# 2012 ALBERTA HURTING DRAWS

Draw Application Period is Friday June 1 to Monday June 25, 2012 Apply Online at albertarelm.com • Apply at a Licence Issuer • Apply by Phone 1-900-451-3729



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### How to get your Draw Priorities online! It's easy!

Go to albertarelm.com and log into your personal account. You will need your WIN and your password. If you haven't accessed this website before, see page 10 *'How to Access the Online System'*.

Under the 'My Info' menu on the lefthand side of your screen -

- Click on the 'Current Draw Priorities' option to view your most recent priorities OR
- Click on the '*Priority History*' option to view your draw priorities for the last 6 seasons. If you need access to a computer, visit a local library.

Contact the RELM Help Desk at 1-877-289-0999 (toll free) if you require assistance.

	Draw Timetable
June 1 - June 25	Draw applications may be purchased online at albertarelm.com, at licence issuers or by telephone 1-900-451-3729. The cost is \$3.83 for the first minute and \$1.15 for each additional minute.
• •	Draw results available online at albertarelm.com.
July 19 - August 15	Draw results available by telephone 1-900-451-3729 line @\$.75 per minute.
August 1	Licences available for purchase online and at all licence issuers.
August 9	Antelope and Goat results available online at albertarelm.com or by telephone 1-900-451-3729 line @ \$.75 per minute.
	Landowner Special Licence applications begin.
August 14	Undersubscribed special licence information available at 1-877-289-0999 or visit the website mywildalberta.com.
August 16 (9:00am) - December 19	Undersubscribed special licences available for reservation on the 1-900-451-3729 line (\$1.25 per minute) or online at
midnight	albertarelm.com (\$3.04 per application), on a first-come first-serve basis.

### **Draw Booklet and Priorities**

Starting 2012 the **Hunting Draw Booklet** and **priorities** were **NO LONGER** mailed directly to past draw applicants. An email will be sent to advise applicants when the booklet will be available online at albertaregulations.ca. The new format of the online draw booklet provides direct access to specific sections/ pages and allows you to print only the page(s) you are interested in, instead of printing the whole document. If you need to look up your priorities refer to the front cover of this booklet. Paper copies of the booklet are available at Fish and Wildlife District Offices and Licence Issuers.

### Hunting Draw Results

**REMINDER:** Effective for the 2011 season, draw applicants with an email address in RELM, NO longer received their draw results by mail. An email notice will be sent to you to get your draw results online through albertarelm.com starting July 12, 2012.

### **Additional Hunt Information**

Additional hunt information for specific hunts is available for drawn applicants. This important information includes maps, required briefings etc. and is posted annually on the Alberta Sustainable Resource Development website at mywildalberta.com commencing mid July. Visit http://mywildalberta.com/Hunting/HuntingDraws/HuntingDraws/PluntingDraws/PluntingDraws/PluntingDraws/PluntingDraws/PluntingDraws/PluntingDraws/PluntingPlun

### Visit albertarelm.com to provide/correct your email address!

Important Notice: This document should not be used in place of the 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations, the official summary of the current hunting regulations. This draw booklet is an overview of those regulations which pertain to applying on the draws for special licences. The 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations is available in July at Licence Issuers or online at albertaregulations.ca or at Fish and Wildlife District offices.

This booklet is available online at mywildalberta.com or at albertaregulations.ca

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# **IMPORTANT CHANGES FOR 2012 DRAWS**

### General

• During 2012, SRD may conduct prescribed fire operations in WMUs 420, 422, 429 and 434 anytime during the year. Localized area or trail closures may be in effect as part of these operations. For futher information please contact 403-845-8250, or go on-line to: http://srd.alberta.ca/Wildfire/PrescribedFires/Default.aspx .

### Big Game

- An archery and Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence hunting season has been created in WMUs 250, 503 and 506.
- Hunting on Saturday and Sunday in WMU 248 during the Strathcona white-tailed deer season is now permitted.
- The antlerless white-tailed deer season in WMUs 318 and 320 has been extended to November 1-30. Hunters must use a Resident White-tailed Deer (General) Licence to hunt antlerless white-tailed deer during this season.
- An Antlered and Antlerless Moose Special Licence hunting season has been created in WMU 152.
- The hunting of antlered moose in WMUs 337 and 338 during the archery season will now require an Antlered Moose Special Licence.
- The hunting of antlerless moose in WMU 337 during the archery season will now require an Antlerless Moose Special Licence.
- The hunting of antlered elk (6-point or larger) in WMUs 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 428 and 430 during the archery season will now require a Antlered Elk Special Licence.
- An archery and Antlerless Elk Special Licence hunting season for antlerless elk has been created in WMU 544.
- An archery and general hunting season for antlered elk (3-point or larger) has been created in WMU 544.
- The primitive weapon season (October 15-31) has been discontinued in WMUs 150, 151, 162, 163, 200, 234, 236, 256 and 500. This includes primitive weapons seasons for white-tailed deer, mule deer, elk and moose.
- The extended hunting season (December 1 20) for white-tailed deer and mule deer in WMUs 150, 151, 162, 163, 200, 202, 232, 234, 236, 256 and 500 has been discontinued.
- Supplemental Antlerless White-tailed Deer Licence is now valid in WMU 506.
- The Supplemental Antlerless Mule Deer Licence is no longer valid. An Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence hunting season has been created in WMUs 200, 234, 236, 256 and 500.
- The Supplemental Antlerless White-tailed Deer Licence is no longer valid in WMUs 200 208, 214, 216, 220 238, 244, 246, 254, 256, 334, 342 and 522.
- The Quota Deer (Chronic Wasting Deer) Licence for landowners is being discontinued.
- The fall black bear season in WMUs 300-314, 326-342, 429 and 841 has been extended to September 1 November 30.
- The black bear baiting closure in WMU 544 has been eliminated.

### SPECIAL WALLEYE LICENCE DRAWS

The implementation of harvest restrictions have enabled a number of walleye fisheries to recover to the point where a limited harvest can be sustained. Recognizing the impact of a high number of anglers and the need to preserve fisheries, the harvest of walleye from certain lakes will be limited through a draw. Information on the program, eligible lakes and licences is available to interested anglers on our website at, mywildalberta.com or albertaregulations.ca. The Special Walleye Licence draw is run separately from the hunting draws. The 2012 draw has been concluded. The information for the 2013 draw will be available in March 2013.

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### **COMMON LICENCE MISTAKES**

### **GENERAL MULE DEER LICENCE**

This general licence is valid during the "archery only" season which precedes the general season. It is valid during the general season in the following WMUs: 316, 339-344, 347, 349-356, 412, 414, 432, 440-446, 511-520, 524, 525, 528-534, 536, 539-544 and 841. This licence is not valid during a season in which a Special Licence is required. In the Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations, special licences are required for all seasons where a small black box is located beside the season date.

### SUPPLEMENTAL ANTLERLESS WHITE-TAILED DEER LICENCE

The Supplemental Antlerless White-tailed Deer Licence will be issued with two tags and is only valid in WMUs 258, 300, 310-314, 322-332, 336-340, 344-357, 360, 436-446, 500-503, 505-521, 523-531, 534-544.

### YOUTH MULE DEER LICENCE

This general licence is available for resident hunters who are 12-17 years of age and who are eligible to hunt. It is a general licence that is valid during the "archery only" season which precedes the general season. It is valid during the general season in the following WMUs: 316, 339-344, 347, 349-356, 412, 414, 432, 440-446, 511-520, 524, 525, 528-534, 536, 539-544 and 841. **This licence is not valid during a season in which a Special Licence is required.** In the Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations, special licences are required for all seasons where a small black box is located beside the season date.

### YOUTH WHITE-TAILED DEER LICENCE

This licence is valid for resident hunters who are 12-17 years of age and who are eligible to hunt. It is a general licence and is valid during a general season (archery or rifle). Because it is a general licence, it can not be used during the rifle season in WMUs 404, 406 and 408 (a special licence is required). In the Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations, special licences are required for all seasons where a small black box is located beside the season date.

### SUPPLEMENTAL BLACK BEAR LICENCE

This licence is only valid in WMUs 224, 250, 258, 260, 320-360, 429, 445, 500-544 and 841.

### SPECIAL LICENCES

If you are drawn for a special licence your draw priority returns to zero and that draw cannot be cancelled. You may not be able to purchase a particular general licence once you have been drawn for a special licence of that same species. Example: if you are drawn for Antlered Mule Deer, Antlered White-tailed Deer or Antlered, Antlerless, or Calf Moose you will not be able to purchase a general licence for that species. If you are drawn for Either Sex Elk, WMU 300 Elk, Antlered or Antlerless Elk you will not be able to purchase a general elk licence. Resident hunters are able to purchase an elk licence in combination with the WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Archery and the WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence. See licence combinations on page 49.

### IT'S IMPORTANT TO PROVIDE YOUR CURRENT EMAIL ADDRESS

By providing your email address you will:

- receive an email notice that the Draw Booklet is available online.
- receive early notification of your draw results.
- receive important information from Fish and Wildlife throughout the year.
- be invited to participate in the annual Game Harvest Survey, and/or Game Bird Survey.
- receive the latest information quickly and efficiently.
- receive personal notification of your Chronic Wasting Disease test results.

Visit albertarelm.com to provide/correct your email address.

### **Change of Address**

If you move, please let us know BEFORE you buy a licence or apply on the draws. We need your current permanent address and phone number to notify you of your draw results, new information, etc. To update your address, go online at albertarelm.com or call (toll-free in North America) 1-877-289-0999 or 1-888-944-5494, or fill out a WIN Application form at your local licence issuer.

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

If you are drawn for a special licence, the authorization to purchase that licence cannot be cancelled. Special licences are very important in achieving the annual harvest goals so it is important that you exercise this hunting opportunity.

### **SPECIAL LICENCES**

Special licences are used in situations where a species (e.g., antelope) could not withstand the hunting pressure of a general season, or where they are needed to meet a specific management goal (e.g., the goal in the antlered mule deer draw areas is to develop and maintain a more balanced age structure in the herd). Other benefits from draws include improved hunter success, increased opportunity for harvesting a trophy animal, reduced hunter density, a more pleasant hunting experience, reduced disturbance of landowners and a better distribution of the harvest.

A special licence allows a hunter to hunt the type of big game animal (e.g., antlerless elk) in the area (a WMU, a group of WMUs, or a portion of one or more WMUs) specified on the licence. There is a cost for each special licence. The special licence is valid during the open season, which is indicated on certain licences. If the season dates are not indicated on the licence, they can be found in the season information tables in the *2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations*, available in July.

A special licence is issued with a tag(s) and is valid to hunt the specified type of animal at the specified time and location. A hunter must carry the licence and applicable tag(s) on his or her person while hunting. More than one tag may be issued in specific WMUs if there are too few applications to achieve the desired harvest.

### **Two Additional Opportunities**

- 1. Each year, there are more special licences than applicants in some WMUs. These undersubscribed special licences are made available for sale to eligible hunters (see page 17).
- 2. If the harvest of a certain species in a specific area is still inadequate, quota licences and tags may be available to take a specific number of animals at a specific time and location.

### **Common Questions and Concerns - 1-900-Application**

### Why doesn't my telephone access the 1-900 line?

You can only use touch-tone telephones. Cell telephones, blackberry phones, pay phones, calling cards and certain long distance providers cannot access the 1-900 line. As well, many office telephone systems block access to 1-900 numbers. Cordless telephones are not recommended because of inconsistent transmission tones. Please check with your long distance service provider to ensure you have access to 1-900-lines.

### How much will a call cost?

An average call will cost \$6.13. The cost of the call will appear on your long distance telephone bill.

### What if I make a mistake or have a question about my application?

The system will only accept valid species and draw choices. Each choice you make will be repeated back to you for verification. If you need to correct an error, call (toll-free) 1-877-289-0999 one business day after you apply. The operator will then be able to cancel your application so you may reapply, but you will be charged another application fee.

### What if I hang-up part way through the call?

If you hang-up before the introduction (approximately 30 seconds) is completed, you will not be charged. However, once you are past the introduction, you will be charged for the amount of time spent on the line even if you did not complete your application. Incomplete calls will not be entered as a draw application.

### How do I know my 1-900 application is complete?

Do not hang up until you hear "Your draw application is now complete."

### Can I choose more than one draw choice?

Yes. You can indicate up to three draw choices for each draw, except if you choose '999'. (see page 7). To see how many draws you can apply on, refer to Licence Combinations, starting on page 49.

### Can Non-residents (Canadian) apply using the 1-900 number?

Yes. You can call the 1-900 number from anywhere in Canada (excluding the NWT). However, except for trophy sheep, Non-residents (Canadian) must apply with a resident (maximum 1 non-resident per resident).

### When will I pay for the special licence if I'm drawn?

Special licences can be purchased, commencing August 1, 2012. If you purchase your licence at a licence issuer, you must have your WIN card and know the draw code(s) of the licences for which you were drawn. To purchase your licence online, see page 9 for details.

### **DRAW PRIORITY SYSTEM**

The draw priority system is designed to recognize hunters who apply for the same special licence annually. Your priority level for a particular special licence increases every year you apply and are not drawn. Once you are drawn for a special licence, your priority for that particular licence drops to zero. If you apply with another hunter(s), the priority for the group application is that of the individual member whose priority is lowest. Any year that you do not apply, your priority level does not increase. The following table provides an example of how the priority level is assigned and changes over a number of years.

This is a sample, not your personal priority.	Year	Draw Code Antiered Moose	Pre- Draw Priority	Drawn	Post Draw Priority
	2008	33	0	No	1
	2009	Did Not Apply			
	2010	33	1	No	2
	2011	33	2	Yes	0
	2012	33	0	No	1

### **DRAW SELECTION PROCESS**

The draw selection process is based on a priority system which allocates licences to applicants with the highest priority as follows:

### THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD CHOICES OF THE HIGHEST PRIORITY APPLICANT IS CONSIDERED BEFORE ANY CHOICE OF AN APPLICANT WITH A LOWER PRIORITY.

The draws are completed one species (draw code) at a time. Each WMU/Area Choice within the species has a quota for the maximum number of applicants that can be selected. The selection process starts by determining if the number of applicants for a WMU/Area Choice exceeds the quota for that WMU/Area. If so, the priority selection process is applied. The system will first try to fill the available quotas with the first choices of highest priority applicants. If, after the first selection, there are special licences left, the system will look at the second choice of the highest priority applicants that remain, and finally the third choice of highest priority applicants. After considering all top priority applicants, the system will allocate special licences to the next priority applicants. The system will repeat the process with progressively lower priority applicants until all special licences are assigned. If at any level of priority and choice there are more applicants than licences, the available licences will be distributed among those applicants on a random draw basis.

### DRAW STRATEGY

The Wildlife Management Unit (WMU) for which you apply will determine your chances of being drawn. If you apply for a WMU that receives a large number of applications but has a low quota of licences, your chance of success will be lower than if you apply for a WMU that has fewer applications but a higher quota. The WMU selected does not affect your priority level, but it does affect your chances of selection within a priority level. Priority 1 may be enough to get a licence in WMUs where few hunters apply, but priority 5 may be required to get drawn in a more popular unit with a lower quota. If, for a specific licence, a particular WMU interests you more than others, do not select other WMUs as second and third choices unless you are willing to hunt those WMUs. When drawn, your priority for that draw drops to zero regardless of the WMU being your 1st, 2nd or 3rd choices.

Remember, your priority level applies to a specific draw code and is the same regardless of the WMU or season for which you apply within that draw code. For example, if you have priority 3 for the Antlered Moose Special Licence draw, that will be your priority for that licence in whichever WMU or season you apply.

### CAN'T HUNT THIS YEAR BUT STILL WANT TO INCREASE YOUR DRAW PRIORITY? USE '999'

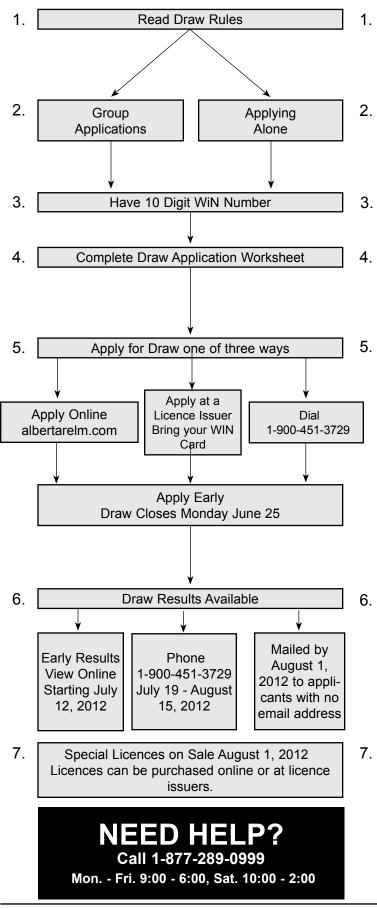
If you do not want to be drawn but you want to increase your draw priority use '999' as your first and only draw choice on your draw application.
Do not enter a second or third draw choice.

- By using '999' you are indicating that you do not want to be drawn, you are applying only to increase your draw priority.
- Note: the '999' option is not available for the following draws: Goat Draw (35), WMU 438 Trophy Sheep Draw (38) or Bison Draw (39) as no priority is accumulated in these draws.

Normal draw application restrictions apply regarding eligibility, maximum applications allowed, number of hunters per application, etc. See pages 14 and 15. For example, residents are restricted to applying on only one moose draw. If a resident applies for calf moose and uses '999', this is a valid moose application and you CANNOT make another calf moose application or apply on a different moose draw.

### **DRAW APPLICATION PROCESS**

Draw Application Period is June 1 to 25, 2012



1. Read Draw Rules

- Page 14 to 15 Draw Rules.
- Page 19 to 47 Draws Available.
- Page 48 to 60 General Hunting Regulations.
- See Common Mistakes on page 62.

### 2. Group Applications

- Discuss plan with other applicants.
- Decide who will apply on behalf of the group.
- The rules require a Non-Resident must apply with a Resident (1:1 ratio) except for draw code 31 Non-Resident Trophy Sheep.
- 3. Need your 10 digit WiN (Wildlife Identification Number)

Complete Draw Application Worksheet on page 63

- Must have your WiN # and WiN #'s of applicants.
- 2 digit draw code.
- 3 digit draw choice.
- Separate application for each draw.

