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DIRECTOR’S MESSAGE

Have you ever watched chukar cover ground? It’s seldom in a straight path. Sometimes they zigzag uphill through rocks and crevices; sometimes they flush and glide swiftly sideways over ridges and through sagebrush; sometimes they divebomb straight downhill; and sometimes they sit completely still and silent, waiting for the perfect time to make their unpredictable escape attempt.

Chances are if you’re reading this, you’ve witnessed chukar or other game birds and their often-unpredictable antics. There’s much we can learn from them. Not just patience and perseverance while hunting them, but how their unpredictability relates to other aspects of life.

Much like the chukar’s flight, the gamebird populations in this state rise and fall, boom and bust, and sometimes hover unmoving, potentially leaving us surprised at the direction they move next. These variations in population exist largely due to Mother Nature’s influence on habitat conditions, feed availability, and the severity of our winters. Living in the driest state in the U.S. presents Nevada with a host of unique challenges each year, especially during drought years such as this. The resulting wildfires can have devastating effects on the sagebrush biome, and in turn, game bird populations.

These ebbs and flows are simply a part of living in our desert state. NDOW’s responsible game management is necessary to maintain healthy game bird populations, and while we can’t control Mother Nature, we strive to do the best we can to give wildlife populations of all shapes and sizes a competitive edge. This includes using science and data to determine the best courses of action, whether it be reseeding habitat after a wildfire or flying water into remote guzzlers during the summer’s most unforgiving heatwaves.

Keeping Nevada’s wildlife wild and abundant is the most important aspect that we at the Nevada Department of Wildlife strive for. We understand that there are natural rises and falls in the state’s wildlife populations, and we do our best to keep the falls to a minimum while we are always poised to take fullest advantage of Mother nature’s benefits when they are present.

Because much like life, the chukar’s sometimes chaotic movements can lead us down paths (or in the case of chukar hunting, up giant, steep mountains) we didn’t expect or weren’t ready for, but everything tends to work itself out in the end. Although the Great Basin in Nevada is presently challenged by extreme drought, excessive numbers of feral horses and burros, and invasive species and wildfire, we remain poised to rebound when Mother Nature again smiles upon us. Hang tough!

Sincerely,

Tony Wasley
Director, Nevada Department of Wildlife

Photo: Nevada Department of Wildlife Director Tony Wasley and his German Wirehaired Pointer Redd hunt for chukar in the Humboldt Range.
This regulation brochure contains only a synopsis of the hunting laws for the State of Nevada. Complete text of the laws and regulations may be obtained by contacting the Nevada Department of Wildlife or by checking our website at ndow.org.

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**HOW TO USE THIS BOOK**

1. The first part of the book is to help clarify where our offices are located, and explain hunting licenses, tags, permits, and stamps.
2. The center of the book lists the different small game species and the hunting seasons for each species.
3. The back of the book explains general regulations, sunrise/sunset tables, and more.

Thanks for reading! Still want more? Visit ndow.org or follow us on social media!
HUNTING AND TRAPPING

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OPTIONS FOR RETURNING A TAG AND REFUNDS OF HUNTING FEES

Those who draw a tag have seven days to electronically return their tag to the Department. Tags can be returned to the Department up to one day before the start of the hunt for a bonus point refund.

Tags returned to the Department will be issued to an available alternate, available to be won in the second draw, and finally available for purchase in the First-Come-First-Served program. (Refer to NAC 502.4215)

Depending on the circumstances surrounding a hunter’s inability to hunt on a tag, that person can choose to defer that tag to the next year’s season or receive a refund of bonus points. (Refer to NAC 502.422)

Tag holders who are diagnosed as terminally ill can choose to transfer their tag to certain family members. (Refer to NAC 502.422)

Tag holders who are unsuccessful in a draw may return the purchased hunting license for a refund if the license was purchased solely to apply for a tag. Bonus points will not be awarded if a license is returned (Refer to NAC 502.4225)

MILITARY STATIONED IN NEVADA

Active members permanently assigned to the state of Nevada and spouses and dependents, may obtain a hunting or fishing license at the same cost as Nevada residents. (Refer to NRS 502.070)

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

Any person 12 or older who hunts game birds or mammals in Nevada is required to have a hunting license. (Refer to NRS 502.010)

Youths 14 and older who possess a valid license and have received parental permission may hunt unaccompanied. (Refer to NRS 202.300)

If a youth younger than 18 is applying for a license to hunt, the youth’s parent or legal guardian must sign the application acknowledging that they have been advised of the provisions in NRS 41.472. (Refer to NRS 502.060)
LICENSE EXEMPTIONS
A hunting license is not required to hunt unprotected wild birds (English house sparrows, European starlings and Eurasian collared doves) or unprotected mammals (black-tailed jackrabbit, ring-tailed cat, badger, raccoon, coyote, skunk, weasel and ground squirrel).
(Refer to NAC 503.193)

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER
Laws regarding child support mandate that any person who is required by federal law to have a social security number must provide the number to obtain a business, occupational or recreational license. Federal Law – 42 U.S. Code § 666; Nevada Statute – NRS 502.063, 503.5833, 504.390.

POSSESSION AND DISPLAY OF LICENSE
Every person required to have a license while hunting, trapping or fishing shall have that license in his possession and available for inspection.
(Refer to NRS 502.120)

SHELDON NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE SPECIAL SAGE GROUSE HUNT
Applications for the Sheldon National Wildlife Refuge Special Sage Grouse Hunt will only be accepted online this year. Paper applications will not be accepted. Applications will be accepted at ndowlicensing.com until 11 p.m. Aug. 6, 2021. You can find more information on the hunt on page 8.

WHAT’S NEW THIS YEAR
Waterfowl Zones
- Zone boundaries for all waterfowl zones in Nevada have changed. New Zones are:
  » NORTHEAST ZONE: Elko, Eureka, Lander, & White Pine Counties
  » NORTHWEST ZONE: Carson City, Churchill, Douglas, Humboldt, Lyon, Mineral, Pershing, Storey, & Washoe Counties
  » SOUTH ZONE: Esmeralda, Lincoln, Nye, & Clark Counties

Greater Sage Grouse
- Re-opening Hunt Unit 051 in Humboldt County (2-day season)
- Reducing season length for Hunt Units 154 and 155 of Lander County to a 2-day season;
- Reducing season length for Hunt Units 143, 154, and 155 of Eureka County to a 2-day season;
- Reducing season length for Hunt Units 011-015 of Washoe County to a 2-day season;
- Closing Hunt Unit 144 in Eureka County;
- Closing Hunt Unit 076 in Elko County;
- Reducing the season length in the following Hunt Units from a 16-day season to a 9-day season extending from Sept. 25-Oct. 3, 2021:
  » Hunt Units, or those portions of Hunt Units, 062, 064, 065, 067, 071-075, 077, 101-103 and 109 in Elko County;
  » Hunt Units, or those portions of Hunt Units, 162 and 163 in Eureka County;
  » Hunt Units, or those portions of Hunt Units, 161, 162, 172, and 173 in Lander County;
  » Hunt Units, or those portions of Hunt Units, 161-163, 172, and 173 in Nye County.
- Closing Hunt Units 104 and 121 in Elko and White Pine County
- Closing Hunt Units 108, 111-113, and 131 in White Pine County; and
- Reducing the number of reservations available for the Sheldon Special Sage-grouse Hunt from 45 to 35 for both 2-day seasons that are available to apply for.

Wild Turkey
- Altering the Junior wild turkey season for the Mason Valley Wildlife Management Area to begin on the first Saturday in April and continue through the second Sunday in May;
- Discontinue the second Junior wild turkey season for Hunt Unit 115 in White Pine County and modify the first season to extend through the first Sunday in May;
- Increase the quota for the Spring Limited Entry Hunt for 2022 for Hunt Units 151 and 152 in Lander County from 3 to 5;
- Increase the quota for the Lincoln County Limited Entry Hunt for 2022 from 12 to 15;
- Alter the season dates for the Mason Valley Wildlife Management Area Spring Limited Entry Hunt to begin one week later for each available season and reduce quotas available for each hunt from 5 to 3; and
- Discontinue the second season for the Spring Limited Entry Hunt for Hunt Unit 115 of White Pine County. Extend the hunt period for the first season to continue through the first Sunday in May and reduce the quota from 8 to 4.

APPRENTICE HUNTING LICENSE
The Apprentice Hunter License allows anyone 12 and older to hunt upland game and migratory game birds (no tagged species) for one season without first completing Hunter Education. The apprentice must have never previously held a hunting license and always be accompanied by a mentor hunter 18 or older who holds a valid Nevada hunting license and a mentor affidavit. The license is free, but the apprentice must pay associated fees and purchase any applicable stamps. The license is only available at NDOW offices.
Nevada is more than eighty percent public land, almost all of it open to hunting, but some sportsmen still mistakenly enter private property. The Nevada Department of Wildlife (NDOW) receives reports every year of hunters trespassing, damaging private property and even releasing livestock from pastures or private property.

“Trespassing is a real problem and something we take very seriously,” said Mike Maynard, Chief Game Warden for NDOW. “In all my years as a game warden I have found that nearly all of these problems could have been avoided if people had used a little common sense while out in the field.”

The Nevada Department of Wildlife wants to remind everyone that hunting on someone else’s land is a privilege, not a right. Common courtesy can go a long way towards establishing good hunter-landowner relations in the future. Refer to NRS 207.200 for more information.

**Trespass Definition**

It is considered trespassing if a person willfully goes on or remains on any land after having been warned by the owner or occupant not to trespass. This “warning” can include the following:

- Painting with fluorescent orange paint on the following:
  - A structure or natural object or the top 12 inches of a post, at intervals of such a distance as is necessary to ensure that at it is within the direct line of sight of a person standing next to another such structure, natural object or post.
  - Each side of all gates, cattle guards and openings that are designed to allow human ingress to the area;
- Fencing the area;
- Posting “no trespassing” signs or other notice of like meaning at intervals of such a distance as is necessary to ensure that at least one such sign would be within the direct line of sight of a person standing next to another such sign, and each corner of the land.
- Using the area as cultivated land. “Cultivated land” means land that has been cleared of its natural vegetation and is presently planted with a crop.

**Tips to Use When Hunting on Private Property:**

- Access to and across private lands is a privilege granted by the landowner. Not all roads are public roads. Traveling on private roads without permission to access other lands is akin to someone walking through your house to reach a neighbor’s home.
- Bring a good map showing private and public land ownership. Know where you are. Internet map sources may not be very accurate and there may be no cell service in rural areas.
- Build good relationships with land owners by asking permission.
- Leave gates the way you find them and make sure everyone in your party knows that. If a rancher wants a gate left open, it will be hung back on the fence, not lying on the ground.
- Leave the land better than you find it – pick up all trash you find and take it with you.
- Camp away from water sources for the benefit of wildlife and livestock.
- Report hunter misconduct. Misbehaving hunters jeopardize the use of resources for all hunters.
- Stay on existing roads.
- When granted access, bring only the number of hunters expected by your host.
- Respect locked gates, no trespassing signs and orange-painted gate posts. They all mean stay out.
- Do not attempt to remove or relocate livestock or wildlife.
- Send a thank you note.
In Nevada, upland game bird species include dusky, sooty, and ruffed grouse; sage grouse; chukar and Hungarian partridge; Himalayan snowcock; ring-necked pheasant; California, Gambel’s, and mountain quail; and North American wild turkey.

Small game species include cottontail, pygmy, and white-tailed jackrabbits. Falconry seasons are in effect for waterfowl (all migratory bird stamp requirements apply), dove, chukar, sage, blue and ruffed grouse, pheasant, Himalayan snowcock, Hungarian partridge, quail, and rabbit.

Youth seasons include chukar and Hungarian partridge, California and Gambel’s quail, and cottontail, pygmy, and white-tailed jackrabbits.

