, explosive or electronic device attached.

#### NAC 503.145 Sight attached to firearm or longbow.

The Board of Wildlife Commissioners hereby establishes the following exception to paragraph (f) of subsection 1 of NRS 503.150. Except as otherwise provided by paragraph (c) of subsection 1 of NAC 503.142, a sight attached to a firearm or longbow 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 from the sight to the animal.

#### 3. LICENSE AND RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

# NRS 502.010 License or permit required for hunting or fishing; exceptions; limitations on hunting by minors

- 1. A person who hunts or fishes any wildlife without having first procured a license or permit to do so, as provided in this title, is guilty of a misdemeanor, except that:
- (a) A license to hunt or fish is not required of a resident of this State who is under 12 years of age, unless required for the issuance of tags as prescribed in this title or by the regulations of the Commission.
  - (b) \*\*\*
- (c) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 5 or 6 of NRS 202.300, it is unlawful for any child who is under 18 years of age to hunt any of the wild birds or mammals with any firearm, unless the child is accompanied at all times by his parent or guardian or is accompanied at all times by an adult person authorized by his parent or guardian to have control or custod

of the child to hunt if the authorized person is also licensed to hunt.

- (d) A child under 12 years of age, whether accompanied by a qualified person or not, shall not hunt big game in the State of Nevada. This section does not prohibit any child from accompanying an adult licensed to hunt.
  - (e) The Commission may adopt regulations setting forth:
- (1) The species of wild birds or mammals which may be hunted or trapped without a license or permit; or

(2)\*\*\*

(f) \*\*\*

2. This section does not apply to the protection of persons or property from unprotected wildlife on or in the immediate vicinity of home or ranch premises.

#### NRS 502.015 Qualifications for resident licenses, tags and permits

- 1. For the purpose of issuing and using resident licenses, tags or permits pursuant to this chapter, a person is considered to be a resident of the State of Nevada if:
- (a) He is a citizen of, or is lawfully entitled to remain in, the United States; and
- (b) During the 6 months next preceding his application to the Department for a license, tag or permit, he:
  - (1) Maintained his principal and permanent residence in this State;
- (2) Was physically present in this State, except for temporary absences; and
- (3) Did not purchase or apply for any resident license, tag or permit to hunt, fish or trap in another state, country or province.
- 2. 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 6 months next preceding his application to the Department for a license, tag or permit, he:
- (a) Was physically present in Nevada, except for temporary trips outside of the State; and
- (b) Did not purchase or apply for any resident license, tag or permit to hunt, fish or trap in another state, country or province.
- 3. 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.
- 4. As used in this section, "principal and permanent residence" means a place where a person is legally domiciled and maintains a permanent habitation in which he lives and to which he intends to return when he leaves the state in which the permanent habitation is located. The term does not include merely owning a residence in a state.

# NRS 502.060 Information to be furnished by applicant; signature and statement of parent or guardian required for minors; penalties for false statements; use of invalid license unlawful

1. A person applying for and procuring a license, *tag or permit*, as provided in this chapter, shall give to the license agent his name and

residence address, which must be entered by the license agent, *manually* or electronically in a record specified by the Department, together with the date of issuance and a description of the person. 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.

- 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, 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.
- 3. 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.
- 4. 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.
- 5. Any person convicted of violating the provisions of subsection 2 or 3 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.
- **6**. 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.

#### 4. HUNTER SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

NRS 502.330 Safety for hunters: Requirements for license; completion of course in responsibilities of hunters

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in section 3 of this act, no hunting license may be obtained by any person born after January 1, 1960, unless he presents to the Department, or one of its authorized licensing agents:
- (a) A certificate of successful completion of a course of instruction in the responsibilities of hunters as provided by NRS 502.340;
- (b) An equivalent certificate of completion of a course in the responsibilities of hunters provided by:
  - (1) Another state:
  - (2) An agency of a Canadian province for the management of wildlife; or
- (3) An agency of a foreign country whose course of instruction meets or exceeds the standards established by the International Hunter Education Association, or its successor organization; or
- (c) A hunting license issued to him in a previous year by the Department, **another** state or an agency of a Canadian province, which bears a number or other unique mark evidencing successful completion of a course of instruction in the responsibilities of hunters.
- 2. Any person who has been convicted of violating NRS 503.165 or 503.175 may not obtain a hunting license until he has successfully completed a course in the responsibilities of hunters conducted pursuant to NRS 502.340.

#### 5. BONUS POINT INFORMATION AND REGULATIONS

#### **Bonus Point Program Guidelines**

Hunters will again have the option to apply for a bonus point without applying for a tag for a species. Participation requires a nonrefundable \$10 application fee for each bonus point only application, and the purchase of the hunting or combination hunting and fishing license. An applicant cannot receive a refund on their hunting license. There is a special bonus point code for each hunt and it is listed above the season table.

Resident and nonresident tag applicants receive a bonus point for each hunt that has a quota set by the Wildlife Commission when they are unsuccessful in drawing a tag through the computerized random draw system.

Bonus points are awarded by specific species categories, each encompassing all separate weapons hunts available in that category. Those categories are: antlered mule deer; antlerless mule deer; mule deer depredation; antelope horns longer than ears; antelope horns shorter than ears; bull elk; spike bull elk; cow elk; depredation elk; desert (Nelson) bighorn sheep; California bighorn sheep; Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep; mountain goat.

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 an antlered deer any legal weapon tag and were unsuccessful, and then applied for an antlered deer archery tag in a separate drawing, and were unsuccessful, you still only accrue one point because these are both in the antlered deer category. However, if you apply for an antlered deer any legal weapon tag and are unsuccessful, and then apply for a antlerless tag and are unsuccessful, you would receive a bonus point for each because they are in two different categories-antlered deer and antlerless deer.

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 4 years of application for the junior hunt. See details, page 16.

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. 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 that species category for two consecutive years.

If a person requests a hunting license refund, they will not earn bonus points for the current year.

#### NAC 502.4188 Bonus points: Categories of species

- 1. **Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2**, any bonus points awarded by the Department pursuant to the bonus point program must be awarded in one of the following categories of species:
  - (a) Antlered mule deer;
  - (b) Antlerless mule deer;

- (c) Mule deer, either antlered or antlerless;
- (d) Antlered Rocky Mountain elk;
- (e) Antlerless Rocky Mountain elk;
- (f) Rocky Mountain elk, either antlered or antlerless;
- (g) Spike Rocky Mountain elk;
- (h) Pronghorn antelope whose horns are longer than their ears;
- (i) Pronghorn antelope whose horns are shorter than their ears;
- (j) Rams, from one of the following subspecies:
  - (1) Nelson bighorn sheep;
  - (2) California bighorn sheep; or
  - (3) Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep; or
- (k) Mountain goats.
- 2. Bonus points awarded by the Department pursuant to the bonus point program for wild turkey and depredation hunts must be awarded by hunt number.

#### NAC 502.4187 Bonus points: Award and accumulation; effect of refund

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.416 to 502.4225, inclusive, an applicant to obtain a tag for a season who is unsuccessful, or an applicant for a bonus point who does not wish to obtain a tag and is applying for the sole purpose of earning a bonus point, must be awarded a bonus point for:
  - (a) The hunt number of the species for which he applied if he applied for a:
    - (1) Tag to hunt wild turkey;
    - (2) Depredation hunt tag; or
    - (3) Bonus point for a tag described in subparagraph (1) or (2); or
- (b) The category of the species for which he applied if he applied for a tag to hunt deer, elk, mountain goat, antelope or bighorn sheep, or for a bonus point for such a tag.

Regardless of the number of applications to obtain a tag or bonus point for a season submitted by a person, the Department shall not award him more than one bonus point per season for each species or category of a species for which the person applied.

- 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, the bonus points awarded to a person accumulate until he is successful in drawing a tag for a season for that species or category of a species or he fails to apply for a season for 2 consecutive calendar years during which that type of hunt for a season is open. If an applicant is successful in drawing a tag for a season for a species or category of a species or fails to apply for a season for 2 consecutive calendar years during which that type of hunt for a season is open, he loses all of his bonus points for that species or category of a species.
- 3. Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.4189, a person may not use any bonus points awarded to him for being unsuccessful in a junior hunt to apply for a drawing for a tag for any other type of hunt after the person is no longer eligible to participate in a junior hunt.
- 4. If an applicant requests and receives a refund for the value of his hunting license, the Department shall not award him a bonus point for any species or category of species applied for during the period that the applicant possessed the hunting license.

# NAC 502.4177 Submission of application for sole purpose of obtaining bonus point

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, a person who is at least 12 years of age and does not wish to obtain a tag may apply to the Department for the sole purpose of obtaining a bonus point for a tag other than a restricted nonresident deer tag. Such an application may be submitted by a person who is under 12 years of age if he will attain the age of 12 years before the commencement of the earliest season for the category of the species to which the application relates.
- 2. A person who is ineligible to apply for a tag for a category of species may not apply for a bonus point for that category of species.
- 3. The Department shall award a bonus point to a person described in subsection 1 if the person has complied with all applicable provisions of chapter 502 of NRS and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto.

# NAC 502.4189 Bonus points: Use; transfer; applications by group for deer tags

- 1. Each applicant in a drawing for a tag for a season receives a number of additional draw numbers that is equal to the number of bonus points that he has accumulated squared, as expressed in the following equation: n=b² where "n" is the number of additional draw numbers and "b" is the number of bonus points. The number of additional draw numbers determines the number of draw numbers for the species or category of the species for which the application was submitted. The applicant's lowest randomly assigned draw number is the number used for the drawing.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 4, bonus points accumulated by a person for a season cannot be transferred to any other person or any other season unless:
  - (a) The applicant changes his state of residence;
- (b) The applicant requests in writing that the Department transfer those bonus points; and
  - (c) The Department approves the request for the transfer.

Bonus points transferred pursuant to this subsection apply to the same type of hunt to which they applied before the transfer.

- 3. The number of bonus points applicable to applications submitted by a group pursuant to NAC 502.4185 for tags to hunt deer is the quotient of the total number of points held by the members of the group divided by the number of members in the group, rounded to the nearest whole number.
- 4. If a person has applied for a junior hunt for 4 years or becomes ineligible to participate in a junior hunt because of his age, each unused bonus point accumulated by that person for a junior hunt automatically transfers to the category for antlered mule deer. The provisions of this subsection do not apply to a bonus point accumulated by the person for a junior hunt in a year in which the person also accumulated a bonus point in the category for antlered mule deer.