Apply for Draw using 1 of 3 options

- Online: albertarelm.com, see page 9.
- You will need internet access, a credit card and an email address.
   Cost \$3.65 per application. Charges will appear on your credit card statement as ALBERTA RELM EDMONTON AB.

#### Licence issuer: over 360 private issuers.

- See listing at mywildalberta.com
- Cost \$3.65 per draw application.
- Phone: 1-900-451-3729
- Note: cell phones, blackberry phones, internet based digital phones, phones with 1-900 blocked and calling cards cannot access 1-900 numbers.
- Cost \$3.83 for the first minute and \$1.15 for each additional minute.
- See page 6 for Common Questions and Concerns.

Apply early to avoid possible system access problems. The draw application fee is non-refundable and this levy goes to the Alberta Conservation Association.

Draw Results

- Early Results: view online at albertarelm.com starting July 12, 2012. An email reminder will be sent to applicants.
- Phone: 1-900-451-3729 July 19 August 15, 2012. Cost \$.75 for each minute
- Results will be mailed by August 1, 2012 to applicants with no email address.
- Antelope and Goat Draw results will be available August 9, 2012.

7. Special Licences on sale August 1, 2012 Licences can be purchased online or at licence issuers.

- If unsuccessful:
  - > see what seasons are available for general licences
  - > see page 15 for Partner Licence availability
  - see page 17 for Undersubscribed Special Licence availabilities commencing August 16, 2012 9:00 a.m. on a first-come firstserve basis.

# Online Licensing

### BACKGROUND

#### What is albertarelm.com?

Albertarelm.com is a website built specifically for anglers and hunters and is funded in part by your licence fees. By registering on this site, hunters and anglers can buy or renew their Wildlife Identification Number card (WIN), buy their recreational hunting and fishing licences and apply for their draws online.

Hunters and anglers can view their licence purchases for the past five years including their draw application history, draw results and priorities; update their addresses and telephone numbers and receive directed information.

#### What is a WIN

A WIN is your unique Wildlife Identification Number which is required to purchase all your fishing and hunting licences, either online or at an issuer location. When you apply for a WIN, a permanent number is assigned and a plastic card will be mailed to you. The number on this card will be used for purchases.

#### LICENCE PURCHASES

Prior to 2008, fishing and hunting licences were only available at private sector licence issuers located throughout the province. There are more than 360+ private sector licence issuers with licences available during business hours.

Sustainable Resource Development in conjunction with IBM has expanded your options with the introduction of online licence sales. You can visit albertarelm.com and purchase or renew your WIN, purchase your recreational hunting and fishing licences and apply for the hunting draws.

### **ONLINE PURCHASES**

#### What do I need to purchase an online licence?

You will need a valid credit card, an email address, access to a computer with an internet connection and a printer to print your licences. If you do not have an email address, free addresses are available through internet service providers or free email services such as Hotmail and Gmail.

Credit cards accepted are Visa, MasterCard and American Express.

If you purchase a licence online that requires a tag(s) you must use an online paper tag available at your local Fish and Wildlife office free of charge. The online paper tags contain a unique 10 digit tag number. You are required to enter it when making your purchase. Print your licence once your purchase is complete. You do not need to wait for a licence to be mailed or go to another location to pick it up. If you lose your online licence, you can reprint the licence online at no cost.

#### What does it cost to buy an online licence?

Your online licence will cost the same as a licence purchased at your local licence issuer. The cost varies according to the type of licence you buy. There are no added service fees.

### What are the technical requirements for my computer for online purchases?

Your internet browser should use Microsoft Internet Explorer Version 6.0 or newer or Firefox Version 3.5 or newer. To print your licence, your operating system should be Adobe Acrobat Reader Version 8 or newer.

Adobe Acrobat is available as a free download once you are connected to the internet.

### Is there someone I can call if I have problems when I try to purchase a licence?

You can call the albertarelm Help Desk (1-888-944-5494) for assistance. The hours of operation are:

Monday-Wednesday	9:00 AM-6:00 PM
Thursday, Friday	9:00 AM-9:00 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM-5:00 PM
Sunday	10:00 AM-3:00 PM

You can also send e-mail inquiries to drawhunt@ca.ibm.com

#### How do I know my information is secure?

Your internet browser will indicate that you are operating on a secure server. You will know this as the URL of the website will begin with an "https" rather than "http" and there will be a closed padlock on the status bar.

Albertarelm is protected using a secure internet service know as Verisign. The information you enter is transmitted using a Secure Socket Layer (SSL) of communications.

Your credit card information is encrypted for added security. Your credit card number will not be stored in our database.

## WHERE CAN I GET ADDITIONAL ONLINE PAPER TAGS?

Four online paper tags are enclosed in this booklet. Additional online paper tags are available at:

- ALL Fish And Wildlife District offices.

#### - In Edmonton:

- Alberta Professional Outfitters Society #103, 6030-88 Street, Edmonton, AB 780-414-0249
- Alberta Hunter Education #88, 4003-98 Street, Edmonton, AB 780-466-6682
- Alberta Fish and Game Association
- 6924-104 Street, Edmonton, AB 780-437-2342Information Centre Main Floor
- 9920-108 Street, Edmonton, AB 780-422-2079Sports Scene Publications Inc.
- #100, 10642-178 Street, Edmonton, AB 780-413-0331

#### - In Sherwood Park:

- Alberta Conservation Association
  - 101-9 Chippewa Road, Sherwood Park, AB 780-410-1999

#### - In Calgary:

- Alberta Hunter Education
  - 911 Sylvester Cr. SW, Calgary, AB 403-252-8474

**IN 2011**, the paper tag colour changed from orange to yellow. Hunters are asked to destroy any orange tags left over from past seasons.

# Visit albertarelm.com

The website built for hunters and anglers.

### HOW TO ACCESS THE ONLINE SYSTEM

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farming ?	Already registered?	Not registered	Apply for your WIN Online!	
- NN	Use below if you have a WIN & have previously used this site.	Use below if you have a WIN & have not used this site.	Use below if you do not have a WIN & wish to apply online.	
124	WIN card:	WIN card:		
Alberta	Password:			
	Login Forgot your password?	Register WIN	Apply for a WIN	

A Wildlife Identification Number (WIN) is required to purchase hunting and sportfishing licences in Alberta. A WIN and an email address is required to use this site.

### **Online Licensing**

On this secure website you can:

- apply for a WIN, renew your WIN, replace your WIN card.
- buy Alberta Sportfishing licence(s).
- buy a Wildlife Certificate, bird licence and a bowhunting permit.
- buy hunting licences with tags valid for general and special (authorized through draw, landowner and undersubscribed) seasons, see Licences Available on AlbertaRELM for a complete list.

To buy a general or special licence with a tag(s) using this site, you must have a prenumbered 10 digit Government of Alberta tag & wire before you begin your online purchase. Tags are available at Fish & Wildlife district offices.

Licences for hunting with an Outfitter Guide are not available online and can be purchased through a Licence Issuer.

### Information

You can use this website to:

- view your draw applications, draw results, draw priorities and licence history for the last five seasons.
- get your test results for your head submissions for Chronic Wasting Disease.
- reprint your lost or destroyed licences purchased online.

For assistance call the RELM Help Desk at 1-888-944-5494 or email drawhunt@ca.ibm.com

### **Other Sources**

For more information on fishing and hunting, visit the Sustainable Resource Development website. Alberta Guide to Regulations and Hunting Draws booklet are available online. Visit the My Wild Alberta community website.

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#### Already registered?

Enter your WIN and the password you selected when you registered the first time. Forgot your password? Click on this button to re-register.

#### Need to Register your WIN

Register your WIN the first time you access your personal information.

- 1. Enter your WIN (10 digits)
- 2. Enter the identification number you provided when you applied for your WIN. This would be your drivers licence number, health care number or passport number. This is a security measure to ensure only you can access your personal information.
- 3. Your WIN and your identification number are used to verify your identity. This will prevent anyone else from logging in and accessing your personal information. Enter a password (of your choice) and your email address. If you have any problems, contact the RELM Help Desk at 1-888-944-5494.

#### Apply for your WIN Online!

If you do not have a WIN, you can apply online. Immediately after purchasing your WIN you will be able to purchase your draw application.

### **Online sample of a WiN Application**

Below is a sample of the WiN application form available online at albertarelm.com. If you have any questions please contact the RELM Help Desk at 1-888-944-5494.

N	Wildlife Identification Number	
N Expires	<ul> <li>(WIN) Application</li> </ul>	
h and Wildlife	A Wildlife Identification Number (WIN) is required to purchase hunting and sportfishing licences in Alberta. A WIN number is valid for five years from the date of purchase and costs \$8.00. A plastic WIN card with your WIN number on it will be mailed to you in 4 weeks. You may purchase a licence immediately after this purchase.	
	Please Note: All purchases are non-refundable.	
	Collection of Personal Information	
	The personal information collected in this application is collected for the purposes of natural resource management and administration which includes the enforcement of applicable laws. This collection is authorized pursuant to the Wildlife Act, the Fisheries (Alberta) Act, and the Fisheries Act (Canada) and the regulations promulgated thereunder. If you have any questions regarding this collection, contact Fish and Wildlife, 9920-108 Street Edmonton, AB T5K 2M4 Telephone: (780) 427-5185. Step 1 - Personal Information	
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	Identification (One ID required for proof of residency)     Driver's Licence Number     Health Care Number     Passport Number	
	* Permanent Residence O Alberta O Canada O Other	
	☐ Canadian Armed Forces Check the box if you are on full-time service with the Armed Forces of Canada, and would, if an election were held, be eligible to vote in Alberta under the Elections Act (Canada).	
	* I certify the Personal Information entered is correct.	
	Cancel Continue	

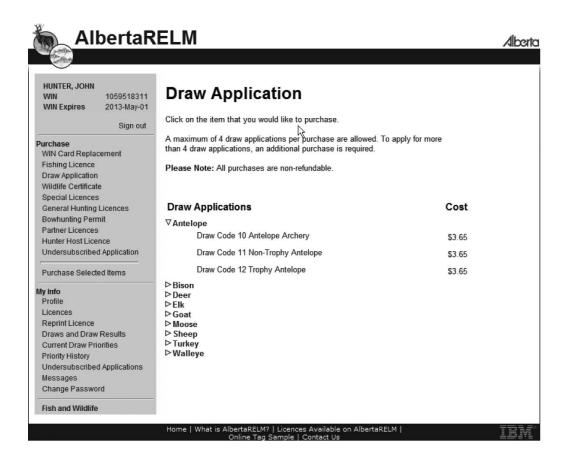
### How to Purchase your Draw Application Online

It is recommended that you complete the **Draw Application Worksheet** provided at the back of this Alberta Hunting Draws booklet prior to signing on to the website. To purchase your draw application online, you need your WIN, a VISA, MasterCard or American Express, and your draw choices.

#### **Draw Applications - Select a Draw**

Under the 'Purchase' menu select 'Draw Application'

- i) Select your draw from the list of options.
- ii) Select your draw choice (WMU, season code from the pop down menu). This is a list of the valid draw choices. You can select up to 3 draw choices. Select them in the order of your preference.
- iii) Your WIN will automatically be entered as WIN 1. You may enter up to 3 more hunter's WINs if you wish to make a group application. Remember, the group application is assigned to the lowest priority in the group.



#### Purchase more than one draw application

To purchase another draw application, click on 'Add Draw'.

Follow the same steps as above. You can purchase up to 4 draw applications in one session order. If you wish to purchase more than 4 you need to pay for your first order, then return to the side menu and, under '**Purchase**', click on '**Draw Application**' to continue.

#### Edit your draw application

You may edit your draw application(s) at any point while you are logged in and prior to paying for your order. After the purchase, if you need assistance, contact the RELM Help Desk toll-free 1-877-289-0999.

#### Pay for your draw application online

Your credit card billing address information will be filled in from your personal information. You can edit this information if it is not accurate. Select the type of credit card you wish to use – VISA, MasterCard or American Express. Enter the credit card number, the expiry date, security code and the name as it appears on the credit card. Once the credit card payment has been confirmed, you can print a copy of the Payment Confirmation for your records.

#### Draw application(s) purchase complete

The online draw application is entered immediately into the draw database. It is recommended that you return to the website and view your draw applications the day after you made the purchase. Click on Draws and Draw Results under My Info in the left hand side menu. Specific validation checks occur during the time of purchase, other validation checks are run overnight. At this point your draw priorities are also set. You should view each of your draw applications and ensure all the information is accurate. If you have any questions about your draw application(s) call toll-free 1-877-289-0999.

# **2011 DRAW STATISTICS**

Draw Code	Special Licence	Number Available	Number of Applicants	% Drawn*
10	Antelope Archery	65	5,993	4
11	Non-trophy Antelope	80	7,800	3
12	Trophy Antelope	160	27,256	2
13	Antlered Mule Deer	10,533	64,519	21
14	Antlerless Mule Deer	15,377	23,905	62
15	Antlered White-tailed Deer	357	1,973	58
16	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	4646	6,932	71
17	Camp Wainwright Deer	1000	9,653	29
18	Antlered Elk	685	16,556	9
19	Antlerless Elk	12,018	39,221	40
21	WMU 300 Elk	446	1,705	28
33	Antlered Moose	12,342	62,756	23
27	Antlerless Moose	3316	15,568	27
28	Calf Moose	1753	2,820	64
35	Goat	8	4,933	.2
29	Non-trophy Sheep	291	5,357	17
30	WMU 410 Trophy Sheep	50	2,381	8
34	WMU 437 Trophy Sheep	8	3,256	.6
31	Trophy Sheep (Non-Resident)	2	314	1
32	Merriam's Turkey	200	10,130	4
36	WMU 408 Trophy Sheep	6	903	2
37	WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep	6	2,401	.5
38	WMU 438 Trophy Sheep	15	2,888	.5
39	Bison	50	7,670	.7
40	WMU 212 Antlerless Elk	300	1,663	32
41	Either Sex Elk	255	3,340	13

\* These percentages are not directly calculated from the figures in the other two columns because some WMUs are oversubscribed and others are undersubscribed.

A more detailed copy of the 2011 Hunting Draws Summary report is available online at mywildalberta.com.

### **DRAW RULES**

If you are in violation of any of these rules, your application(s) will be rejected and your draw priority will not be increased. If you need assistance, call the draw information line (toll-free) at 1-877-289-0999.

### **Draws Available for Residents**

The following table lists the draws available for Residents, maximum number of hunters per application, the restrictions on applying for these draws, and the number of applications that a Resident may submit. For a definition of "Resident," please refer to page 48.

Draw Code	Type of Special Licence Available	Max # of Hunters per application	Restrictions on Applying for These Draws		n Applications Allowed	
29	Non-trophy Sheep	4			<b>application for each</b> from is list of 9.	
17	Camp Wainwright Deer	4		unis list of 9.		
13	Antlered Mule Deer	4				
14	Antlerless Mule Deer	4				
15	Antlered White-tailed Deer	4				
16	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	4	ĺ			
32	Merriam's Turkey	4	APPLY IN JUNE 2012			
35	Goat	1	As of 2002, drawn applicants may not reapply in future years.			
39	Bison	1	None			
		ANTELOPE RES	STRICTIONS			
10	Antelope Archery	4	A Resident may apply for all 3 antelope licences, but he or she may hold only 1.		on each from this	
11	Non-trophy Antelope	4				
12	Trophy Antelope	4				
		TROPHY SHEEP R	ESTRICTIONS			
30	WMU 410 Trophy Sheep	4	<ul> <li>non-trophy sheep, in 2011 may not purchase a Trophy Sheep Licence in 2012. If you apply for a</li> <li>Trophy Sheep Special Licence, except Draw 38, you must use '999' as your only draw choice for</li> </ul>		1 application	
34	WMU 437 Trophy Sheep	2			•	
36	WMU 408 Trophy Sheep	2				
37	WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep	2	2012. See page 7 for information.			
38	WMU 438 Trophy Sheep	2				
		ELK RESTR	ICTIONS			
18	Antlered Elk	4	A Resident may only apply for 1 Elk Licence from this list of 4.	<b>1 applicati</b> list of 4.	on only from this	
19	Antlerless Elk	4	Licence from this list of 4.	list 01 4.		
41	Either Sex Elk	4				
21	WMU 300 Elk	4				
40	WMU 212 Antlerless Elk	4	None	1 applicati	on allowed.	
		MOOSE REST				
33	Antlered Moose	4	A Resident may only apply for 1 Moose Licence from this list of 3. 		on only from this	
27	Antlerless Moose	4				
28	Calf Moose	4				

### Draws Available for Non-residents (Canadian)

The following table lists the draws available for Non-residents (Canadian), maximum number of hunters per application, the restrictions on applying for these draws, and the number of applications that a Non-resident (Canadian) may submit. For a definition of "Non-resident" (Canadian) refer to page 48.

A Non-resident (Canadian) must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident), except for the Non-resident Trophy Sheep draw. If successful in obtaining one of these special licences, the Non-resident must be accompanied by a licenced Hunter Host while hunting. A Hunter Host may not charge or accept remuneration for services provided either directly or indirectly. Please refer to the Outfitting and Guiding Requirements on page 53. NOTE: Non-resident Aliens are not eligible for any draws.

Draw Code	Type of Special Licence Available	Max # of Hunters per application	Restrictions on Applying for These Draws	Maximum Applications Allowed
12	Trophy Antelope	4	Must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).	<b>1 application for each</b> <b>licence</b> from this list of 6.
31	Trophy Sheep	2 Non-residents	A Non-resident who killed a sheep in 2011 may not apply for or purchase a Trophy Sheep Special Licence in 2012.	
13	Antlered Mule Deer	4	Must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).	
15	Antlered White-tailed Deer	4	r non-resident per resident).	
18	Antlered Elk	4		
33	Antlered Moose	4		

### **RULES FOR APPLYING ON A DRAW**

- Deadlines: Hunters may apply from Friday June 1, 2012 to Monday June 25, 2012. Draw applications for Merriam's Turkey must also be made at this time.
- As with the 1-900 telephone system, an application made online or through the point-of-sale system is entered immediately into the draw database.
- There are certain restrictions and maximums allowed when applying for some draws. Be sure to review Draws Available on pages 14 and 15.
- Eligibility: Residents or Non-residents (Canadian) are not eligible to apply on a draw or hold any licences if: i) their hunting privileges are under a licence suspension/cancellation in Alberta (or elsewhere) or: ii) if they fail to pay their fine after being convicted of a provincial hunting or provincial sportfishing offence. At the time of applying for a draw you must be eligible to hold a recreational hunting licence.
- Each applicant (Resident and Non-resident [Canadian]) must have a ten-digit Wildlife Identification Number (WIN) and must be eligible to hold hunting licences. WINs can be purchased online or at any licence issuer.