**NRS 502.010 AS IT PERTAINS TO UPLAND GAME YOUTH HUNTS**
- A license to hunt or fish is not required of a resident of this State who is younger than 12;
- It is unlawful for any child who is younger than 18 to hunt any wildlife with any firearm unless the child is accompanied at all times by the child’s parent or guardian or is accompanied at all times by an adult person authorized by the child’s parent or guardian to have control or custody of the child to hunt if the authorized person is also licensed to hunt.

### SMALL GAME HUNT QUESTIONNAIRE

The small game hunt questionnaire (upland game birds, rabbits, and waterfowl) can be found online in February of each year at ndowlicensing.com. Even though this is a voluntary questionnaire, we encourage those sportsmen that pursue these species to do their best to track their hunting excursions in terms of number of days hunted, what county they hunted in and how many animals were taken. These surveys typically close around the end of April. This information is instrumental in helping the Nevada Department of Wildlife determine harvest estimates each year and make recommendations for upcoming seasons and bag limits.

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### YOUTH RABBIT (COTTONTAIL, PYGMY, AND WHITE-TAILED JACKRABBIT)

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|               |                          |                         | Hunting Hours: Sunrise to sunset daily.  
|               |                          |                         | Open to hunters 17 years of age or younger only. Youth must be accompanied by an adult who is at least 18 years old. |

### YOUTH CHUKAR AND HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE

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SAGE GROUSE

The Nevada Department of Wildlife is conducting a long-term study of the state’s sage grouse populations and is collecting wing samples to help determine the status of the sage grouse population in Nevada. Sage grouse hunters are asked to remove one wing from each sage grouse taken. This diagram illustrates where the wing should be cut.

Due to large fire occurrence in sage grouse habitat, hunt units may be subject to closure upon approval by the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners.

Note: Please provide questionnaire results for the Sheldon special sage grouse hunt by Dec. 31, 2021.
### Himalayan Snowcock

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Note: Please provide questionnaire results for Himalayan Snowcock by Dec. 31, 2021

### Mourning and White-Winged Dove

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### American Crow

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The crow (17.5 inches) is bigger than a blackbird (9 inches) and noticeably smaller than a raven (24 inches). Crows often flock, while ravens are more solitary birds. Note that the crow’s bill is much smaller than the raven, and that its tail is square. The raven’s heavy bill, shaggy throat feathers and wedge-shaped tail also set it apart from the common crow.
DUSKY, SOOTY, AND RUFFED GROUSE

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As part of long-term monitoring of the state’s dusky and sooty grouse populations hunters are asked to remove one wing from each grouse taken. Please keep the wing dry and away from flies, deposit in a paper lunch sack and drop it off in any of the Department’s wing barrels, at NDOW offices or with NDOW employees.

Persons harvesting ruffed grouse in Humboldt County are requested to report harvest in person to the Department of Wildlife office, in person or by mail at 705 E. 4th St., Winnemucca, NV 89445. Phone (775) 623-6565.

TRANSPORTATION IDENTIFICATION

When hunting blue grouse or ruffed grouse please recognize NAC 503.185 which states: A person shall not transport a blue or ruffed grouse within this State unless the head or one fully feathered wing remains attached to the grouse from the time it is removed from the place where it was taken until it arrives at the person’s residence or a commercial facility for its preservation.
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Hunting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.  
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#### Distribution Maps

- Chukar
- Hungarian Partridge

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Hunting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.  
Open to nonresidents. |

#### Distribution Maps

- California Quail
- Gambel's Quail

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| Statewide      | Oct. 9, 2021 - Feb. 6, 2022 | 2/6                     | Limits: Limit singly or in aggregate.  
Hunting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.  
Open to nonresidents. |

The Department of Wildlife is interested in collecting harvest information on mountain quail throughout Nevada. The Department requests that hunters contact the Reno Headquarters at (775) 688-1523 or an NDOW representative to report your mountain quail harvest.

### RABBIT (COTTONTAIL, PYGMY, AND WHITE-TAILED JACKRABBIT)

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Hunting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.  
Open to nonresidents.  
Limit singly or in the aggregate except for pygmy rabbit where limits may not include more than 2 daily and 6 in possession. |

The Department of Wildlife is interested in collecting harvest information on pygmy rabbits throughout Nevada. The Department requests that hunters contact the Reno Headquarters at (775) 688-1523 or an NDOW representative to report your pygmy rabbit harvest.

### PHEASANT

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| Statewide      | Nov. 1 - 30, 2021        | 2/6 Roosters only       | Shooting Hours: Sunrise to sunset.  
Open to nonresidents. |
**Rabbit Hemorrhagic Disease Type 2**

- Rabbit Hemorrhagic Disease Virus – 2 (RHDV2) is a highly contagious and lethal disease of rabbits.
- RHDV2 is a foreign animal disease and was first detected in domestic and wild rabbits of North American in the spring of 2020 in the desert southwest.
- Humans are not susceptible to the disease; however, they can transport it on clothing and equipment, including vehicles.
- Please report any mortalities of multiple cottontails or jackrabbits, any mortality of pika or pygmy rabbits, and any mortality with blood coming from the nose or mouth without obvious trauma.
- Report mortalities to the NDOW veterinarian (Dr. Nate LaHue) at nate.lahue@ndow.org or contact (775) 688-1500.
- Do not handle sick or dead wild rabbits that you suspect may have died from this virus and dispose of unwanted rabbit carcass parts in a landfill or at the site of harvest.
- Do not let pets (e.g. hunting dogs) come into contact with dead rabbits.
- For more information: ndow.org/Nevada_Wildlife/Health_and_Disease/Rabbit_Hemorrhagic_Disease_Virus-2/

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**Minimum Legal Requirements for Taking Edible Meat from the Field**

Hunters are encouraged to use as much of their harvest as possible. Although most meat from small game is edible, below are the minimum lawful requirements.

### Upland Game Bird
1. Breast meat must be retrieved.

### Migratory Bird
1. Breast meat must be retrieved.

### Small Game
- The meat of the front quarters as far as the distal joint of the tibia-fibula (hock), and the meat along the backbone between the front and hind quarters.
  1. Shoulder
  2. Hind Quarter (Thigh)
  3. Backbone (Backstrap)
GREATER SAGE-GROUSE
The mating display of sage-grouse is very distinctive as the males inflate large yellow air sacs surrounded by white pin feathers and create a series of odd plops and swishing sounds. Males also fan out their spiny tail feathers during the display. Their coloration closely resembles their habitat with a grayish brown appearance and white mottling throughout. Males can be almost twice as large as females. Range in size from 22-29.5 inches in length and weigh between 3.1-6.4 lbs. Lifespan is from 3-6 years with females tending to be longer lived than males.

RUFFED GROUSE
Reddish-brown or gray with dark bars and spots. Weighs between 16 and 26 oz. and is much smaller than a blue grouse. Translocated populations exist in northeastern, central and portions of northwestern Nevada.

CHUKAR PARTRIDGE
Nevada's most popular upland game bird. Widely distributed across the state and much of the Great Basin. Coloration is grayish brown with a buff belly. Chestnut and black barring on flanks with a black line through eye connecting at the throat. Length is 13.4 to 15 in and weighs from 19-27 oz. Inhabits steep, rocky habitat exemplified by talus slopes and cliffs.

RING-NECKED PHEASANT
Males are a strikingly beautiful bird with a distinctive green iridescent neck, red face and white collar around the base of the neck. The body has a copper coloration with black spots and the tail is long and pointed with black barring. The female is dull brown in coloration with black spotting on the sides and a shorter tail than the males. Ranges in size from 19.7-27.6 in in length and weighs from 17.6-105.8 oz.

HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE
Officially known as the "Gray Partridge". Ranges in size from 11.8 to 13 inches in length and from 13.6 to 17.6 oz. Grayish brown with chestnut barring on wings, dark reddish U-shaped patch on belly and a reddish throat patch.

HIMALAYAN SNOWCOCK
A large upland game bird introduced into Nevada in 1963. Ranges in size from 22-29 inches and weighs from 4.4 to 6.8 lbs. Gray in color with a white throat and chestnut stripes on the sides of the head. Sexes are monomorphic except for size where the female is smaller in stature. Only exists in Nevada’s Ruby Mountains and East Humboldt Range in North America.

BLUE GROUSE (DUSKY AND SOOTY GROUSE)
Range in size from 15 to 20 inches and weigh from 26 to 46 oz. Dusky grouse inhabit central Nevada from around Austin, east to the Nevada/Utah border and north to the Idaho/Nevada border. Sooty grouse inhabit extreme western Nevada along the California/Nevada border in mountain ranges such as the Carson Range, Sweetwater and White Mountains.

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COTTONTAIL RABBIT
Nevada has two species of cottontail rabbits, mountain cottontail and desert cottontail. Ranges in size from 14 to 17 in. in length and weighs from 1.5 to 2.6 lbs. The ears are relatively short compared to jackrabbits and are smaller in size. The feet of cottontails are densely covered in fur. Overall coloration is pale brown with black-tipped ears, a white underside and white to grayish white tail.

PYGMY RABBIT
A sagebrush dependent species relegated to the sagebrush range in the western U.S. The world’s smallest leporid that weighs between 0.8 and 1.1 lb. and ranges in length from 9.3 to 11.6 inches. Has short ears, gray color, small hind legs and has no white fur on tail, a distinguishing characteristic from cottontail rabbits.

MOUNTAIN QUAIL
The top knot of this species is straight and long compared to California or Gambel’s quail. Chestnut throat patch and chestnut flanks with white bars are distinctive of this species. Ranges in length from 10.2 to 12.2 inches and weight from 6.7-9.2 oz.

GAMBEL’S QUAIL
Distribution in Nevada includes Clark, Lincoln and Nye Counties. Similar in color pattern and size to California quail, but male Gambel’s quail have a prominent black belly patch. Range in length from 13.4-14.2 in. and weigh between 5.6-7.1 oz.

CALIFORNIA QUAIL
Length is from 9.4 to 10.6 inches and weighs in at 5-8 oz. Males are distinguishable from females by the black face outlined in bold white stripes and the larger, comma shaped head plume or “top knot” while females are plainer brown and lack the facial markings and have a relatively shorter and fairly straight top knot.

WHITE-TAILED JACKRABBIT
This species is often mistakenly called a “Snowshoe” rabbit. The summer pelt coloration is brownish with some black and can appear gray in color. This species turns white in the winter, but maintains the black tips on its ears. The tail is white, which is a distinguishing characteristic that differs it from the more common black-tailed jackrabbit. This is the largest rabbit in Nevada and is between 22 to 26 in. in length and weighs between 6.6 to 13 lbs.

GAMBLE’S QUAIL
Distribution in Nevada includes Clark, Lincoln and Nye Counties. Similar in color pattern and size to California quail, but male Gambel’s quail have a prominent black belly patch. Range in length from 13.4-14.2 in. and weigh between 5.6-7.1 oz.
REGULATIONS

MIGRATORY GAME BIRD

In Nevada, migratory game bird seasons are established for ducks and mergansers, coots and common gallinules, snipe, Canada and white fronted geese, snow geese and Ross’ geese. Migratory waterfowl are a subgroup of migratory game birds, and include ducks, mergansers, geese, and swans.

STAMP REQUIREMENTS

A Federal Migratory Game Bird Hunting Stamp ($27 at ndowlicensing.com) is required for any person age 16 or older who hunts any migratory waterfowl (ducks, mergansers, geese, and swans).

Note: Shotguns must be plugged to limit overall shotshell capacity to 3 when hunting all migratory birds. (Note: See Snow and Ross’ geese season for exception.)

SPECIES ID

Head or fully feathered wing must remain attached to bird while in transit from the field to the hunter’s residence for ducks, mergansers, geese, and swans.