### 6. APPLICATION PROCESS, PAYMENTS, REJECTION OF APPLICATIONS

# NAC 502.331 Limitation on number of big game tags; application and fee for tag or bonus point

- 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 and the instructions on the application.
- (b) Made for one applicant only. If two or more persons apply on one application, the application must be rejected.
- 3. 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

#### NAC 502.4175 Application for tag or bonus point; fees

- 1. A person desiring to obtain a tag or a bonus point without the opportunity to obtain a tag must apply to the Department on a form provided by the Department that includes spaces for the applicant to:
  - (a) Specify his name, address and date of birth;
- (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, elk, antelope, bighorn sheep, mountain goat or wild turkey, select not more than five hunter choice numbers; and
- (d) Sign the application or, if the application is submitted electronically, acknowledge the affidavit that is included in the application provided by the Department.
- 2. If an applicant desiring to obtain a bonus point without the opportunity to obtain a tag specifies a hunter choice number on his application, the Department shall ignore the specification of the hunter choice number by the applicant and process the application for the bonus point.
- 3. An application must include the applicant's Social Security Number or a unique number will be assigned by the Department. The Commission will establish the seasons and quotas for a hunt, and the method for submission and deadline for receipt of applications.
- 4. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, an application may be withdrawn after it is received by the Department only if the applicant submits to the Department before the draw and with sufficient time for processing a written request that includes, without limitation, his client number. An application may not be withdrawn after the Department has rejected the application. The Department shall not consider a withdrawn application in the procedure for awarding tags or bonus points.
- 5. An applicant must obtain a valid hunting license before submitting his application for a tag or bonus point, except that an applicant may apply for a hunting license when he submits his application for a tag or bonus point if the applicant is:

- (a) A resident who submits his applications electronically pursuant to subsection 7; or
- (b) A nonresident who submits his applications pursuant to subsection 6 or 7.
- 6. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 7, an application for a tag or bonus point must be accompanied by:
- (a) The appropriate fee for the tag, as provided in NRS 502.250, if the application is for a tag;
- (b) The fee for a hunting license, as provided in NRS 502.240, if the applicant is a nonresident who submits his application for a tag or bonus point and has not obtained a hunting license;
- (c) The habitat conservation fee, as provided in NRS 502.242, if the applicant is a nonresident who submits his application for a tag or bonus point and has not obtained a hunting license;
- (d) The fee required pursuant to NRS 502.253 for the support of programs to control predators and protect wildlife habitat; and
- (e) 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 to the cost of processing applications, conducting drawings for tags, awarding bonus points and performing such related activities as the Commission may direct.
- 7. If a resident or nonresident applicant submits his application for a tag or bonus point electronically, the application must be accompanied by:
- (a) The fee required pursuant to NRS 502.253 for the support of programs to control predators and protect wildlife habitat;
- (b) Any donation the applicant wishes to make to a program specified in paragraph (a) or any other program conducted by the Department;
- (c) The fee for a hunting license, as provided in NRS 502.240, if the application is for:
  - (1) A tag and the applicant:
  - (I) Has not obtained a hunting license; and
- (II) Indicates on his application that he wishes to purchase the hunting license regardless of whether his application is successfully drawn; or
  - (2) A bonus point and the applicant has not obtained a hunting license;
- (d) The habitat conservation fee, as provided in NRS 502.242, if the application is for:
  - (1) A tag and the applicant:
  - (I) Has not obtained a hunting license; and
- (II) Indicates on his application that he wishes to purchase the hunting license regardless of whether his application is successfully drawn; or
  - (2) A bonus point and the applicant has not obtained a hunting license;
- (e) 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 to the cost of processing applications, conducting drawings for tags, awarding bonus points and performing such related activities as the Commission may direct.
  - 8. If an application for a tag specified in subsection 7 is:
  - (a) Successfully drawn, the Department shall collect from the applicant:
  - (1) The appropriate fee for the tag as provided in NRS 502.250;

- (2) The fee for a hunting license, as provided in NRS 502.240, if the applicant:
  - (I) Has not obtained a hunting license; and
- (II) Indicates on his application that he wishes to purchase the hunting license only if his application is successfully drawn; and
- (3) The habitat conservation fee, as provided in NRS 502.242, if the applicant:
  - (I) Has not obtained a hunting license; and
- (II) Indicates on his application that he wishes to purchase the hunting license only if his application is successfully drawn; or
- (b) Not successfully drawn, the Department shall collect from the applicant the fee for participating in the Partnership in Wildlife Drawing, as provided in NAC 502.427, if the applicant has indicated on the application that he wishes to participate in that drawing.
- 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 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:
  - (a) Amend or otherwise alter an application to obtain a tag or bonus point.
- (b) Issue a tag or award a bonus point to an applicant who fails to submit the fees required pursuant to this section.

#### NAC 502.4179 Restriction on applications

A person may not submit an application for a:

- 1. Tag and an application for a bonus point for the same category or species in the same drawing.
- 2. 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.

#### NAC 502.418 Rejection of application

- 1. The Department shall reject an application to obtain a tag or bonus point if any of the following occurs:
- (a) The applicant fails to specify his name, date of birth, city or state on the application, unless that information exists in the computer file of the Department, in which case the application must not be rejected if the applicant has specified his name and client number.
- (b) The applicant fails to specify or incorrectly specifies on the application the number of his hunting license and the year the license was issued, unless that information exists in the computer file of the Department, in which case the application must not be rejected for that reason.
- (c) The applicant fails to specify his Social Security Number on his application for a hunting license if:
- (1) The application for a hunting license is included with his application for a tag or bonus point; and
- (2) The Social Security Administration has issued a social security number to the applicant.

- (d) An applicant who is at least 12 years of age but not more than 17 years of age fails to obtain the signature of his parent or legal guardian on his application for a hunting license.
- (e) 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.
  - (f) The applicant fails to complete the application in a legible manner.
  - (g) The applicant fails to sign the application.
- (h) The applicant fails to submit the fees required pursuant to NAC 502.4175 or his bank fails to honor his check or draft for those fees.
- (i) The applicant fails to comply with the provisions of NAC 502.405, unless, on or before the deadline set forth in that section for the year in which the application is submitted, he pays the applicable administrative fine and submits the properly completed questionnaire issued as part of the tag or the information required by the questionnaire.
- (j) The applicant submits more than one application to hunt for the same 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.
  - (k) The application is received after the deadline set by the Commission.
  - (I) The applicant fails to comply with the provisions of NRS 502.330.
  - (m) The applicant provides false information on the application.
  - (n) The applicant is otherwise ineligible to apply for the tag or bonus point.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.419, 502.4195 and 502.4197, if an application is rejected by the Department pursuant to this section:
- (a) The application must not be included in the procedure for awarding tags;
- (b) The applicant must not be awarded a bonus point for the bonus point program for the species or the category of the species for which the application was submitted; and
- (c) The nonrefundable application fee for acting upon each application for a tag or bonus point and, if the application is for a tag, the fee required pursuant to NRS 502.253 for the support of programs to control predators and protect wildlife habitat must be retained by the Department.
- 3. If the Department rejects an application pursuant to paragraph (h) of subsection 1 because the applicant failed to submit the fees required pursuant to NAC 502.4175 or the applicant's bank failed to honor his check or draft for the fees specified in that paragraph, the applicant is ineligible to receive or exercise any privilege conferred upon him pursuant to title 45 of NRS until the Department receives:
  - (a) The nonrefundable application fee for acting upon the application;
- (b) The fee required pursuant to NRS 502.253 for the support of programs to control predators and protect wildlife habitat; and
- (c) The fee for the returned check or draft specified in NAC 502.119, if the bank failed to honor his check or draft for the fees.

4. The Department shall indicate that the applicant owes a fee in the file of the applicant maintained by the Department until the applicant pays all fees owed to the Department.

#### NAC 502.4197 Correctable errors.

- 1. The Department shall allow an applicant to correct a correctable error in an application for a tag for the main draw if:
- (a) The Department receives the application and enters the information on the application into the computer;
- (b) The application contains an error that causes the computer to send to the applicant a letter of rejection and blank correction document; and
- (c) The Department receives the completed correction document on or before the deadline set forth in the correction document.
- 2. If the Department receives the completed correction document on or before the deadline set forth in the correction document, the Department shall:
- (a) Use the information contained in the correction document to update the applicant's file on the computer; and
  - (b) Consider the applicant in the procedure for awarding a tag.
- 3. The Department shall not consider an applicant in the procedure for awarding a tag if:
- (a) The applicant submits a correction document that does not contain information sufficient to correct every error in the application; or
- (b) The correction document is not received by the Department on or before the deadline set forth in the correction document.
  - 4. As used in this section:
  - (a) "Correctable error" means:
  - (1) An incorrect or missing date of birth;
  - (2) An incorrect, invalid or missing number of a hunting license;
  - (3) An incorrect, invalid or missing hunter choice number;
- (4) Failure to specify the species or the category of the species for which the application was submitted;
- (5) Failure of the applicant to specify his Social Security Number on the application for a hunting license if:
- (I) The application is included with his application for a tag or bonus point; and
- (II) The Social Security Administration has issued a Social Security Number to the applicant;
  - (6) Failure to include the proper fee;
  - (7) Failure of the applicant to sign the application;
- (8) If the applicant is less than 18 years of age, failure of his parent or legal guardian to sign the application; or
- (9) Failure to complete a course in the responsibilities of hunters as required pursuant to NRS 502.330.
- (b) "Main draw" means the draw pursuant to which the greatest number of big game tags are issued to residents and nonresidents.

# NAC 502.118 Method of payment; fee for application submitted electronically.

1. A payment for any license, permit, tag, certificate of ownership, certificate of number or any other service provided by the Department must

be:

- (a) Made payable to the Department;
- (b) The same method of payment for each transaction;
- (c) In the form of:
- (1) Cash;
- (2) 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:
- (3) If required by the Department, a cashier's check, certified check or money order; or
- (4) If an application for the service is submitted electronically, an electronic method of payment that is specified by the Department; and
  - (d) Paid in United States currency.
  - 2. The Department shall not accept the following forms of payment:
- (a) A check or draft that does not comply with subparagraph (2) of paragraph (c) of subsection 1;
  - (b) A check or draft that is endorsed to a third party; or
- (c) A check for a refund that is issued by the Department, if the check is endorsed for payment to the Department.
- 3. The Department may, in accordance with NRS 353.1465, charge and collect a fee:
  - (a) Of \$2 for an application for a resident tag or bonus point;
  - (b) Of \$3.50 for an application for a nonresident tag or bonus point; and
- (c) Of \$2 for any other application that is submitted to the Department electronically.

# NAC 502.119 Dishonored checks or drafts; effect of dishonored payment or nonpayment.

- 1. If a person submits a check or draft to the Department and the check or draft is dishonored 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.

#### NAC 502.4185 Applications for deer tags by group of persons.

- 1. 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 this subsection, if any member of a party specifies on his application a type of hunt different from that specified by any other member of that party, the applications of each member of that party will be considered solely with respect to the type of hunt and residency for which the Department will issue the most tags in the drawing for which the application is submitted. If any member of a party specifies a junior hunt on his application, the applications of each member of that party will be considered solely with respect to the type of hunt, other than a junior hunt, for which the Department will issue the most tags in the drawing for which the application is submitted.
- 4. 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.
- 5. As used in this section, "party" means two or more persons applying together as a group to obtain tags for a season to hunt deer.

## LCB File No. R040-09 Results of Drawings for Big Game Tags on the Internet

The Department shall post, on an Internet website that is operated or administered by or on behalf of the Department, the results of a drawing for a big game tag not later than 5 p.m. on the second day following the completion of the drawing.

#### 7. APPLICATION FOR REMAINING TAGS NAC 502.4215

After tags have been issued for a season by using the computerized system of drawing and alternate list, the Department shall provide all eligible hunters with an opportunity to apply for any remaining tags by mail or electronically. The Department shall act upon applications for those tags in the order received. An applicant who is unsuccessful in obtaining a tag pursuant to this section must not be awarded a bonus point for use in any subsequent drawing to award tags.

#### 8. HUNTING TAG REFUND

#### NAC 502.422 Cancellation of tag issued in error; provision of refund.

- 1. The Department may cancel a tag and provide a refund if the Department issues the tag in error.
  - 2. The Department shall provide a refund if the holder of a tag:
- (a) Or a person to whom he is related within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity dies, as verified by a certificate of death;
- (b) Or a person to whom he is related within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity incurs a disability, as verified in writing by a

physician, which prevents him from hunting during the season for which the tag was issued; or

- (c) Is serving in the Armed Forces of the United States and is transferred, as verified by a copy of his orders or other proof satisfactory to the Department, to a location which makes it impracticable for him to hunt in the area for which the tag was issued, and, except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.336, his tag is returned to the Department before the opening day of the season for which the tag was issued. If the holder obtained his hunting license with his tag, the hunting license may be returned with the tag.
- 3. If a refund is provided pursuant to subsection 1 or 2, the Department shall:
- (a) Return all the fees submitted with the application for the tag except the fees required pursuant to NRS 502.253 and NAC 502.331; and
- (b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2 of NAC 502.4225, treat the recipient of the refund, with respect to his eligibility to obtain a tag and to be awarded a bonus point, as if the tag had not been issued and the applicant was unsuccessful.
- 4. If a tag for any subspecies of bighorn sheep or mountain goat is returned for a reason other than the reasons set forth in subsection 1 or 2, the Department shall:
- (a) If the tag is received not later than July 15, return all the fees submitted with the application for the tag except the fees required pursuant to NRS 502.253 and NAC 502.331;and
- (b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2 of NAC 502.4225, treat the recipient of the refund, with respect to his eligibility to obtain a tag and to be awarded a bonus point, as if the tag had not been issued and the applicant was unsuccessful.
- 5. If a tag for antelope, deer or elk is returned for a reason other than the reasons set forth in subsection 1 or 2, and if the tag is received at least 1 day before the opening day of the season for which the tag was issued, the Department:
- (a) Shall, except as otherwise provided in subsection 2 of NAC 502.4225, treat the applicant, with respect to his eligibility to obtain a tag and to be awarded a bonus point, as if the tag had not been issued and the applicant was unsuccessful; and
  - (b) Shall not:
    - (1) Return any fee paid for the tag; or
- (2) Reissue the tag to a person who is selected for an alternate list pursuant to NAC 502.421.
- 6. Except as otherwise provided in NAC 502.421, the Department is not required to refill a quota for the issuance of tags if the application of this section reduces the number of tags issued to less than a quota.