### **BOW HUNTERS**

A bow hunter must possess a special licence to hunt the following big game animals during the archery only season:

- antelope,
- antlerless and/or antlered moose in WMUs 151, 152, 156 160, 163 166, 200 210, 214 246, 250 260, 300 314, 318 338, 348, 357, 400, 402, 429, 507 and 508,
- calf moose in WMUs 359, 360, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527 and
- elk in WMUs 104, 166, 208
- elk and moose in WMU 936.
- antlered elk in WMUs 416-422, 428, 430

### PARTNER LICENCE

#### The following Partner Licences are available:

- 1. A resident holder of an Antlerless Moose Special Licence or a Bison Special Licence has the option of designating one eligible resident hunter (adult or youth) to be a partner on the special licence, thereby allowing the designated hunter to obtain a **Special Antlerless Moose Partner Licence or a Special Bison Partner Licence**.
- A resident holder of an Antlered Moose Special Licence has the option of designating one eligible hunter, resident (adult or youth) or a non-resident (Canadian) (adult or youth), to be a partner on the special licence, thereby allowing the designated hunter to obtain a Special Antlered Moose Partner Licence. To qualify for a Partner Licence in a particular WMU, the non-resident (Canadian) must have been eligible to apply for the special licence in that WMU.

A non-resident (Canadian) holder of an Antlered Moose Special Licence has the option of designating one eligible resident (adult or youth) hunter to be a partner on the special licence, thereby allowing the designated hunter to obtain a **Special Antlered Moose Partner Licence**.

### **Partner Licence continued**

3. Resident hunters successful in drawing a Special Licence in any of the other Draws are allowed to designate one eligible resident youth (12 to 17 years of age) to be a partner on their special licence.

The designated partner need not have applied on the applicable draw and his or her draw priority for the special licence will not be affected. Refer to pages 49-52 regarding licence combinations and restrictions. The designated partner hunts under the authority of the special licence and, while hunting, must be able to directly communicate with the special licence holder (without relying on a cell phone, walkie-talkie or other device) to ensure that both hunters stop hunting once the tag(s) are filled. In essence, the two hunters are hunting as one, and while the use of common electronic communication devices (i.e., walkie-talkies, cell phones, etc.) is not unlawful while hunting, the two hunters (partner and special licence holder) must be able to directly communicate while hunting without the need of using such devices.

If the special licence holder or designated partner kills an animal, the special licence holder must tag the animal(s) with the tag(s) issued with the special licence. The holder of the special licence may hunt without the partner, but the partner may not hunt unless directly accompanied by the special licence holder. If the intended partner is a non-resident, he/she must be accompanied by a licensed Hunter Host while hunting. The cost of the Resident Partner Licence and the Resident Youth Partner Licence is \$12.00 (plus GST). The cost of the Non-resident Partner Licence is \$44.00 (plus GST). Partner Licences may be purchased at any licence issuer or online.

### AGE REQUIREMENTS

(Note: The age requirements changed in the 2007 hunting season - 12 and 13 year olds are **no longer** restricted to hunting big game with a bow and arrow).
A person must be at least 12 years-of-age to hunt under the authority of a recreational licence.

- Before obtaining any licence, all first-time hunters must successfully complete the Alberta Conservation and Hunter Education course.
- Eleven-year-olds may apply in the draws if they meet the above requirements, and the season where the special licence may be used does not close before the applicant is 12 years old.
- All persons under 16 years-of-age must have the written permission of their parent or legal guardian to purchase a recreational hunting licence.
- To hunt with a firearm, a youth hunter (12 to 17 years-of-age) must be accompanied by a parent, legal guardian or by a person 18 years-of-age or older who has written permission of the parent or legal guardian. See Federal Firearms Regulations below for more requirements.
- If a youth who has purchased a youth licence turns 18 years of age after purchasing such a licence and hunting seasons are still open that year, they may still hunt under the youth licence for the remainder of the open season.

**Resident Youth Hunting Licences.** Subject to the age limitations and conditions above, a resident 12 to 17 years-of-age may purchase a Resident Youth Wildlife Certificate, including a Game Bird Licence, for \$8.30. The holder of a valid Resident Youth Wildlife Certificate who is not yet 18 years old may also purchase a Youth White-tailed Deer Licence and a Youth Mule Deer Licence, each for \$8.25. These licences are valid during the seasons that do not require one of the special licences obtained through a draw. This person may also purchase an Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence (available through a draw) for \$8.00. Partner Licences are also available to resident youths if designated by the holder of any special licence (see Partner Licence on page 15).

### WHAT IF I'M A FIRST-TIME HUNTER?

First-time hunters in Alberta may apply for draws provided they comply with the licensing requirements outlined below. Hunters should also be aware of federal regulations pertaining to possession and use of firearms. All hunters must have a Wildlife Identification Number (WIN) as a prerequisite to applying for or purchasing any hunting licence.

### Licensing Requirements for First-time Hunters

A first-time hunter is a hunter who

- has not previously held a hunting licence in Alberta or elsewhere, or
- has not, prior to April 1, 2010, met Alberta first-time hunter criteria, or
- has not successfully completed a hunter education course in Alberta or elsewhere.

First-time hunters must pass the Alberta Conservation and Hunter Education course. **Non-resident and non-resident alien** hunters (12 years of age and older) are exempt from the first-time hunter eligibility requirement if they are accompanied by a Hunter Host or a Designated Guide while hunting in Alberta. **Youth first-time hunters** (12 to 17 years-of-age) are further restricted (see Age Requirements, above).

### Federal Firearms Regulations

All hunters should be aware of federal laws surrounding the acquisition, possession, transportation and use of weapons and ammunition. For further information contact your local police service or the Canadian Firearms Centre at 1-800-731-4000 or visit the Centre's website at: <u>http://www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/cfp-pcaf/index-eng.htm.</u>

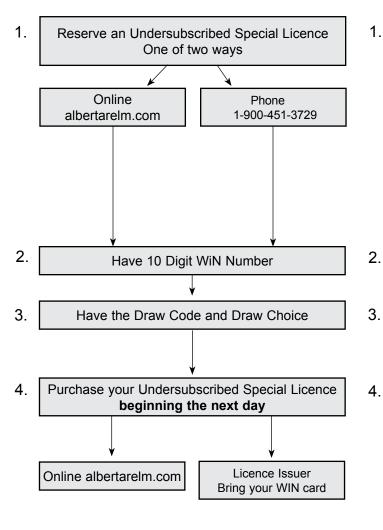
### **MOBILITY-IMPAIRED HUNTERS**

Eligible individuals may apply to obtain a special permit or licence relating to off-highway vehicle use, bow and arrow equipment and using a weapon on a vehicle. Contact a Fish and Wildlife Division district office (page 59) for more information.

# UNDERSUBSCRIBED SPECIAL LICENCES

AVAILABLE THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 2012 9:00 A.M. TO DECEMBER 19, 2012 MIDNIGHT Two options available - Online and 1-900-451-3729

When too few people apply for special licences in some WMUs the undersubscribed special licences are made available for sale to eligible hunters online and by phone. To determine which special licences are available, starting August 14, 2012, you can either 1) call (toll free) 1-877-289-0999, or 2) go online at mywildalberta.com. Both the online and the phone line will be open seven days a week, 24 hours a day until no licences remain available or to December 19, 2012 midnight. The licences are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Licences must first be reserved and then **purchased beginning the following day**.



Reserve an undersubscribed special licence using 1 of 2 options

- Online: albertarelm.com, see page 9-10.
  - You will need a credit card and a WIN to purchase the application. See pages 9-10.
  - Cost \$3.04 (plus GST) per application. Charges will appear on your credit card statement as - ALBERTA RELM EDMONTON AB.
  - Under the 'Purchase' menu, click on 'Undersubscribed Application'.

#### Phone: 1-900-451-3729

- Cost \$1.25 per minute. Charges will appear on your long distance telephone bill.
- To avoid delays check with your long distance service provider to ensure you have access to 1-900 numbers.
- Note: cell phones, blackberry phones, internet based digital phones, phones with 1-900 blocked and calling cards cannot access 1-900 numbers. Many businesses or places of work do not permit 1-900 calls.
- Need your 10 digit WiN (Wildlife Identification Number). You may reserve a
   licence of the same kind of special licence for the same WMU for up to 3 other hunters provided you have their WINs.

Need Draw Code and Draw Choice

- 2 digit draw code.
- 3 digit draw choice.
- Separate application for each.

To purchase your Undersubscribed Special Licence online

- View online at albertarelm.com the next day to confirm you have been authorized to buy the licence. Click on 'Undersubscribed Applications' under the 'My Info' in the left menu. To purchase your special licence, click on 'Special Licences' under the Purchase menu.
- To purchase your licence online, you must have a prenumbered 10 digit Government of Alberta paper tag and wire. Online paper tags are available at your local Fish and Wildlife District office or by calling 1-888-944-5494.

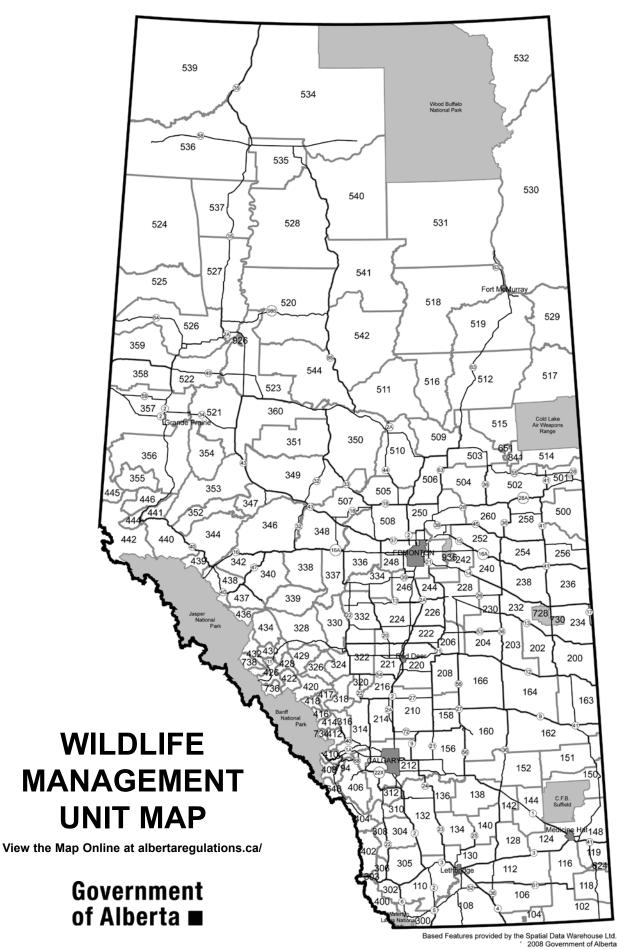
Undersubscribed Special Licences can also be purchased at licence issuers.

- To purchase your licence at a licence issuer you must bring your WIN card and provide the issuer with the draw code.
- If you have any questions you can call 1-877-289-0999 (toll-free).
- Normal licence restrictions apply regarding licence combinations and eligibility, refer to pages 49 to 52. For example, if you were drawn for an Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence, you cannot obtain another Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence through the undersubscribed process.
- A hunter does not have to apply in the draw in order to be eligible to obtain an undersubscribed special licence.
- Draw priorities will not be affected by the acquisition of undersubscribed special licences.
- Some special licences may be issued with more than one tag in specific WMUs.

If you have any questions about your purchase, you can call 1-877-289-0999 (toll-free).

### **IMPORTANT!!**

If you reserve a special licence, your authorization will not be cancelled and it's important that you **buy your special licence!** General licences purchased may be limited if you are authorized to buy specific special licences.



# ANTELOPE DRAWS

A resident may apply for a Trophy Antelope Special Licence, an Antelope Archery Special Licence and a Non-trophy Antelope Special Licence, but may possess only 1 of these licences. The Trophy Antelope Special Licence draw will be conducted first, then the Antelope Archery Special draw, followed by the Non-trophy Antelope Special Licence. Applicants selected in an antelope draw will be eliminated from subsequent draws.

### DRAW CODE 10

### Antelope Archery Special Licence Draw Price (GST not included): \$51.31

### **Residents Only**

This licence is valid for a trophy antelope or a non-trophy antelope. See page 48 for definition of "non-trophy antelope" and "trophy antelope." A bow hunting permit must also be obtained.

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antelope Archery Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	WMUs	Trophy or Non-trophy Antelope Enter 1 of these Codes
September 5 – September 22	108	801
	104, 106, 112	802
	102, 118	803
	128, 140	804
	138, 142, 144	805
	116, 119, 124, 148	806
	150, 151, 152	807
	160, 162, 163, 164, 166	808

### DRAW CODE 11

### **Residents Only**

### **Non-Trophy Antelope Special Licence Draw**

Price (GST not included): \$19.35

A Non-trophy Antelope Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a non-trophy antelope in 1 of the following WMUs or WMU groups during its listed season. See page 48 for definition of "non-trophy antelope."

Resident hunters successful in drawing a Non-Trophy Antelope Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

WMUs	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
108	October 18 – October 20	809
	October 22 – October 24	810
104, 106, 112	October 18 – October 20	811
	October 22 – October 24	812
102, 118	October 18 – October 20	813
	October 22 – October 24	814
128, 140	October 18 – October 20	815
	October 22 – October 24	816

WMUs	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
116, 119, 124, 148	October 18 – October 20	819
	October 22 – October 24	820
138, 142, 144	September 27 – September 29	817
	October 4 – October 6	818
150, 151, 152	September 27 – September 29	821
	October 4 – October 6	822
160, 162, 163, 164,	September 27 – September 29	823
166	October 4 – October 6	824

### **Trophy Antelope Special Licence Draw**

### Residents and Non-residents (Canadian)

DRAW CODE

A Trophy Antelope Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a trophy antelope in 1 of the following WMUs or WMU groups during its listed season. See page 48 for definition of "trophy antelope".

Resident hunters successful in drawing a Trophy Antelope Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Note: A non-resident (Canadian) must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).

Enter 1 of Season **WMUs** these Codes October 15 – October 20 108 801 104, 106, 112 802 102, 118 803 128, 140 804 116, 119, 124, 148 806 138, 142, 144 805 September 24 - September 29 150, 151, 152 807

160, 162, 163, 164, 166

808

Prices (GST not included): Resident \$51.31 Non-resident \$182.45

# **DEER DRAWS**

**LICENCE LIMITS FOR MULE DEER HUNTERS** — Hunters may not possess both an Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence and a Mule Deer Licence.

### **DRAW CODE 13** Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence Draw

**Residents and Non-residents (Canadian)** 

Prices (GST not included): Resident \$36.65 Non-resident \$122.33

An Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlered mule deer in 1 of the following WMUs during its listed season. See page 48 for definition of "antlered."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
September 24 – November 30	400, 402, 404, 406, 408
November 7 – November 10 November 14 – November 17 November 21 – November 24 November 28 – December 1	102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 116, 118, 119, 124, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 148, 150, 151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164
November 1 – November 30	166, 200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 210, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 310, 312, 314, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 348, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510
October 25 – November 30	300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308
September 17 – November 30	326, 328, 330, 346, 357, 358, 359, 360, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 429, 430, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527, 535, 537

Note: A non-resident (Canadian) must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).

### CODE **Residents Only**

### **Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence Draw**

Prices (GST not included): \$21.20 - issued to other than youth \$8.00 – issued to youth (see page 16 for additional information)

An Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlerless mule deer in 1 of the following WMUs during its listed season. See page 48 for definition of "antlerless."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
September 17 – November 30	326, 346, 358, 537
September 17 – December 20	357, 359, 360, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527
September 24 – November 30	400, 402, 404, 406, 408
November 7 – November 10 November 14 – November 17 November 21 – November 24 November 28 – December 1	102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 116, 118, 119, 124, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 148, 150, 151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164
November 1 – November 30	166, 200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 210, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 310, 312, 314, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 348, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510
October 25 – November 30	300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308

#### LICENCE LIMITS FOR WHITE-TAILED DEER HUNTERS — Hunters may not possess both an Antlered White-tailed Deer Special Licence and a White-tailed Deer Licence.

#### **Antlered White-tailed Deer Special Licence Draw** DRAW CODE 15

Prices (GST not included): Resident \$36.65 Non-resident \$122.33 **Residents and Non-residents (Canadian)** 

An Antlered White-tailed Deer Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlered white-tailed deer in 1 of the following WMUs during its listed season. See page 48 for definition of "antlered."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlered White-tailed Deer Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
September 24 – November 30	404, 406, 408

Note: A non-resident (Canadian) must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).

### **Antlerless White-tailed Deer Special Licence Draw** DRAW CODE 16

**Residents Only** 

Price (GST not included): \$18.70

An Antlerless White-tailed Deer Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlerless white-tailed deer in 1 of the following WMUs during its listed season. See page 48 for definition of "antlerless."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlerless White-tailed Deer Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
September 24 – November 30	404, 406, 408
November 7 – November 10 November 14 – November 17 November 21 – November 24 November 28 – December 1	102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 116, 118, 119, 124, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 148, 150, 151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164
November 1 – November 30	166, 210

### DRAW CODE 17

### Camp Wainwright Deer Special Licence Draw Price (GST not included): \$37.99

#### **Residents Only**

A Camp Wainwright Deer Special Licence will be valid for 1 of the following 3-day seasons in WMUs 728 and 730.