HIP NUMBER

Any person, except a Nevada resident under 12, who plans to hunt any kind of migratory game bird, including ducks, geese, swans, coots, dove, snipe, or common gallinules in Nevada this year, is required to ANNUALLY obtain a Harvest Information Program (HIP) validation number and write it on their hunting license before entering the field. The validation number is free and is available by going online to ndowlicensing.com or calling 1-855-542-6369. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is conducting the nationwide harvest survey.

Additionally, NDOW would like migratory bird hunters to complete an online questionnaire at the conclusion of the season.

MID-SEASON CLOSURES

- Northeast Zone closed Oct. 14-22
- Northwest Zone closed Jan. 3-4
- South Zone closed Oct. 25-26

SMALL GAME HUNT SURVEYS

The small game hunt questionnaire (upland game birds, rabbits, and waterfowl) can be found online in February of each year at ndowlicensing.com. Even though this is a voluntary questionnaire, we encourage those sportsmen that pursue these species to do their best to track their hunting excursions in terms of number of days hunted, what county they hunted in and how many animals were taken. These surveys typically close around the end of April. This information is instrumental in helping the Nevada Department of Wildlife determine harvest estimates each year and make recommendations for upcoming seasons and bag limits.

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FEDERAL MIGRATORY BIRD STAMP

The Federal Migratory Bird Stamp is now an electronic stamp privilege. The physical stamps are NO LONGER available at NDOW offices or NDOW license agents that sold them in the past. However, the US post offices will continue to sell the physical stamp. You can purchase your electronic Federal Migratory Bird Stamp privilege at the NDOW Online Consumer site (ndowlicensing.com), at NDOW offices, and from most license agents. The privilege is valid for 45 days to allow for receipt of the physical Federal Migratory Bird stamp in the mail from the USFWS. Once the physical stamp is received it must be signed and affixed to the license. For assistance, contact NDOW’s License Office at Toll Free 855-542-6369.
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It is unlawful for any child who is younger than 18 to hunt any wildlife with any firearm, unless the child is accompanied at all times by the child’s parent or guardian or is accompanied at all times by an adult person authorized by the child’s parent or guardian to have control or custody of the child to hunt if the authorized person is also licensed to hunt.

### DUCKS AND MERGANSERS (EXCLUDING SCAUP)

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* The combined daily limit on all ducks is 7 including not more than:
  2 hen mallards
  1 pintail
  2 redheads
  2 canvasback

The possession limit is three times the daily limit. * Ruby Valley within Elko and White Pine counties is closed to hunting for Snow and Ross’ geese.

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### CANADA GEESE AND BRANT

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SWAN

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Jan. 5-30, 2022 | 1 swan per day (maximum two swan permits per season) | Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.  
Mandatory check-in of swan within three (3) days of harvest. |

A total of 650 swan hunt permits will be available through a first-come-first-serve basis. Permits will be sold beginning on Aug. 23, 2021 until the close of the season or until all permits are sold, whichever comes first. Permits will be available at NDOW offices and online at ndowlicensing.com until a total of 650 permits have been sold. If a total harvest of ten (10) trumpeter swans is reached, the swan season is closed for the remainder of the season. Residents must possess a valid Nevada hunting or combination license, a HIP number, and a current Federal Migratory Game Bird Hunting Stamp, when required, to hunt swan in Nevada. Open to nonresidents. Nonresidents must possess a valid Nevada Combination license or a Nonresident 1-day Combination license, a Nevada HIP number, and a Federal Migratory Waterfowl Stamp, when required, to hunt swan in Nevada.

SWAN QUESTIONNAIRE

The Nevada Swan Questionnaire can be found online at ndowlicensing.com. This questionnaire should be completed by Feb. 28 of each year. Though this is a voluntary questionnaire, federal regulations stipulate that if Nevada does not receive a minimum of 80 percent return rate on questionnaires, the state's swan permit allocation the following year will be reduced by 10 percent.

Mandatory Swan Check-In

Successful swan hunters are required to validate their permit pursuant to NAC 502.380, and then present at least the head and neck of their swan to an NDOW agent at selected sites for species verification within three (3) days of harvest. Mandatory check-in stations are as follows (see page 3 for address):

- Western Region NDOW Office
- Eastern Region NDOW Office
- Southern Region NDOW Office
- Fallon NDOW Office
- Winnemucca NDOW Office

Nontoxic Shot Requirements

1. A hunter of ducks, mergansers, geese, swans, coots, common gallinules, or snipe shall use nontoxic shot in muzzleloaders or in shells for a shotgun when hunting in this state.
2. The possession of shells for a shotgun which contain other than nontoxic shot is prohibited while hunting any birds designated above.
3. The possession of shot for a muzzleloading shotgun other than nontoxic shot is prohibited while hunting any birds designated above.
4. As used in this section, "nontoxic shot" means any shot which has been approved by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service pursuant to 50 C.F.R. Part 20.134. (see Sec 20.21).

(Refer to NAC 503.183)
MIGRATORY GAME BIRD IDENTIFICATION

CANVASBACK
- Drake
- Hen
- Eclipse Drake
- Hen

GADWALL
- Drake
- Hen
- Eclipse Drake
- Hen

GREEN WINGED TEAL
- Drake
- Hen
- Eclipse Drake
- Hen

MALLARD
- Drake
- Hen
- Eclipse Drake
- Hen

PINTAIL
- Drake
- Hen
- Eclipse Drake
- Hen

REDHEADS
- Drake
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- Eclipse Drake
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FALCONRY

FALCONRY SEASONS FOR UPLAND GAME BIRDS & RABBITS

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Hunting Hours: Sunrise to sunset daily.  
Open to nonresidents.  
Note: All resident upland game birds except turkey and sharp-tailed grouse.  
Rabbit refers to cottontail, pygmy, and White-tailed jackrabbits.  
The taking of sage-grouse by falconry is only allowed in those units where there is an established open season. The daily and possession limit for sage-grouse and pygmy rabbit is 2 and 4. |

FALCONRY SEASONS FOR MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS

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| Northeast Zone | Sept. 25, 2021 - Oct. 13, 2021  
Hunting Hours: 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.  
Open to nonresidents. |
| Northwest Zone | Oct. 16, 2021 - Jan. 2, 2022  
January 5-30, 2022 | 3/9*                   |                                    |
| South Zone - Clark and Lincoln County (except Moapa Valley) | Oct. 16-24, 2021  
Oct. 27, 2021 - Jan. 30, 2022 | 3/9*                   |                                    |
| South Zone - Moapa Valley to the confluence of the Muddy and Virgin Rivers | Oct. 30, 2021 - Jan. 30, 2022 | 3/9*                   |                                    |

Note: See Zone Descriptions Map on page 18.

FALCONRY LICENSE

A person must possess a valid falconer's license when practicing falconry. A person who releases a raptor at game birds or game animals during the open season must also possess a valid hunting license. Additionally, when hunting waterfowl, hunters must possess a federal migratory bird stamp.

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PRACTICE OF FALCONRY

When practicing falconry on game species, a falconry licensee shall comply with the provisions of title 45 of NRS and all regulations of the Commission. A species of wildlife which is classified as protected and further classified as threatened or endangered by the Commission, or as threatened or endangered by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, that is taken incidentally by a raptor may not be retained or possessed by a falconry licensee and the falconry licensee shall report the taking to the United States Fish and Wildlife Service not later than 72 hours after the taking. A species of wildlife which is classified as a game species by the Department that is taken incidentally by a raptor during the closed season may not be retained or possessed by the falconry licensee, except that the falconry licensee may allow the raptor to feed on the game species. A falconry licensee shall not intentionally release a raptor after any wildlife which is in a refuge or in a state or national park or is on privately owned property where the falconry licensee does not have permission to hunt. A falconry licensee may fly a raptor at an animal raised in captivity and at any species of bird that is not listed as a protected species by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, as amended, 16 U.S.C. §§ 703 et seq. (Note: A complete list of falconry regulations can be found at ndow.org under the "Laws & Regulations" section.) (Refer to NAC 503.210)
NDOW WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS AND USFWS NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES

AREA MAP

NDOW Wildlife Management Area
USFWS National Wildlife Refuge
PUBLIC HUNTING LIMITED ON WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS AND DESIGNATED STATE LANDS

ALKALI LAKE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA (WMA), BRUNEAU RIVER WMA, CARSON LAKE & PASTURE, FERNLEY WMA, FRANKLIN LAKE WMA, HUMBOLDT WMA, SCRIPPS WMA, STEPTOE VALLEY WMA, AND WAYNE E. KIRCH WMA

1. Hunting is allowed every day for wildlife species upon which there is an established open season.

2. During any waterfowl season open within the hunt zone, hunting is permitted only on:
   (a) Saturdays, Sundays, and Wednesdays,
   (b) the following legal State holidays: Nevada Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving, Family Day (day after Thanksgiving), Christmas, New Year’s Day, and Martin Luther King Day,
   (c) during any youth waterfowl hunt.
   (d) Hunters with a valid turkey tag for the Mason Valley WMA may hunt each day of the established turkey season.

3. Upland game bird and rabbit hunting is prohibited during the regular duck and goose seasons, except for persons possessing a valid wild turkey tag to hunt turkeys in the Moapa Valley of Clark County. These persons may hunt turkeys every day for which the tag is valid. These persons are prohibited from pursuing any other upland game birds or rabbits during such time that the fall turkey season is concurrent with the waterfowl season.

4. During the waterfowl season on the Moapa Valley portion of the area, hunters must hunt from assigned hunt locations (blinds) constructed by the Department of Wildlife. A maximum of up to four hunters are permitted at each hunt location. Assigned hunt locations are marked by numbered stakes. Hunters shall hunt only within their assigned hunt location and moving to vacant locations is prohibited. The only exception involves reasonable accommodation of the disabled.

5. During the opening day and the first weekend of the dove season, the maximum capacity for the Moapa Valley portion of the area is 60 hunters by reservation. Vacancies will be filled by stand-by hunters on a first-come, first-served basis.

6. On Overton Hunt days, only persons authorized to hunt waterfowl may use vessels on the portion of the area inundated by Lake Mead.

MASON VALLEY WMA

1. Before or after any waterfowl season, hunting is allowed every day for wildlife species upon which there is an established open season.

2. Waterfowl hunting is permitted on the Moapa Valley portion of the area on:
   (a) the opening day of the earliest opening waterfowl season,
   (b) even days thereafter through the end of regular duck and goose seasons,
   (c) the final two days of the second duck and goose season, and
   (d) during any youth waterfowl hunt.

3. Upland game bird and rabbit hunting is prohibited during the regular duck and goose seasons, except for persons possessing a valid wild turkey tag to hunt turkeys in the Moapa Valley of Clark County. These persons may hunt turkeys every day for which the tag is valid. These persons are prohibited from pursuing any other upland game birds or rabbits during such time that the fall turkey season is concurrent with the waterfowl season.

4. During the waterfowl season on the Moapa Valley portion of the area, hunters must hunt from assigned hunt locations (blinds) constructed by the Department of Wildlife. A maximum of up to four hunters are permitted at each hunt location. Assigned hunt locations are marked by numbered stakes. Hunters shall hunt only within their assigned hunt location and moving to vacant locations is prohibited. The only exception involves reasonable accommodation of the disabled.

5. During the opening day and the first weekend of the dove season, the maximum capacity for the Moapa Valley portion of the area is 60 hunters by reservation. Vacancies will be filled by stand-by hunters on a first-come, first-served basis.

6. On Overton Hunt days, only persons authorized to hunt waterfowl may use vessels on the portion of the area inundated by Lake Mead.

OVERTON WMA

1. Before or after any waterfowl season, hunting is allowed every day for wildlife species upon which there is an established open season.

2. Waterfowl hunting is permitted on the Moapa Valley portion of the area on:
   (a) the opening day of the earliest opening waterfowl season,
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6. On Overton Hunt days, only persons authorized to hunt waterfowl may use vessels on the portion of the area inundated by Lake Mead.