#### 9. HUNTING LICENSE REFUND

#### NAC 502.4225 Refund of fee for hunting license.

- 1. An applicant who fails to obtain a tag may obtain a refund of the fee for his hunting license if the license is not a combined hunting and fishing license and he:
  - (a) Purchased the license solely to apply for a tag;
  - (b) Does no hunting under the authority of the license; and

- (c) Submits the license to the headquarters of 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.
- 2. If an applicant obtains a refund pursuant to the provisions of subsection 1, the applicant will not be awarded any bonus points as provided in NAC 502.4187.

#### **NAC 502.405 Harvest Questionnaire**

- 1. Unless otherwise provided by an annual regulation of the Commission, the properly completed questionnaire issued as part of a big game tag or the information required by the questionnaire must be received by the independent contractor designated by the Department not later than 5 p.m. January 31 or the next business day should January 31 fall on a weekend or holiday following the close of the season for which the tag was issued.
- 2. The Department shall annually designate and publish the name and address of an independent contractor who will receive the questionnaire or the information required by the questionnaire pursuant to subsection 1.
- 3. A person who fails to return the questionnaire or the information required by the questionnaire within the period specified or who submits incomplete or false information on the questionnaire will be denied all big game tags for 1 year. A person who has been denied a tag pursuant to this subsection may have those privileges reinstated if he:
  - (a) Using a postal service:
  - (1) Pays to the Department an administrative fine of \$50; and
- (2) Submits to the independent contractor designated by the Department the properly completed questionnaire issued as part of the tag or the information required by the questionnaire by the third Friday in March, or
  - (b) While applying electronically for a big game tag in the main draw
  - (1) Pays to the Department an administrative fine of \$50; and
- (2) Submits to the independent contractor designated by the Department the properly completed questionnaire issued as part of the tag or the information required by the questionnaire by the application deadline for the main draw.
  - 4. The Department shall allow an applicant to correct a questionnaire if:
- (a) The independent contractor receives the questionnaire and enters the information on the questionnaire into the computer;
- (b) The questionnaire contains an error that causes the computer to send to the applicant a letter of rejection and blank correction document; and
- (c) The independent contractor receives the completed correction document on or before the deadline set forth in the correction document.
- 5. If the independent contractor receives the completed correction document on or before the deadline set forth in the correction document, the independent contractor shall use the information contained in the correction document to update the applicant's file on the computer.
- 6. If the applicant submits a correction document that does not contain information sufficient to correct every error in the questionnaire or the correction document is not received by the independent contractor on or before the deadline set forth in the correction document, the questionnaire will be considered incomplete pursuant to subsection 3.

### **Special Regulations**

#### **Antelope Special Regulations NAC 502.341**

- 1. Unless his privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, any resident of Nevada or nonresident is eligible to apply in any year for a tag to hunt antelope.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 502.215 and NAC 502.321, any person who harvests an antelope with horns longer than its ears using a tag specified in subsection 1 is not eligible to apply for another tag to hunt antelope with horns longer than its ears during the next 5 years.

#### **Deer Special Regulations NAC 503.170**

- 1. 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:
  - (a) Deer may be hunted only with:
  - (1) A shotgun no larger than 10 gauge and no smaller than 20 gauge, using:
  - (I) Rifled slugs; or
- (II) Shotgun rounds with sabots that contain rifled slugs or a single expanding projectile; or
  - (2) A longbow and arrow.
- (b) The use or possession of shotgun rounds with sabots that contain other than rifled slugs or a single expanding projectile is prohibited.
- 2. A shotgun that is used to hunt deer pursuant to subsection 1 may be equipped with a smoothbore barrel or a barrel that is partially or fully rifled.
  - 3. In the Mason Valley Wildlife Management Area:
- (a) Deer may be hunted only on the following days during the season set for the hunting of deer:
  - (1) Saturdays, Sundays and Wednesdays;
  - (2) Nevada Day, as observed, pursuant to NRS 236.015;
  - (3) November 11, Veteran's Day;
  - (4) Thanksgiving Day; and
  - (5) Family Day, as declared pursuant to NRS 236.015.
- (b) Deer may be hunted only with longbow and arrow during the season set for the archery hunt for deer.

#### **Bighorn Sheep Special Regulations NAC 502.345**

- 1. Unless his privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, any resident of Nevada or nonresident is eligible to apply for a tag for 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 did not receive a tag or replacement tag for that subspecies of bighorn sheep.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3 or 4, if an applicant, upon a drawing, becomes eligible for a tag for a bighorn sheep in any management area, he or his guide or subguide who is licensed by this State, must attend an indoctrination course relating to bighorn sheep. The tag must be issued upon the completion of the course.

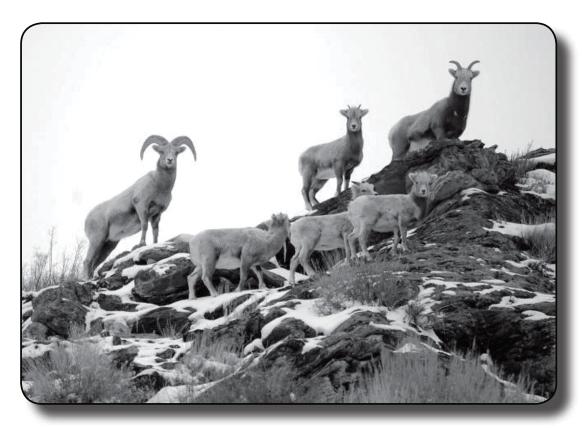
- 3. An applicant, upon a drawing, who becomes eligible for a tag for a bighorn sheep in any management area, is not required to attend an indoctrination course if:
- (a) Upon a drawing conducted in 1990, or later, he was eligible to draw a tag for a bighorn sheep in any management area; and
- (b) He attended and completed an indoctrination course relating to bighorn sheep after the date that he became eligible for the tag.
- 4. A master guide or subguide licensed by the Department who attends and completes an indoctrination course relating to bighorn sheep in 1998, or later, will not be required to attend another such indoctrination course.
- 5. Any person electing to have a licensed guide or subguide attend the indoctrination course may hunt only under the direct supervision of the guide or subguide who attended the course.
- 6. Each hunter shall possess a binocular with a minimum power of 5 magnifications or a spotting scope with a minimum power of 15 magnifications while hunting bighorn sheep.
- 7. A person who kills a bighorn sheep regardless of subspecies shall, within 5 days after killing it, personally present the skull and horns of the animal to a representative of the Department for inspection. The inspector shall permanently attach a seal to or permanently brand an identification number on one of the horns. It is unlawful for any person to possess or sell the horns without a seal having been so attached or number so branded.
- 8. Any person who transfers ownership of a skull of a bighorn sheep to which a seal has been attached or an identification number has been branded pursuant to this section shall give written notice of the transfer to the Department within 10 days after the transfer.

#### **Elk Special Regulations NAC 502.361**

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3 or unless his privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, a person is eligible to apply for a bull elk tag in any year if he did not receive a bull elk tag or a replacement tag for a bull elk in the previous 5 years. Unless his privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, a person is eligible to apply for an antlerless elk tag in any year.
- 2. Unless his privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, a person is eligible to apply for a spike elk tag in any year if he did not receive a spike elk tag or a replacement tag for a spike elk in the previous year.
- 3. A person who obtains a bull elk tag or a replacement tag for a bull elk and is successful in harvesting a bull elk is not eligible to apply for another bull elk tag during the next 10 years.

#### Mountain Goat Special Regulations NAC 502.364

- 1. Before a person may hunt a mountain goat, he must obtain a tag from the Department. 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 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.



### **Hunt Application Information**

Please read Sections One and Two below before proceeding with your application. Online instructions are on page 30.

#### Section One

You may apply for only **one category** of hunt for each **Animal Species**.

Mule Deer: For mule deer, the categories are: <u>antlered</u>, <u>antlerless</u>, <u>depredation</u>, or <u>junior</u>. Again, you may only apply for one mule deer hunt category. Party applications are only allowed for mule deer hunts.

An applicant who submits an application for restricted nonresident deer guided hunt #1235, tags pursuant to this subsection <u>may not apply</u> for a nonresident deer tag in the main draw in the same year. (NAC 502.4237)

**Elk:** For elk, the categories are <u>antlered, antlerless</u>, or <u>depredation</u> <u>hunt</u>. Again, you may only apply for one elk hunt category.

Antelope: For antelope, the categories are animals with <u>horns longer</u> than their ears or <u>horns shorter than their ears</u>. Again, you may only apply for one antelope hunt category.

**Bighorn Sheep:** For bighorn sheep, you may apply for Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep **and** California bighorn sheep, **and** Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep. **Remember, you may apply for one, two or all three bighorn sheep hunts!** 

Mountain Goat: For mountain goat, there is only one category, "any goat."

#### Section Two

You may choose up to five hunter choice numbers for each hunt category you wish to apply. In addition, you may mix and match your hunter choice numbers by specific weapon type within a species category: **longbow archery**; **muzzleloader**; or **any legal weapon**. For example, for resident antlered mule deer, your five choices <u>could</u> be for one muzzleloader hunt, two any legal weapon hunts, and two longbow archery hunts. You would simply select the correct hunter choice number for each, as listed on pages 38-61, and enter them in your personal order of preference, one through five, on your application. Your odds are best if you select five hunter choice numbers.

Once you have completed your application, we urge you to take the time to review and double-check the hunter choice selections you have entered to ensure they are what you really want.

### **Online Application Instructions**

Have the following items available to you and be prepared to apply online with the interactive application process and a credit card at www.huntnevada.com.

**Questions During Transaction** – If you have any questions during your transaction, please call 1-800-576-1020 for assistance.

- ✓ Sportsman ID/Social Security Number and Date of Birth or Social Security Number/Sportsman ID number and PIN number (provided on previous applications).
- √ 2010 Hunt category, season and hunter choices for which you want to apply. Refer to the hunt season tables in this booklet.
- ✓ Hunting license number if Nevada hunting or combination hunting and fishing license has been purchased prior to this process.
- ✓ A current valid credit card with CID number.

A CID is a special security code feature on your credit card. CID Location:

- Discover/Visa/MasterCard: On the back of the card, you should see a 16-digit credit card number followed by a special 3-digit code. This 3-digit code is your CID.
- American Express: There is a 4-digit code printed on the front of your card just above and to the right of your main credit card number. This 4-digit code is your CID.

**Debit Cards:** It is NOT recommended that you use debit cards. Because of the timing of the charges after the draw, and the way some banks handle overdrafts, it is possible that you may incur substantial penalties if there are insufficient funds in the account when charges are made either now or after the draw. These penalties WILL NOT be reimbursed by the Department. It is recommended that you use a credit card rather than a debit card to avoid these potential problems.

