

# Minutes

## Pershing County Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife

### Agenda

Thursday January 19, 2023

5:00 P.M.

Lovelock City Hall

400 14th Street

Lovelock, NV 89419

**Members:** Ryan Collins, Scott Hill, Darrel Mancebo, Eric Blondheim, Joe Crim

1. Call to Order
2. Introduction of Guest. [Kyle Stewart](#)
3. **Public Comment:** Limited to items not appearing elsewhere on this agenda and not to exceed more than five (5) minutes. [Kyle Stewart \(Representing Pershing County Chucker's\)](#) came and expressed his willingness to cooperate in future guzzler builds with NDOW.
4. Approval of Minutes for October (**Approved via Email**).
5. **Draft Fiscal Year 2024 Predation Management Plan** – The draft Fiscal Year 2024 Predation Management Plan will be presented to the Commission for initial review. Following this review, the draft plan will be updated and shared with the State Predatory Animal and Rodent Committee (PARC). All comments from the PARC, County Advisory Boards to Manage Wildlife, and any other interested entity

will be compiled and shared with the Wildlife Damage Management Committee (WDMC) for their consideration at their March 2023 meeting. The Commission will receive an update at the March 2023 meeting from the Wildlife Damage Management Committee and may provide additional direction at that time. **For Possible Action** A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Darell Mancebo to not support the Department of Wildlife's recommendations. Motion carries

**6. Commission Policy 11- Heritage Grants – Second Reading** – The Committee will review Commission Policy 11 and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy. **For Possible Action** A motion was made by Eric Blondheim and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ryan Collins to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.

**7. Commission Policy 23 – Predation Management – Second Reading** – The Committee will review Commission Policy 23 and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy **For Possible Action** A motion was made by Darell Mancebo and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Scott Hill to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.

**8. Commission Policy 61 – Water Rights – Third Reading** – The Commission will review Commission Policy 61 and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy. **For Possible Action** A motion was made by Scott Hill and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Darell Mancebo to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.

**9. Commission Policy 62 - Mitigation Policy- Second Reading** – The Committee will review Commission Policy 62 and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy. **For Possible Action** A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Scott Hill to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.

**10. Commission General Regulation 500, Subdivision Map Review** – The Commission will hold a second workshop to consider amending

Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 278 to provide for the Department review of tentative subdivision map(s) and inclusion of recommendations for methods to avoid or minimize 4 impacts to wildlife, mitigation measures, best management practices or required design features, and provide for collection of associated fees to the Department for carrying out such reviews. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Scott Hill and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Darell Mancebo to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**11. Commission General Regulation 506, Possession of Golden Eagles Under Certain Circumstances** – The Commission will hold a second workshop to consider amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 503 to allow for possession of a golden eagle under certain circumstances. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Scott Hill to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**12. Commission General Regulation 502, Junior Hunt and Turkey Program** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 502 to limit the number of successfully awarded tags in the 5 junior hunt program. The regulation also removes hard close dates for submitting a turkey harvest return card and allows for junior turkey bonus points to convert to the adult point category once a junior is ineligible to participate in the junior hunt turkey program. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Darell Mancebo and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Eric Blondheim to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**13. Commission General Regulation 509, License and Vessel Product Refunds □ Temporary Regulation** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 502 and 488 to allow the Department authority to provide refunds on licenses and vessel products. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Scott Hill and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Darell Mancebo to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**14. Commission Regulation 23-04, 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 Big Game Seasons** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023-2024 and 2024 - 2025 hunting seasons and dates for mule deer, pronghorn antelope, elk, bighorn sheep, and mountain goat, including limits, hunting hours, special hunt eligibility, animal sex, physical characteristics, hunt boundary restrictions, and legal weapon requirements, and emergency depredation hunt structure and statewide quota. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Eric Blondheim to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**15. Commission Regulation 23-05, 2023 Black Bear Seasons** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 hunting season dates, open management units, hunting hours, special regulations, animal sex, legal weapon requirements, hunt boundary restrictions, and dates and times for indoctrination courses for black bear. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Eric Blondheim to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**16. Commission Regulation 23-06 2023-2024 Mountain Lion Season and Harvest Limits** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023-2024 mountain lion hunting season open units, harvest limits by unit group, hunting hours, and special regulations. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Eric Blondheim to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**17. Commission Regulation 23-07, 2023-2024 Restricted Nonresident Guided Mule Deer Seasons and Quotas** - The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023-2024 hunting season and quotas for restricted, nonresident, guided mule deer including hunt boundary restrictions. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Scott Hill and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Eric Blondheim to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**18. Commission Regulation 23-01, 2023 Application Deadlines & Draw Result Dates** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 big game, upland, and waterfowl application deadlines and related information. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Darell Mancebo to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**19. Commission Regulation 23-08, 2023 Big Game Tag Application Eligibility and Tag Limits** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 big game tag application eligibility and tag limits and related information. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Darell Mancebo and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Eric Blondheim to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**20. Commission Regulation 23-09, 2023 Dream Tag** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 Dream Tag species, seasons and quota. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Scott Hill and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ryan Collins to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**21. Commission Regulation 23-10, 2024 Heritage Tag Seasons and Quota** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2024 Heritage Tag species, seasons and quota. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Scott Hill and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ryan Collins to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**22. Commission Regulation 23-11, 2023 Partnership in Wildlife Tags** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 Partnership in Wildlife tags hunt species, seasons and quota. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Ryan Collins and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Scott Hill to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**23. Commission Regulation 23-12, 2023 Silver State Tags** – The Commission will consider and may take action to approve the 2023

Silver State tag species, seasons and quota. **For Possible Action A motion was made by Eric Blondheim and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ryan Collins to support the Departments recommendations. Motion carries.**

**24.** Additional matters for Board discussion. (This is for informational purposes only, No action shall be taken) None

**25. Public Comment:** Limited to items not appearing elsewhere on this agenda and not to exceed more than five (5) minutes. None

**26.** Discuss next meeting date. (Next commission is on March, 10-11 2023)

**27.** Adjourn

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