Resident hunters successful in drawing a Camp Wainwright Deer Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season Type	Season Choices	Enter 1 of these Codes	
(Primitive Weapon - muzzle loader and bow and arrow)	November 29 – December 1	825	
Rifle or other legal weapon	December 3 – December 5	826	
Rifle or other legal weapon	December 6 – December 8	827	
Rifle or other legal weapon	December 10 – December 12	828	
Rifle or other legal weapon	December 13 – December 15	829	

- the special licence will be issued with 3 tags. The first 2 tags are valid for a deer of either species, either sex and age. The 3rd tag is valid for only an antlerless deer.
- there will be an archery-only area identified during the check-in and briefing. Only bow and arrow can be used in this area.

### **SPECIAL REGULATIONS – CAMP WAINWRIGHT**

Camp Wainwright is used for general military training, including live firing of various types of artillery, mortars, rockets, bombs and small arms. Because of the hazards associated with these activities, hunters are required to follow special regulations for their own safety.

#### **Check-in Procedure**

- 1. All hunters must report to the Hunter Check Station (HCS) for a safety briefing. The HCS will be open from 0600 to 1800 hours daily.
- Hunters must attend a briefing each day of the hunt. Briefings will cover closed areas, safety, unexploded ammunition recognition, general rules, wildlife regulations, and procedures in case of problems. The first briefing at the beginning of each hunt will take approximately 30 minutes and start at 0645 hours. Briefings on the following days will be shorter.
- 3. Hunters must check in or out at the HCS every time they enter or leave camp. IF ANYONE FAILS TO REPORT TO THE CHECK STATION AT THE END OF THE DAY, A SEARCH WILL BE MADE FOR THE MISSING PARTY.

#### **Military Requirements**

- 1. All hunters must sign a Waiver to the Crown at the Hunter Check Station.
- 2. Military use of the base is paramount and subject to change on short notice. Large areas of the base may be closed to hunting, depending on training requirements. Usually the first hunts have more closed areas than the later hunts.
- 3. OUT OF BOUNDS AREAS: Certain areas of Camp Wainwright are permanently closed to hunting (e.g., artillery impact ranges); other areas will be closed on a day-to-day basis. These areas will be indicated during the safety briefings. Hunting in closed areas is unlawful and will result in permanent eviction from the Base.
- 4. "Off Highway Vehicles" (snowmobiles, all terrain vehicles, etc.) are not permitted within Camp Wainwright.
- 5. All hunters (except bow hunters hunting in the designated "BOW ONLY" area) must wear blaze orange or solid red outer wear.
- 6. No overnight camping and no open fires are allowed.
- 7. The military will not assist hunters with vehicles that are stuck or have mechanical problems. Hunters must make their own towing arrangements.
- 8. Emergency telephones are available throughout the area. Hunters will be instructed in their use at the safety briefing.
- 9. Every hunter should carry a compass and basic survival equipment.

### **CHRONIC WASTING DISEASE**

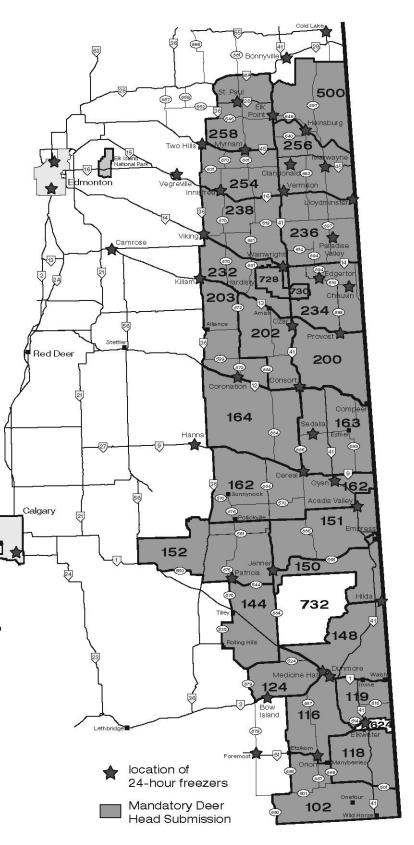
Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD), a fatal neurological disease, occurs in mule deer and white-tailed deer in limite areas of eastern Alberta. The disease is associated with protein changes in the brain and infected individuals experience weight loss, behavioural changes, and prematur death. While it is difficult to document the direct effects of CWD, recent data from infected populations indicate a shift towards younger deer, lower productivity, and fewer adult males. Theoretical models indicate the disease has a significant effect on long-term survival of local deer populations.

From September 2005 to March 2012, Alberta detected 127 cases of CWD in wild deer along the Alberta/Saskatchewan border in twelve Wildlife Management Units (WMUs): WMUs 119, 150, 151, 152, 163, 164, 200, 202, 203, 232, 234, 236, 256, and 728, 730 (map available on our disease web pages at <u>http://srd.alberta.ca/BioDiversityStewardship/WildlifeDiseases/Default.aspx</u>).

Hunters and outfitters play a vital role in CWD management. Deer heads submitted for testing and reports of emaciated deer help define the area where the disease occurs. Hunters who take advantage of increased hunting opportunities and remove deer from CWD high risk areas contribute to fewer deer on the landscape and less opportunity for disease transmission. The cooperation and assistance of all stakeholders and interested parties is important and greatly appreciated.

It is a mandatory requirement in some WMUs that all deer harvested be tested for CWD. Mandatory deer head submission units for 2011 are WMU 102, 116, 118, 119, 124, 144, 148, 150, 151, 152, 160, 162, 163, 164, 200, 202, 203, 204, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 254, 256, 258, 500, 728, and 730 (see attached map). Please check the Fish and Wildlife disease web pages prior to the fall hunting seasons to get additional information.

All heads submitted for CWD testing must have a green CWD label attached and must contain the hunter information and particularly the specific location of the kill site. After you harvest your deer, CWD labels are available from any Fish and Wildlife office, and from the 24 hour freezers made available during fall rifle seasons. Please fill out <u>both sides of</u> the label and be sure to include the kill location as well as your WIN number. As in previous years, CWD results will be reported to each hunter as soon as possible.



# ELK DRAWS

### APPLICATION AND LICENCE LIMITS FOR ELK HUNTERS

**Residents** – may apply in only one of the following elk draws: Antlered Elk Special Licence, Antlerless Elk Special Licence, Either Sex Elk Special Licence, or WMU 300 Elk Special Licence. In addition, hunters may apply in the WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence Draw.

**Non-residents (Canadian)** – may apply for only the Antlered Elk Special Licence and must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).

Hunters may not possess more than 1 elk licence, with the exception of the WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Archery Licence and the WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence.

### Antlered Elk Special Licence Draw

**Residents and Non-residents (Canadian)** 

DRAW CODE 18

Prices (GST not included): Resident \$34.65 Non-resident \$135.31

**6-POINT** An Antlered Elk Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a 6-point or larger antlered elk in 1 of the following WMUs during its listed season. See page 48 for definition of "6-point elk."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlered Elk Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs	
September 17 – November 30	404, 406, 408	
November 1 – November 30	509	
September 17 – November 30 Archery: August 25 – September 16	416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 428, 430	

### ANTLERED ELK

An Antlered Elk Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlered elk in 1 of the following WMUs or groups of WMUs (in parentheses) during its listed season. If applying for a WMU group, use the first WMU listed to identify the group. See page 48 for definition of "antlered."

Season	Enter 1 (or the first) of these WMUs	
November 1 – November 30 Archery: September 1 – October 31	(164, 166, 208) <sup>2</sup> , (151, 152)	
November 1 – December 20 and January 1 – January 20, 2013	(200, 202, 203, 232, 234)	
November 1 – November 23 Archery: October 17 – October 31	9361	

An Antlered Elk Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlered elk in 1 of the following WMUs or groups of WMUs (in parentheses) during 1 of its listed seasons.

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
102	September 5 – September 23	861
	September 24 – October 8	863
	October 9 – October 23	865
104September 5 - September 30		862
	October 1 – October 24	864
October 25 – November 16		866
November 17 – December 20		868

Antlered Elk Special Licence Draws continued on next page

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
108	September 5 – September 30	706
	October 1 – October 24	707
	October 25 – November 16	708
	November 17 – December 20	709
(124, 144, 148, 150)	September 5 – September 30	720
	October 1 – October 24	721
	October 25 – November 16	722
	November 17 – December 20	723

<sup>1</sup> Hunters (including bow hunters) require a Firearms Discharge Permit to hunt in WMU 936. Self-registration discharge permits are no longer available. All successful draw hunters for WMU 936 are required to attend a Safety Orientation prior to receiving their discharge permit. Please contact the Cooking Lake/Blackfoot Grazing, Wildlife and Recreation Area office (780-922-3293), as soon as possible after receiving your notification of success in order to receive information regarding orientation dates and requirements for obtaining your discharge permit.

<sup>2</sup> Holders of this licence may hunt in WMU 164 and WMU 166 Monday - Saturday and in WMU 208 Monday - Sunday.

### **DRAW CODE 19**

#### **Residents Only**

### Antlerless Elk Special Licence Draw

Price (GST not included): \$34.65

An Antlerless Elk Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlerless elk in 1 of the following WMUs or groups of WMUs (in parentheses) during its listed season. If applying for a WMU group, use the first WMU listed to identify the group. See page 48 for definition of "antlerless."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlerless Elk Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 (or the first) of these WMUs	
September 17 – November 30	330, 352, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 438 <sup>1</sup> , 439, 441 <sup>2</sup> , 444 <sup>3</sup>	
September 17 – December 20	340, 342, 344 <sup>4</sup>	
October 25 – December 20	302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308, 310	
November 1 – December 20	224, 334, 336, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510	
November 1 – November 23 Archery: October 17 – October 31	936 <sup>5</sup>	
November 1 – November 30 Archery: September 1 – October 31	(164, 166, 208) <sup>7</sup> , (151, 152)	
November 1 – December 20 and January 1 - January 20, 2013	(200, 202, 203, 232, 234)	

<sup>1</sup> This season applies only to that portion of WMU 438 that lies northwest of Highway 16 and southwest of Highway 40. Refer to the applicable map on page 30.

<sup>2</sup> This season applies only to that portion of WMU 441 that lies east of the Smoky River and southwest of the Muskeg River. Refer to the applicable map on page 30.

<sup>3</sup> This season applies only to that portion of WMU 444 that lies west of the Smoky River and north of Beaverdam Road. Refer to the applicable map on page 30.

<sup>4</sup> This season applies only to that portion of WMU 344 south of Wildhay River and Polecat Haul Road and west of Willow Creek Haul Road. Refer to the applicable map on page 30.

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- <sup>5</sup> Hunters (including bow hunters) require a Firearms Discharge Permit to hunt in WMU 936. Self-registration discharge permits are no longer available. All successful draw hunters for WMU 936 are required to attend a Safety Orientation prior to receiving their discharge permit. Please contact the Cooking Lake/Blackfoot Grazing, Wildlife and Recreation Area office (780-922-3293), as soon as possible after receiving your notification of success in order to receive information regarding orientation dates and requirements for obtaining your discharge permit.
- <sup>6</sup> This season applies only to that portion of WMU 338 that lies south of Highway 16 and north of the powerline in Township 52. Refer to the applicable map on page 30.
- <sup>7</sup> Holders of this licence may hunt in WMU 164 and WMU 166 Monday Saturday and in WMU 208 Monday Sunday.

An Antlerless Elk Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlerless elk in 1 of the following WMUs or groups of WMUs (in parentheses) during 1 of its listed seasons.

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
102	September 5 – September 23	867
	September 24 – October 8	869
	October 9 – October 23	871
104	September 5 – September 30	868
	October 1 – October 24	870
	October 25 – November 16	872
	November 17 – December 20	874
108	September 5 – September 30	706
	October 1 – October 24	707
	October 25 – November 16	708
	November 17 – December 20	709
(124, 144, 148, 150)	September 5 – September 30	720
	October 1 – October 24	721
	October 25 – November 16	722
	November 17 – December 20	723
(214 & 314)	October 25 – November 20	892
	November 21 – December 20	893
	January 1 – January 20, 2013	731
(216 & 320)	November 1 – November 25	896
	November 26 – December 20	897
	January 1 – January 20, 2013	732
(221 & 322)	November 1 – November 25	898
	November 26 – December 20	899
	January 1 – January 20, 2013	733
312	October 25 – November 20	996
	November 21 – December 20	997
	January 1 – January 20, 2013	734
318	November 1 – November 25	894
	November 26 – December 20	895
324	November 1 – November 25	900
	November 26 – December 20	901

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
332	November 1 – November 25	902
	November 26 – December 20	903
337	November 1 – December 20	750
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	751
3386	November 1 – December 20	718
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	719
346	September 17 – October 31	724
	November 1 – December 20	725
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	735
348	November 1 – December 20	726
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	727
353	September 17 – October 31	772
	November 1 – December 20	773
354	September 17 – October 31	774
	November 1 – December 20	775
355	September 17 – October 31	776
	November 1 – December 20	777
356	September 17 – October 31	778
	November 1 – December 20	779
357	September 17 – October 31	737
	November 1 – December 20	738
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	739
358	September 17 – October 31	740
	November 1 – December 20	741
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	742
359	September 17 – October 31	743
	November 1 – December 20	744
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	745
360	September 17 – October 31	746
	November 1 – December 20	747
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	748
511	November 1 – December 20	767
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	768
520	September 17 – October 31	752
	November 1 – December 20	753
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	754
521	September 17 – October 31	755
	November 1 – December 20	756
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	757
522	September 17 – October 31	758
	November 1 – December 20	759
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	760
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WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes	
523	September 17 – October 31	761	
	November 1 – December 20	762	
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	763	
526	September 17 – October 31	769	
	November 1 – December 20	770	
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	771	
527	September 17 – October 31	764	
	November 1 – December 20	765	
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	766	
544	September 17 – October 31	780	
	November 1 – December 20	781	
	December 21 – January 20, 2013	782	

**IMPORTANT**: See page 24 for application and licence limitations for elk hunters.

### DRAW CODE 41

### Either Sex Elk Special Licence Draw

**Residents Only** 

Price (GST not included): \$34.65

An Either Sex Elk Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt either an antlered or antlerless elk in the specified WMUs during the specified time period. See page 48 for definitions of "antlered" and "antlerless."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Either Sex Elk Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

WMUs	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
116, 118, 119, 6241	November 6 – November 9	858
	November 13 – November 16	911
	November 20 – November 23	912
	November 27 – November 30	990
116, 118, 119	December 4, 2012 – January 4, 2013 (Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays only)	859
(728, 730) <sup>2</sup>	November 29 - December 1 (Muzzle loader, bow and arrow) December 3 - December 15 (Rifle or other legal weapon)	728

<sup>1</sup> All hunters must report to the Cypress Hill Provincial Park Administration Office for a Hunter Information Briefing on the Monday prior to their fourday hunt in WMU 624.

<sup>2</sup> Hunters applying for WMUs (728-730) should read page 22 for rules and information about hunting Camp Wainwright. A licence for Camp Wainwright will be valid in both WMUs 728 and 730. Please use draw code 728 to identify this choice of area.



### WMU 300 Elk Special Licence Draw

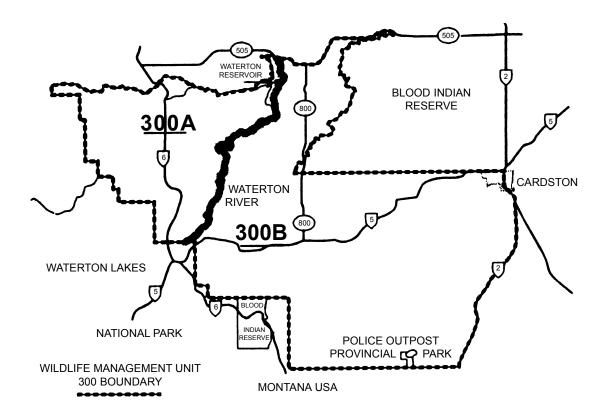
**Residents Only** 

### Price (GST not included): \$34.65

A WMU 300 Elk Special Licence authorizes a Resident to hunt a 3-point or larger elk or an antlerless elk in the specified area of WMU 300 (Area A or Area B) during the time period specified on the licence. See page 48 for definitions of "3-point" and "antlerless" elk. You may apply for a 3-point or antlerless licence, as indicated by the codes shown below.

Resident hunters successful in drawing a WMU 300 Elk Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs			
	Area A Area B		ea B	
	3-Point	Antierless	3-Point	Antlerless
September 5 – October 24	832	835	837	993
October 25 – December 24	833	873	838	994
December 25, 2012 – February 21, 2013	834	836	839	995



### **DRAW CODE 40**

### WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence Draw Price (GST not included): \$34.65

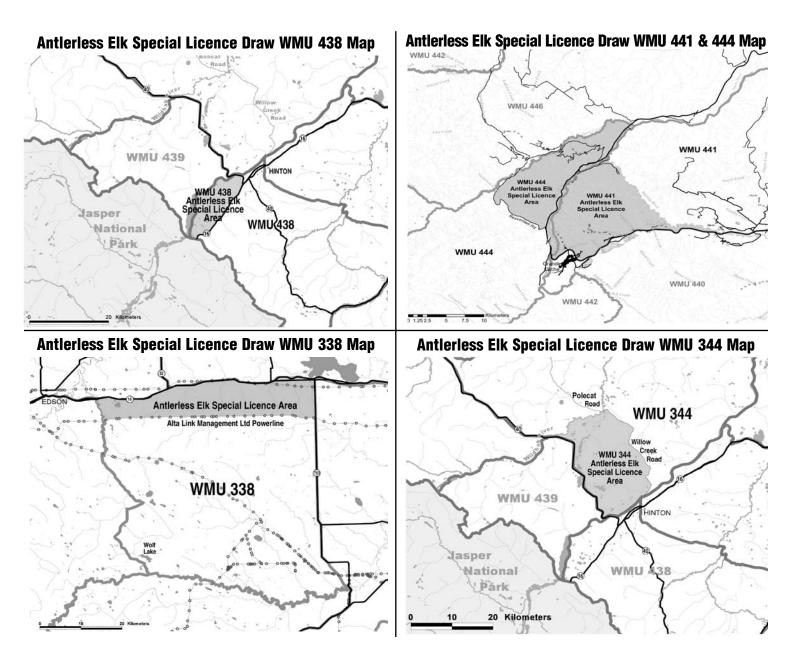
#### **Residents Only**

A WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlerless elk in WMU 212 Monday to Friday only during one of the specified time periods. See Page 48 for definition of "antlerless".