**Preregistration of Hunter Education** – First time applicants to Nevada and those born after 1/1/1960 will need to submit a paper application and a copy of proof of hunter education in the mail **OR** preregister your proof of hunter education up to seven days prior to the tag application deadline (April 12, 2010). Go to www.huntnevada.com for instructions on how to preregister. This is to satisfy statutory requirements for proof of hunter education certification, NRS 502.330. Once established in the program the hunter education information is retained and will be utilized in future applications.

**Proof Your Work** – There are multiple opportunities to edit the hunts being applied for during the transaction. Proof your work prior to submitting the credit card. Once submitted, the application cannot be updated. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure all information is current. Check all fields for accuracy.

#### When applying online you pay the following fees up front:

- Nonrefundable application fees, \$15 for elk, \$10 all other species except for mountain lion.
- Predator control fee \$3 per application.
- \$2 fee per application for Residents, \$3.50 fee per application for Nonresidents filing electronically.
- · Donations.
- License fee if you select to purchase the license regardless of whether you are successful in drawing a tag or not (for bonus points if unsuccessful).

#### The following fees will be collected after the results of the draw:

- · Tag fees from successful clients.
- Partnership In Wildlife (PIW) fees.
- License fee if you select to receive the license only if you draw a tag.

Make sure there are sufficient funds available on your credit card. If the card is declined, your tag could go to an alternate.

**Please Note** - There are circumstances where your applications could still be rejected after submission:

- A paper application submitted in addition to an online application will cause all applications for that species to reject.
- Hunting and fishing revocations identified after submission of application.
- · Hunting citations identified after submission of application.

**Applicants Responsibility:** It is the applicant's responsibility to contact the Wildlife Administrative Services Office if they do not receive any notice (tag, refund, letter) prior to the start of the hunt. Wildlife Administrative Services Office, P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407-1345 **or** call 1-800-576-1020.

### **Paper Application Instructions**

<u>Over the Counter Applications:</u> If you are using a blank application from a Nevada license agent, Department office, or website file, **complete steps 1-16** listed below and on next page.

<u>Preprinted Applications:</u> If you received a preprinted application through the mail, verify the preprinted personal information. Make any corrections in the box provided. Complete steps 1, 2, 8-18, listed below. NOTE: Do not copy your preprinted application for use by another person.

- **Step 1**: Residents complete the number of years and months of residency.
- **Step 2:** Fill in your Social Security Number and sportsman's ID number if available. **Note:** Laws regarding child support mandate that any person who is required by federal law to have a social security number must provide the number to obtain a business, occupational or recreational license. Federal Law Public Law 104 193; Nevada Statute NRS 502.063, 503.5833, 504.390.
- Step 3: Print your name.
- **Step 4:** Print your date of birth and driver's license number. Note: A person must be 12 years of age before the opening of every season to which the application pertains.
- **Step 5:** Print your daytime and home phone numbers.
- **Step 6:** Print your mailing address, city, county, state, and zip code.
- Step 7: Print your height, weight, gender, hair color and eye color.
- **Step 8:** Party applications are for mule deer only. Complete the party box on each application with the total number in the party. If left blank the applicant will be processed as an individual and not a member of the party.
- **NOTE:** All applications in the party must list the <u>same</u> hunt category and the <u>same</u> hunter choice numbers. I.E. All antlered deer (resident & nonresident); or all antlerless deer (residents only); all junior deer (residents that meet the junior hunt age requirements). Do not mix antlered, antlerless, and junior type of hunt categories for a party hunt. **Staple the Party Applications Together.**

Antlerless Mule Deer Hunt 1181 and Junior Mule Deer Hunt 1107 are strictly resident hunts and not available to nonresidents.

- **Step 9:** Hunt category section select only <u>one</u> type of hunt category per species. (See hunt category information on page 29.)
- **Step 10:** Applying for bonus points only. You now have the option to apply for a bonus point only without drawing a tag. No refund on license is available. At the top of each hunt category season table there is a three-digit code for bonus points only. **Print the three-digit bonus point code in the hunter choice box on the application.** One check for big game applications and one check for mule deer applications preferred.

As per NAC 502.4175 (pages 17-18), applications for bonus points are required to submit the nonrefundable fees, purchase a Nevada hunting license (if not already purchased) and not receive a refund on the hunting

license to earn the bonus point. Only one point can be earned per hunt category. If both the bonus point code and hunter choice numbers are listed for a hunt category the application will only be processed for the bonus point.

**Step 11:** Hunter choice section - select up to five hunter choices for your chosen type of hunt category.

Print the correct three-digit hunter choice number(s) for the type of hunt category, unit group(s) and weapon type(s) for which you are applying in the box provided. To select hunter choices, refer to the hunt season tables in this application brochure for the type of hunt category you have selected.

- **Step 12:** Partnership in Wildlife (PIW) write your initials in the box provided if you wish to participate in the PIW drawing (see info on page 62). If PIW is marked no refund of donation is available.
- **Step 13:** You have the option to purchase one mountain lion tag now or only if successful in obtaining other big game tags. Mark the appropriate box and submit fee or leave it blank if no mountain lion tag is desired.
- **Step 14:** License Number section **this is necessary for bonus points only too.** RESIDENTS and NONRESIDENTS who have purchased a current hunting license prior to applying, must print the hunting license CLASS NUMBER, hunting LICENSE NUMBER and YEAR. NONRESIDENTS purchasing a hunting license with the big game application, leave the hunting license section blank.

Nonresidents born after 1/1/60 must attach proof of hunter education. See Section No. 4 on page 14 for the Hunter Safety requirements. Note: NRA Certificates Are NOT Accepted.

Youth Hunters: For the purpose of acknowledging potential liability, the parent's or legal guardian's signature is required for a nonresident youth, 12 through 17 years of age, who is applying for a license.

- **Step 15:** If you are unsuccessful and wish to donate all or part of your refund to Operation Game Thief or Predator Management, print an amount in the donation box.
- **Step 16:** Nonresidents: mark the box if you want your hunting license fee refunded and do not want to earn any bonus points if unsuccessful in the draw. Boxes left blank will be processed as a "No" response and a hunting license will be issued to you. No refunds are available for a combination hunting and fishing license selection.
- Step 17: Sign your application. All applicants must sign their application.
- **Step 18:** Submit the total tag, license (nonresidents), application fees and or bonus point only fees payable to Nevada Department of Wildlife (NDOW).

Nonresidents must submit guaranteed funds (cashier's check or money order). No out-of-state personal checks accepted. Nonresidents applying for both mule deer and big game only submit the license fee once.

One check is for big game applications and one check for mule deer applications is preferred. If you choose to purchase a mountain lion tag, don't forget to add that to your total.

**Return Checks** – There is a \$25 return check fee for checks returned by the bank. Applications associated with a return check will be rejected from the

draw. After the draw, applicants who had returned checks will be ineligible for other draw processes until the return check fee and nonrefundable application fees have been cleared.

**Applicants Responsibility:** It is the applicant's responsibility to contact the Wildlife Administrative Services Office if they do not receive any notice (tag, refund, letter) prior to the start of the hunt. Wildlife Administrative Services Office, P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407-1345 **or** call1-800-576-1020.

#### \*NRS 41.472. Imposition of Liability.

- 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 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.

#### **BEFORE YOU APPLY**

It is the responsibility of the applicant to do his or her homework on the hunter choices chosen on their application. For some hunts there are access restrictions, low hunter success compared to statewide averages, and variable big game densities and trophy quality compared to the past.

The Department maintains several informational resources on our website at **www.ndow.org** to help with "doing your homework" 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 draw odds, hunter success rates, harvest point class, and bighorn sheep age and scores.

# 2010 Big Game Application, Deadline and Remaining Tag Regulations

#### **Big Game Application Eligibility**

An eligible person may apply for: One type of hunt category for Antelope, one type of hunt category for Elk, a Mountain Goat and any subspecies of Bighorn Sheep on the same application.

The applicant shall submit only one application for the same species or subspecies per drawing. A person **may not obtain** more than one antelope or elk tag during a hunting season **except for** antelope landowner damage compensation tags or elk incentive hunt tags.

An eligible person may apply for: only one type of hunt category for Mule Deer during any drawing and only one application may be submitted per drawing.

A person **may not obtain** more than one deer tag during a hunting season, **except for** depredation, emergency depredation hunts and deer landowner damage compensation tags.

An application to obtain a tag that is issued by random selection may be submitted by a person under 12 years of age if he will attain the age of 12 years before the commencement of <u>each season</u> to which the application pertains. (For the youth hunt, this is the earliest season date shown for a hunter choice number).

#### **General Application Information for all Big Game Draws**

Applications must be mailed through a postal service or submitted online through the Internet. The Wildlife Administrative Services Office will only accept those applications received until 5 p.m., on the deadline date. The applicant is responsible for mailing applications to the correct address. **DO NOT** mail applications to the Nevada Department of Wildlife. Applications received at Department of Wildlife offices will be date stamped and returned to the applicant.

All applications submitted, including late applications, will be assessed the non-refundable fees as per NAC 502.331 (page 18). Applications received after 5 p.m. on the deadline date will be processed as late applications and are not eligible for the draw.

#### **Main Draw Deadline**

**Deadline:** The Wildlife Administrative Services Office will accept applications until 5 p.m., on April 19, 2010 (Monday). **Mail to: Wildlife Administrative Services Office, P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407-1345** through a postal service, or submit online through the Internet at www.huntnevada.com.

#### **Main Draw Correction Notification**

Those applications entered into the computer by the Wildlife Administrative Service Office will have the opportunity to receive a correction notice should the application contain a correctable error as established in NAC 502.4197.

#### **Main Draw Results**

The results of the main drawing will be provided by June 19, 2009 (Not later than 5 p.m. on the second day following the completion of the drawing per

LCB File No. R040-09). Information will not be given over the phone until June 18. The draw results will be available at the Wildlife Administrative Services Office, all NDOW offices and on the internet at www.huntnevada.com by June 18, 2010.

#### **Second Draw Application Eligibility**

A second drawing will be held for all remaining tag quotas for deer, antelope, elk, mountain goat and subspecies of bighorn sheep. Applicants who are eligible may apply for remaining tags in the second drawing. Remaining tags in each type of hunt (except for the junior hunt, antlerless deer, depredation deer and cow elk) will be available to both resident and nonresident applicants who are eligible to apply in the second drawing.

#### **Second Draw Deadline**

**DEADLINE**: The Wildlife Administrative Services Office will accept applications until 5 p.m., July 6, 2010. **Mail applications to: Wildlife Administrative Services Office, P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407-1345 through a postal service <b>or** submitted online through the Internet at **www.huntnevada.com**.

#### **Second Draw Results**

Results of the second drawing will be provided by Friday, July 16, 2010. Information will not be given over the phone until July 16. The draw results will be available at the Wildlife Administrative Services Office, Department offices in Elko, Ely, Fallon, Las Vegas, Reno, Henderson and Winnemucca and on the Internet at www.huntnevada.com by July 16, 2010.

#### Remaining Tag Draw Eligibility and Deadline

Following the second drawing, any remaining quotas for deer, antelope, elk, mountain goat and any subspecies of bighorn sheep will be available to eligible applicants through a first-come-first-served process to both resident and nonresidents. Antlerless elk, antlerless deer, depredation deer and junior hunts are resident hunts. If the application is for a remaining tag for a season that is already in progress the applicant must be a least 12 years old at the time the application is submitted.

Remaining big game tags will be sold until seven (7) weekdays prior to the close of the season for the tag.

Remaining Tag Applications: The Wildlife Administrative Services Office will accept applications beginning on or after July 23, 2010. **Mail applications to:** Wildlife Administrative Services Office, P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407-1345 through a postal service or on the Internet at www.huntnevada.com.

#### **2010-11 Return Card Questionnaire Return Address**

The properly completed questionnaire issued as part of the 2010 big game tag or the information required by the questionnaire must be received by Wildlife Administrative Services Office, P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407 not later than **5 p.m. on January 31** following the close of the season for which the tag was issued, or the next business day should January 31 fall on a weekend or holiday. All other provisions of NAC 502.405 and 502.4239 apply.



