

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE



2009 FALL WILD TURKEY

Application
Instructions and
Season Regulations

CR 07-07 &
CR 07-07 Amendment #3

WILD TURKEY APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

A TAG IS REQUIRED TO HUNT WILD TURKEY IN NEVADA

Hunting Hours and Limits: Fall wild turkey hunting hours are sunrise to sunset.

Limit: 1 either sex wild turkey by tag only.

Applicants can only apply for one type of hunt for wild turkey during a draw.

APPLICATIONS/FORMS

Applications for the fall Wild Turkey Tag Draw are available at Nevada Department of Wildlife regional offices, license agents, and on the Internet at www.ndow.org. Interactive online applications are available at www.huntnevada.com. Tag applications must be completed in accordance with the instructions. Only one person may apply on an application.

APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY

Unless his/her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, applicants are eligible to apply once for a type of hunt for Wild Turkey during a draw period. A person must be 12 years of age before the opening of every season to which the application pertains.

Tag Fees: Payable to NDOW. A guaranteed check, cashiers check, or money order is best. No out-of-state personal checks will be accepted. A \$25 fee will be charged for any personal checks returned by the bank.

Resident Fees: Tag fee \$20, nonrefundable fees \$13 (\$10 application fee, \$3 predator management fee).

Nonresident Fees: Tag fee \$50, nonrefundable fees \$13 (\$10 application fee, \$3 predator management fee), hunting license fee \$142, or combination hunting and fishing license \$199.

Internet Online Convenience fee: \$2 for each resident application submitted, \$3.50 for non-resident application online in addition to the nonrefundable fees.

Bonus Point Guidelines: Hunters have the option to apply for a bonus point without applying for a tag for a species. To participate it will require the \$10 nonrefundable application fee for the bonus point only application. To apply for a bonus point an applicant must write the special bonus point only code in the hunter choice box for the hunt for which they wish to earn the bonus point. Bonus point codes are shown above each hunt table. **A person may not submit an application for a tag and an application for a bonus point for the same drawing.** Applicants must be eligible for the tag to apply for the bonus point.



HUNTERS MAY ONLY RECEIVE ONE TURKEY TAG IN A CALENDAR YEAR

WILD TURKEY APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENTS

Applications for the draw must be **mailed** to Wildlife Administrative Services, P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407, through a postal service or submitted online through the Internet at www.huntnevada.com. **Applications will be accepted until 5 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 4, 2009.** Hand delivered applications will not be accepted. The list of successful applicants will be posted online at www.huntnevada.com by **Sept. 18, 2009.** **Any remaining tags** will be available on a first come, first served basis through the Internet at www.huntnevada.com, by mail, or **over the counter** during business hours, M-F, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Wildlife Administrative Services, located at 185 N. Maine St., Fallon, NV 89407, until the close of the season. Only one wild turkey tag can be awarded to an individual during a calendar year.

LAWS AND REGULATIONS

The following are only summaries of Nevada wildlife law. Consult the Nevada Hunt Book for more information. Complete text of Nevada wildlife law is located in the Nevada Revised Statutes and Nevada Administrative Code which are available from NDOW regional offices and on the agency website at: www.ndow.org.

License and Tag Requirements - NAC 502.378

A tag is required to hunt wild turkey. A person, while hunting wild turkey, shall have in his possession:

- (a) A valid hunting license; and
- (b) A valid tag to hunt wild turkey issued to him...

Tag & Validation Requirements - NAC 502.378

After killing a wild turkey and taking it into his possession, the hunter shall immediately punch the tag, month and day, and attach it to the turkey's body.

Use Of Tag - NAC 502.385

Each hunter must carry his/her own tag while hunting. It is unlawful for any person to use or possess a tag issued to any other person or to transfer or give a tag issued to him to any other person. It is unlawful for a person to use any tag in a management area or unit for which it is not intended or to use a tag at any time other than at the time intended. After it has been issued, a tag may not be exchanged or a refund made except in accordance with the policies and regulations of the Wildlife Commission.



Turkey Questionnaire - NAC 502.407

Unless otherwise provided by an annual regulation of the Commission, the properly completed questionnaire issued as part of a fall turkey tag must be received by Wildlife Administrative Services at P.O. Box 1345, Fallon, NV 89407 by 5 p.m. on November 30, 2009, the fall turkey questionnaire deadline. You can also complete your questionnaire online at www.huntnevada.com, or fax your completed questionnaire to (775) 423-0799. Call to confirm the fax is received at 1-800-992-3030.

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 turkey tags for 1 year or may pay an administrative fine of \$50 and submit a properly completed questionnaire. The administrative fine and questionnaire must be received by December 31, 2009.

Manner of Hunting - NRS 503.150

It is unlawful to hunt any game bird or mammal with any gun capable of firing more than one round with one continuous pull of the trigger, or with any full steel, full steel core, full metal jacket, tracer or incendiary bullet or shell, or any shotgun larger than number 10 gauge.

It is unlawful to hunt game birds with any rifle or handgun, with the aid of any artificial light, or in any manner other than with a shotgun held in the hand, with a longbow and arrow...

Loaded Rifle/Shotgun In or On Vehicle

Prohibited - NRS 503.165

It is unlawful to carry a loaded rifle or loaded shotgun in or on any vehicle standing on or driven along any public highway or any other way open to the public. A rifle or shotgun is considered loaded when there is an unexpended (live) cartridge or shell in the firing chamber. The provisions of this section do not apply to paraplegics, persons with one or both legs amputated or who have suffered a paralysis of one or both legs which severely impedes walking, or peace officers and members of the armed forces of this state or the United States while on duty or going to or returning from duty.