A map will be sent to successful applicants identifying access opportunities for the hunt. Hunters are required to carry written permission from the landowner allowing access while hunting under this licence.

Resident hunters successful in drawing a WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

WMU	Season Choices	Enter 1 of these Codes
212 (Primitive Weapon - muzzle loader,	December 1 - December 20, 2012 (Monday to Friday only)	731
	January 2 - January 20, 2013 (Monday to Friday only)	732



### LANDOWNER SPECIAL LICENCE

Landowners, or eligible designates, who are unsuccessful in the following special licence draws may still be eligible to obtain 1 of these special licences to hunt on their own land:

- Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence
- Antlerless Elk Special Licence
- WMU 300 Elk Special Licence

- Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence
- WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence
- Either Sex Elk Special Licence (excluding WMU 624, 728 and 730)

#### The following conditions apply to Landowner Special Licences:

- 1. The applicant for a Landowner Special Licence must be a resident of Alberta and must have applied for and been unsuccessful in the special licence draw for the same licence type for which the landowner application is being made. See the licence types above. The unsuccessful draw application must have reflected, as a first choice, the same WMU or area where the landowner licence will be applied for and the application must meet the following conditions.
- 2. There is a limit of 1 Landowner Special Licence application per Certificate of Title (or current Tax Notice).
- 3. For lands that are not corporate owned, the applicant must own (have title to or have under agreement for sale by the Crown) a minimum of 1/4 section in a single parcel of 160 acres, more or less, or be an eligible person to whom the titleholder transfers this application opportunity. A title holder may transfer this application opportunity only to an individual who is directly involved in farming the land. This person might be a family member or employee of the person who farms the land, provided, in all cases, that the individual is directly involved in the day to day farming operations on the land.
- 4. In the case of land held under title by a business corporation of the above size category, the applicant may be a shareholder of the business. Similar to item 3 above, an individual who is directly involved in farming this land may apply if the application opportunity has been transferred to them by a person who is authorized to do so by the corporation.
- 5. In the case of joint land titles, only 1 of the joint title holders may submit an application for a Landowner Special Licence under a Certificate of Title (or current Tax Notice). However, if additional joint titles exist, each individual, if eligible, may apply under separate joint titles. The same rules apply to transferees as noted above.
- 6. Availability of Landowner Special Licences may be limited or may not be available at all for some species in certain WMUs. Those available will be issued to eligible persons on a first-come first-served basis.
- 7. The land identified in "3" above must be contained within the WMU or area identified as the first choice on the unsuccessful application for the special licence draw. The licence will be valid for the season dates associated with this first choice and on all lands owned by the **titleholder** and lying in the applicable WMU or area.
- 8. A person may not obtain more than 1 of the above 6 landowner special licences per year.
- 9. Draw priorities are not affected by the acquisition of a Landowner Special Licence.
- Remember, you may not possess both an Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence and a Mule Deer Licence, more than 1 elk licence (except WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Archery Licence and WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence), or more than 4 of the deer, elk, and moose licences indicated in the Resident Licences and Combinations table (pages 49 to 52).

#### **Application Procedure:**

- 1. You must complete an application form in person at a Fish and Wildlife Division district office beginning August 9, 2012.
- 2. You must present either the Certificate of Title or a current Tax Notice for the land in the WMU where you wish the Landowner Special Licence to be valid.
- 3. The Fish and Wildlife Division district office will confirm your eligibility and first choice WMU/Season code.
- 4. If an applicant is using an opportunity transferred from the title holder (an individual or corporate title holder), the applicant must submit a letter from the title holder (or other share holders), authorizing the application for and the use of the particular Landowner Special Licence. In all cases, the applicant who receives the transferred opportunity must be directly involved in the day to day farming operations of the land.
- 5. The Fish and Wildlife Division will advise the applicant once the application has been approved. The hunter may then purchase the licence beginning the next day online or from a private licence issuer by providing the issuer with the draw code for which the landowner special licence was approved and his/her WIN. To purchase your licence online see page 9 for details.

# **MOOSE DRAWS**

### APPLICATION AND LICENCE LIMITS FOR MOOSE HUNTERS

**Residents** – may apply in only one of the following moose draws: Antlered Moose Special Licence, Antlerless Moose Special Licence or Calf Moose Special Licence.

**Non-residents** – may apply for only the Antlered Moose Special Licence and must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).

A hunter may possess only 1 moose licence.

### **DRAW CODE 33** Antlered Moose Special Licence Draw

Residents and Non-residents (Canadian) Prices (GST not included): Resident \$36.85 Non-resident \$135.31

An Antlered Moose Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlered moose in 1 of the following WMUs or groups of WMUs (in parentheses) during its specified season. See page 48 for definition of "antlered."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlered Moose Special Licence may designate a resident (adult or youth) or a non-resident (Canadian) (adult or youth) partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. Non-resident (Canadian) hunters successful in drawing an Antlered Moose Special Licence may designate a resident (adult or youth) partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag.

### **RESIDENTS ONLY**

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
September 17 – November 30 Archery: September 1 – September 16	400, 402
September 24 – November 30	404, 406, 408
October 25 – November 30 Archery: September 1 – October 24	300, 302, 303, 304, 306, 308
November 1 – November 30 Archery: September 1 – October 31	151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164, 166, 200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 210, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 310, 312, 314, 334, 336, 508
November 1 – November 23 Archery: October 17 – October 31	9361

A licence for Camp Wainwright will be valid in both WMUs 728 and 730 during one of the specified time periods.

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
(728–730) <sup>2</sup>	November 29 - December 1 (Muzzle loader, bow and arrow)	733
	December 3 - December 8 (Rifle or other legal weapon)	734
	December 10 - December 15 (Rifle or other legal weapon)	735

<sup>1</sup> Hunters (including bow hunters) require a Firearms Discharge Permit to hunt in WMU 936. Self-registration discharge permits are no longer available. All successful draw hunters for WMU 936 are required to attend a Safety Orientation prior to receiving their discharge permit. Please contact the Cooking Lake/Blackfoot Grazing, Wildlife and Recreation Area office (780-922-3293), as soon as possible after receiving your notification of success in order to receive information regarding orientation dates and requirements for obtaining your discharge permit.

<sup>2</sup> Hunters applying for WMUs (728-730) should read page 22 for rules and information about hunting in Camp Wainwright.

### **RESIDENTS AND NON-RESIDENTS (CANADIAN)**

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
September 1 – November 30	531, 532, 534, 539, 540
September 24 – October 31	412, 414
September 24 – November 30	416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446
November 1 – November 30	316, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 509, 510
November 1 – November 30 Archery: September 1 – October 31	318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 337, 338, 348, 507

## **RESIDENTS AND NON-RESIDENTS (CANADIAN) – Split Season Draws** An Antlered Moose Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlered moose in 1 of the following WMUs during 1 of its listed seasons.

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
326	September 24 – October 31 Archery: August 25 – September 23	874
	November 1 – November 30 Archery: August 25 – September 23	882
328	September 24 – October 31 Archery: August 25 – September 23	875
	November 1 – November 30 <b>Archery:</b> August 25 – September 23	883
330	September 24 – October 31 Archery: August 25 – September 23	876
	November 1 – November 30 Archery: August 25 – September 23	884
339	September 24 – October 31	877
	November 1 – November 30	885
340	September 24 – October 31	878
	November 1 – November 30	886
342	September 24 – October 31	879
	November 1 – November 30	887
344	September 24 – October 31	913
	November 1 – November 30	914
346	September 24 – October 31	880
	November 1 – November 30	888
347	September 24 – October 31	915
	November 1 – November 30	916
349	September 24 – October 31	917
	November 1 – November 30	918
350	September 24 – October 31	919
	November 1 – November 30	920

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WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
351	September 24 – October 31	921
	November 1 – November 30	922
352	September 24 – October 31	923
	November 1 – November 30	924
353	September 24 – October 31	925
	November 1 – November 30	926
354	September 24 – October 31	927
	November 1 – November 30	928
355	September 24 – October 31	929
	November 1 – November 30	930
356	September 24 – October 31	941
	November 1 – November 30	942
357	September 24 – October 31	943
	November 1 – November 30	944
358	September 24 – October 31	945
	November 1 – November 30	946
359	September 24 – October 31	947
	November 1 – November 30	948
360	September 24 – October 31	949
	November 1 – November 30	950
429	September 24 – October 31 Archery: August 25 – September 23	881
	November 1 – November 30 Archery: August 25 – September 23	889
511	September 1 – October 31	951
	November 1 – November 30	952
512	September 1 – October 31	953
	November 1 – November 30	954
514	September 1 – October 31	955
	November 1 – November 30	956
515	September 1 – October 31	957
	November 1 – November 30	958
516	September 1 – October 31	959
	November 1 – November 30	960
517	September 1 – October 31	720
	November 1 – November 30	721
518	September 1 – October 31	722
	November 1 – November 30	723
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WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
519	September 1 – October 31	961
	November 1 – November 30	962
520	September 1 – October 31	963
	November 1 – November 30	964
521	September 24 – October 31	965
	November 1 – November 30	966
522	September 24 – October 31	967
	November 1 – November 30	968
523	September 24 – October 31	969
	November 1 – November 30	970
524	September 1 – October 31	971
	November 1 – November 30	972
525	September 1 – October 31	973
	November 1 – November 30	974
526	September 24 – October 31	975
	November 1 – November 30	976
527	September 24 – October 31	977
	November 1 – November 30	978
528	September 1 – October 31	979
	November 1 – November 30	980
529	September 1 – October 31	724
	November 1 – November 30	725
530	September 1 – October 31	731
	November 1 – November 30	732
535	September 24 – October 31	981
	November 1 – November 30	982
536	September 1 – October 31	983
	November 1 – November 30	984
537	September 24 – October 31	985
	November 1 – November 30	986
541	September 1 – October 31	718
	November 1 – November 30	719
542	September 1 – October 31	716
	November 1 – November 30	717
544	September 1 – October 31	987
	November 1 – November 30	988
841	September 17 – October 31	991
	November 1 – November 30	992

### DRAW CODE 27

### **Antlerless Moose Special Licence Draw**

#### **Residents Only**

#### Price (GST not included): \$36.65

An Antlerless Moose Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an antlerless moose in 1 of the following WMUs or groups of WMUs (in parentheses) during its specified season. See page 48 for definition of "antlerless."

Resident hunters successful in drawing an Antlerless Moose Special Licence may designate a resident (adult or youth) partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
November 1 – November 30 Archery: September 1 – October 31	151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164, 166, 200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 210, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 310, 312, 314, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 507, 508
September 24 – November 30	352, 353*, 355, 404, 406
October 25 – December 7 (Monday to Fridays only) – (Primitive weapon - muzzle loader, shotgun, cross-bow & bow and arrow)	2481
November 1 – November 30	316, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 506, 509
November 1 – November 30 Archery: August 25 – September 23	357
November 1 – November 23 Archery: October 17 – October 31	9362

A licence for Camp Wainwright will be valid in both WMUs 728 and 730 during one of the specified time periods.

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
$(728 - 730)^3$	November 29 - December 1 (Muzzle loader, bow and arrow)	733
	December 3 - December 8 (Rifle or other legal weapon)	734
	December 10 - December 15 (Rifle or other legal weapon)	735

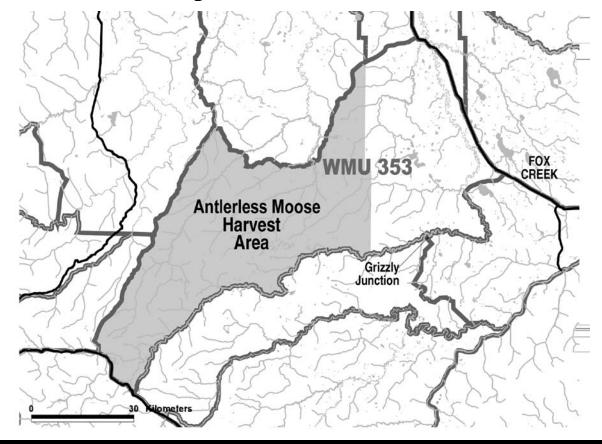
\*The season in WMU 353 applies only to the portion west of Range 23. Refer to map on page 37.

<sup>1</sup> This season applies only to that portion of WMU 248 that lies within Strathcona County.

<sup>2</sup> Hunters (including bow hunters) require a firearms discharge permit to hunt in WMU 936. Self-registration discharge permits are no longer available. All successful draw hunters for WMU 936 are required to attend a safety orientation prior to receiving their discharge permit. Please contact the Cooking Lake/Blackfoot Grazing, Wildlife Recreation Area office (780-922-3293) as soon as possible after receiving your notification of success in order to receive information regarding orientation dates and requirements for obtaining your discharge permit.

<sup>3</sup> Hunters applying for WMUs 728 and 730 should read page 22 for rules and information about hunting in Camp Wainwright.

## Antlerless Moose Special Licence Draw WMU 353 Map



#### **DRAW CODE 28**

## **Calf Moose Special Licence Draw**

#### **Residents Only**

#### Price (GST not included): \$36.65

A Calf Moose Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a calf moose in 1 of the following WMUs or groups of WMUs (in parentheses) during its listed season. A calf moose is a moose less than 12 months of age. Refer to the 2011 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations (available in July) for an illustration of a cow and calf moose.

Resident hunters successful in drawing a Calf Moose Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter 1 of these WMUs
September 24 – November 30	354
November 1 – November 30	505, 510
November 1 – November 30 Archery: August 25 – September 23	359, 360, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527

A licence for Camp Wainwright will be valid in both WMUs 728 and 730 during one of the specified time periods.

WMU	Season	Enter 1 of these Codes
(728 - 730) <sup>1</sup>	November 29 - December 1 (Muzzle loader, bow and arrow)	733
	December 3 - December 8 (Rifle or other legal weapon)	734
	December 10 - December 15 (Rifle or other legal weapon)	735

<sup>1</sup> Hunters applying for WMUs 728 and 730 should read page 22 for rules and information about hunting in Camp Wainwright.

IMPORTANT: See page 32 for application and licence limitations for moose hunters.

# **MOUNTAIN GOAT DRAW**

#### DRAW CODE 35

#### **Residents Only**

## **Goat Special Licence Draw**

Price (GST not included): Resident \$51.11

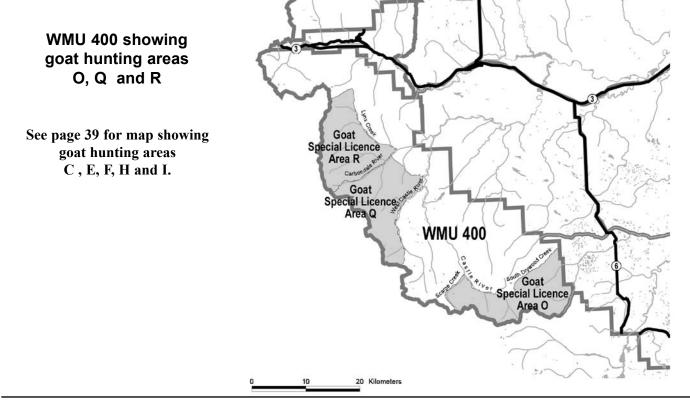
A Goat Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt an adult mountain goat in 1 of the following areas during its listed season.

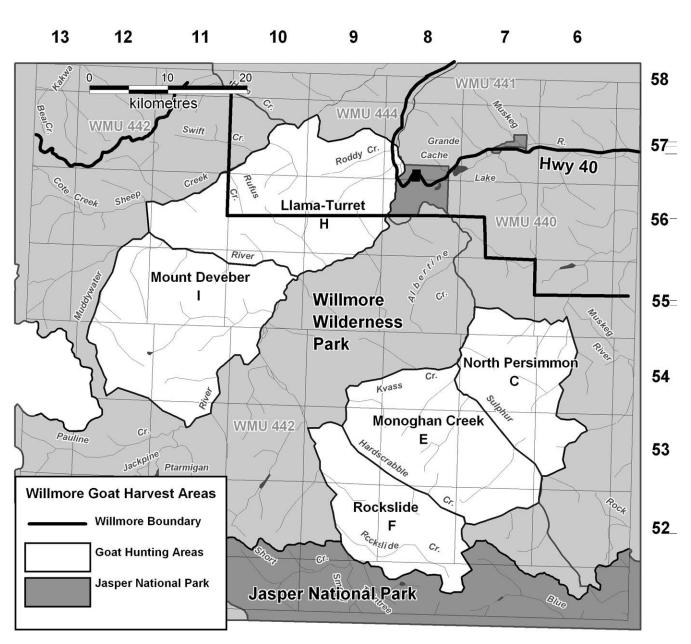
Resident hunters successful in drawing a Goat Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Area	Enter This Code
September 17 – October 31	0	996
	Q	997
	R	998
	С	835
September 10 – October 31	Е	836
	F	837
	Н	838
	Ι	715

#### **IMPORTANT:**

- 1. Because of the limited number of licences available, the draw priority system will not be applied to this draw. Each licence will be distributed on a completely random draw basis, and no priority will be assigned to the applicants not drawn. Note: drawn applicants are not allowed to apply in future years (once in a lifetime opportunity).
- 2. Group or joint applications are not valid for this draw. Applicants must apply individually.
- 3. It is intended that hunters direct their harvest towards adult male mountain goats. Additional information will be provided to drawn applicants to assist the hunter in differentiating between adult male and adult female goats.
- 4. Refer to the 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations, available in July, for further information regarding tagging and compulsory registration for goats.





#### WMUs 440, 442 and 444 showing Goat Hunting Areas C, E, F, H and I

## **SHEEP DRAWS**

## **DRAW GODE 29** Non-trophy Sheep Special Licence Draw

#### **Residents Only**

#### Price (GST not included): \$27.40

A Non-trophy Sheep Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a non-trophy sheep in 1 of the following areas during its listed season. A non-trophy sheep is a male mountain sheep under the age of 1 year or a female mountain sheep.