### 2010 Big Game Seasons - CR 09-05

The Board of Wildlife Commissioners under the authority of sections 501.181, 502.140, 502.250, 503.120, and 503.140 of the Nevada Revised Statutes does hereby adopt the following regulation for the big game resource.

**Limits and Hours:** The limit is one and the hunting hours are one-half hour before sunrise to sunset for all big game hunts, unless otherwise specified.

Important: The quotas listed are those from last year (2009). Big game quotas will not be set until the May 2010 Commission meeting in order to accommodate the most current data on big game herds. A ? (question mark) in the 2009 quota column denotes no previous quota available. New hunts, dates or units added to a hunt are marked in **bold italics**.

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

# Resident Antelope - Horns Longer Than Ears Any Legal Weapon Hunt 2151

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: EBP

Unit Group H	lunter Cho	ice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
011	3	395	Aug 22 - Sept 5	80
012-014	3	396	Aug 22 - Sept 5	134
015	3	397	Aug 22 - Sept 5	73
021, 022	3	398	Aug 22 - Sept 5	18
031	3	399	Aug 22 - Sept 5	109
032, 034, 035	4	100	Aug 22 - Sept 5	207
033 Early	4	101	Aug 22 - Aug 28	38
033 Late	4	102	Aug 29 - Sept 5	38
041, 042	4	103	Aug 22 - Sept 5	136
051	4	104	Aug 22 - Sept 5	79
061-064, 071, 0	)73 4	105	Aug 22 - Sept 5	62
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	4	106	Aug 22 - Sept 5	33
066	2007	107	Aug 22 - Sept 5	10
067, 068	4	108	Aug 22 - Sept 5	80
072, 074, 075	100	109	Aug 22 - Sept 5	57
076, 077, 079, 0	081, 091 4	110	Aug 22 - Sept 5	23
078, 105-107, 1		111	Aug 22 - Sept 5	46
101–104, 108,		112	Aug 22 - Sept 5	55
111–114		113	Aug 22 - Sept 5	107
115, 231, 242		114	Aug 22 - Sept 5	31
131, 145, 163, <sup>1</sup>		115	Aug 22 - Sept 5	45
132–134, 245	4	116	Aug 22 - Sept 5	20
141, 143, 151-1	155 4	117	Aug 22 - Sept 5	41
161, 162	The Party of the P	118	Aug 22 - Sept 5	15
171-173	4	119	Aug 22 - Sept 5	16
181-184		120	Aug 22 - Sept 5	23
202, 204	4	121	Oct 15 - Oct 30	10

# Resident Antelope - Horns Longer Than Ears Any Legal Weapon Hunt 2151 - Continued

Unit Group	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
203, 291	422	Aug 22 - Sept 5	4
205, 206	423	Sept 25 - Oct 4	18
221-223, 241	424	Aug 22 - Sept 5	19
251	425	Aug 22 - Sept 5	13

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

# Resident Antelope - Horns Longer Than Ears Longbow Archery Hunt 2161

<b>For Bonus Points</b>	Only - Use	<b>Bonus Point Cod</b>	e: EBP
Unit Group Hunter Ch	oice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
011	432	Aug 1 - Aug 20	26
012 - 014	433	Aug 1 - Aug 20	37
015	434	Aug 1 - Aug 20	34
021, 022	435	Aug 1 - Aug 20	4
031	436	Aug 1 - Aug 20	21
032, 034, 035	437	Aug 1 - Aug 20	71
033	438	Aug 1 - Aug 20	9
041, 042	439	Aug 1 - Aug 20	13
051	440	Aug 1 - Aug 20	34
061- 064, 071, 073	441	Aug 1 - Aug 20	24
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	442	Aug 1 - Aug 20	7
066	443	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
067, 068	444	Aug 1 - Aug 20	26
072, 074, 075	445	Aug 1 - Aug 20	32
076, 077, 079, 081, 091	March 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	Aug 1 - Aug 20	6
078, 105 - 107, 121	447	Aug 1 - Aug 20	6
101–104, 108, 144 <sup>B</sup>	448	Aug 1 - Aug 20	20
111–114	449	Aug 1 - Aug 20	22
115, 231, 242	450	Aug 1 - Aug 20	7
131, 145, 163, 164	451	Aug 1 - Aug 20	12
132–134, 245	452	Aug 1 - Aug 20	6
141, 143, 151 - 155	453	Aug 1 - Aug 20	18
161, 162	454	Aug 1 - Aug 20	3
171-173	455	Aug 1 - Aug 20	3
181-184	456	Aug 1 - Aug 20	15
203, 291	457	Aug 1 - Aug 20	1
205, 206	458	Aug 1 - Aug 20	10
221–223, 241	459	Aug 1 - Aug 20	10
251	460	Aug 1 - Aug 20	3

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

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

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

# Resident Antelope - Horns Longer Than Ears Muzzleloader Hunt 2171

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: EBP

<b>Unit Group</b>	Hunter	<b>Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
078, 105-107,	121	426	Sept 25 - Oct 4	4
111-114		427	Sept 25 - Oct 4	8
115, 231, 242		428	Sept 25 - Oct 4	3
131, 145, 163,	, 164	429	Sept 25 - Oct 4	4
132-134, 245		430	Sept 25 - Oct 4	2
221-223, 241		431	Sept 25 - Oct 4	2

# Resident Antelope - Horns Shorter Than Ears\* Any Legal Weapon Hunt 2181

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: FBP

**Special regulations**: Eligibility restrictions concerning successive years' hunts as stated in NAC 502.341 do not apply to this hunt.

<b>Unit Group</b>	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
031	461	Sept 6 - Sept 20	98
032, 034, 035	462	Sept 6 - Sept 20	42
061-064, 071,	073 463	Sept 6 - Sept 20	35
067, 068	464	Sept 6 - Sept 20	67
111-114	465	Sept 6 - Sept 20	24
114, 115 <sup>A</sup>	466	Sept 18 - Sept 24	15
121	467	Sept 6 - Sept 20	22
144 <sup>B</sup>	468	Aug 21 - Sept 30	15

<sup>\*</sup> Includes does, fawns, and yearling bucks with horns shorter than ears.

# Resident Elk - Antlered Any Legal Weapon Depredation Hunt 4102

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: JBP

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

Unit Group	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
101-103* Early	y 469	Aug 1 - Sep 30	15
101-103* Late	470	Oct 1 - Nov 30	15
222, 231 <sup>A</sup>	471	Aug 1 - Sep 30	10

<sup>\*</sup> Difficult hunter access; low elk numbers in the area. This hunt is an attempt to remove all elk or drastically reduce elk numbers from these units.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>Within 1 mile of the Baker Ranch properties.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 144 in Eureka County.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>That portion of Unit 222, 231 within 5 miles of the irrigated or cultivated Atlanta Farm fields located north and south of the Atlanta Road. Poor hunter success expected. Elk move primarily at night from the Pinyon/Juniper tree cover to the Atlanta Farm fields.

# Resident Elk - Antlered Any Legal Weapon Hunt 4151

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: HBP				
Unit Group Hunter Cho	ice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota	
061, 071	472	Nov 6 - Nov 20	96	
062, 064, 066 - 068	473	Nov 6 - Nov 20	28	
072, 074 Early	474	Sept 16 - Sept 23	4	
072, 074 Late	475	Nov 6 - Nov 20	55	
073	476	Nov 6 - Nov 20	15	
075*	477	Nov 6 - Nov 20	16	
076, 077, 079, 081 Early	478	Nov 6 - Nov 20	39	
076, 077, 079, 081 Late	479	Nov 24 - Dec 7	27	
078, 104 <sup>A</sup> , 105-107	480	Nov 6 - Nov 20	6	
091 <sup>B</sup>	481	Sept 11 - Oct 1	4	
104 <sup>c</sup> , 108, 121	482	Nov 6 - Nov 20	16	
111-115, 221, 222 Early	483	Nov 6 - Nov 20	156	
111-115, 221, 222 Late	484	Nov 24 - Dec 7	133	
131, 132 Early	485	Sept 16 - Sept 23	2	
131, 132 Late	486	Nov 6 - Nov 20	18	
161-164 Early	487	Sept 16 - Sept 23	5	
161-164 Late	488	Nov 6 - Nov 20	45	
231, 241, 242	489	Nov 6 - Nov 20	60	

<sup>\*</sup> Difficult hunter access; low elk numbers in the area.

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# Resident Elk - Antlered Muzzleloader Hunt 4156

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: HBP				
<b>Hunter C</b>	hoice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota	
	491	Oct 20 - Nov 2	8	
-068	492	Oct 20 - Nov 2	4	
	493	Oct 20 - Nov 2	13	
	494	Oct 20 - Nov 2	3	
	495	Oct 20 - Nov 2	1	
, 081	496	Oct 20 - Nov 2	4	
5-107	497	Oct 20 - Nov 2	1	
1	498	Oct 20 - Nov 2	3	
		Hunter Choice Number 491 -068 492 493 494 495 , 081 496 5-107 497	Hunter Choice Number       2010 Season Dates         491       Oct 20 - Nov 2         -068       492       Oct 20 - Nov 2         493       Oct 20 - Nov 2         494       Oct 20 - Nov 2         495       Oct 20 - Nov 2         , 081       496       Oct 20 - Nov 2         5-107       497       Oct 20 - Nov 2	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>That portion of Unit 104 east of the CCC and Quilici Spring Roads.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> Interstate hunt with Utah. Nevada and Utah hunters may hunt within open units in both states. Nevada hunters hunting in Utah must abide by Utah regulations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup>That portion of Unit 104 south of the CCC Road and southwest of the Quilici Spring Road.

# Resident Elk - Antlered Muzzleloader Hunt 4156 - Continued

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: HBP Hunter Choice Number 2010 Season Dates 2009 Quota **Unit Group** 111-115, 221, 222 499 Oct 20 - Nov 2 22 500 7 131, 132 Oct 20 - Nov 2 501 Oct 20 - Nov 2 4 161-164 231, 241, 242 502 Oct 20 - Nov 2 13 262 503 Oct 20 - Nov 2 1

### Resident Elk - Antlered Longbow Archery Hunt 4161

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: HBP Hunter Choice Number 2010 Season Dates 2009 Quota **Unit Group** 061, 071 504 Aug 25 - Sept 14 12 062, 064, 066-068 505 Aug 25 - Sept 14 4 072, 074 506 Aug 25 - Sept 14 18 073 507 Aug 25 - Sept 14 5 075\* 508 Aug 25 - Sept 14 2 7 076, 077, 079, 081 Aug 25 - Sept 14 509 078, 104<sup>A</sup>, 105-107 510 Aug 25 - Sept 14 1 104<sup>B</sup>, 108, 121 511 Aug 25 - Sept 14 4 111-115, 221, 222 512 Aug 25 - Sept 14 38 Aug 25 - Sept 14 131, 132 513 8 Aug 25 - Sept 14 161–164 514 5 Aug 25 - Sept 14 231, 241, 242 515 20 516 Aug 25 - Sept 14 262 1

<sup>\*</sup> Poor hunter success expected; difficult hunter access; low elk numbers in the area.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>That portion of Unit 104 east of the CCC and Quilici Spring Roads.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 104 south of the CCC Road and southwest of the Quilici Spring Road.

<sup>\*</sup> Poor hunter success expected; difficult hunter access; low elk numbers in the area.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>That portion of Unit 104 east of the CCC and Quilici Spring Roads.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> That portion of Unit 104 south of the CCC Road and southwest of the Quilici Spring Road.