NONTOXIC SHOT AND SHELL CAPACITY ON WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

Nontoxic shot must be used for all species when hunting on wildlife management areas. (NAC 503.183)

The use or possession of shells for a shotgun containing shot that is toxic, or larger than standard-sized T is prohibited on the Overton, Key Pittman, W.E. Kirch, Scripps, Mason Valley, Fernley, Alkali Lake, Humboldt, Steptoe and Franklin Lake Wildlife Management Areas. (NAC 504.135)

The use of shotguns capable of holding more than three shells is prohibited on all wildlife management areas unless it has been plugged with a one-piece filler, incapable of removal without disassembling the gun so its total capacity does not exceed three shells. (NAC 504.135)

See page 24 for more complete information.
KEY PITTMAN WMA
1. Before or after any waterfowl season, hunting is allowed every day for wildlife species upon which there is an established season.
2. Waterfowl hunting is permitted on:
   (a) the opening weekend of the earliest opening waterfowl season within the hunt zone,
   (b) odd-numbered days thereafter through the end of regular duck and goose seasons,
   (c) the final two days of the second duck and goose season, and
   (d) during any youth waterfowl hunt.
3. The maximum hunter capacity during the opening day of duck season and the opening day of goose season will be 55 at any time.
4. All hunters will check-in and out at the main entrance and will park in designated parking areas only. No vehicles are allowed on the area during the hunting season.
5. The area is closed to fishing during the waterfowl season.
6. No motorized boats are allowed on the area during the waterfowl season.

OVERTON-KEY PITTMAN HUNTER RESERVATION SYSTEM
1. To guarantee an opportunity to hunt, reservations must be made for the following specified days of each hunt listed:
   » The Key Pittman WMA
     (a) The earliest opening day of the general duck and goose seasons.
   » The Moapa Valley portion of the Overton WMA
     (b) Opening day and the first weekend of the dove season.
     (c) The entirety of any open waterfowl season.
   Special Regulation for the Moapa Valley Portion of the Overton WMA: A person or their representative applying for reservations for group hunting will be limited to up to four hunters per party.
2. Dove Reservation Process:
   Hunters wishing to make reservations for opening day and the first weekend of the dove season at the Overton WMA will do so via an online application process detailed on the NDOW website at ndow.org. Unless their privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, any resident or nonresident is eligible to have their name included on one application for each hunt day for which reservations are required. A person whose name appears on more than one application for each hunt day for which reservations are required will be rejected from the drawing. For the Overton WMA, hunters will be permitted to draw only one reservation through the mail-in application process unless there are available blinds on a day for which mail-in reservations are required. Applications for these waterfowl hunt days shall be received at the Headquarters Office in Reno (through a postal service only) no later than the second Wednesday in September. A public drawing will be held at the Headquarters Office in Reno at 10:00 a.m. on the last Wednesday in September. Successful applicants will receive a reservation confirmation by return mail. Successful reservation holders will be allowed to substitute one person of a hunt party, but that substitute must not have been included in an application of the mail-in process or part of a stand-by group.
3. Waterfowl Opening Day/Weekend Reservation Process:
   Hunters wishing to make reservations for the first two hunt days of the earliest opening duck and goose seasons at the Overton WMA and the opening day of the duck and goose seasons at the Key Pittman WMA will do so via an application process detailed on the NDOW web site at ndow.org. Unless their privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, any resident or nonresident is eligible to have their name included on one application for each hunt day for which reservations are required. A person whose name appears on more than one application for each hunt day for which reservations are required will be rejected from the drawing. For the Overton WMA, hunters will be permitted to draw only one reservation through the mail-in application process unless there are available blinds on a day for which mail-in reservations are required. Applications for these waterfowl hunt days shall be received at the Headquarters Office in Reno (through a postal service only) no later than the second Wednesday in September. A public drawing will be held at the Headquarters Office in Reno at 10:00 a.m. on the last Wednesday in September. Successful applicants will receive a reservation confirmation by return mail. Successful reservation holders will be allowed to substitute one person of a hunt party, but that substitute must not have been included in an application of the mail-in process or part of a stand-by group.
4. Waterfowl Remainder of Season Reservation Process:
   Reservations for the remainder of the waterfowl hunting season at the Overton WMA will be available the Monday prior to the opening of the waterfowl season and can be made by calling 1-855-542-6369 Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Pacific time. Hunters that are successful during the mail-in application process for the first two hunt days must use those reservations before making reservations for the remainder of the season. An individual may reserve no more than one assigned hunt location on the Moapa Valley portion of the area for no more than four individuals to hunt as a party and this reservation must be utilized prior to reserving another hunt day. The reservations must be in the hunter’s possession and be shown to the check station attendant to constitute a valid reservation for the day specified. At the Key Pittman WMA, reservations for hunting will be required only on the earliest opening day of the regular duck season and goose seasons. All hunters will check in at the main entrance on the opening day of waterfowl season. For the remainder of the waterfowl season, hunters will complete a reservation card obtained from the Frenchy Lake or Nesbitt Lake check station box and deposit the card in an appropriate drop box for each day hunted. Failure to turn in a completed card at the Key Pittman WMA or failure to check out at the Overton WMA may result in a citation being issued, and the loss of hunting privileges for the remainder of the season. No vehicles are allowed on the areas during the hunting season.
5. During the waterfowl season at the Overton WMA, an assigned hunt location program will be in effect. Hunters will make a reservation for one of three types of hunt locations (field, pond, or bulrush plot) and the specific hunt location will be determined by a drawing at the check station prior to each day’s hunt. NDOW reserves the right to adjust blind availability and blind assignments based on the conditions present on the day of the hunt.
6. A hunter with a reservation will be considered a “no-show” if they do not present themselves at the check station by one full hour before shooting time, except that at the Overton WMA, a hunter with a reservation will be considered a “no-show” if they do not present themselves at the checking station one and one-half hours before shooting time during the waterfowl season.
7. Standby hunters must register at the check station upon arrival.
8. All reservations, permits and assigned hunting locations are nontransferable.
The State of Nevada through the Department of Wildlife owns or has long-term leases on more than 155,000 acres of land incorporated into wildlife management areas (WMAs) across the state. The primary management emphasis on WMAs is the protection of wetlands and waterfowl including the use of the areas as public hunting grounds. Hunting opportunities for sportsmen on WMAs include migratory game bird, upland game bird, furbearer and big game hunting. Below is a table of restrictions associated with each of the wildlife management areas. Please review this table and the accompanying list of hunt and use restrictions on wildlife management areas before hunting in these areas.

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<td>Vessels must be operated at a speed that leaves a flat wake, but in no case may exceed 5 nautical miles per hour. Only vessels without motors may be used on Dacey Reservoir from Feb. 15 through August 15. Flat wake restriction in effect all other dates.</td>
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RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION

1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 6, the discharging of a rifle or pistol is prohibited on the following wildlife management areas:
   (a) Overton in Clark County.
   (b) Key Pittman in Lincoln County.
   (c) Wayne E. Kirch in Nye County.
   (d) Scripps in Washoe County.
   (e) Mason Valley in Lyon County.

2. Deer may be hunted on the Mason Valley and Wayne E. Kirch Wildlife Management Areas only by persons using:
   (a) Shotguns and rifled shotgun slugs or shotgun rounds with sabot that contain a single expanding projectile; or
   (b) Longbows and arrows.

   A shotgun that is used to hunt deer pursuant to this subsection may be equipped with a smoothbore barrel that is partially or fully rifled.

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

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

4. The use or possession of shells for a shotgun containing shot that is toxic or larger than standard-size T is prohibited on the following wildlife management areas:
   (a) Overton in Clark County.
   (b) Key Pittman in Lincoln County.
   (c) Wayne E. Kirch in Nye County.
   (d) Scripps in Washoe County.
   (e) Mason Valley in Lyon County.
   (f) Fernley in Lyon County.
   (g) Alkali Lake in Lyon County.
   (h) Humboldt in Churchill and Pershing Counties.
   (i) Steptoe Valley in White Pine County.
   (j) Franklin Lake in Elko County.

5. The use or possession of shotgun rounds with sabot that contain other than rifled slugs of conventional design is prohibited on all wildlife management areas owned or managed by this State.

6. The provisions of subsection 1 do not apply to persons authorized by the Department to use rifles and pistols for the control of predatory animals and rodents.

7. For the purposes of this section, all shot shall be deemed toxic unless it has been approved as nontoxic by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service pursuant to 50 C.F.R. § 20.134.

(Refer to NAC 504.135)

RESTRICTIONS ON ENTRY INTO CERTAIN AREAS

Between February 15 and August 15 a person shall not enter, occupy, use or be upon the following portions of Wildlife Management Areas:

1. Scripps: that portion of which lies south of Little Washoe Lake, as posted.
2. Key Pittman: that portion of Nesbit Lake north of the old fence line.
3. Wayne E. Kirch: the upper portion of Adams-McGill, Cold Springs, Dacey and Haymeadow reservoirs, as posted and all of Tule reservoir.
4. Mason Valley: the eastern portion of the main developed area, as posted.

Between March 1 and August 1 a person shall not enter, occupy, use or be upon the following portions of Wildlife Management Area:

1. Overton: the Honey Bee Pond and the Center Pond.
(Refer to NAC 504.120)

CONSTRUCTION AND USE OF HUNTING BLINDS; USE OF DECOYS

1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 6, a person may construct a hunting blind on any wildlife management area if the Department has no obligation to protect a privately constructed blind or to arbitrate the use or priority of use of such a blind. A blind to be constructed must:
   (a) Be temporary and portable;
   (b) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (c) be constructed of lumber, screen, fabric, synthetic material or native vegetation; and
   (c) In the Kirch, Steptoe Valley and Mason Valley Wildlife Management Areas, be constructed of native vegetation, removable fabric, or a synthetic material that is of a temporary nature.

2. A group of persons may construct a blind only after the supervisor of the wildlife management area has approved the plans for the blind.

3. Sunken blinds, and barrels and boxes used as sunken blinds, must be covered when not in use to prevent the entrapment of animals.

4. The use of a sink box is prohibited.

5. A blind may not be locked or reserved for the use of a particular person or group of persons.

6. The Department may:
   (a) Prohibit the construction of a hunting blind if it is detrimental to a wildlife management area or portion thereof.
   (b) Designate a hunting blind on a wildlife management area as intended for the use of persons with physical handicaps pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 to 12213, inclusive, and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto.

7. A person may use decoys on a wildlife management area so long as the decoys are not left set up in the field between the hours of 9 p.m. and 3 a.m.
(Refer to NAC 504.160)

CONTROL OF VEHICULAR TRAVEL

1. Vehicular travel within a wildlife management area may be controlled for operation of the area, for public use and to benefit the public and wildlife resources. Such control may include specifying parking areas, closing interior roads or trails to vehicular travel and prohibiting travel beyond designated points.

2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, it is prohibited, within a wildlife management area, to operate a motor vehicle:
   (a) Off an interior road or trail that is designated for vehicular travel; or
   (b) On an interior road or trail that is marked as closed to vehicular travel.
(Refer to NAC 504.115)

DENIAL OF USE OF AREA FOR ABUSE OR LITTERING OF AREA

The Department may deny further use of the management area to any person who abuses or litters the area.
(Refer to NAC 504.155)

REMOVAL OF PERSONS FROM AREA: AUTHORITY; GROUND

The Department or an authorized agent may remove a person from a wildlife management area for disorderly conduct, intoxication or any other conduct which endangers the area, a person, wildlife or livestock.
(Refer to NAC 504.110)

DID YOU KNOW:

All licenses are valid 365 days from the date of purchase.
REGULATIONS

FEDERAL MIGRATORY BIRDS

The following Federal regulations apply to the taking, possession, shipping, transporting and storing of migratory game birds. Consult the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 50, Part 20 for additional information. Migratory game birds are: ducks (including mergansers), geese, swans, coot, common gallinules, snipe, dove, (both white-winged and mourning) and band-tailed pigeon.

