

**Species:** Elk

**Unit Group:** 162 wilderness

**Hunt Geometry ID:** 69

**Hunt ID:** [558]

**Access:**

This hunt is restricted to the Table Mountain Wilderness portion of Hunt Unit 162. The Table Mountain Wilderness is 92,600 acres and administered by the US Forest Service. Wilderness precludes motorized vehicle access. See <https://wilderness.net> and search *Table Mountain Wilderness* for more information and access points.

**Recommended Hunting Areas:**

Cow/calf elk groups can be found throughout the wilderness area. During the hunt season, cows will be most easily located deep into the wilderness and of the high elevation slopes of Table Mountain. Concentrate your focus on water sources and preferred forage for elk. Become familiar with the available trails to access the wilderness area. Without pack stock, removing the edible portions of a cow on Table Mountain can be a daunting task. Make sure you are physically prepared for this hunt.

**Biologist Comments:**

Elk will avoid trail heads and main access points once first pressured by hunters. Full services are only available in the towns of Austin, Carvers/Round Mountain, Eureka, and Tonopah. Generally, primitive camping with few developed campsites and some developed trailhead facilities.