### Resident Elk - Antlerless Any Legal Weapon Hunt 4181

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: IBP

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Unit Group Hun	ter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota	
061, 071	517	Oct 1 - Oct 19	147	
062, 064, 066-068	518	Oct 1 - Oct 19	44	
072 Early	519	Oct 1 - Oct 19	79	
073 Early	520	Oct 1 - Oct 19	30	
074 Early	521	Oct 1 - Oct 19	14	
075* Early	522	Oct 1 - Oct 19	18	
072-075** Late	523	Nov 20 - Jan 1	98	
076, 077, 079	524	Oct 1 - Oct 19	90	
081	525	Oct 1 - Oct 19	35	
101-103 1st*A	526	Aug 1 - Aug 31	10	
101-103 2nd*A	527	Sept 1 - Sept 30	10	
101-103 3rd* <sup>A</sup>	528	Oct 1 - Oct 31	10	
101-103 4th*A	529	Nov 1 - Jan 1	10	
111, 112	530	Oct 1 - Oct 19	136	
113 Early	531	Oct 1 - Oct 19	6	
113** <sup>B</sup> Late	532	Dec 6 - Jan 10	35	
114, 115	533	Oct 1 - Oct 19	32	
131	534	Oct 1 - Oct 19	28	
161-164 Early	535	Oct 1 - Oct 19	40	
161-164 Late	536	Nov 20 - Jan 1	40	
221	537	Oct 1 - Oct 19	23	
222	538	Oct 1 - Oct 19	123	
222, 231 <sup>c</sup> Early	539	Aug 1 - Aug 31	20	
222, 231 <sup>c</sup> Late	540	Sept 1 - Sept 30	20	
231, 241, 242 Earl	y 541	Oct 1 - Oct 16	86	
231, 241, 242 Late	542	Nov 20 - Jan 1	190	
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<sup>\*</sup>Poor hunter success expected; difficult hunter access; low elk numbers in the area.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Helicopter surveys may be conducted during this hunt.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>This hunt is an attempt to remove all elk or drastically reduce elk numbers from these units.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> Elk availability dependent on winter conditions that affect elk movement from adjacent Goshute Tribal Lands.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup>That portion of Unit 222, 231 within 5 miles of the irrigated or cultivated Atlanta Farm fields located north and south of the Atlanta Road. Poor hunter success expected. Elk move primarily at night from the Pinyon/Juniper tree cover to the Atlanta Farm fields.

# Resident Elk - Antlerless Muzzleloader Hunt 4176

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: IBP

Unit Group	Hunter C	hoice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
061, 071		543	Sept 16 - Sept 30	30
062, 064, 066-	068	544	Sept 16 - Sept 30	8
072		545	Sept 16 - Sept 30	13
073		546	Sept 16 - Sept 30	8
074		547	Sept 16 - Sept 30	3
075*	Λ	548	Sept 16 - Sept 30	3
076, 077, 079	Λ	549	Sept 16 - Sept 30	10
081	///	550	Sept 16 - Sept 30	4
111, 112, 221,	222	551	Sept 16 - Sept 30	40
113		552	Sept 16 - Sept 30	6
114, 115		553	Sept 16 - Sept 30	5
131		554	Sept 16 - Sept 30	6
161–164		555	Sept 16 - Sept 30	5
231, 241, 242		556	Sept 16 - Sept 30	60

<sup>\*</sup> Poor hunter success expected; difficult hunter access; low elk numbers in the area.

# Resident Elk - Antlerless Longbow Archery - Hunt 4111

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: IBP

<b>Unit Group</b>	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	er 2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
061, 071	557	Aug 1 - Aug 24	34
062, 064, 066	558	Aug 1 - Aug 24	11
072	559	Aug 1 - Aug 24	20
073	560	Aug 1 - Aug 24	7
074	561	Aug 1 - Aug 24	3
075*	562	Aug 1 - Aug 24	1
076, 077, 079	563	Aug 1 - Aug 24	17
081	564	Aug 1 - Aug 24	6
111, 112, 221	, 222 565	Aug 1 - Aug 24	38
113	566	Aug 1 - Aug 24	6
114, 115	567	Aug 1 - Aug 24	12
131	568	Aug 1 - Aug 24	4
161 – 164	569	Aug 1 - Aug 24	8
231, 241, 242	2 570	Aug 1 - Aug 24	69

<sup>\*</sup> Poor hunter success expected; difficult hunter access; low elk numbers in the area.

# Resident California Bighorn Sheep - Any Ram Any Legal Weapon Hunt 8151

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: LBP				
Unit Group	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota	
012	613	Sept 1 - Oct 30	9	
014	614	Sept 1 - Oct 30	2	
022	615	Sept 1 - Oct 30	2	
031	616	Sept 1 - Oct 30	5	
032	617	Sept 1 - Oct 30	5	
033	618	Sept 1 - Oct 30	4	
034	619	Sept 1 - Oct 30	6	
035	620	Sept 1 - Oct 30	2	
051	621	Sept 1 - Oct 30	2	
066, 068	622	Sept 1 - Oct 30	5	

# Resident Nelson (Desert) Bighorn Sheep - Any Ram Any Legal Weapon Hunt 3151

For Bon	us Points Only - Use	<b>Bonus Point Cod</b>	e: KBP
Unit Group	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
044, 182	571	Nov 20 - Dec 20	5
045	572	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
131, 164	573	Nov 20 - Dec 20	<b>4</b>
132	574	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3.2
133, 245	575	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3
134	576	Nov 20 - Dec 20	4
161 Early	577	Oct 15 - Nov 5	5
161 Late	578	Nov 20 - Dec 20	5
162, 163	579	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3
173	580	Nov 20 - Dec 20	5
181*	581	Nov 20 - Dec 20	5
183	582	Nov 20 - Dec 20	8
184 Early	583	Oct 15 - Nov 5	3
184 Late	584	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3
202	585	Oct 15 - Nov 5	2
204	586	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2
205 N <sup>A</sup>	587	Nov 20 - Dec 20	4
205 S <sup>B</sup>	588	Nov 20 - Dec 20	6
206	589	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2
211 N <sup>c</sup>	590	Nov 20 - Dec 20	6
211 S <sup>D</sup>	591	Nov 20 - Dec 20	4
212	592	Nov 20 - Dec 20	4
223, 241	593	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2
243	594	Nov 20 - Dec 20	?

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# Resident Nelson (Desert) Bighorn Sheep - Any Ram Any Legal Weapon Hunt 3151 - Continued

Unit Group	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
244	595	Nov 20 - Dec 20	4
252**	596	Nov 20 - Dec 12	5
253 Specters <sup>E</sup>	597	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2
253 Bares <sup>F</sup>	598	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2
261	599	Nov 20 - Dec 20	4
262	600	Nov 20 - Dec 20	6
263	601	Nov 20 - Dec 20	8
264, 265	602	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3
266	603	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3
267	604	Nov 20 - Dec 20	4
268	605	Nov 20 - Dec 20	17
271	606	Nov 20 - Dec 20	?
272	607	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3
280**	608	Dec 18 - Jan 2	3
281**	609	Dec 18 - Jan 2	4
282**	610	Dec 18 - Jan 2	2
283, 284	611	Nov 20 - Dec 20	5
286	612	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2

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

<sup>\*\*</sup>Portions of Hunt Units 252, 280, 281, 282 are within the Nevada Test and Training Range (NTTR) where public access is limited. 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, and 3) attend the Nellis Air Force Base hunter safety briefing. Hunters and members of their parties who fail to comply with these requirements may be denied access to the NTTR. 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>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>205 N - That portion of Unit 205 north and west of State Route 361.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> 205 S - That portion of Unit 205 south and east of State Route 361.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup>211 N - That portion of Unit 211 north of Highway 95 (Monte Cristo Range).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>D</sup>211 S - That portion of Unit 211 south of Highway 95 (Silver Peak Range & Volcanic Hills).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>E</sup> 253 Specters - Specter Range portion of Unit 253 east of the Lathrop Wells Gate Road that extends north from the junction of U.S. 95 and SR 373.

F 253 Bares - Bare Mountain portion of Unit 253 west of the Lathrop Wells Gate Road that extends north from the junction of U.S. 95 and SR 373.

### Resident Rocky Mountain Bighorn Sheep Any Ram - Any Legal Weapon Hunt 9151

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: MBP **Unit Group** Hunter Choice Number 2010 Season Dates 2009 Quota 074 623 Sept 1 - Oct 30 4 101\* 624 Sept 1 - Oct 30 102\* 625 3 Sept 1 - Oct 30 114 Sept 1 - Oct 30 626

### Resident Mountain Goat - Any Goat Any Legal Weapon Hunt 7151

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: NBP
Unit Group Hunter Choice Number 2010 Season Dates 2009 Quota
101 627 Sept 1 - Oct 30 6
102 628 Sept 1 - Oct 30 17
103 629 Sept 1 - Oct 30 1



<sup>\*</sup> Units 101 and 102 experienced a disease event in the winter of 2009/2010 involving bighorns dying of pneumonia. For more information, please see page 1.

### Resident Mule Deer - Antlerless Any Legal Weapon Hunt 1181

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: BBP Hunter Choice Number 2010 Season Dates 2009 Quota **Unit Group** Oct 10 - Oct 30 50 062, 064, 066-068 630 987 101, 102, 104<sup>A</sup> 631 Oct 10 - Oct 30 114, 115 632 Oct 10 - Oct 30 16 144 633 Oct 10 - Oct 30

# Resident Mule Deer - Antlerless Any Legal Weapon Depredation Hunt 1101

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: SBP
Unit Group Hunter Choice Number 2010 Season Dates 2009 Quota
114<sup>A</sup>, 115<sup>A</sup> Late 634 Nov 20 - Nov 28 30

**Special Regulations:** A person, so long as they apply in separate drawings, may obtain a tag for this hunt, #1101, and obtain an additional deer tag from one of the following hunt categories: 1107, 1331, 1341, 1371, or 1181 during the 2010 hunting season. Applicants who apply for two different deer hunt categories in a single drawing will be rejected.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>That portion of Unit 104 east of the CCC and Quilici Spring Roads.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>Within 1 mile of the Baker Ranch properties.

# Resident Junior Mule Deer - Antlered - or -Antlerless - Longbow Archery, Muzzleloader, or Any Legal Weapon Hunt 1107

The junior youth hunt is an either sex hunt; tag holders can harvest a buck or a doe. This tag allows the junior hunter to hunt during the longbow archery season when the unit is open for longbow archery only; to hunt with a muzzleloader when the unit is open for muzzleloader only; and to hunt with any legal weapon (including crossbow) 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 transfer to the antlered deer category at the time the junior hunter becomes ineligible for the junior hunt.

Youth must be 12 prior to the opening of the first hunt season applied for (usually longbow archery), and will not attain their 17th birthday until after the last day of the last season applied for (usually rifle). See junior hunt definition on page 7. A person who is otherwise eligible to apply for a junior hunt may apply for a junior hunt for not more than 4 years.

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: CBP

Unit Group	Hunter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
011-013	635	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	47
014	636	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	19
015	637	Longbow - Dec 1 - Dec 10 Muzzleloader - Dec 11 - Dec 20 Any Legal Weapon - Dec 21 - Jan	7
021	638	Longbow - Dec 1 - Dec 10 Muzzleloader - Dec 11 - Dec 20 Any Legal Weapon - Dec 21 - Jan	12 1
022	639	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	8
031	640	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	68
032	641	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	31
033	642	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	22

# **Resident Junior Mule Deer Hunt 1107 -** Continued

Unit Group		er Choice umber	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
034		643	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	4
035		644	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	28
041, 042	<u>}</u>	645	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	10
043-046		646	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	105
051		647	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	170
061, 062 064, 066	•	648	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	230
065		649	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	12
071-079 091	,	650	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	306
081		651	Longbow - Nov 1 - Nov 20 Muzzleloader - Nov 21 - Dec 10 Any Legal Weapon - Dec 11 - Jan	22
101-108		652	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	337
111-113		653	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	175
114, 115		654	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	67
121		655	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	63
131-134		656	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	82
141-145		657	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	107

### **Resident Junior Mule Deer Hunt 1107 -** *Continued*

Group	Hunter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates 2	009 Quota
151-155	658	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	42
161-164	659	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	103
171-173	660	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	195
181-184	661	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	63
192	662	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	14
194, 196	663	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	31
195	664	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5  Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30  Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 30	10
201, 204	665	Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 30 Muzzleloader - Dec 1 - Dec 10 Longbow - Dec 11 - Jan 1	22
202, 205, 2	206 666	Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 30 Muzzleloader - Dec 1 - Dec 15 Longbow - Dec 16 - Jan 1	16
203 <sup>A</sup>	667	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 30	22
211, 212	668	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Oct 9 Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 30	14
221-223	669	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	181
231	670	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5  Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30  Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	57
241-245	671	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	23
251-253	672	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Oct 5 - Nov 2	20

#### Resident Junior Mule Deer Hunt 1107 - Continued

Unit Group	Hunter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
261 - 268	673	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30	24
		Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 3	30
271, 272	674	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 3	10
291	675	Longbow - Aug 1 - Sept 5 Muzzleloader - Sept 10 - Sept 30 Any Legal Weapon - Nov 5 - Nov 3	21

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>Special Restrictions Apply, see NAC 503.170 on page 27.

