

MULE DEER
Area 8, Unit 081
HUNTER INFORMATION

LOCATION: Northeast Elko County, See unit description in big game brochure.

ELEVATION: 4,900' near Montello to 7,850' at the top of Delano Mountain.

TERRAIN: Variable, but mostly gentle rolling hills.

VEGETATION: Desert shrub in lower valley bottoms, sagebrush, mountain brush and juniper at upper elevations. Limited amounts of aspen and mahogany.

LAND STATUS: Checkerboard mix of private and public lands, especially the southern 2 of unit. BLM land in most areas.

HUNTER ACCESS: Excellent.

MAP REFERENCES: Maps are available from BLM (Elko), or private vendors. The U.S. Geological Survey 1:100,000 topographic **Jackpot** map and the 1:250,000 topographic **Wells** map cover this unit

FACILITIES AND SERVICES: Montello and Jackpot. Primitive camping, no developed camp sites.

RECOMMENDED HUNTING AREAS FOR MULE DEER: Deer occur in all portions of the unit from foothills to upper peaks. Best numbers would be located in northern 2/3 of unit. Migrations in and out of Unit 081 are related to hunter pressure and climatic conditions.

SPECIAL COMMENTS: Very remote area with gravel road access, come prepared with all necessary equipment. Deer move into this unit from Idaho, Utah, and the 071-079 unit group. Hunting is generally better later in the season.