SEC. 20.21 HUNTING METHODS

Migratory birds on which open seasons are prescribed in this part may be taken by any method except those prohibited in this section. No persons shall take migratory game birds:

1. With a trap, snare, net, rifle, pistol, swivel gun, shotgun larger than 10 gauge, punt gun, battery gun, machine gun, fish hook, poison, drug, explosive, or stupefying substance;

2. With a shotgun of any description capable of holding more than three shells, unless it is plugged with a one-piece filler, incapable of removal without disassembling the gun, so its total capacity does not exceed three shells. However, this restriction does not apply during:
   (a) A light-goose-only season (greater and lesser snow geese and Ross' geese) when all other waterfowl and crane hunting seasons, excluding falconry, are closed.

3. From or by means, aid, or use of a sinkbox or any other type of low floating device, having a depression affording the hunter a means of concealment beneath the surface of the water;

4. From or by means, aid, or use of any motor vehicle, or stationary motor-driven land conveyance, or aircraft of any kind, except that paraplegics and persons missing one or both legs may take from any stationary motor vehicle or stationary motor-driven land conveyance;

5. From or by means of any motorboat or other craft having a motor attached, or any sailboat, unless the motor has been completely shut off and/or the sails furled, and its progress therefrom has ceased: Provided, That a craft under power may be used to retrieve dead or crippled birds; however, crippled birds may not be shot from such craft under power except in the seaduck area as permitted in subpart K of this part;

6. By the use or aid of live birds as decoys; although not limited to, it shall be a violation of this paragraph for any person to take migratory waterfowl on an area where tame or captive live ducks or geese are present unless such birds are and have been for a period of 10 consecutive days prior to such taking, confined within an enclosure which substantially reduces the audibility of their calls and totally conceals such birds from the sight of wild migratory waterfowl;

7. By the use or aid of recorded or electrically amplified bird calls or sounds, or recorded or electrically amplified imitations of bird calls or sounds. However, this restriction does not apply during:
   (a) A light-goose-only season (greater and lesser snow geese and Ross' geese) when all other waterfowl and crane hunting seasons, excluding falconry, are closed.

8. By means or aid of any motor-driven land, water, or air conveyance, or any sailboat used for the purpose of or resulting in the concentrating, driving, rallying, or stirring up of any migratory bird;

9. By the aid of baiting, on or over any baited area, where a person knows or reasonably should know that the area is or has been baited. However, nothing in this paragraph prohibits:
   (a) The taking of any migratory game bird, including waterfowl, coots, and cranes, on or over the following lands or areas that are not otherwise baited areas.
   (1) Standing crops or flooded standing crops (including aquatics); standing, flooded, or manipulated natural vegetation; flooded harvested croplands; or lands or areas where seeds or grains have been scattered solely as the result of a normal agricultural planting, harvesting, post-harvest manipulation or normal soil stabilization practice;

   (II) From a blind or other place of concealment camouflaged with natural vegetation;

   (III) From a blind or other place of concealment camouflaged with vegetation from agricultural crops, as long as such camouflaging does not result in the exposing, depositing, distributing or scattering of grain or other feed; or

   (b) The taking of any migratory game bird, except waterfowl, coots and cranes, on or over lands or areas that are not otherwise baited areas, and where grain or other feed has been distributed or scattered solely as the result of manipulation of an agricultural crop or other feed on the land where grown, or solely as the result of a normal agricultural operation.

10. While possessing loose shot for muzzle loading or shotshells containing other than the following approved shot types:

SEC. 20.24 DAILY LIMIT

No person shall take in any 1 calendar day, more than the daily bag.

SEC. 20.25 WANTON WASTE OF MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS

No person shall kill or cripple any migratory game bird pursuant to this part without making a reasonable effort to retrieve the bird, and retain it in his actual custody.

SEC. 20.33 POSSESSION LIMIT

No person shall possess more migratory game birds taken in the United States than the possession limit or the aggregate possession limit, whichever applies.
SEC. 20.35 FIELD POSSESSION LIMIT
No person shall possess, have in custody, or transport more than the daily bag limit or aggregate daily bag limit, whichever applies, of migratory game birds, tagged or not tagged, at or between the place where taken and either (a) his automobile or principal means of land transportation; or (b) his personal abode or temporary or transient place of lodging; or (c) a migratory bird preservation facility; or (d) a post office; or (e) a common carrier facility.

SEC. 20.36 TAGGING REQUIREMENT
No person shall put or leave any migratory game birds at any place (other than at his personal abode), or in the custody of another person for picking, cleaning, processing, shipping, transportation, or storage (including temporary storage), or for the purpose of having taxidermy services performed, unless such birds have a tag attached, signed by the hunter, stating his address, the total number and species of birds, and the date such birds were killed. Migratory game birds being transported in any vehicle as the personal baggage of the possessor shall not be considered as being in storage or temporary storage.

SEC. 20.37 CUSTODY OF BIRDS OF ANOTHER
No person shall receive or have in custody any migratory game birds belonging to another person unless such birds are tagged as required by Sec. 20.36.

SEC. 20.38 POSSESSION OF LIVE BIRDS
Every migratory game bird wounded by hunting and reduced to possession by the hunter shall be immediately killed and become a part of the daily bag limit.

SEC. 20.43 SPECIES IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENT
No person shall transport within the United States any migratory game birds, except doves and band-tailed pigeons (Columba fasciata), unless the head or a fully feathered wing remains attached to each such bird at all times while being transported from the place where taken until they have arrived at the personal abode of the possessor or a migratory bird preservation facility. The head or a fully feathered wing must remain attached while in transit from the field for ducks, mergansers, coots and common gallinules, snipe, geese and swan.

SEC. 20.44 MARKING PACKAGE OR CONTAINER
No person shall transport by the Postal Service or a common carrier migratory game birds unless the package or container in which such birds are transported has the name and address of the shipper and the consignee and an accurate statement of the numbers of each species of birds therein contained clearly and conspicuously marked on the outside thereof.

DID YOU KNOW:
NDOW monitors North America’s largest bird of prey, the golden eagle, by using satellite transmitters and nest cameras to learn how they use available habitat and what they feed on.
REGULATIONS

NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES

Caution: More restrictive regulations may apply on National Wildlife Refuges. The following is only a summary of the general hunting available on national wildlife refuges in Nevada. A complete list of the federal regulations can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations 50CFR SUBCHAPTER C. In addition, all National Wildlife Refuges have general provisions regarding travel, firearms, alcohol consumption, fireworks and hunting. Check with the refuge manager before hunting on a National Wildlife Refuge. For additional information on specific refuge regulations, contact the refuge managers or refuge law enforcement staff listed below:

Chief, Office of Refuge Law Enforcement
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
California/Nevada Operations Office
2800 Cottage Way, Room W-2606
Sacramento, CA, (916) 414-6464

Refuge Law Enforcement Zone Office
Office of Refuge Enforcement
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
1200 Franklin Way
Sparks, NV, (775) 352-1282

ASH MEADOWS NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Ash Meadows National Wildlife Refuge is closed to trapping. The hunting of migratory and upland game birds is permitted on designated areas of the refuge. Upland game hunters may hunt rabbit on designated areas of the refuge. All other species of wildlife are protected (including coyotes and common crow). The refuge is open for hunting in accordance with state hunting hours by species. All hunters are subject to state regulations and the following refuge general and specific regulations:

1. The following migratory game birds may be hunted: ducks (including mergansers), geese, coots, common gallinules, snipe, and dove.
2. The following upland game birds may be hunted: quail.
3. All firearms must be unloaded and disassembled while hunting or cased while in vehicles.
4. Only nontoxic shot may be possessed by upland game hunters and migratory game bird hunters while in the field.
5. The use or possession of alcoholic beverages while hunting is prohibited.
6. Only street legal vehicles are allowed on designated roads within the refuge.
7. Only motorless boats or boats with electric motors are allowed and only in Crystal and Peterson Reservoirs.
8. A flyer may be picked up at the refuge entrances, which gives additional refuge information and a map of open/closed areas for hunting. The refuge office is open Monday–Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. when staff is available. Check with refuge at (775) 372-5435.

DESER T NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Desert National Wildlife Refuge is closed to migratory game bird hunting, trapping and upland game hunting. Desert NWR is open, by state-issued permit only, to desert bighorn sheep hunting.

Sitting Dog Unit:
The Sitting Dog Unit is approximately 8,500 acres in the northeastern corner of the Refuge that is open to dove, chukar, and quail hunting during the State-designated hunting season, with the following exceptions:
1. Migratory birds other than waterfowl – Dove hunting is permitted daily during the State season; except from October 1, dove hunting is allowed on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.
2. Upland Game – Chukar and quail hunting is allowed on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.
3. Only nontoxic shot may be possessed by upland game hunters and migratory game bird hunters while in the field.
4. From October 1 to February 1, Hunters may only possess 25 or fewer shells while hunting on the refuge.

Check with Refuge at (702) 879-6110.

FALLON NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

The Fallon National Wildlife Refuge is open for hunting of migratory and upland game birds, small game animals, big game, and unprotected species in accordance with NDOW regulations. Check with Refuge at (775) 423-5128.

MOAPA VALLEY NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Moapa Valley National Wildlife Refuge in Clark County is closed to all hunting and trapping. Check with Refuge at (775) 725-3417.

PAHRA NAGAT NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Pahranagat National Wildlife Refuge is closed to trapping. The hunting of migratory game birds, geese, ducks, coots, common gallinules, snipe and mourning doves is permitted on designated areas of the refuge subject to the following conditions:
1. Dove hunting is permitted daily during the month of September. Starting October 1, dove hunting is allowed only on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
2. Only non-motorized boats or other motorless flotation devices are permitted on the refuge hunting area during the migratory waterfowl hunting season. Trailer launching is not permitted. Only car-top watercraft are permitted.
3. Temporary blinds are permitted. All decoys, portable blinds, and other personal property must be removed from the refuge daily and temporary blinds must be dismantled at the close of each day.
4. Hunting waterfowl and upland game is permitted only on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
5. Upland game hunters may hunt quail and rabbit as permitted on designated areas of the refuge subject to the following conditions: Hunting of jackrabbit is permitted only during the regular state season for cottontail rabbit.
6. Only nontoxic shot may be possessed by upland game hunters and migratory game bird hunters while in the field.
7. From October 1 to February 1, hunters may only possess 25 or fewer shells while hunting on the refuge.

Check with Refuge at (775) 725-3417 or http://fws.gov/refuge/pahranagat.

RUBY LAKE NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Ruby Lake National Wildlife Refuge is closed to upland game hunting. Check with Refuge at (775) 779-2237.

The following areas are open for migratory bird hunting as listed:
1. The hunt area includes the area as posted from the Brown Dike access road and Brown Dike to the White Pine County Line. No hunting is permitted on Brown Dike or from the Brown Dike access road. In White Pine County, the spring pond area between the county road and the marsh edge is open as posted. For public safety, no hunting zone is posted in the immediate vicinity of the Main Boat Landing and at the Brown Dike restroom. As posted, no hunting is permitted at or around Narciss Boat Landing.
2. Only ducks (including mergansers), dark geese (including white-fronted and Canada geese), coots, common gallinules, and snipe may be hunted. ALL OTHER SPECIES OF WILDLIFE ARE PROTECTED.
3. The entire Ruby Valley, including Ruby Lake Refuge, is closed to the hunting of all white waterfowl.
4. Hunting on the refuge is permitted daily during the waterfowl season as established by the State of Nevada.
5. The refuge is open to the public from one hour before sunrise to one hour after sunset. Except during waterfowl season, the refuge is open one hour before sunrise to two hours after sunset.
6. No boats are permitted on the refuge from January 1 to June 14. Only foot (kick fin) propelled floatation devices (float tubes) are allowed and only in designated areas from January 1 to June 14.
7. No reservations or special refuge permits are required.
8. Hunters may use portable hunting blinds and temporary blinds constructed of natural vegetation. All decoys, portable blinds and other personal property must be removed from the refuge daily and temporary blinds must be dismantled at the close of each day.
9. No off-highway vehicles of any type (including licensed OHVs) are permitted on Ruby Lake Refuge.