# Guidelines to Apply as a Party for Mule Deer Hunts

#### **General Information**

Party applications for game tags are only authorized for mule deer.

Do Not include applications for Bonus Points Only in a party.

Party applications can be either all resident applicants, all nonresident applicants or mixed resident and nonresident applicants.

The party box needs to be completed on the application for each member in the party.

There is no limit to the party size that can be submitted, but a limiting factor is the number of tags that have been available historically. A party of six may not want to apply for a hunter choice that only had three tags in the previous year.

To be able to apply as a party all applicants must apply for the same species category and hunter choice numbers i.e. all antlered deer (resident and nonresident); or all antlerless deer (residents only); all junior deer hunts (residents that meet the junior hunt age requirements).

Look at the season and hunter choice tables for the weapon type(s) you are interested in and select the hunter choice numbers for the unit groups and seasons you wish to apply for.

As a reference for your party, check the quota column to see how many tags were available in the previous year. There is a column for the resident quota and one for the nonresident quota.

All resident parties should focus on the resident previous years quota column. All nonresident parties should focus on the nonresident previous years quota column. If the column displays "N/A" there was not a season set for that residency type and there will be no quota for that unit group and residency type. Any hunter choices listing "N/A" are not recommended for mixed resident and nonresident party applications, as there must be a quota in both columns for the party to potentially successful in drawing tags.

Antlerless Mule Deer Hunt 1181, and Junior Mule Deer Hunt 1107 are strictly resident hunts and are not available to nonresidents.

# Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer - Antlered Any Legal Weapon Hunt 1331

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: ABP

	-		2009	2009
Unit	<b>Hunter Choice</b>	2010 Season	Resident	Nonresident
Group	Number	Dates	Quota	Quota
011-013	676	Oct 5 - Oct 31	134	9
014	677	Oct 5 - Oct 31	56	4
015	678	Dec 21 - Jan 1	19	2
021	679	Dec 21 - Jan 1	32	3
022	680	Oct 5 - Oct 31	32	3
031	681	Oct 5 - Oct 31	142	11
032	682	Oct 5 - Oct 31	77	6
033 Early	683	Oct 5 - Oct 20	41	3
033 Late	684	Oct 21 - Nov 5	27	2
034	685	Oct 5 - Oct 31	13	2
035	686	Oct 5 - Oct 31	30	2
041, 042	687	Oct 5 - Oct 31	32	3
043-046	688	Oct 5 - Oct 31	266	21
051 Early	689	Oct 5 - Oct 20	370	37
051 Late	690	Oct 21 - Nov 5	41	2
061, 062, 064,	691	Oct 5 - Oct 20	576	42
066-068 Early				
061, 062, 064,	692	Oct 21 - Nov 5	62	4
066-068 Late				
065	693	Oct 5 - Oct 31	34	3
071-079, 091 E	arly 694	Oct 5 - Oct 20	803	50
071-079, 091 L	ate 695	Oct 21 - Nov 5	144	9
081	696	Dec 11 - Jan 1	49	3
101-108 Early	697	Oct 5 - Oct 20	2,026	128
101-108 Late	698	Oct 21 - Nov 5	355	20
111-113 Early	699	Oct 5 - Oct 20	369	19
111-113 Late	700	Oct 21 - Nov 5	28	2
114, 115 Early	701	Oct 5 - Oct 20	82	3
114, 115 Late	702	Oct 21 - Nov 5	9	2
121 Early	703	Oct 5 - Oct 20	178	12
121 Late	704	Oct 21 - Nov 5	10	2
131-134 Early	705	Oct 5 - Oct 20	157	12
131-134 Late	706	Oct 21 - Nov 5	9	2
141-145 Early	707	Oct 5 - Oct 20	265	16
141-145 Late	708	Oct 21 - Nov 5	30	2
151-155 Early	709	Oct 5 - Oct 20	122	9
151-155 Late	710	Oct 21 - Nov 5	13	2
161-164 Early	711	Oct 5 - Oct 20	233	18
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# Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer - Antlered Any Legal Weapon Hunt 1331 - Continued

Unit Group	Hunter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Resident Quota	2009 Nonresident Quota
161-164 Late	712	Oct 21 - Nov 5	26	2
171-173 Early	713	Oct 5 - Oct 20	315	28
171-173 Late	714	Oct 21 - Nov 5	80	6
181-184	715	Oct 5 - Oct 31	149	12
192, Early	716	Oct 5 - Oct 20	14	2
192, Late	717	Dec 21 - Jan 1	20	2
194, 196, Early	718	Oct 5 - Oct 20	32	2
194, 196, Late	719	Dec 21 - Jan 1	26	2
195	720	Nov 5 - Nov 30	24	2
201, 204	721	Nov 5 - Nov 30	50	5
202, 205, 206	722	Nov 5 - Nov 30	44	4
203 <sup>A</sup>	723	Nov 5 - Nov 30	59	5
211, 212	724	Nov 5 - Nov 30	33	3
221-223 Early	725	Oct 5 - Oct 20	421	29
221-223 Late	726	Oct 21 - Nov 5	22	2
231	727	Oct 5 - Oct 28	133	11
241-245 Early	728	Oct 5 - Oct 20	52	3
241-245 Late	729	Oct 21 - Nov 5	6	2
251-253	730	Oct 5 - Oct 31	37	4
261-268	731	Nov 5 - Nov 30	46	5
271, 272	732	Nov 5 - Nov 30	23	2
291	733	Nov 5 - Nov 30	48	4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>Special restrictions apply - see NAC 503.170 (page 27)

#### **OPERATION GAME THIEF**

Game wardens cannot solve wildlife crime without the help of sportsmen and outdoor enthusiasts. Every year, Operation Game Thief takes calls from the public on suspected wildlife crime, solving cases and paying rewards to those people who stand up to help protect Nevada's precious wildlife resources.

Just as game wardens need your help to stop wildlife crime; Operation Game Thief needs your support in the form of information and donations to pay rewards. Make a difference, call OGT at **1-800-992-3030** if you suspect any wildlife crime, or if you are interested in donating and supporting OGT now and into the future.

# Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer - Antlered Muzzleloader Hunt 1371

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: ABP

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Unit Group	Hunter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Resident Quota	2009 Nonresident Quota
011-013	734	Sept 10 - Sept 30	7	2
014	735	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
015	736	Dec 11 - Dec 20	2	2
021	737	Dec 11 - Dec 20	2	2
022	738	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
031	739	Sept 10 - Sept 30	6	2
032	740	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
033	741	Sept 10 - Sept 30	6	2
034	742	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
035	743	Sept 10 - Sept 30	, 7	2
041, 042	744	Sept 10 - Sept 30	2	1 2
043 - 046	745	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2 2 2 2 3 3
051	746	Sept 10 - Sept 30		3
061, 062, 064, 066-068	747	Sept 10 - Sept 30	50	4
065	748	Sept 10 - Sept 30	3	2
071-079, 091	749	Sept 10 - Sept 30		6
081	750	Nov 21 - Dec 10	4	2
101-108	750 751	Sept 10 - Sept 30	234	15
111-113	751 752	Sept 10 - Sept 30	23 <del>4</del> 28	2
114, 115	753	Nov 10 - Nov 30	38	4
121	754	Sept 10 - Sept 30	387	2
131-134	755	Sept 10 - Sept 30		3
141-145	756	Sept 10 - Sept 30 Sept 10 - Sept 30	26 26	3
151-155	757	Sept 10 - Sept 30	14	2
161-164	758	Sept 10 - Sept 30		3
171-173	759	Sept 10 - Sept 30	65	3
181-184	760	Sept 10 - Sept 30	5	2
192, Early	761	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
192, Larry 192, Late	762	Dec 11 - Dec 20	2	2
192, Late 194, 196, Early		Sept 10 - Sept 30	2	2
194, 196, Late	764	Dec 11 - Dec 20	4	2
194, 190, Late	765	Sept 10 - Sept 30	7	2
201, 204	766	Dec 1 - Dec 10	3	2
202, 205, 206	767	Dec 1 - Dec 15	2	2
211, 212	767 768	Sept 10 - Oct 9	5	2
221-223	769	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
231	709 770	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
241-245	770 771	Sept 10 - Sept 30		2
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# Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer - Antlered Muzzleloader Hunt 1371 - Continued

Unit Group	Hunter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Resident Quota	2009 Nonresident Quota
251-253	772	Sept 10-Sept 30	4	2
261-268	773	Sept 10-Sept 30	5	2
271, 272	774	Sept 10-Sept 30	2	2
291	775	Sept 10-Sept 30	4	2

# Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer Antlered - Longbow Hunt 1341

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: ABP

Unit Group	Hunter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Resident Quota	2009 Nonresident Quota
011–013	776	Aug 1 - Sept 5	21	2
014	777	Aug 1 - Sept 5	9	2
015	778	Dec 1 - Dec 10	2	2
021	779	Dec 1 - Dec 10	6	2
022	780	Aug 1 - Sept 5	8	2
031	781	Aug 1 - Sept 5	23	3
032	782	Aug 1 - Sept 5	27	3
033	783	Aug 1 - Sept 5	8	2
034	784	Aug 1 - Sept 5	5	2
035	785	Aug 1 - Sept 5	6	2
041, 042	786	Aug 1 - Sept 5	8	2
043-046	787	Aug 1 - Sept 5	70	7
051	788	Aug 1 - Sept 5	100	11
061, 062, 064, 066-068	789	Aug 1 - Sept 5	140	12
065	790	Aug 1 - Sept 5	2	2
071–079, 091 Ea	arly 791	Aug 1 - Sept 5	174	15
071–079, 091 La	ate 792	Nov 10 - Nov 30	) 43	4
081	793	Nov 1 - Nov 20	4	2
101–108 Early	794	Aug 1 - Sept 5	404	38
101–108 Late	795	Nov 10 - Nov 30	140	13
111-113	796	Aug 1 - Sept 5	34	3
114, 115	797	Aug 1 - Sept 5	72	8
121	798	Aug 1 - Sept 5	25	3
131-134	799	Aug 1 - Sept 5	22	2
141-145	800	Aug 1 - Sept 5	90	10
151-155	801	Aug 1 - Sept 5	34	3

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# Resident & Nonresident Mule Deer - Antlered Longbow Archery Hunt 1341 - Continued

			2009	2009
Unit	Hunter Choice	2010 Season	Resident	Nonresident
Group	Number	Dates	Quota	Quota
161-164	802	Aug 1 - Sept 5	116	13
171-173	803	Aug 1 - Sept 5	160	10
181-184	804	Aug 1 - Sept 5	40	4
192 Early	805	Aug 1 - Sept 5	7	2
192 Late	806	Dec 1 - Dec 10	4	2
194, 196 Ear	rly 807	Aug 1 - Sept 5	7	2
194, 196 Lat	e 808	Dec 1 - Dec 10	3	2
195	809	Aug 1 - Sept 5	2	2
201, 204	810	Dec 11 - Jan 1	17	2
202, 205, 20	6 811	Dec 16 - Jan 1	13	2
203	812	Aug 1 - Sept 5	51	6
211, 212	813	Aug 1 - Sept 5	20	2
221 - 223	814	Aug 1 - Sept 5	58	6
231	815	Aug 1 - Sept 5	29	3
241-245	816	Aug 1 - Sept 5	5	2
251-253	817	Aug 1 - Sept 5	5	2
261-268	818	Aug 1 - Sept 5	5	2
271, 272	819	Aug 1 - Sept 5	10	2
291	820	Aug 1 - Sept 5	12	2

#### **BIG GAME APPLICATION WORKSHOP**

If you have questions about Nevada's tag application process, the Nevada Department of Wildlife has the answers.