Resident hunters successful in drawing a Non-trophy Sheep Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Area	Enter This Code
September 10 – October 31	*402-303, 306	306
	*402-308	308
	*402A	853
	*406A	854
	*406B	855
	*408A	904
	*408B	856
	416	416
	*418A	844
	*418B	845
	420	420
	*422A	846
	*426A	847
	*430A	848
	*430B	849
	432	432
	*434A	850
	*434B	851
	437	437
	*438A	852
	*438D	704
	440	440
	442	442
	444	444
	*445A	906
	*445B	907
	446	446
	*438C	703
September 10 – November 30	410 – Archery Only	410

\* These areas comprise either a portion of one WMU or all of one WMU and a portion of an adjacent WMU. See descriptions on page 42 and 43.

IMPORTANT: A Non-trophy Sheep Special Licence is not valid for the taking of male mountain sheep over the age of 1 year.

#### The holder of a Non-trophy Sheep Special Licence may

- 1. hunt and kill 1 non-trophy sheep in the area prescribed on the licence, during the open season for non-trophy sheep in that area, but
- 2. not hunt a non-trophy sheep in the following areas:
  - a) within 1.6 km (1 mi.) of the Inland Cement Rock Quarry located near Cadomin;
  - b) within 3.2 km (2 mi.) of the intersection of the forestry trunk road and the South Ram River in Section 18, Township 36, Range 13, West of the 5th Meridian;
  - c) within 0.8 km (1/2 mi.) of Highway No. 3;
  - d) within 0.8 km (1/2 mi.) of Highway 1A between the west boundary of the Stoney Indian Reserve and Canmore;
  - e) within 1.6 km (1 mi.) of the intersection of Whitehorse Creek and the main forestry trunk road south of Cadomin;
  - f) within 1.6 km (1 mi.) of where Highway No. 16 intersects the east boundary of Jasper National Park;
  - g) within 182 m (200 yards) of the Canada Cement Rock Quarry at Exshaw;
  - h) within 1.6 km (1 mi.) of the Sheep River from the east boundary of WMU 406, upstream to Dyson Creek; and
  - i) within any wildlife sanctuary.

## SHEEP IDENTIFICATION





male lamb

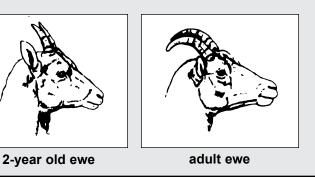
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male yearling

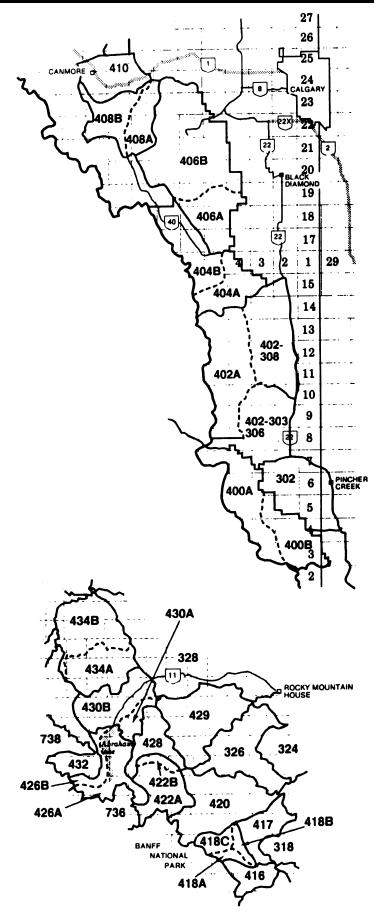
female yearling



## **NON-TROPHY SHEEP HUNTING AREAS**

- 303, 306, 402 Includes all of WMU 303, 306 and that portion of WMU 402 lying east of the Forestry Trunk Road and south of the Oldman River.
- **308**, **402** Includes all of WMU 308 and that portion of WMU 402 lying east of the Forestry Trunk Road and north of the Oldman River.
- 402A That portion of WMU 402 lying west of the Forestry Trunk Road.
- 404A\* That portion of WMU 404 lying south and east of Cataract Creek.
- 404B\* That portion of WMU 404 lying north and west of Cataract Creek.
- 406A That portion of WMU 406 lying south of the Sheep River Road and the Elbow Lake Road which runs from the Sheep River Road past Elbow Lake to Highway 40. Hunting is not permitted in the Sheep River Wildlife Sanctuary.
- 406B That portion of WMU 406 lying north of the Sheep River Road and the Elbow Lake Road which runs from the Sheep River Road past Elbow Lake to Highway 40. Hunting is not permitted in the Sheep River Wildlife Sanctuary.
- 408A That portion of WMU 408 lying east of Highway 40.
- 408B That portion of WMU 408 lying west of Highway 40.
- 418A That portion of WMU 418 lying south of the Red Deer River.
- **418B** That portion of WMU 418 lying east of Bighorn Creek and north of the Red Deer River.
- **422A** That portion of WMU 422 lying south of Onion Creek and south of the Ram River downstream from the mouth of Onion Creek.
- **426A** That portion of WMU 426 lying south of the North Saskatchewan River.
- **430A** That portion of WMU 430 lying south of the North Saskatchewan River.
- **430B** That portion of WMU 430 lying north of the North Saskatchewan River.
- 434A That portion of WMU 434 lying south of the Blackstone River and east of the height of land dividing the Opabin Creek drainage from the Mon's Creek and George Creek drainages.
- 434B That portion of WMU 434 lying north of the Blackstone River and west of the height of land dividing the Opabin Creek drainage from the Mon's Creek and George Creek drainages.

Non-Trophy Sheep Hunting Areas continued on next page



- **438A** That portion of WMU 438 lying north of the Drinnan Creek, Gregg River drainage. See map page 45.
- **438B\*** That portion of WMU 438 designated as the Cardinal River Coal Mineral Surface Lease and Gregg River Resources Ltd. 15 year Coal Lease. See map page 45.
- **438C** That portion of WMU 438 south of the Drinnan Creek, Gregg River Drainage and north of the north boundary of the Whitehorse Wildland Park, excluding non-trophy sheep hunting area 438B. See map page 45.
- **438D** That portion of WMU 438 south of the north boundary of the Whitehorse Wildland Park. See map page 45.
- **445A** That portion of WMU 445 lying generally west of Mouse Cache Creek, the Kakwa Falls trail between Mouse Cache Creek and the South Torrens River, the South Torrens River and the Torrens River.
- **445B** That portion of WMU 445 lying generally east of Mouse Cache Creek, the Kakwa Falls trail between Mouse Cache Creek and the South Torrens River, the South Torrens River and the Torrens River.

\*Please Note: These areas are not open for the 2012 season.



#### LICENCE LIMITS FOR RESIDENT TROPHY SHEEP HUNTERS

Hunters may possess only 1 of the following licences: a Trophy Sheep Licence, a WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence, a WMU 437 Trophy Sheep Special Licence, a WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep Special Licence, a WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Special Licence, or a WMU 438 Trophy Sheep Special Licence. If you apply in one of the 5 Trophy Sheep Special Licence Draws and your application is drawn, you may not buy a Trophy Sheep general licence.

## **DRAW CODE 30** WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence Draw

**Residents Only** 

Price (GST not included): \$51.31

A WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a trophy sheep in the following WMU during the listed season. See page 48 for definition of "trophy sheep."

Resident hunters successful in drawing a WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag (see page 15 for details)

Season	Enter This WMU
September 5 – November 30	410 - archery only

NOTE: WMU 410 is an archery-only area. The trophy sheep season in WMU 410 from September 5 – October 31 is provided for the hunter who holds a Bowhunting Permit and either a Trophy Sheep Licence or a WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence. The trophy sheep season in WMU 410 from November 1 – November 30 is provided only for the hunter who holds a Bowhunting Permit and a WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence.

**IMPORTANT**: If you killed a sheep, except a legal non-trophy sheep, in 2011, you may not purchase a Trophy Sheep Licence in 2012, however, you may apply for a WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence if you use '999' as your only draw choice for 2012.

Trophy Sheep Draws continued on next page

#### DRAW CODE 34

**Residents Only** 

## WMU 437 Trophy Sheep Special Licence Draw

#### Price (GST not included): \$51.31

A WMU 437 Trophy Sheep Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a trophy sheep in WMU 437 during one of its listed seasons. See page 48 for definition of "trophy sheep."

Resident hunters successful in drawing a WMU 437 Trophy Sheep Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

WMU	Season	Enter This Code
437	August 25 – September 23	890
	September 24 – October 31	891

**IMPORTANT**: If you killed a sheep, except a legal non-trophy sheep, in 2011, you may not purchase a Trophy Sheep Licence in 2012 however you may apply for a WMU 437 Trophy Sheep Special Licence if you use '999' as your only draw choice for 2012. A maximum of 2 hunters may apply together for this draw.

## **DRAW CODE 37** WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep Special Licence Draw

Price (GST not included): \$51.31

#### **Residents Only**

A WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a trophy sheep. See page 48 for definition of "trophy sheep."

Resident hunters successful in drawing a WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

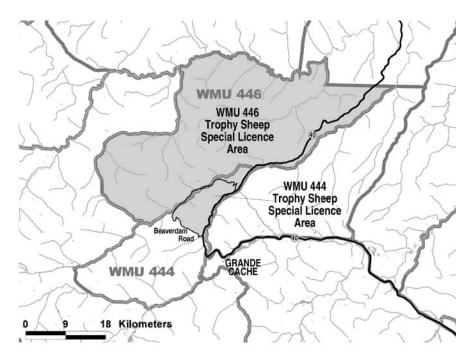
Season	WMU	Enter This Code
August 25 - October 31	444, 446	444

A hunter successfully drawn is authorized to hunt in WMU 446 and that portion of WMU 444 north of the Beaverdam road. (Refer to the map below). Note: There is a general trophy sheep season in WMU 444 from August 25 – October 31 south of the Beaverdam road; this portion is only open to holders of a Trophy Sheep Licence.

#### **IMPORTANT**:

1. If you killed a sheep, except a legal non-trophy sheep, in 2011, you may not purchase a Trophy Sheep licence in 2012; however, you may apply for a WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep Special Licence if you use '999' as your only draw choice for 2012.

2. A maximum of 2 hunters may apply together for this draw.



#### DRAW CODE 36

## WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Special Licence Draw

#### **Residents Only**

Price (GST not included): \$51.31

A WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a trophy sheep. See page 48 for definition of "trophy sheep."

Resident hunters successful in drawing a WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	Enter This WMU
November 1 - November 30 (Archery Only)	408

A hunter successfully drawn is authorized to hunt in that portion of WMU 408 lying west of Highway 40. This licence authorizes hunting by means of archery only during the period November 1 – November 30. A bowhunting permit must also be obtained.

NOTE: There is a general trophy sheep season in WMU 408 from September 5 – October 31; this season is provided for the hunter who holds either a Trophy Sheep Licence or a WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Special Licence (west of Highway 40).

#### IMPORTANT:

1. If you killed a sheep, except a legal non-trophy sheep, in 2011, you may not purchase a Trophy Sheep licence in 2012; however, you may apply for a WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Special Licence if you use '999' as your only draw choice for 2012.

2. A maximum of 2 hunters may apply together for this draw.

#### DRAW CODE 38 Residents Only

## WMU 438 Trophy Sheep Special Licence Draw Price (GST not included): \$51.31

A WMU 438 Trophy Sheep Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a trophy sheep in Area 438C and will be valid for 1 of the following 10-day seasons. See page 48 for definition of "trophy sheep."

Resident hunters successful in drawing a WMU 438 Trophy Sheep Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

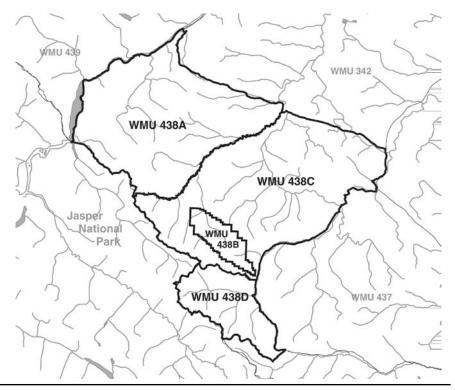
Season Choices	Enter 1 of these Codes
November 1 - November 10	710
November 11 - November 20	711
November 21 - November 30	712

A hunter successfully drawn in Area 438C is authorized to hunt in that portion of WMU 438 south of the Drinnan Creek, Gregg River Drainage and north of the north boundary of the Whitehorse Wildland Park, excluding Area 438B. Area 438B includes the portion of WMU 438 designated as the Cardinal River Coal Mineral Surface Lease and Gregg River Resources Ltd. 15 year Coal Lease.

Note: There is a general trophy sheep season in WMU 438 from August 25 - October 31. This is only open to holders of a Trophy Sheep Licence.

#### **IMPORTANT**:

- 1. If you killed a sheep, except a legal non-trophy sheep, in 2011, you may not purchase a Trophy Sheep licence in 2012.
- 2. A maximum of 2 hunters may apply together for this draw.
- 3. The draw priority system will not be applied to this draw. No priority will be assigned to the applicants not drawn.



#### LICENCE LIMITS FOR NON-RESIDENT TROPHY SHEEP HUNTERS

Hunters may possess only 1 Trophy Sheep Special Licence. If you apply in this Trophy Sheep Special Licence draw, you may not purchase a Trophy Sheep Special Licence through an Outfitter-guide if your application has been drawn.

## **Trophy Sheep Special Licence Draw**

#### Non-residents (Canadian) Only

DRAW CODE 31

Price (GST not included): \$317.82

A Non-resident Trophy Sheep Special Licence obtained through this draw authorizes the holder to hunt a trophy sheep in any WMU open for non-resident trophy sheep hunting during the season specified for non-residents. See page 48 for definition of "trophy sheep."

WMUs	Season	Enter This Code
412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 439, 440, 441,442, 444*, 445	September 1 – October 15	860
410 Archery Only	September 5 – November 30	

\* In WMU 444 this licence is only valid in that portion of the WMU that lies south of the Beaverdam Road.

**IMPORTANT**: If you killed a sheep in Alberta in 2011, you may not apply for or purchase a Trophy Sheep Special Licence in 2012. For this draw, non-residents (Canadian) have to apply without a resident, since residents are not required to enter a draw for trophy sheep licences. However, while hunting, the hunter must be accompanied by a licensed Hunter Host (see page 48). A **maximum of 2 non-residents may apply together** because only 2 licences are available through this draw.

## **DRAW CODE 32** Merriam's Turkey Special Licence Draw

**Residents Only** 

Price (GST not included): \$25.81

#### The draw application period for the spring 2013 Merriam's Turkey is June 1 to June 25, 2012.

A Merriam's Turkey Special Licence authorizes the holder to hunt a bearded Merriam's turkey in WMUs 300-308, 400, 402 during the listed season.

Resident hunters successful in drawing a Merriam's Turkey Special Licence may designate a resident youth partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details)

Season	WMUs	Enter This Code
May 1, 2013 – May 31, 2013	300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308, 400, 402	305

**IMPORTANT**: Successfully drawn hunters may purchase their Merriam's Turkey Special Licence starting mid March, 2013. You must hold a Game Bird Licence in addition to the Merriam's Turkey Special Licence. Please refer to the 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations available in July for further information regarding tagging requirements for Merriam's Turkey.

#### DRAW CODE 39

#### **Residents Only**

## **Bison Special Licence Draw**

Price (GST not included): \$50.00

Resident hunters successful in drawing a Bison Special Licence may designate a resident (adult or youth) partner to hunt with them and share the special licence tag. (See page 15 for details).

WMU	Season	Enter This Code
Bison Hunting Zone 1	January 1, 2013 - February 28, 2013	861

The Fish and Wildlife Division of Alberta Sustainable Resource Development (ASRD) continues to offer a hunting season as a management strategy for the Hay-Zama wood bison herd. The population goal for this herd is 400 to 600 animals. The preseason population estimate for this herd in 2012 is 587 bison. These bison are at risk for contact with diseased bison moving westward from the Wood Buffalo National Park and surrounding area. There are still concerns involving collisions between bison and vehicles on area roads.

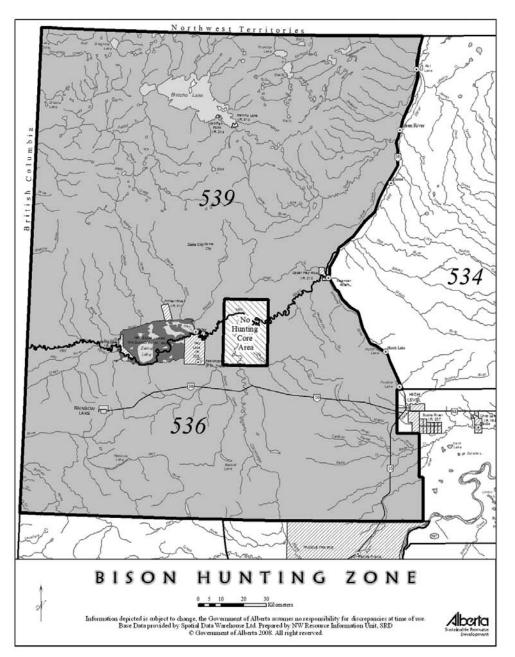
A hunter successfully drawn in Bison Hunting Zone 1 is authorized to hunt in WMUs 536 and 539 with the exception of a core bison protection area, consisting of the 6 townships (Townships 112 to 114, Ranges 2 and 3, West of the 6th Meridian).

Residents of Alberta may apply for a Resident Bison Special Licence in the 2012 Alberta Hunting Draws in June of 2012. Group applications are not valid for this draw. Applicants must apply individually. The bison hunting season will be from January 1. 2013 to February 28, 2013. Hunters drawn for a Resident Bison Special Licence will be eligible to take only one bison regardless of age or sex. At this time AFWD recommends that hunters select for adult males. Successful bison hunters will be required to register their kill at a Fish and Wildlife Office. Successful draw applicants will be contacted about collecting biological samples. Because this is an unique hunting opportunity with a limited number of licences available, the draw priority system will not be applied to this draw. Each licence will be selected on a random draw basis and no priority will be assigned to the applicants not drawn.

This hunt has evolved into a wilderness hunt and hunters must be prepared to hunt off road during winter conditions that can be severe.

All bison taken must be registered at a Fish and Wildlife Division Office within 5 business days.

Over 300 bison have tested negative for bovine tuberculosis and brucellosis from this herd and no further disease testing will be required for 3 to 5 years.