Discharging Firearm From, Over Road

Unlawful - NRS 503.175

...a person who discharges a firearm from, upon, over or across any federal highway, state highway as designated in NRS 408.285, or main or general county road as designated in NRS 403.170, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Legal Weapons and Ammunition for Wild

Turkey - NAC 503.187

No weapon other than a (a) shotgun which is no larger than 10 gauge nor smaller than 20 gauge and uses a shot size no larger than a number 2 pellet; or (b) longbow and arrow, may be used to hunt wild turkey. Shot used to hunt wild turkey on a wildlife management area must be (a) nontoxic shot; and (b) not larger than standard-size T. "Nontoxic shot" means any shot that has been approved by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service pursuant to 50 C.F.R. § 20.134.

Wildlife Management Area Regulations (in part)

Restrictions on Use of Firearms - NAC 504.135

The discharging of a rifle or pistol is prohibited on the following Wildlife Management Areas: Overton in Clark County; Mason Valley in Lyon County....

The use of shotguns capable of holding more than three shells is prohibited on all wildlife management areas owned or managed by this state unless the shotgun is plugged with a one-piece filler, incapable of removal without disassembling

the gun, so that the total capacity of the shotgun does not exceed three shells.

The use or possession of shells for a shotgun containing shot that is toxic or larger than standard-size T is prohibited on the following wildlife management areas: Overton in Clark County; Mason Valley in Lyon County..... The use or possession of shotgun rounds with sabots that contain other than rifled slugs of conventional design is prohibited on all wildlife management areas owned or managed by this state.

RESIDENT (Limited Entry) Fall Wild Turkey Hunt 0131

Bonus Point Only Code: WBP

Season Dates (Inclusive)	Open Counties	Hunter Choice Number	Quota	Special Regulations and Information
Oct. 5 - Oct. 14, 2009	Mason Valley Wildlife Mgmt. Area of Lyon County	905	10	Application Deadline: 5 p.m., Sept. 4, 2009, by mail or Internet online application. Limit: One either sex wild turkey. Shooting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.
Oct. 15 - Oct. 24, 2009	Mason Valley Wildlife Mgmt. Area of Lyon County	906	10	
Oct. 25 - Nov. 3, 2009	Mason Valley Wildlife Mgmt. Area of Lyon County	907	10	
Oct. 5 - Oct. 14, 2009	Moapa Valley portion of Units 243 and 271 in Clark County	908	5	
Oct. 15 - Oct. 24, 2009	Moapa Valley portion of Units 243 and 271 in Clark County	909	5	

RESIDENT General Fall Wild Turkey Hunt 0135

Bonus Point Only Code: XBP

Season Dates (Inclusive)	Open Counties	Hunter Choice Number	Quota	Special Regulations and Information
Oct. 5 - Oct. 25, 2009	Lyon County, except the Mason Valley Wildlife Management Area	910	Open*	Application Deadline: 5 p.m., Sept. 4, 2009 by mail or Internet. Limit: One either sex wild turkey. Shooting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.

*Applicants are advised that a significant portion of the wild turkey population occurs on private lands. NDOW recommends that permission be secured from a landowner before applying for this hunt.

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Director
Nevada Department of Wildlife
1100 Valley Rd.
Reno, Nevada 89512

or

US Fish and Wildlife Service
Division of Federal Assistance
4401 North Fairfax Drive
Mailstop: MBSP-4020
Arlington, VA 22203



NONRESIDENT (Limited Entry) Fall Wild Turkey Hunt 0132

Bonus Point Only Code: YBP

Season Dates (Inclusive)	Open Counties	Hunter Choice Number	Quota	Special Regulations and Information
Oct. 5 - Oct. 14, 2009	Mason Valley Wildlife Mgmt. Area of Lyon County	911	1	Application Deadline: 5 p.m., Sept. 4, 2009, by mail or Internet online application. Limit: One either sex wild turkey. Shooting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.
Oct. 15 - Oct. 24, 2009	Mason Valley Wildlife Mgmt. Area of Lyon County	912	1	
Oct. 25 - Nov. 3, 2009	Mason Valley Wildlife Mgmt. Area of Lyon County	913	1	

NONRESIDENT (General) Fall Wild Turkey Hunt 0137

Bonus Point Only Code: ZBP

Season Dates (Inclusive)	Open Counties	Hunter Choice Number	Quota	Special Regulations and Information
Oct. 5 - Oct. 25, 2009	Lyon County, except the Mason Valley Wildlife Management Area	914	Open*	Application Deadline: 5 p.m., Sept. 4, 2009 by mail or Internet. Limit: One either sex wild turkey. Shooting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.

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For your benefit and enjoyment, the Department of Wildlife advises all sportsmen to read the hunting regulations carefully. Before leaving to hunt, leave word about the area where you will be going. We are often called upon to locate hunting parties in an emergency. Good luck and good hunting!

Department of Wildlife Offices

Headquarters/ Western Region Office

1100 Valley Rd.
Reno, NV 89512
(775) 688-1500

Eastern Region Office

60 Youth Center Rd.
Elko, NV 89801
(775) 777-2300

Fallon Office

380 West B St.
Fallon, NV 89406
(775) 423-3171
M, T, Th, Fr

Southern Region Office

4747 Vegas Dr.
Las Vegas, NV 89108
(702) 486-5127

Ely Office

1218 N Alpha St.
Ely, NV 89301
(775) 289-1655, ext. 21
M-F 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Closed 12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Henderson Office

744 S. Racetrack Rd.
Henderson, NV 89015
(702) 486-6742

Winnemucca Office

815 E. Fourth St.
Winnemucca, NV 89445
(775) 623-6565
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