### The Las Vegas Workshops

Clark County Shooting Park
Hunter Education Center
11357 Decatur
Monday, March 22, 2010, 7 p.m. – 10 p.m.
Wednesday, March 31, 2010, 8 a.m. – 11 a.m.
Wednesday, March 31, 2010, 7 p.m. – 10 p.m.

#### The Reno Workshop

Nevada Department of Wildlife Conference Room 1100 Valley Road Thursday, March 25, 2010, 6 – 9 p.m.

# Nonresident Antelope - Horns longer than ears Any Legal Weapon Hunt 2251

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: OBP

Unit Group H	unter Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
011	821	Aug 22 - Sept 5	9
012-014	822	Aug 22 - Sept 5	15
015	823	Aug 22 - Sept 5	8
021, 022	824	Aug 22 - Sept 5	2
031	825	Aug 22 - Sept 5	12
032, 034, 035	826	Aug 22 - Sept 5	23
033 Early	827	Aug 22 - Aug 28	5
033 Late	828	Aug 29 - Sept 5	5
041, 042	829	Aug 22 - Sept 5	15
051	830	Aug 22 - Sept 5	9
061, 062, 064, 07	71, 073 831	Aug 22 - Sept 5	7
065, 142, 144 <sup>A</sup>	832	Aug 22 - Sept 5	4
066	833	Aug 22 - Sept 5	1
067, 068	834	Aug 22 - Sept 5	9
072, 074, 075	835	Aug 22 - Sept 5	6
076, 077, 079, 08	31, 091 836	Aug 22 - Sept 5	3
078, 105-107, 12	21 837	Aug 22 - Sept 5	4
101–104, 108, 1	44 <sup>B</sup> 838	Aug 22 - Sept 5	6
111–114	839	Aug 22 - Sept 5	12
115, 231, 242	840	Aug 22 - Sept 5	3
131, 145, 163, 1	64 841	Aug 22 - Sept 5	5
132-134, 245	842	Aug 22 - Sept 5	2
141, 143, 151-1	55 843	Aug 22 - Sept 5	5
161, 162	844	Aug 22 - Sept 5	2
171-173	845	Aug 22 - Sept 5	2
181-184	846	Aug 22 - Sept 5	3
202, 204	847	Oct 15 - Oct 30	1
205, 206	848	Sept 25 - Oct 4	2
221–223, 241	849	Aug 22 - Sept 5	2
251	850	Aug 22 - Sept 5	1

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

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

### Nonresident Antelope - Horns longer than ears Longbow Archery Hunt 2261

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: OBP

Unit Group I	Hunter Ch	oice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
011		851	Aug 1 - Aug 20	3
012-014		852	Aug 1 - Aug 20	4
015		853	Aug 1 - Aug 20	4
031		854	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
033		855	Aug 1 - Aug 20	11
032, 034, 035		856	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
041, 042		857	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
051		858	Aug 1 - Aug 20	4
061, 062, 064, 0	071, 073	859	Aug 1 - Aug 20	3
067, 068		860	Aug 1 - Aug 20	3
072, 074, 075		861	Aug 1 - Aug 20	4
101–104, 108,	144 <sup>A</sup>	862	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
111–114		863	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
131, 145, 163,	164	864	Aug 1 - Aug 20	1
141, 143, 151-	155	865	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
181-184		866	Aug 1 - Aug 20	2
205, 206		867	Aug 1 - Aug 20	1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>That portion of Unit 144 in White Pine County.

# Nonresident Elk - Antlered Any Legal Weapon Hunt 4251

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: RBP

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Unit Group Hunte	er Choice Number	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
061, 071	868	Nov 6 - Nov 20	11
062, 064, 066-068	869	Nov 6 - Nov 20	3
072, 074	870	Nov 6 - Nov 20	6
076, 077, 079, 081 E	arly 871	Nov 6 - Nov 20	4
076, 077, 079, 081 La	ate 872	Nov 24 - Dec 7	3
104 <sup>A</sup> , 108, 121	873	Nov 6 - Nov 20	2
111-115, 221, 222 Ea	rly 874	Nov 6 - Nov 20	19
111-115, 221, 222 La	te 875	Nov 24 - Dec 7	16
131, 132	876	Nov 6 - Nov 20	2
161-164	877	Nov 6 - Nov 20	5
231, 241, 242	878	Nov 6 - Nov 20	10

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>That portion of Unit 104 south of the CCC Road and southwest of the Quilici Spring Road.

# Nonresident Elk - Antlered Muzzleloader Hunt 4256

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: RBP

Unit Group	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
072, 074	879	Oct 20 - Nov 2	2
111–115, 221,	222 880	Oct 20 - Nov 2	4
231, 241, 242	881	Oct 20 - Nov 2	3

# Nonresident Elk - Antlered Longbow Archery Hunt 4261

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: RBP

Unit Group	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
072, 074	882	Aug 25 - Sept 14	3
076, 077, 079,	081 883	Aug 25 - Sept 14	1
111-115, 221, 2	222 884	Aug 25 - Sept 14	6
231, 241, 242	885	Aug 25 - Sept 14	4

### Nonresident Nelson (Desert) Bighorn Sheep Any Ram - Any Legal Weapon Hunt 3251

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: PBP

<b>Unit Group</b>	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
044, 182	886	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
134	887	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
161	888	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
183	889	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
205N <sup>A</sup>	890	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
205S <sup>B</sup>	891	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
263	892	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
266	893	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
267	894	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2
268	895	Nov 20 - Dec 20	3
271	896	Nov 20 - Dec 20	2
283, 284	897	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1
286	898	Nov 20 - Dec 20	1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup>205N - That portion of Unit 205 north and west of State Route 361.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup>205S - That portion of Unit 205 south and east of State Route 361.

### Nonresident California Bighorn Sheep Any Ram - Any Legal Weapon Hunt 8251

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: QBP

<b>Unit Group</b>	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
012	899	Sept 1 - Oct 30	1
032	900	Sept 1 - Oct 30	1
033	901	Sept 1 - Oct 30	1
066, 068	902	Sept 1 - Oct 30	1

### Nonresident Mountain Goat - Any Goat Any Legal Weapon Hunt 7251

For Bonus Points Only - Use Bonus Point Code: TBP

<b>Unit Group</b>	<b>Hunter Choice Number</b>	2010 Season Dates	2009 Quota
101	903	Sept 1 - Oct 30	1
102	904	Sept 1 - Oct 30	2

# 2010 BIGHORN SHEEP INDOCTRINATION COURSES

Indoctrination is **mandatory** to hunt Rocky Mountain, California and Desert Bighorn Sheep. If you are successful in drawing a tag, you will receive a letter with course information.

#### Reno

Sat., Aug. 14, 2010 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., Location TBA.

#### Las Vegas

Sat., Aug. 21, 2010 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., Location TBA.

#### Elko

Mon., August 30, 2010 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., Location TBA.

#### Las Vegas

Thurs., Nov. 18, 2010 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., Location TBA.

# 2010 Partnership in Wildlife Hunt Information

Partnership in Wildlife (PIW) is a voluntary and optional participation program that offers unique hunting opportunities to hunters for a few statewide big game tags. A person with a PIW tag may hunt 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 only with the weapon authorized to be used during that open season.

### **PIW Application Instructions**

Applicants who are eligible and apply for hunts in the first big game drawing of the year can apply for PIW hunts at the same time. Marking the PIW box with your initials for the same species you applied for in the first drawing will let us know that you want to participate in the PIW drawing for some very special tags. (Doe, cow, depredation and junior hunt applicants are not eligible for PIW hunts.) The PIW tag fee donation is \$10 for each species applied for. If successful for a PIW hunt tag, the entire tag fee the participant submitted with their main draw application will pay for the PIW tag. If unsuccessful in the PIW draw, \$10 of the tag fee received will be placed in the Wildlife Heritage Trust Account. The remainder of the tag fee received from an unsuccessful applicant for a big game tag will be refunded to the applicant.

### **Funds Benefit Wildlife Heritage Trust**

The funds donated through PIW are placed in the Wildlife Heritage Trust Account. According to NRS 501.3575, 75 percent of the money deposited in this account in the previous year and the total interest earned on the account during the previous year, may be used by the Department annually for the protection, propagation, restoration, transplantation, introduction and management of any game fish, mammal, bird or furbearing mammal and the management and control of predatory wildlife in the state. The Board of Wildlife Commissioners is responsible for reviewing and approving expenditures from the account.

Every year wildlife management projects are funded through this account. PIW promises to benefit both Nevada's wildlife and the sportsmen by providing additional financial support for game management programs and providing a hunting opportunity that would not otherwise be available to most sportsmen in Nevada. Go to www.ndow.org/hunt/seasons/bg/heritage.shtm to see what projects have been supported by your donations.

### 2010 Partnership in Wildlife (PIW) Hunts

**Legal Weapon:** Longbow 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.

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

#### **Resident Mule Deer Hunt 1000**

Category: Antlered only

Unit Group: Any managment unit where there is an open season for antlered

deer.

Season Dates: In compliance with the season dates set for each management

unit or unit-group for hunts 1331, 1341 and 1371.

Quota: 22

#### **Nonresident Mule Deer Hunt 1200**

Category: Antlered only

Unit Group: Any managment unit where there is an open season for antlered

deer.

Season Dates: In compliance with the season dates set for each management

unit or unit-group for hunts 1331, 1341 and 1371.

Quota: 3

#### **Resident Antelope Hunt 2000**

Category: Antelope with horns longer than ears

**Unit Group:** Any management unit where there is an open season for antelope

with horns longer than the ears.

Season Dates: In compliance with the season dates set for each management

unit or unit-group for hunts 2151, 2161, and 2171.

Quota: 5

### Resident Rocky Mountain Elk Hunt 4000

Category: Elk with at least one antler

Unit Group: Any management unit where there is an open season for antlered

elk.

Season Dates: In compliance with the season dates set for each management

unit or unit-group for hunts 4151, 4156, 4161

Quota: 3

### **Resident Rocky Mountain Goat Hunt 7000**

Category: Any goat

**Unit Group:** Any management unit where there is an open season for mountain

goat.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the season dates set for each management

unit or unit-group for hunt 7151.

Quota: 1

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### \*Resident Nelson (Desert) Bighorn Sheep Hunt 3000

Category: Any Ram

**Unit Group:** \*Any management unit where there is an open season for Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep **except for units where PIW tagholders harvested in the previous year. Please Note:** Unit 253 Bares is closed.

**Season Dates:** In compliance with the season dates set for each management unit or unit-group for hunt 3151 excluding Oct 15 – Nov 5 seasons in Units 161, 184, and 202.

Quota: 1

\*There are portions of Unit 181 in Naval Air Station (NAS) Fallon where public access is restricted. To hunt Nelson bighorn sheep in this unit, 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 limited. 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, and 3) attend the Nellis Air Force Base hunter safety briefing. Hunters and members of their parties who fail to comply with these requirements may be denied access to the NTTR. 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.

### Resident California Bighorn Sheep Hunt 8000

Category: Any Ram

**Unit Group:** Any management unit where there is an open season for California

Bighorn Sheep.

Season Dates: In compliance with the season dates set for each management

unit or unit-group for hunt 8151.

Quota: 1

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