## **GENERAL HUNTING REGULATIONS**

The following are brief summaries of some of the hunting regulations that apply to the purchase and use of licences obtained through a draw. A more comprehensive summary is presented in the 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations. It is available free-of-charge at licence issuers and Fish and Wildlife Division offices and online at albertaregulations.ca starting in July. Obtain a copy and read it prior to using any licence.

## WILDLIFE CERTIFICATE & LICENCES

A person must possess the applicable hunting licence in order to hunt big game or game birds. The hunter must carry the licence and applicable tag(s) on his or her person while hunting. A person applying for a draw is not required to possess a Wildlife Certificate, but must purchase one before using any hunting licence.

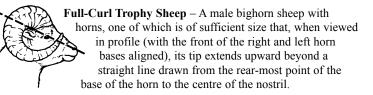
## DEFINITIONS

The following definitions will help you understand the information in this booklet. A more complete listing of definitions for all regulations is available in the 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations.

Antlered – a white-tailed deer, mule deer, moose or elk having an antler exceeding 10.2 cm (4 in.) in length.

Antlerless – a white-tailed deer, mule deer, moose or elk that is not 'antlered' (as defined above).

**Designated Guide** – a person designated by the Alberta Professional Outfitters Society to commercially guide big game hunters in Alberta.



**Either Sex Special Elk** – authorizes the hunting of any age, size, or gender of elk in a specific WMU.

Hunter Host – an adult resident who is the holder of a valid Hunter Host Licence. To be eligible for this licence, you must hold a WIN card and be eligible to obtain a recreational hunting licence. A Hunter Host may not provide services for gain or reward, or accept a fee for services directly or indirectly. The licence authorizes the holder (usually a relative or friend of the hunters to be hosted) to accompany a maximum of two Non-residents (Canadian) or Non-resident Aliens named on the host's licence to hunt wolf, coyote and big game throughout the province during the seasons and in the locations where the licences are valid.

**Non-resident** (Canadian) – a person who is not a Resident (see below), but who makes his or her home and is ordinarily present in Canada, and who has lived in Canada for the 12-month period immediately preceding the relevant date.

**Non-resident Alien** – a person who is neither a Resident (see below) nor a Non-resident (see above).

**Non-trophy Antelope** – a female pronghorn antelope or a male pronghorn antelope having horns not more than 7.6 cm (3 in.) in length.

**Outfitter-guide** – a person who is the holder of a valid Outfitter-guide Permit, and who provides outfitting and guiding services to big game hunters in Alberta.

• Class S Outfitter-guide – an Outfitter-guide who holds Non-resident (Canadian) and Non-resident Alien allocations for Trophy Sheep

Special Licences. A Class S Outfitter-guide may also hold allocations for other big game special licences.

• Class T Outfitter-guide – an Outfitter-guide who holds Non-resident (Canadian) and Non-resident Alien allocations for big game special licences other than those for trophy sheep.

**Partner Licence** – a licence issued to an eligible hunter that allows him or her to hunt a specific species in a specified WMU and season under the direct authority of a Special Licence held by another hunter successful in a draw.

**Resident** – a person who either

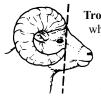
- has his or her only or primary residence in Alberta and
  - 1) is a Canadian citizen or is admitted to permanent residence in Canada, or
  - 2) has lived in Canada for the 12-month period immediately preceding the relevant date; or
- is on full-time service with the Armed Forces of Canada and would, if an election were held under the Elections Act (Canada), be eligible to vote in Alberta under that Act.

**Six-point Elk** – a male elk bearing an antler that is composed of a main beam from which project not fewer than five tines, each of which is at least 7.6 cm (3 in.) in length.

**Special Licence** – a licence obtained through a draw process, or for Non-resident and Non-resident Alien hunters, through an Outfitter-guide. It permits hunting of a specific type or class of game only in specific areas during a specified season (page 6).

**Three-point Elk** – a male elk bearing an antler that is composed of a main beam from which project not fewer than two tines, each of which is at least 7.6 cm (3 in.) in length.

**Trophy Antelope** – a male pronghorn antelope that has a horn at least 12.6 cm (5 in.) in length.



Trophy Sheep – a male bighorn sheep with horns, one of which is of sufficient size that a straight line drawn from the most anterior point of the base of the horn to the tip of the horn extends beyond the anterior edge of the eye when viewed in profile (with the front of the right and left horn bases aligned).

**WMU** – Wildlife Management Unit, a geographical area prescribed in legislation.

**WIN** – Wildlife Identification Number, a permanent registration number issued to each angler and hunter.

## LICENCES AND COMBINATIONS FOR RESIDENTS

The following table lists the big game and game bird licences available for residents either through a draw (special licences), online or "over the counter" at a private licence issuer.

NOTE: The 5% federal Goods and Services Tax (GST) is not included in the prices listed in these tables.

Prior to using any licence, each hunter must possess a WIN and a WILDLIFE CERTIFICATE, which costs \$28.22 (or \$8.30 for a Resident Youth Wildlife Certificate, page 16). Hunters wishing to hunt with a bow and arrow must also purchase a Bowhunting Permit.

#### LICENCES AND COMBINATIONS FOR RESIDENTS

Licence	Price (\$)	Restrictions Applying to the Species	Maximum Licences Allowed Per Hunter
White-tailed Deer	36.95	A Resident Adult may obtain only 1 of	A Resident Adult or Youth may
Antlered White-tailed Deer Special Licence	36.65	the first 2 licences.	obtain 4 different licences from this list of 25, but not more than 1 licence
Youth White-tailed Deer <sup>5</sup>	8.25	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	from this list for any one species.
Special Antlered White-tailed Deer Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	the last 3 licences.	
Mule Deer	36.95	A Resident Adult may obtain only 1 of	
Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence	36.65	the first 2 licences.	
Youth Mule Deer <sup>5</sup>	8.25	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of the last 3 licences.	
Special Antlered Mule Deer Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	the last 5 licences.	
Elk	34.95	A Resident Adult may obtain only 1 of	
WMU 300 Elk Special Licence	34.65	the first 6 licences.	
Either Sex Elk Special Licence	34.65	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	
Cypress Hills Elk Archery <sup>1</sup>	34.65	these 10 licences.	
Antlerless Elk Special Licence	34.65		
Antlered Elk Special Licence	34.65		
Special WMU 300 Elk Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Special Either Sex Elk Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Special Antlerless Elk Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Special Antlered Elk Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Moose	36.95	A Resident Adult may obtain only 1 of	
Antlerless Moose Special Licence	36.65	the first 6 licences.	
Antlered Moose Special Licence	36.85	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	
Calf Moose Special Licence	36.65	these 7 licences.	
Special Antlered Moose Partner Licence	12.00		
Special Antlerless Moose Partner Licence	12.00		
Special Calf Moose Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Trophy Sheep	51.31	A Resident who killed a sheep, except a	A Resident Adult may obtain only 1
WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Special Licence	51.31	legal non-trophy sheep, in 2011 may not	of the first 6 licences.
WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Special Licence	51.31	purchase a Trophy Sheep Licence in 2012.	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1
WMU 437 Trophy Sheep Special Licence	51.31		of these 11 licences.
WMU 438 Trophy Sheep Special Licence	51.31		
WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep Special Licence	51.31		
Special WMU 410 Trophy Sheep Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Special WMU 408 Trophy Sheep Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Special WMU 437 Trophy Sheep Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	1	
Special WMU 438 Trophy Sheep Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Special WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		continued on next page

Licence	Price (\$)	Restrictions Applying to the Species	Maximum Licences Allowed Per Hunter
Non-trophy Sheep Special Licence	27.40	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	A Resident Adult may obtain 1 of
Special Non-trophy Sheep Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	these 2 licences.	each of these 16 licences (excluding the Youth licences).
Antlerless White-tailed Deer Special Licence	18.70	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	the fouth ficences).
Special Antlerless White-tailed Deer Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	these 2 licences.	A Resident Youth may obtain 16 different licences from this list of 23,
Supplemental Antlerless White-tailed Deer <sup>2</sup>	19.15		but not more than 1 licence from this
Strathcona White-tailed Deer	18.70		list for any one species.
Foothills Deer <sup>3</sup>	18.70		
Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence (issued to a youth)	21.20 (8.00)	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of these 2 licences.	
Special Antlerless Mule Deer Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Antlerless Deer (WMUs 212 & 248)	10.70		
Camp Wainwright Deer Special Licence	37.99	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	
Special Camp Wainwright Deer Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	these 2 licences.	
WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Archery	18.95		
WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Special Licence	34.65	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of these 2 licences.`	1
Special WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Black Bear	15.65		
Supplemental Black Bear <sup>4</sup>	15.45		
Cougar	20.31		
Goat Special Licence	51.11	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	
Special Goat Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	these 2 licences. For future restrictions see page 38.	
Bison Special Licence	50.00	A Resident may obtain only 1 of these 2	
Special Bison Partner Licence	12.00	licences.	
Antelope Archery Special Licence	51.31	None	A Resident Adult may obtain only 1
Non-trophy Antelope Special Licence	19.35		of the first 3 licences.
Trophy Antelope Special Licence	51.31		A Resident Youth may obtain only 1
Special Antelope Archery Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		of these 6 licences.
Special Non-trophy Antelope Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Special Trophy Antelope Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00		
Game Bird	10.80	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Pheasant	15.38		
Merriam's Turkey Special Licence	25.81	A Resident Youth may obtain only 1 of	
Special Merriam's Turkey Partner Licence (Youth)	12.00	these 2 licences.	

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Licence	Price (\$)	Restrictions Applying to the Species	Maximum Licences Allowed Per Hunter
Bowhunting Permit (not required for cross-bows)	9.20	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Hunter Host Licence	27.00		
WIN Renewal	8.00		
Licence Reprint <sup>6</sup>	2.00		
Tag Reprint <sup>7</sup>	4.00		
Replacement WIN Card	4.00		

<sup>1</sup> This licence is only valid during the Cypress Hills Elk Archery Licence season, September 1 - October 15; WMUs 116, 118 and 119.

- <sup>2</sup> The Supplemental Antlerless White-tailed Deer Licence will be issued with two tags and is only valid in WMUs 258, 300, 310-314, 322-332, 336-340, 344-357, 360, 436-446, 500-503, 505-521, 523-531, 534-544.
- <sup>3</sup> When hunting under the authority of this licence, hunters must carry written permission to hunt from a landowner involved.
- <sup>4</sup> This licence is only valid in the following WMUs where 2 black bear licences may be used: 224, 250, 258, 260, 320-360, 429, 445, 500-544 and 841.
- <sup>5</sup> These licences are valid during the seasons that do not require one of the special licences obtained through a draw.
- <sup>6</sup> Licences purchased at a licence issuer can be reprinted at any licence issuer for a \$2.00 fee. Licences purchased online can be reprinted online at no charge.
- <sup>7</sup> Tags issued by a licence issuer can be reprinted at any licence issuer for a \$4.00 fee. A replacement tag(s) for a licence purchased online can be replaced at no charge. You are required to bring your licence to a Fish and Wildlife District office. In both cases you must complete a statutory declaration to authorize the replacement at a Fish and Wildlife District office (See page 59).

## LICENCES AND COMBINATIONS FOR NON-RESIDENTS (CANADIAN)

The following table lists the big game and game bird licences available for Non-residents (Canadian) either through a draw (special licences) or "over the counter" at a private licence issuer.

NOTE: The 5% federal Goods and Services Tax (GST) is not included in the prices listed in these tables.

Prior to using any licence, each hunter must possess a WIN and a WILDLIFE CERTIFICATE, which costs \$28.22. Hunters wishing to hunt with a bow and arrow (but not a cross-bow) must also purchase a Bowhunting Permit.

All Non-resident hunters of big game, wolf or coyote require a Designated Guide or a Hunter Host. See Outfitting and Guiding Requirements on page 53. Non-resident game bird hunters who choose to contract a hunt with an outfitter-guide must do so through a Bird Game Outfitter-guide.

#### LICENCES AND COMBINATIONS FOR NON-RESIDENTS (CANADIAN)

Licence	Price (\$)	Restrictions Applying to the Species	Maximum Licences Allowed Per Hunter
White-tailed Deer	122.33	A Non-resident may not obtain more	A Non-resident may obtain 4 different
Antlered White-tailed Deer Special Licence <sup>1</sup>	122.33	than 1 of these 2 licences.	licences from this list of 9, but not more than 1 licence for any one
Antlered Mule Deer	122.33	A Non-resident may not obtain more	species.
Antlered Mule Deer Special Licence <sup>1</sup>	122.33	than 1 of these 2 licences.	
Antlered Elk	135.31	A Non-resident may not obtain more than 1 of these 2 licences.	
Antlered Elk Special Licence <sup>1</sup>	135.31		
Antlered Moose	135.31	A Non-resident may not obtain more	
Antlered Moose Special Licence <sup>1</sup>	135.31	than 1 of these 3 licences.	
Special Antlered Moose Partner Licence	44.00		

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#### LICENCES AND COMBINATIONS FOR NON-RESIDENTS (CANADIAN)

Licence	Price (\$)	Restrictions Applying to the Species	Maximum Licences Allowed Per Hunter
Trophy Sheep Special Licence <sup>1,2</sup>	317.82	A Non-resident who killed a sheep in 2011 may not purchase a Trophy Sheep Special Licence in 2012.	A Non-resident may obtain 1 of each from this list of 3.
Wolf/Coyote	12.40	See 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations for dates and restrictions.	
Trophy Antelope Special Licence <sup>3</sup>	182.45	None	
Black Bear Licence	63.61	A Non-resident accompanied by a Hunter Host may obtain both of	A Non-resident may obtain 1 of each licence from this list of 2. However, Non-residents purchasing 1 of these
Supplemental Black Bear Licence <sup>4</sup>	63.61	- these licences.	two licences may not purchase a Black Bear Special Licence.
Black Bear Special Licence <sup>5</sup>	63.61	Non-residents must purchase these licences through an Outfitter-guide.	Non-residents purchasing this licence may not purchase a Black Bear Licence or a Supplemental Black Bear Licence.
Cougar	135.31	Not Applicable	1 licence only from this list of 2.
Cougar Special Licence	135.31		
Game Bird	31.96	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
3-Day Game Bird	22.45		
Pheasant	22.62		
Bowhunting Permit (not required for cross-bows)	16.45		
WIN Renewal	8.00		
Licence Reprint <sup>6</sup>	2.00	]	
Tag Reprint <sup>7</sup>	4.00		

<sup>1</sup> These licences are available through the draw system for Non-residents (Canadian) if they are hunting with a Hunter Host.

<sup>2</sup> Non-resident Trophy Sheep Special Licences are only available through Class S Outfitter-guides or through a draw. Only 2 licences are available through a draw, and each hunter successful in the draw must be accompanied by a Hunter Host.

- <sup>3</sup> Non-resident Trophy Antelope Special Licences are available through an outfitter-guide or through a draw. See Outfitting and Guiding Requirements (page 53).
- <sup>4</sup> This licence is valid only in the following WMUs where 2 black bear licences may be used: 224, 250, 258, 260, 320-360, 429, 445, 500-544 and 841.
- <sup>5</sup> These licences are valid for 2 black bears if the outfitter-guide's allocation is valid for a WMU where the Supplemental Black Bear Licence is valid (2-bear areas).
- <sup>6</sup> Licences purchased at a licence issuer can be reprinted at any licence issuer for a \$2.00 fee. Licences purchased online can be reprinted online at no charge.
- <sup>7</sup> Tags issued by a licence issuer can be reprinted at any licence issuer for a \$4.00 fee. A replacement tag(s) for a licence purchased online can be replaced at no charge. You are required to bring your licence to a district office. In both cases you must complete a statutory declaration to authorize the replacement at a Fish and Wildlife District office (See page 59).

## OUTFITTING AND GUIDING REQUIREMENTS FOR NON-RESIDENTS (CANADIAN) (see Definitions on page 48)

#### **Big Game**

Due to the fact that only Resident and Non-resident (Canadian) hunters are eligible to apply for special licence draws, only the outfitting and guiding requirements of Non-residents (Canadian) are presented here. [Note: there are further restrictions for Non-resident Alien hunters that hunt with a Hunter Host. Those restrictions are outlined in the 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations (available in July) and can be viewed online at: srd.alberta.ca, mywildalberta.com or albertaregulations.ca.

A non-resident (Canadian) hunter of big game, wolf and coyote has two options:

- he or she may contract the holder of a valid Outfitter-guide Permit, be guided by a Designated Big Game Guide and hunt under the authority of a licence allocated to the outfitter-guide, or
- he or she may be accompanied by Hunter Host (see below) usually a relative or friend under the authority of a special licence obtained through the draw or a non-draw licence for which he or she is eligible.

#### A Hunter Host

- must be an adult resident, hold a WIN and be eligible to hold recreational hunting licences.
- must be the holder of a Hunter Host Licence (see below).
- may not provide services for gain or reward, or accept remuneration, directly or indirectly, for such services.
- may accompany a maximum of two (2) hunters/year, either Non-residents (Canadian), Non-resident Aliens or a combination thereof. Only one (1) of the Non-resident Alien hunters may be a non-relative.
- must accompany the hunter(s) named on the Hunter Host Licence while hunters are hunting big game under the authority of the Hunter Host Licence.

#### Hunter Host Licence

- A resident who wishes to accompany a Non-resident (Canadian) as a Hunter Host may purchase the Hunter Host Licence at any private licence issuer.
- You must have the WIN(s) of the Non-resident(s) at the time of purchase. You **must** ensure that the hunters you accompany are named on your Hunter Host Licence. If you purchase your Hunter Host Licence naming one hunter and you decide to add a second hunter to your licence at a later date, you can do so at no additional charge. Return to a private licence issuer with your licence and have it amended.
- Once you have purchased your Hunter Host Licence, the Non-resident(s) (Canadian) may purchase their licences.

## **NON-DRAW LICENCE SEASONS**

The following tables list the seasons available to hunters using licences not acquired through a draw (licences that are purchased "over the counter" or online with a valid WIN and Wildlife Certificate).

Archery-only Seasons are those where only a bow and arrow may be used to hunt. Cross-bows may be used in the archery-only seasons by holders of Cross-bow Licences issued to eligible handicapped persons. The archery-only seasons usually precede general seasons. WMUs 212, 248 and 410 are archery-only seasons and do not have a general season.

