

2009 and 2010 PARTNERSHIP IN WILDLIFE (PIW) HUNTS

Legal Weapon: Longbow archery when the season for that species and management unit is restricted to longbow archery. Muzzleloader when the season for that species and management unit is restricted to muzzleloader. Any legal weapon when the season for that species and management unit allows any legal weapon.

Limit: One.

Hours: One-half hour before sunrise to sunset.

SPECIES AND HUNT NO.	CLASS	UNIT GROUP	Season Dates	QUOTA
Resident Mule Deer Hunt 1000	Antlered only	Any management unit where there is an open season for antlered deer.	In compliance with the season dates set for each management unit or unit-group for hunts 1331, 1341, and 1371	22
Nonresident Mule Deer Hunt 1200	Antlered only	Any management unit where there is an open season for antlered deer.	In compliance with the season dates set for each management unit or unit-group for hunts 1331, 1341, and 1371	3
Resident Pronghorn Antelope Hunt 2000	Pronghorn Antelope with horns longer than ears	Any management unit where there is an open season for antelope with horns longer than the ears.	In compliance with the season dates set for each management unit or unit-group for hunts 2151, 2161, and 2171	5
*Resident Nelson (Desert) Bighorn Sheep Hunt 3000	Any Ram	*Any management unit where there is an open season for Nelson (desert) bighorn sheep. (see special note below)	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.	3
Resident Rocky Mountain Elk Hunt 4000	Elk with at least one antler	Any management unit where there is an open season for antlered elk.	In compliance with the season dates set for each management unit or unit-group for hunts 4151, 4156, 4161	3
Resident Rocky Mountain Goat Hunt 7000	Any Goat	Any management unit where there is an open season for mountain goat.	In compliance with the season dates set for each management unit or unit-group for hunt 7151	1
Resident California Bighorn Sheep Hunt 8000	Any Ram	Any management unit where there is an open season for California Bighorn sheep.	In compliance with the season dates set for each management unit or unit-group for hunt 8151	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.

2009 and 2010 EMERGENCY HUNTS

SPECIES	MULE DEER	PRONGHORN ANTELOPE	ELK
LEGAL WEAPON	To be determined by hunt		
HUNT NUMBER FOR CLASS OF ANIMAL	Hunt number #1104 for antlerless mule deer, hunt number #1105 for antlered mule deer, and hunt number #1106 for either class of mule deer.	Hunt number #2104 for pronghorn antelope with horns shorter than ears, hunt number #2105 for pronghorn antelope with horns longer than ears, and hunt number #2106 for either class of pronghorn antelope.	Hunt number #4104 for antlerless elk, hunt number #4105 for antlered elk, and hunt number #4106 for either class of elk.
CLASS OF ANIMAL	To be determined by the Department for each designated emergency hunt.		
OPEN SEASON	Individual designated emergency hunts may occur between July 1 and February 28 of the following year.		
TAG QUOTA	Not to exceed 2000 tags statewide for the species listed.		
APPLICATIONS	<p>In emergency hunts and seasons where the quota is less than 100 tags, participants will be selected from the unit group alternate list established for the nearest similar hunt.</p> <p>Emergency hunts and seasons where the Department designates a quota of 100 tags or more for a season, the Department will hold a computerized drawing. Submission of applications for an emergency hunt drawing will be restricted to online at www.huntnevada.com. The application period and deadline for each emergency hunt draw will be determined at the time the hunt and season is established by the Department. Applicants must be currently eligible for the species identified in the hunt to be eligible to apply for an emergency hunt draw.</p>		
ELIGIBILITY RESTRICTIONS	No change to current Nevada Administrative Code for mule deer.	Eligibility restrictions concerning successive years' hunts as stated in Nevada Administrative Code 502.341 do not apply to this hunt.	Eligibility restrictions concerning successive years' hunts as stated in Nevada Administrative Code 502.361 do not apply to this hunt

2009 BIGHORN SHEEP INDOCTRINATION COURSES

Indoctrination is **MANDATORY** to hunt Rocky Mountain, California, and Desert Bighorn Sheep.

RENO

Day and Date: Saturday, August 8, 2009
Location: At a location in Reno to be announced
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

LAS VEGAS

Day and Date: Saturday, August 15, 2009
Location: At a location in Las Vegas to be announced
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

ELKO

Day and Date: Thursday, August 27, 2009
Location: At a location in Elko to be announced.
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

LAS VEGAS

Day and Date: Wednesday, November 18, 2009
Location: At a location in Las Vegas to be announced
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

2010 BIGHORN SHEEP INDOCTRINATION COURSES

Indoctrination is **MANDATORY** to hunt Rocky Mountain, California, and Desert Bighorn Sheep.