**STILLWATER NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE**

Check with Refuge at (775) 423-5128. The Stillwater National Wildlife Refuge is open for hunting of migratory and upland game birds, small game animals, big game and unprotected species in accordance with NDOW regulations and subject to the following:

1. Boating restrictions are in effect, check with Refuge at (775) 423-5128.
2. Airboat owners are required to obtain an annual permit from the Refuge Manager and display a number on their airboat.
3. You are not allowed to hunt inside the sanctuary, which is the area located south of Division Road, south of Stillwater and East County Roads, and south of the Canvasback Gun Club between West County and Hunter Roads.
4. You may not possess loaded weapons inside the posted Retrieval Zone. The zone begins on the north edge of Division Road and extends 200 yards north.
5. You may use only registered vehicles on designated roads. You may not use any off-highway vehicles (OHV).
6. Overnight stays are allowed in designated areas only. Campfires are not allowed.
7. Hunters are required to use only shotguns and nontoxic shot while hunting upland and migratory game birds, small game mammals and unprotected species.
8. Hunters are required to use only shotguns, muzzle loading weapons or bow and arrow while hunting big game.
9. The use of rifles, pistols or other weapons not listed above is not allowed.
10. Using or possessing lead shot is not allowed.
11. Hunting at night is not allowed. Using or possessing alcohol while hunting is prohibited.

**SHELDON NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE**

Check with Refuge at (541) 947-3315. The hunting of big game, migratory game birds and upland game birds is permitted on the refuge. All other species of wildlife are protected. The refuge is open for hunting in accordance with state hunting regulations and the following refuge general specific regulations.

1. Areas closed to all hunting includes Little Sheldon, the Virgin Valley including Dufurrena and other areas as posted.
2. Catnip Reservoir, Big Spring Reservoir and the Virgin Valley are closed to migratory bird hunting. The remainder of the refuge is open for migratory bird hunting in accordance with NDOW seasons and bag limits.
3. The refuge is open to sage grouse, California quail and chukar hunting in accordance with NDOW regulations.
4. Big game hunting is allowed in accordance with NDOW regulations.
5. No permanent blinds are allowed on the Sheldon.

**DID YOU KNOW:**

Each year NDOW works on habitat restoration projects on more than 80,000 acres. These projects are critical to wildlife and preserving wildlife habitat.
There are two seasons (Spring and Fall) for turkey in Nevada. Unless his or her privilege is limited or revoked pursuant to law, an eligible person may apply once for a type of hunt for Wild Turkey during a draw period. Only one person may apply on an application. Except for those wild turkey hunts requiring the landowner to sign the application, Wild Turkey applications must be submitted online through ndowlicensing.com. Hand delivered applications will not be accepted. Applications will be accepted until 11 p.m. PST on Feb. 1, 2022. Applications for bonus points only will be accepted until 11 p.m. PST on Feb. 8, 2022. The release date will be on or before March 4, 2022. Only one wild turkey tag is allowed per calendar year. Except as specified for the Junior Wild Turkey Hunts and Landowner Hunts, any remaining tags will be available on a first come, first serve basis through ndowlicensing.com. Remaining tags will be sold until seven weekdays prior to the close of the season.

### 2021 PARADISE VALLEY OF HUMBOLDT COUNTY WILD TURKEY FALL HUNT

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A Paradise Valley of Humboldt County application form is required. Hunters can obtain these forms from the participating landowners. A landowner must sign the application form. The form must be submitted through the mail or over the counter during business hours, M-F, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Contact NDOW at 775-688-1500 for more information. Tags will be available until the close of the season. Internet applications for the Paradise Valley of Humboldt County hunt will not be available. Only one person may apply on an application.

### 2022 JUNIOR SPRING WILD TURKEY HUNT

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Hunters must be 12 prior to the opening of the hunt season indicated and not attain their 18th birthday until after the last day of the hunt season indicated, pursuant to NAC 502.063.

Applications for these tags or bonus points will only be accepted during the draw application periods. Remaining tags will not be issued. Hunt is closed to nonresidents.

### WILD TURKEY QUESTIONNAIRE

Sportsmen who receive a turkey tag MUST submit a harvest return card. Regardless of harvest, the questionnaire must be received by the following dates:
- 2021 Fall Turkey Questionnaire due Nov. 30, 2021
- 2022 Spring Turkey Hunt Questionnaire due May 31, 2022

A person who fails to return the questionnaire by these dates will be denied all turkey tags for one year.
RESIDENT

2022 WILD TURKEY SPRING HUNT (LIMITED ENTRY)

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RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT

2022 PARADISE VALLEY OF HUMBOLDT COUNTY WILD TURKEY SPRING HUNT

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RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT

2022 LYON COUNTY WILD TURKEY SPRING HUNT

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A Lyon County application form is required. Hunters can obtain these forms from the participating landowners. A landowner must sign the application form. The form must be submitted through the mail or over the counter during business hours, M-F, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Contact NDOH at 775-688-1500 for more information. Tags will be available until the close of the season. Internet applications for the Lyon County hunt will not be available. Only one person may apply on an application.

NONRESIDENT

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

A Tag is Required to Hunt Wild Turkey in Nevada

PLEASE NOTE: As with other game species, applicants are advised that a significant portion of the turkey population occurs on PRIVATE LANDS and permission must be secured from the landowner before hunting on private lands. NDOW advises that permission be obtained prior to applying for a tag.

IMPORTANT: Hunters must have a valid hunting license to apply, or they may purchase a license when they are applying online. Successful tag-holders must have a valid license while hunting.

APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

Unless hunting privileges are limited or revoked, hunters may apply once during each draw period for one type of hunt for wild turkey. Applicants cannot apply for more than one type of hunt, but can apply for up to five hunter choice numbers within any one hunt. Hunters may only receive one turkey tag per calendar year. Applicants under 12 who will attain the age of 12 before the opening date of each season for which they will be applying may submit a bonus point only application if they will reach the age of 12 before the beginning of the last available season.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESIDENTS AND NONRESIDENTS

Except for those Wild Turkey hunts requiring the landowner to sign the application, Wild Turkey applications must be submitted online through ndowlicensing.com. Hand delivered applications will not be accepted. Applications will be accepted until 11 p.m. Feb 1, 2022. Applications for bonus points only will be accepted until 11 p.m. Feb 8, 2022. The release date will be on or before March 4, 2022.

REMAINING TAGS

Except as specified for the Junior Wild Turkey Hunts and Landowner Hunts, any remaining tags will be available on a first come, first serve basis through ndowlicensing.com. Remaining tags will be sold until seven (7) weekdays prior to the close of the season. Only one wild turkey tag can be awarded to an individual during a calendar year.

ONLINE APPLICATION

Only the nonrefundable fees are charged at the time of application and the license fee if you opt to purchase the hunting license. The following fees will be collected after the draw.

- Tag fee
- License fee if you elected only to receive the license only if you draw a turkey tag.

Successful applicants will have seven (7) days to update their credit card for a failed payment before their tag is awarded to an alternate.

* Predator management fee is required pursuant to NRS 502.253 for costs related to a) programs for management and control predatory wildlife; b) management related to protection of nonpredatory wildlife; c) research; d) programs for the education of the general public concerning the management and control of predatory wildlife. (See NRS 502.253 for full language.)

WEAPONS AND TYPE OF SHOT PERMITTED FOR HUNTING WILD TURKEY

Legal weapons for hunting wild turkey include: Longbow and arrow or shotgun no larger than 10 gauge nor smaller than 20 gauge. Shot size no larger than number 2 pellet. Shot must be nontoxic while hunting on a wildlife management area. (NAC 503.187)

HUNTING WITH A DOG

You cannot hunt, chase or pursue any wild turkey with a dog from March 1-June 30. (Refer to NAC 503.147)

TURKEY TAG QUESTIONNAIRE

Wild turkey harvest questionnaires are mandatory regardless of hunt success and can be submitted by logging into ndowlicensing.com. The Spring turkey harvest questionnaire deadline is May 31 following the close of the season. The Fall turkey harvest questionnaire deadline is November 30 following the close of the season.

Failure to report a harvest questionnaire can result in a 1 year suspension and a $50 fee. (NAC502.407)

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DID YOU KNOW:

Small-volume guzzlers typically benefit species including chukar, sage grouse, and quail and have one or more 325-gallon-capacity storage tanks with an 8 foot by 12 foot metal drinking apron.

Hunters may only receive one turkey tag in a calendar year.
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**REGULATIONS**

**FURBEARER**

A trapping license is required to trap any furbearer including **bobcat**, **fox**, **otter**, **mink**, **beaver** and **muskrat**. Trapping licenses/fees are listed on page 4. See pages 38–39 for a complete list of areas closed to trapping.

**Note:** The following species can be hunted without a hunting license in Nevada, but a trapping license is required to trap them: **Coyote**, **black-tailed jackrabbit**, **badger**, **weasel**, **spotted skunk**, **striped skunk**, **raccoon** and **ring-tailed cat**. Any person of any age who sells raw furs of any kind, whether taken by trap or by firearm, is required to purchase a trapping license.

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*Special Regulations:* If an otter is accidentally trapped or killed in those counties which are closed or outside the prescribed season, the person trapping or killing it shall report the trapping or killing within 48 hours to a representative of the Department of Wildlife. The animal must be disposed of in accordance with the instructions of the representative.

**FURBEARER SEASONS AND LIMITS**

**BOBCAT PELT SEALING DATES**

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Bobcat pelts will only be sealed on these designated dates, times, and places. All jaws should be free of excess tissue and air dried. Each jaw must have a matching ID tag.

**“TRAPPING,” “TRAPPED” AND “TO TRAP” DEFINED**

The words “to trap” and their derivatives, “trapping” and “trapped,” mean to set or operate any device, mechanism or contraption that is designed, built or made to close upon or hold fast any animal and every act of assistance to any person in so doing. (Refer to NRS 501.090)

**TRAPPING LICENSE REQUIRED; UNLAWFUL TO REMOVE OR DISTURB TRAP OF LICENSEE**

A trapping license is needed for any person attempting to take a furbearing mammal by use of trap, snare, or similar device, or intends to sell raw furs for profit. It is unlawful for anyone to disturb a trapping device set legally in the filed unless the device used creates an immediate risk to any person or to release any person or animal accompanying a person from the device. (NRS 503.454)

**MANNER OF HUNTING FURBEARING MAMMALS**

It is unlawful for any person at any time to hunt any furbearing mammal in any manner other than by trap, gun or bow and arrow. You can take furbearers by gun/bow with only a hunting license, but you will need a trapping license to sell pelts. (Refer to NRS 503.450)

**STEEL LEGHOLD TRAPS: DEFINITIONS**

1. “Bait” means the flesh, fur, hide, viscera or feathers of any animal.
2. “Exposed bait” means bait, any portion of which is visible from any angle.
3. “Trap” means any device designed, built or made to close upon, contain, confine, or hold fast any wild mammal or wild bird. (Refer to NAC 503.153)
STEEL LEGHOLD TRAPS: SPACERS

All steel leg hold traps of size number 2 or larger or with an outside jaw spread of 5½ inches or larger used in the taking of any wildlife must have lugs, spacers or similar devices permanently attached so as to maintain a minimum trap opening of three-sixteenths (3/16”) of an inch.

(Refer to NAC 503.155)

STEEL LEGHOLD TRAPS: USE OF BAIT

1. It is unlawful for a person to:
   a. Place, set or maintain a steel leghold trap within 30 feet of exposed bait;
   b. Capture a mammal or raptor with a steel leghold trap that is placed, set or maintained within 30 feet of exposed bait; or
   c. Use any part of a game mammal, game bird, game fish, game amphibian or protected species of wildlife for bait.