General Seasons are those where either a firearm, cross-bow or a bow and arrow may be used.

This information is being provided to help hunters plan their hunting trips. Before applying on a draw, a hunter may want to know what non-draw licence seasons are available.

## **ARCHERY-ONLY, NON-DRAW LICENCE SEASONS**

### WHITE-TAILED DEER – Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	Archery-only Season	WMUs
Antlered and Antlerless	Aug. 25 – Aug. 31	511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 524, 525, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 536, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544
	Aug. 25 – Sept. 16	326, 328, 330, 339, 340, 342, 344, 346, 347, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 429, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527, 535, 537
	Aug. 25 – Sept. 23	316
	Sept. 8 – Sept. 23	404, 406, 408
	Sept. 1 – Sept. 23	400, 402
	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	212, 248
	Sept. 8 – Nov. 30	410
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 24	300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	166, 200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 210, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 310, 312, 314, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 348, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510
	Sept. 1 – Nov. 6	102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 116, 118, 119, 124, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 148, 150, 151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164

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## WHITE-TAILED DEER – Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons (continued from page 53)

Туре	Archery-only Season	WMUs
Antlered and Antlerless	Oct. 17 – Oct. 31	936 <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Hunters (including bow hunters) require a firearms discharge permit to hunt in WMU 936. Self-registration discharge permits are no longer available. All hunters for WMU 936 are required to attend a safety orientation prior to receiving their discharge permit. Please contact the Cooking Lake/Blackfoot Grazing, Wildlife Recreation Area office, (780-922-3293) in order to receive information regarding orientation dates and requirements for obtaining your discharge permit.

#### MULE DEER – Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	Archery-only Season	WMUs
Antlered and	Aug. 25 – Sept. 16	326, 346, 357, 358, 359, 360, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527, 537
Antlerless	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	166, 200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 210, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 310, 312, 314, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 348, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 24	300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308
	Sept. 1 – Nov. 6	102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 116, 118, 119, 124, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 148, 150, 151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164
	Sept. 8 – Sept. 23	404, 406, 408
	Sept. 1 – Sept. 23	400, 402
	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	212, 248
	Sept. 8 – Nov. 30	410
Antlered	Aug. 25 – Aug. 31	511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 524, 525, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 536, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544
	Aug. 25 – Sept. 16	328, 330, 339, 340, 342, 344, 347, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 429, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 535
	Aug. 25 – Sept. 23	316
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	338

#### MOOSE - Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	Archery-only Season	WMUs
Antlered and	Aug. 25 – Sept. 23	352, 353, 355
Antlerless	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	316, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 506, 509
	Sept. 8 – Sept. 23	404, 406
	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	212, 248
	Sept. 8 – Nov. 30	410
Antlered	Aug. 25 – Aug. 31	511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 524, 525, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 536, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544
	Aug. 25 – Sept. 23	339, 340, 342, 344, 346, 347, 349, 350, 351, 354, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527, 535, 537
	Sept. 8 – Sept. 23	408
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	505, 510
Antlerless	Aug. 25 – Sept. 23	354
(calf only)	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	505, 510

Туре	Archery-only Season	WMUs
Antlered and	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	212, 248
Antlerless	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	200, 202, 203, 232, 234
	Sept. 8 – Nov. 30	410
Antlered (6-point	Sept. 8 – Sept. 16	404, 406, 408
or larger) and Antlerless	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	509
	Aug. 25 - Sept. 16	438, 439, 441, 444
Antlered (6-point or larger)	Aug. 25 – Sept. 16	412, 414, 426, 432, 434, 436, 437, 440, 442, 445, 446
Antlered (3-point or larger) and	Aug. 25 – Sept. 16	330, 340, 342, 344, 346, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 520, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527, 544
Antlerless	Sept. 1 – Sept. 16	400, 402
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 24	214, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	216, 221, 224, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 348, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 510, 511
Antlered (3-point	Aug. 25 – Sept. 16	326, 328, 339, 347, 349, 350, 351, 429, 525
or larger)	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	316

#### ELK – Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons

#### TROPHY SHEEP – Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	Archery-only Season	WMUs
Resident	Sept. 5 – Oct. 31	410

BLACK BEAR - Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons Note: there are no draws for black bear licences.

Туре	Archery-only Season	WMUs
Fall 2012	Aug. 25 – Aug. 31	326, 328, 330, 339, 340, 342, 344, 346, 347, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 429, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 535, 536, 537, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544
	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	212
	Sept. 8 – Nov. 30	410
Spring 2013	April 1 – May 31	212, 410

The Supplemental Black Bear Licence is valid in WMUs 224, 250, 258, 260, 320-326, 429, 445, 500-544 and 841.

The baiting of black bears is permitted in WMUs 322, 330-338, 348, 358-360, 500-507, 509, 510, 512-520, 522, 523, 529-536, 539-544 and portions of 320, 324, 357, 521, 526, and 528.

#### COUGAR - Archery-only, non-draw licence seasons Note: there are no draws for cougar licences.

Archery-only Season	WMUs
Nov. 1, 2012 – Nov. 30, 2012 <sup>3</sup>	212, 248
Nov. 1, 2012 – Feb. 28, 2013 <sup>2,3</sup>	410

<sup>1</sup> The use of dogs to hunt cougars is prohibited during this season.

<sup>2</sup> The use of dogs to hunt cougars is prohibited from Nov. 1 – Nov. 30. From Dec. 1, 2012 – Feb. 28, 2013, hunters must call 1-800-661-3729 (toll free) prior to hunting each day to determine if the season remains open. (see *2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations* for more information)

<sup>3</sup> Residents only are allowed to hunt from Nov. 1 - Nov. 30 during this season.

#### Additional archery-only, non-draw licence seasons (see 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations for details):

- Cypress Hills Elk Archery Licence season, Sept. 1 Oct. 15; WMUs 116, 118 and 119.
- WMU 212 Antlerless Elk Archery Licence season, Sept. 1 Nov. 30.
- Antlerless Deer Licence season, Sept. 1 Nov. 30; WMUs 212 and 248.
- Foothills Deer Licence season, Mondays to Fridays, December 1 December 20, WMU 212.
- Strathcona White-tailed Deer Licence season, Oct. 25 Dec. 7, in that portion of WMU 248 within the Counties of Strathcona and Leduc.

### **GENERAL NON-DRAW LICENCE SEASONS**

#### WHITE-TAILED DEER - General, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	General Season	WMUs
Antlered and Antlerless	Nov. 1 – Nov. 30	200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 310, 312, 314, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 348, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510
	Sept. 17 – Nov. 30	326, 328, 330, 339, 340, 342, 344, 346, 347, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 360, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 521, 523, 526, 527, 535, 537
	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 524, 525, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 536, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544
	Oct. 25 – Nov. 30	300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308
	Nov. 9 – Nov. 30	9361
Antlered	Sept. 17 – Nov. 30	358, 359, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 429, 430, 432, 434, 522, 841
	Sept. 24 – Nov. 30	316, 400, 402
	Nov. 1 – Nov. 30	166, 210
	Nov. 7 – Nov. 10 Nov. 14 – Nov. 17 Nov. 21 – Nov. 24 Nov. 28 – Dec. 1	102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 116, 118, 119, 124, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 148, 150, 151, 152, 156, 158, 160, 162, 163, 164
Antlerless	Nov. 1 – Nov. 7	358, 359, 522
	Nov. 1 – Nov. 15	400, 402, 429
	Nov. 1 – Nov. 30	316, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 841

The Supplemental Antlerless White-tailed Deer Licence will be issued with two tags and is only valid in WMUs 258, 300, 310-314, 322-332, 336-340, 344-357, 360, 436-446, 500-503, 505-521, 523-531, 534-544.

<sup>1</sup> Hunters (including bow hunters) require a firearms discharge permit to hunt in WMU 936. Self-registration discharge permits are no longer available. All hunters for WMU 936 are required to attend a safety orientation prior to receiving their discharge permit. Please contact the Cooking Lake/Blackfoot Grazing, Wildlife Recreation Area office, (780-922-3293) in order to receive information regarding orientation dates and requirements for obtaining your discharge permit.

#### MULE DEER – General, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	General Season	WMUs
Antlered	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 524, 525, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 536, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544
	Sept. 17 – Nov. 30	339, 340, 342, 344, 347, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 412, 414, 432, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 841
	Sept. 24 – Nov. 30	316

#### ELK – General, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	General Season	WMUs
Antlered (6-point or larger)	Sept. 17 – Nov. 30	412, 414, 426, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446
Antlered (3-point or larger)	Sept. 17 – Nov. 30	326, 328, 330, 339, 340, 342, 344, 346, 347, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 400, 402, 429, 520, 521, 522, 523, 525, 526, 527, 544
	Oct. 25 – Nov. 30	214, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314
	Nov. 1 – Nov. 30	216, 221, 224, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 348, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 510, 511

### TROPHY SHEEP - General, non-draw licence seasons

Туре	General Season	WMUs
Resident	Aug. 25 – Oct. 31	412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444**, 445
	Sept. 5 – Oct. 31	302*, 303, 306, 308, 400*, 402, 404, 406, 408

\* WMUs 302 and 400 are open only for full-curl rams.

\*\* This season applies only to that portion of WMU 444 south of the Beaverdam Road.

Black Bear and Cougar General Seasons next page

#### BLACK BEAR - General, non-draw licence seasons Note: there are no draws for black bear licences.

Туре	General Season	WMUs
Fall 2012	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30	200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 342, 344, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 400, 402, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 429, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 535, 536, 537, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544, 841
	Sept. 8 – Nov. 30	404, 406, 408
Spring 2013	April 1 – May 15	404, 406, 408, 841
	April 1 – May 31	200, 202, 203, 204, 206, 208, 214, 216, 220, 221, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 342, 348, 400, 402, 429, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510
	April 1 – June 15	344, 346, 347, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 534, 535, 536, 537, 539, 540, 541, 542, 544

The Supplemental Black Bear Licence is valid in WMUs 224, 250, 258, 260, 320-360, 429, 445, 500-544 and 841. The baiting of black bears is permitted in WMUs 322, 330-338, 348, 358-360, 500-507, 509, 510, 512-520, 522, 523, 529-536, 539-542, 544 and portions of 320, 324, 357, 521, 526 and 528.

### COUGAR - General, non-draw licence seasons Note: there are no draws for cougar licences.

General Season	WMUs
Nov. 1 – Nov. 30 <sup>1</sup> Residents only	100-166, 200-210, 214-246, 250-260, 357-360, 500-504, 506, 508, 514, 518-544
Dec. 1, 2012 – Feb. 28, 2013 <sup>2</sup>	300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 342, 344, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 412, 414, 416, 417, 418, 420, 422, 426, 428, 429, 430, 432, 434, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 444, 445, 446, 505, 507, 509, 510, 511, 512, 515, 516, 517.

<sup>1</sup> The use of dogs to hunt cougars is prohibited during this season.

<sup>2</sup> During this season, hunter must call 1-800-661-3729 (toll free) prior to hunting each day to determine if the season remains open. (see 2012 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations for more information).

## **FURTHER INQUIRIES**

For more information about the draws:

- telephone **1-877-289-0999** (toll-free) Draw Information Line: Mon. Fri. 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.; Sat. 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.;
- e-mail inquiries drawhunt@ca.ibm.com
- Web Site mywildalberta.com or albertaregulations.ca

For further information about the hunting regulations or other matters concerning fish and wildlife management, please contact the source so listed below. For toll-free access to most Alberta Sustainable Resource Development offices, call 310-0000.

#### Local telephone numbers of Fish and Wildlife Division offices. Office hours vary, please contact the individual office for hours of operation.

#### **Northwest Region**

Fairview	780-835-2737
Fort Vermilion	780-927-4488
*Grande Prairie	780-538-5265
*High Level	780-926-2238
High Prairie	780-523-6521
Manning	780-836-3065
*Peace River	780-624-6405
Red Earth	780-649-3853
*Slave Lake	780-849-7123
Spirit River	780-864-4101
	780-524-3605

#### **Northeast Region**

Athabasca	780-675-2419
Bonnyville	780-826-3142
Cold Lake	780-594-7876
Edmonton	780-427-3574
*Fort McMurray	780-743-7200
*Lac La Biche	780-623-5247
St. Paul	780-645-6313
Smoky Lake	780-656-3556

#### Southwest Region

Barrhead	780-674-8236
Blairmore	403-562-3289
Canmore	403-678-2373
Claresholm	403-625-1450
Cochrane	403-932-2388
Drayton Valley	780-542-6616
*Edson	780-723-8244
Evansburg	780-727-3635
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Nordegg	403-721-3965
Pincher Creek	403-627-1116
*Rocky Mountain House	403-845-8230
Stony Plain (Spruce Grove)	780-960-8190
Sundre	403-638-3805
Swan Hills	780-333-2229
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#### Southeast Region

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*Calgary	403-297-6423
Camrose	780-679-1225
Cardston	403-653-5158
Coronation	403-578-3223
Drumheller	403-823-1670
Foremost	403-867-3826
Hanna	403-854-5540
Lethbridge	403-381-5266
Lloydminster	780-871-6495
Medicine Hat	403-529-3680
Olds	403-556-4215
Oyen	403-664-3614
Ponoka	403-783-7093
Provost	780-753-2433
*Red Deer	403-340-5142
Stettler	403-742-7510
Strathmore	403-934-3422
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#### \*Area Office

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Fishing or hunting out of season, night hunting, exceeding bag limits, illegal sale of fish and wildlife and deposit of harmful substances in lakes and rivers are violations that seriously affect fish and wildlife in Alberta. If you see or know of a violation, you should record all information, including

- date
- time
- location
- vehicle licence number
- vehicle description
- description of person(s) involved
- details of violation, and any other details, no matter how insignificant they may seem. You should then contact the nearest Fish and Wildlife Division office or call 1-800-642-3800 as soon as possible.

If the information provided concerns a resource violation and results in the laying of a charge, the reporter may be eligible for a reward. If you have any questions about this program, please contact the nearest Fish and Wildlife Division office (page 59).

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### **NOTICE TO HUNTERS**

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## West Nile Virus Are hunters at risk of West Nile virus when handling hunter-killed birds?

Health officials advise that there is no evidence or reason to believe that there is any risk of getting West Nile virus from handling hunter-killed birds in Alberta. Free-flying birds are unlikely to contain sufficient virus to pass on an infection. In addition, the only evidence of direct transfer of West Nile virus from birds to humans without going through a mosquito are two accidental infections when lab technicians were handling heavily infected crows. Similarly, hunting dogs are not at risk when retrieving hunter-killed birds.

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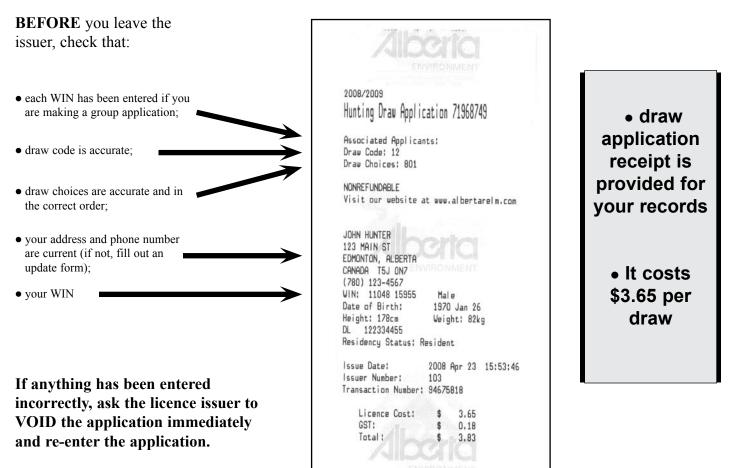


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- Click on "Current Draw Priorities" OR
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## SAMPLE OF DRAW APPLICATION RECEIPT AT POINT-OF-SALE

Below is a sample of a draw application receipt for a group application made at a licence issuer. Remember that the priority for a group application is that of the member with the lowest priority.



## **COMMON MISTAKES and REASONS for REJECTED DRAW APPLICATIONS**

Regulation	Reject Reason		
A Non-resident (Canadian) must apply with a resident maximum of 1 non-resident per resident except for the Non-resident Trophy Sheep draw.	Too many Non-residents		
You cannot apply for the same draw more than once.	Duplicate Applications		
A hunter may only apply for 1 draw within a specific group, trophy sheep, elk and moose.	More than One		
A Non-resident can only apply on specific draws.	Non-resident is not allowed		
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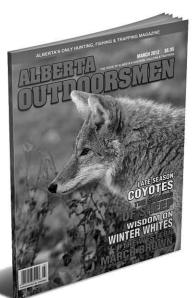
Sometimes in order to correct a mistake you made on your draw application it is necessary for the Draw Help Desk to cancel the application and you must re-apply. Do not wait to apply until the last day as you would not be able to re-apply.

Reminder: If you are drawn, a special licence purchase is authorized. Depending on the licence combinations you may not be able to purchase a general licence. For example if you were drawn on a moose draw you will not be able to have a general moose licence.

Antelope DrawsDeer Draws10 Antelope Archery11 Non Trophy Antelope13 Antlered Mule Deer12 Trophy Antelope14 Antlerless Mule Deer12 Trophy Antelope15 Antlered White-tailedBoat Draw16 Antlerless White-tailed35 Mountain GoatDeer(Max 1 hunter per application)17 Camp Wainwright Deer	CHECK YOUR DRAW RECEIPT BEFORE YOU LEAV CHECK YOUR DRAV Depending on licence comb	Optional 2 <sup>nd</sup> Choice       Do Not Select a 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> choice if your 1st choice is '999'. Selecting '999' is considered an application and normal application restrictions apply. See page 7 for more information.	ENTER 3 DIGIT DRAW CHOICE (See draw booklet) 1 <sup>st</sup> Choice	ENTER 2 DIGIT DRAW CODE (See list below)	Optional Group Application 2 <sup>nd</sup> WiN 3 <sup>rd</sup> WiN 4 <sup>th</sup> WiN	FIRST APPLICATION (1 Application per Draw) ENTER YOUR 10 DIGIT WIN # Or Provide your card to the Issuer	Draw Application Worksheet
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