RENO

Day and Date: Saturday, August 14, 2010
Location: At a location in Reno to be announced
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

LAS VEGAS

Day and Date: Saturday, August 14, 2010
Location: At a location in Las Vegas to be announced
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

ELKO

Day and Date: Monday, August 30, 2010
Location: At a location in Elko to be announced.
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

LAS VEGAS

Day and Date: Thursday, November 18, 2010
Location: At a location in Las Vegas to be announced
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**2009-2010 NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE
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, 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 and deer landowner damage compensation.

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 **every season** to which the application pertains.

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 5:00 p.m., on the deadline date. The applicant is responsible for mailing applications to the correct address. Applications received at Department of Wildlife offices will be date stamped and returned to the applicant. **DO NOT MAIL APPLICATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE.**

All applications submitted, including late applications, will be assessed the non-refundable fees as per NAC 502.331. Applications received after 5:00 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 5:00 p.m. on the third Monday in April.

MAIL TO: WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES OFFICE, PO BOX 1345, FALLON, NEVADA 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 draw will be provided on or before the third Friday in June. Information will not be given over the phone **until** the third Friday in June. The draw reports will be available at the Wildlife Administrative Services Office, Department offices in Elko, Ely, Fallon, Las Vegas, Henderson, Reno and Winnemucca on or before the third Friday in June.

Advisory: Draw result notifications may not reflect the final status of an application due to ongoing processing of credit cards after the result notifications are posted.

SECOND DRAW APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY

A second drawing will be held for all remaining 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 resident junior deer hunt, 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 5:00 p.m. the first Monday in July unless it is a holiday then it will be the first Tuesday in July.

MAIL TO: WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES OFFICE, PO BOX 1345, FALLON, NEVADA 89407-1345 through a postal service or submit online through the Internet at www.huntnevada.com.

SECOND DRAW RESULTS

Results of the second draw will be provided on or before the third Friday in July. Information will not be given over the phone until the third Friday in July. The draw reports will be available at the Wildlife Administrative Services Office, Department offices in Elko, Ely, Fallon, Las Vegas, Henderson, Reno and Winnemucca on or before the third Friday in July.

Advisory: Draw result notifications may not reflect the final status of an application due to ongoing processing of credit cards after the result notifications are posted.

REMAINING TAG DRAW ELIGIBILITY AND DEADLINE

Following the second draw, 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. The resident junior deer hunt will not be reallocated. 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 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 the fourth Friday in July.

MAIL TO: WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES OFFICE, PO BOX 1345, FALLON, NEVADA 89407-1345 through a postal service or submit online through the Internet at huntnevada.com.

2009-2010 APPLICATION REGULATIONS FOR RESTRICTED NONRESIDENT GUIDED DEER HUNT 1235

Eligibility: A person who submits an application for the restricted nonresident guided deer drawing may not apply for a nonresident deer tag in the main draw in that same year.

GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION

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 5:00 p.m. on the deadline date. The applicant is responsible for mailing applications to the correct address. Applications received at Department of Wildlife offices will be date stamped and returned to the applicant. **DO NOT MAIL APPLICATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE.**

All applications submitted, including late applications, will be assessed the non-refundable application fee as per NAC 502.331. Applications received after 5:00 p.m. on the deadline date will be processed as late applications and are not eligible for the draw.

DEADLINE INFORMATION - RESTRICTED NONRESIDENT GUIDED DEER HUNT 1235

DEADLINE: The Wildlife Administrative Services Office will accept applications until 5:00 p.m. the second Friday in March.

MAIL TO: WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES OFFICE, PO BOX 1345, FALLON, NEVADA 89407-1345, ATTN: NRGH or submit online through the Internet at www.huntnevada.com. The results of the restricted nonresident guided deer tag draw will be provided on or before the last weekday in March.

2009-2010 RETURN CARD QUESTIONNAIRE RETURN ADDRESS

The questionnaire issued as part of a tag must be properly completed and received by the deadline, online through the Internet at www.huntnevada.com or by mail to Wildlife Administrative Services Office, PO Box 1345, Fallon, Nevada 89407-1345.