2. A person using bait is responsible if it becomes exposed for any reason.

3. As used in this section, raptor means any species of the order Falconiformes or Strigiformes that are protected by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act of July 3, 1918, as amended, 16 U.S.C §§ 703 et seq.

(Refer to NAC 503.157)

HUNTING WITH A DOG

It is unlawful to hunt, chase or pursue any furbearing mammal with a dog except during the open season and under the authority of a trapping license.

DEPARTMENT MAY OBTAIN DATA FROM TRAPPERS

If a trapper obtains a trapping license and the Department requests a questionnaire or form to be filled out and returned, whether the trapper trapped or not, the trapper shall complete and return the questionnaire or form by May 31.

Failure to return the questionnaire or form within that period or submit false information the Commission can suspend the trappers trapping license for a period of 1 year.

(Refer to NAC 503.160)

BOBCATS: MISCELLANEOUS REQUIREMENTS; PROHIBITED ACTS; FEE FOR SEAL

1. Bobcat trapping is closed to nonresidents.
2. Any bobcat killed must be personally presented by the person who harvested the bobcat to the Department for inspection and shall have the bobcat seal affixed to the pelt within 10 days after the close of the season.
3. The lower jaw must be saved and given to a representative of the department when pelts are brought in.
4. The person must complete a bobcat harvest report form in accordance with the Department’s instruction.
5. A bobcat pelt cannot be sold, bartered, traded, purchased, transfer ownership, tanned, shipped out of state or be transported from the state without a seal affixed on the pelt.
6. During the bobcat season, the entire unskinned carcass or a pelt that has not been stretched, dried or cured can be taken from this State, without the seal being affixed to the pelt, for the purpose of returning to the person’s residence within the State by the most expedient route.
7. A person shall not possess a bobcat pelt 10 days or more after the close of the season without a Department seal affixed to the pelt.
8. Each seal costs $5.
9. Only Nevada harvested bobcats may be presented for sealing.

(Refer to NAC 502.347)

TRAPPING IN A CONGESTED AREA

1. Trapping is prohibited, other than with a box or cage trap, within ½ mile of a residence in a congested area of Washoe and Clark counties.
2. Congested area is an area of a county in which discharge of firearms is prohibited; or the area within the boundaries of an incorporated city in the county.
3. This regulation does not pertain to a person trapping on private property or a person trapping in a waterway that is not within an incorporated city. A “waterway” is any river, stream, canal or channel that contains water, including the banks and bed of any such river, stream, canal or channel.

(Refer to NAC 503.165)

BEARS OR MOUNTAIN LIONS

If a bear or mountain lion is trapped or accidentally killed, within 48 hours of trapping or killing it, the person shall report the trapping or killing to a representative of the Department.

(Refer to NAC 502.373 and Refer to NAC 502.370)

TRAP REGISTRATION

Each trap, snare, or similar device used to take wild mammals must either be stamped with the trapper’s name and address or registered with the Department. Each registered trap snare or similar device must bear a number which is assigned by the Department and is clearly marked. If a trap, snare, or similar device is not registered with the Department, it must have the name and address of the person who owns the trap, snare, or similar device or on a metal tag that is attached to the trap, snare, or similar device. There is a $5 fee for each trap, snare, or similar device registered with the Department. If a trap, snare, or similar device is not registered with the Department, it must have the name and address of the person who owns the trap, snare, or similar device clearly stamped on the trap, snare, or similar device, or on a metal tag that is attached to the trap, snare, or similar device. These registration provisions do not apply to a trap, snare, or similar device used exclusively on private property which is posted or fencen in accordance with NRS 207.200.

(Refer to NRS 503.452 and NAC 503.150)

TRAPPING WITHIN 200 FEET OF PUBLIC ROAD OR HIGHWAY

1. For the purposes of this section, “public road or highway” means:
   a. A highway designated as a United States highway.
   b. A highway designated as a state highway pursuant to the provisions of NRS 408.285.
   c. A main or general county road as defined by NRS 403.170.

2. It is unlawful for any person, company or corporation to place or set any trap, snare or similar device used for the purpose of trapping mammals within 200 feet of any public road or highway within this State.
3. This section does not:
   a. Prevent the placing or setting of any trap, snare or similar device inside, along or near a fence which may be situated less than 200 feet from any public road or highway upon privately owned lands.
THE FOLLOWING AREAS ARE CLOSED TO ALL HUNTING AND TRAPPING

(Refer to NAC 504.340)

Note: This is not an all-encompassing list of areas closed to hunting by federal, state and local regulations. Please contact the appropriate tribe or land management agency for information on hunting closures in specific areas.

THOSE PORTIONS OF THE LAKE MEAD NATIONAL RECREATION AREA WHICH ARE WITHIN:

1. A 1-mile radius of Overton Landing, Willow Beach, Rogers Spring, the area for cabins at Stewart’s Point, Echo Bay, Eldorado Canyon, Cottonwood Cove and the petroglyphs of Grapevine Canyon.
2. The Lower or Boulder Basin, including all of the area from Hoover Dam to a line running north and south near the peninsula between Hamblin Bay and Rotary Cove. The townships or portions of them located within the Lake Mead National Recreation Area and included within this closed area are: T. 20 S., R. 63 E., R. 64 E., R. 65 E.; Sections 6, 7 and 18 of T. 21 S., R. 66 E.; T. 21 S., R. 63 E., R. 63 1/2 E., R. 64 E., R. 65 E. and T. 22 S., R. 64 E. and R. 65 E., M.D.B. & M.
3. A 1/2-mile strip parallel to the west shoreline of Lake Mohave from Hoover Dam south to a point 2 miles south of the campground at Willow Beach.
4. The area of land extending 1/2 mile west of the water elevation of Lake Mohave and the Colorado River between the southern boundary of the Lake Mead National Recreation Area and the crossing of those cables of the power line located approximately 5 1/4 miles north of Davis Dam and all waters between that cable and the southern boundary.

ALL PORTIONS OF THE STILLWATER NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE IN CHURCHILL COUNTY SOUTH OF DIVISION ROAD, except that trapping is allowed to the extent authorized pursuant to 50 C.F.R. §§ 31.14 and 31.16.

ALL PORTIONS OF THE RUBY LAKE NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE, EXCEPT THAT:
1. Hunting is allowed pursuant to 50 C.F.R. § 32.47 on designated areas of the refuge in Elko and White Pine Counties and to the extent authorized by the Board of Wildlife Commissioners in regulations governing seasons, hours and bag limits adopted pursuant to NRS 501.118; and
2. Trapping is allowed to the extent authorized pursuant to 50 C.F.R. §§ 31.14 and 31.16 and by the Board of Wildlife Commissioners in regulations governing seasons, hours and bag limits adopted pursuant to NRS 501.118.

ALL PORTIONS OF THE DEATH VALLEY NATIONAL PARK.

ALL PORTIONS OF THE SHELDON NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE, except that hunting is authorized on designated areas of the refuge pursuant to 50 C.F.R. § 32.47, to the extent permitted by the Board of Wildlife Commissioners in regulations governing seasons, hours and bag limits adopted pursuant to NRS 501.118.

ALL PORTIONS OF THE DESERT NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE, except that the hunting of big horn sheep is authorized in certain described portions of the Desert National Wildlife Refuge pursuant to 50 C.F.R. § 32.47 and the Nellis Air Force Range, to the extent authorized by the Board of Wildlife Commissioners in regulations governing seasons, hours and bag limits adopted pursuant to NRS 501.118.

ALL PORTIONS OF Clark, Lincoln and Nye Counties within the boundaries of the Nellis Air Force Range, the Nevada Test and Training Range (NTTR) and the Desert National Wildlife Refuge, except that certain described portions of the Desert National Wildlife Refuge, not within Nellis Air Force Range, will be open for the hunting of deer pursuant to 50 C.F.R. § 32.47, to the extent authorized by the Board of Wildlife Commissioners in regulations governing seasons, hours and bag limits adopted pursuant to NRS 501.118.

TRAPPING IS PROHIBITED WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF EACH SIDE OF THE FOLLOWING DESIGNATED HIKING TRAILS established within that portion of the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest that is located north of the Washoe County-Carson City line, west of U.S. Highway No. 395 and south of U.S. Interstate Highway No. 80:
1. Hunter Creek Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 21053;
2. Jones Creek-Whites Creek Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 21056;
3. Ophir Creek Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 21059;
4. Tahoe Rim Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 21055; and
5. Thomas Creek Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 21057.

TRAPPING IS PROHIBITED, OTHER THAN WITH A BOX OR CAGE TRAP, WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF each side of the following designated hiking trails, campgrounds, picnic areas and recreation areas established within that portion of the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest that is located west of U.S. Highway No. 95 and north and east of State Route No. 160 in the Spring Mountains National Recreation Area:
1. Bristlecone Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 148;
2. Cathedral Rock Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 155;
3. Echo/Little Falls Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 141;
4. Fletcher Canyon Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 165;
5. Griffith Peak Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 140;
6. Mary Jane Falls Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 159;
7. Mummy Springs Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 161;
8. North Loop Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 146;
9. Robber’s Roost Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 162;
10. Sawmill Loop Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 973;
11. South Loop Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 145;
12. Trail Canyon Trail, United States Forest Service Trail No. 147;
13. Dolomite Campground;
14. Fletcher View Campground;
15. Hilltop Campground;

**TRAPPING IS PROHIBITED, OTHER THAN WITH A BOX OR CAGE TRAP, WITHIN ONE-HALF MILE OF** any residence in the Spring Mountains National Recreation Area, T. 19 S., R. 59 E., Sections 3, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 16.

**TRAPPING IS PROHIBITED, OTHER THAN WITH A BOX OR CAGE TRAP, WITHIN 200 FEET OF** each side of the following designated multi-use routes:
1. Cardamine Road, United States Forest Service Road No. 001; 2. Champion Road, United States Forest Service Road No. 203; 3. Mack’s Canyon Road, United States Forest Service Road Nos. 073, 073A and 073B; 4. Power Line Road, United States Forest Service Road Nos. 577, 577A, 577B, 872 and 873; and 5. Telephone Canyon Road, United States Forest Service Road Nos. 530 and 530A.

**TRAPPING VISITATION REQUIREMENTS**

A person who is required pursuant to NRS 503.570 to visit or cause to be visited a trap, snare or similar device shall ensure that the trap, snare or similar device is visited:
1. At least once every other calendar day in the following units for wildlife, as designated in NAC 504.210, or portions of those units specified in this subsection other than any private property located within those units or if a box or cage trap is used:
   (a) All of Unit 194;  
   (b) The following portions of Unit 195:
      (1) West of Lagomarsino Canyon-Lousetown Road from its intersection with Interstate Highway No. 80 to its intersection with State Route No. 341; and  
      (2) West of State Route No. 341 from its intersection with Lousetown Road to its intersection with U.S. Highway No. 50;  
   (c) All of Unit 196; and  
   (d) The portion within the Clark County Illegal Firearms Discharge Area created by the Clark County Geographic Information Systems Management Office on September 11, 2013;  
2. At least once each 96 hours in all other units for wildlife, as designated in NAC 504.210, or portions of those units not specified in subsection 1, including any private property located within those units;  
3. At least once each 96 hours if a box or cage trap is used;  
4. By a person who is a holder of a trapping license issued by the Department; and  
5. In a manner which ensures that any mammal caught in the trap, snare or similar device is removed from the trap, snare or similar device. (Refer to NAC 503.152)
LAWS AND REGULATIONS

RADIO TELEMETRY AND SATELLITE TRANSMITTER
1. It is unlawful to hunt any wildlife using a radio signal or other transmission received from any transmitting device that is attached to the wildlife.
2. If you kill any wildlife with a transmitting device, notify the Department of Wildlife without undue delay. Devices must be returned to the Department.
3. Do not intentionally break, destroy or damage any transmitting device. Transmitting device means any collar or other device which:
   (a) Is attached to any wildlife; and
   (b) Emits an electronic signal or uses radio telemetry or a satellite transmission to determine the location of the wildlife.
(Refer to NAC 503.1475)

CARRYING LOADED RIFLE OR SHOTGUN IN/ON VEHICLE
1. A rifle or shotgun is loaded when there is an unexpended cartridge or shell in the firing chamber.
2. A rifle or shotgun cannot be loaded in or on any vehicle (including ATV’s and motorcycles) which is standing on or along, or is being driven on or along any public highway or any other way open to the public.
3. Exception: a paraplegic, amputation of leg(s), or paralysis of one or both legs which severely impedes walking may shoot from a stopped motor vehicle that is not on the traveled portion of a public highway. However, the may not shoot from, over or across a highway or road specified in NRS 503.175.
(Refer to NRS 503.165)

TRANSPORTATION PERMITS AND USE OF TAGS AS TRANSPORTATION PERMITS
A person in legal possession of a game tag may use the tag as a transportation permit once the tag has been validated and attached to the carcass of the harvested animal.
A person may transport the harvested animal or portions of the animal for the legal tag holder if the transportation permit included on the tag is complete with the transporter’s information.
(Refer to NAC 502.401)
Transportation permits are required when transporting harvested animals or portions of animals taken by trapping or whenever a person will be transporting more than one legal limit of animals taken by trapping. Permits may be obtained from the Department or Game Wardens free of charge. (Refer to NRS 503.040)

UNLAWFUL TO WASTE GAME
1. It is unlawful to cause through carelessness, neglect or otherwise any edible portion of any game bird, game mammal, game fish or game amphibian to go to waste.
2. You cannot just take head, antlers, horns or tusks and leave carcass to waste.
3. You can leave the carcass of a carnivore. (Refer to NRS 503.050)

REASONABLE EFFORT REQUIRED TO TAKE WILDLIFE
Each person who shoots and wounds any wildlife while hunting shall make a reasonable effort to take that wildlife, including, without limitation, pursuing and tracking it.

HUNTING ON POSTED LANDS WITHOUT PERMISSION
1. It is unlawful for any person to hunt, fish in nonnavigable waters or trap upon private property which is cultivated, or private property where the person has been warned by the owner or occupant of the property not to trespass in the manner prescribed in NRS 207.220, or where signs are displayed forbidding hunting, trapping or fishing without permission obtained from the owner or occupant of the private property.
2. Any person using that private property for hunting, fishing or trapping shall comply with the provisions of NRS 207.220.
(Refer to NRS 503.240)

CAMPING NEAR WATER HOLE
It is unlawful for any person to camp within 100 yards of a water hole in such a manner that wildlife or domestic stock will be denied access to such water hole.
(Refer to NRS 503.660).

SALE OF NONEDIBLE PARTS
The sale of the hide, head, antlers or horns or other nonedible parts of game animals which were legally killed is permitted.
Note: The sale of bear gall bladders is unlawful.
(Refer to NAC 503.174)

HUNTING WITH A DOG
It is unlawful to hunt, chase or pursue:
1. Any black bear or mountain lion with a dog except during the open season, in an open management area and under the authority of a hunting license and:
   a. A black bear tag, if the person is hunting, chasing or pursuing a black bear; or
   b. A mountain lion tag, if the person is hunting, chasing or pursuing a mountain lion.
2. Any fur-bearing mammal with a dog except during the open season and under the authority of a trapping license.
3. Any wild turkey with a dog from March 1 - June 30.
(Refer to NAC 503.147)
**REGULATIONS**

**WEAPONS**

**WEAPONS TYPE/METHODS LEGAL FOR HUNTING GAME MAMMALS AND BIRDS**

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* Includes muzzle-loading shotguns.
✓ Permitted depending on “type” of hunt.
1 No larger than 10 gauge.
2 Partial full draw.
3 No larger than 10 gauge nor smaller than 20 gauge, shot size no larger than a number 2 pellet. On WMAs, shot can be no larger than standard-sized T.
4 Nontoxic shot must be used on all WMAs.

**WEAPONS REGULATIONS**

**FIREARMS**
(Refer to NRS 503.150 and NAC 503.142)

Prohibited Firearms
Any firearm capable of firing more than one round with one continuous pull of the trigger.

**BOW AND ARROW**
(Refer to NACs 503.144 & 503.145)
Bow includes longbow, compound bow or recurved bow. A crossbow cannot be used for archery only hunts.

It is unlawful
To carry a longbow with an arrow nocked on the bowstring while in or on any motorized vehicle (exceptions in 503.144). To hunt any wildlife with an arrow that has any chemical, explosive or electronic device attached.

**CROSSBOW**
(Refer to NAC 503.143)
Crossbows may only be used for hunting big game during an "Any Legal Weapon" hunt. Crossbows are not allowed for bow hunts.

Archery Disability Permit
A person with a permanent physical disability can now qualify for a permit that authorizes them to use a crossbow or a bow that uses a mechanical device that can anchor a nocked arrow at full draw or partial full draw during an archery hunt.

As used for this permit, "permanent disability" means a disability which prohibits a person from manually drawing and holding a legal bow at full draw. Contact your local NDOW office for more information.

**SIGHT ATTACHED TO FIREARM, BOW OR CROSSBOW**
A sight attached to a firearm, bow or crossbow may be illuminated or powered by:
1. A battery contained within the sight;
2. Light gathering fiber optics;
3. A radioactive isotope such as tritium; or
4. Iridescent or fluorescent paint.

The sight/scope may not cast or project a visible beam of light (Refer to NAC 503.145). The Department may issue a scope permit to a person with a visual disability. The scope permit authorizes a person with a visual disability to hunt, during a type of hunt that is restricted to bows or muzzle-loading firearms, using a 1 x magnification rifle scope that is mounted on a bow or muzzle-loading firearm.
(Refer to NAC 503.146)

**HUNTER EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**
Anyone born after January 1, 1960 is required to provide proof of Hunter Education, in order to purchase a Nevada hunting license. Proof of Hunter Education is an official Hunter Education card or certificate from any state or Canadian province, with the Hunter Education number and state or provincial logo or seal or a previous year’s hunting license with the Hunter Education number or mark. If you have taken a hunter education class in another state or Canadian province, verification must be provided.
(Refer to NRS 502.330)

**USE OR POSSESSION OF FIREARM BY A CHILD UNDER 18 YEARS OLD**
1. A child under 18 years of age, hunting with a firearm, must be accompanied at all times by the child’s parent or guardian. A parent or guardian may authorize an adult to take the child hunting, if that adult is licensed to hunt and accompanies the child at all times; or
2. With the permission of a parent, a child 14 years of age or older may hunt alone if the child has a valid hunting license in his or her possession and uses a shotgun or rifle that is not a fully automatic firearm and cannot be concealed.
(Refer to NRS 202.300 and NRS 502.010(1c))

**POSSESSING FIREARM WHILE UNDER INFLUENCE**
It is unlawful for a person who:
1. Has 0.08 percent or more by weight of alcohol in his blood; or
2. Is under the influence of any controlled substance, or is under the combined influence of intoxicating liquor and a controlled substance, or any person who inhales, ingests, applies or otherwise uses any chemical, poison or organic solvent, or any compound or combination of any of these, to a degree which renders him incapable of safely exercising actual physical control of a firearm, to have in his actual physical possession any firearm.
(Refer to NRS 202.257)

**FIRING FIREARM FROM/OVER ROADS**
A person may not discharge a firearm from, upon, over or across any federal, state, main or general county road as described in NRS 408.285 and 403.170.
(Refer to NRS 503.175)
DEMERITS AND PENALTIES

DEMERICITS AND LICENSE REVOCATIONS

Hunting, fishing and trapping license privileges are revoked when a person accumulates 12 demerit points within a 60-month period. When a person is convicted of a wildlife violation, a certain number of demerits are assessed for that crime. The more serious the crime, the greater the number of demerits that are assessed.

Demerit-based revocations may last up to three years. Under some circumstances a person’s tag privileges may be revoked for up to 10 years. (Refer to NRS 501.105, 501.181, 501.1818, NAC 501.200 and NAC 501.210)

UNLAWFUL ACTS; CRIMINAL PENALTIES

Except as otherwise provided by specific statute:

1. Any person who:
   (a) Performs an act or attempts to perform an act made unlawful or prohibited by a provision of this title;
   (b) Willfully fails to perform an act required of him by a provision of this title;
   (c) Obstructs, hinders, delays or otherwise interferes with any officer, employee or agent of the Department in the performance of any duty while enforcing or attempting to enforce any provision of this title;
   (d) Violates any order issued or regulation adopted by the Commission under the provisions of this title; or
   (e) Having been granted a privilege or been licensed or permitted to do any act under the provisions of this title, exercises the grant, license or permit in a manner other than as specified, is guilty of a misdemeanor. An officer, employee or agent of the Department may not obtain or attempt to obtain biological samples of wildlife, hunting, fishing or trapping data, or any other biological data or information relating to wildlife on private property without the consent of the owner of the property.

2. Every person who is guilty of a misdemeanor under this title shall be punished by a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $500, or by imprisonment in county jail for not more than 6 months, or by both fine and imprisonment. (Refer to NRS 501.385)

FORFEITURES

Any gun, ammunition, trap, snare, vessel, vehicle, aircraft or other device or equipment used, or intended for use:

1. To facilitate the unlawful and intentional killing or possession of any big game mammal; or
2. To hunt or kill a big game mammal by using information obtained as a result of the commission of an act prohibited by NRS 503.010 or a regulation of the Commission which prohibits the location of big game mammals for the purpose of hunting or killing by the use of:
   (a) An aircraft, including, without limitation, any device that is used for navigation of, or flight in, the air;
   (b) A hot air balloon or any other device that is lighter than air; or
   (c) A satellite or any other device that orbits the earth and is equipped to produce images, or other similar devices; or
3. Knowingly transport, sell, receive, acquire or purchase any big game mammal which is unlawfully killed or possessed, is subject to forfeiture pursuant to NRS 179.1156 to 179.119 inclusive. (Refer to NRS 501.3857)

REPORT WILDLIFE CRIME WITH NEW “NDOW TIP” APP

“NDOW Tip” allows the public to report information on wildlife crime or suspicious activity via a new free smartphone app.

- Send a report through the app or connect directly to the Operation Game Thief (OGT) hotline.
- Download the app on your iPhone or Android through app stores.
- Send in pictures or video to the department.
- “NDOW Tip” also includes links to the OGT website that includes information on what to look for and what information to report.
COMMON VIOLATIONS

The vast majority of hunters, trappers, and anglers do their best to abide by the wildlife laws and regulations. For those people who fail to follow the law, convictions of wildlife law may carry serious penalties, including criminal fines up to $5,000, jail, civil penalties up to $30,000, loss of equipment and lost license privileges.

The following are a list of the seven most common violations in the field. Check twice, take due care, and you can avoid unnecessary citations, costly fines and loss of equipment and hunting privileges.

**If you make a mistake** — for example shooting a spike, or small forked-horn deer instead of an antlerless deer — report it immediately to the local game warden or Operation Game Thief (OGT) at 1-800-992-3030. Follow any instructions that are provided to you and wait for the warden to arrive. Taking the opposite approach, such as hiding or wasting game, will carry much more serious consequences.

1. **Loaded Rifle or Shotgun In/On Vehicle**
   Nevada law prohibits carrying loaded rifles and shotguns in or on vehicles, including ATVs, motorcycles, and snowmobiles. After hunting on foot, unload the gun before placing it in or on the vehicle. This is a misdemeanor offense.

2. **Using Tag of Another**
   This is a surprisingly common violation. Only the person named on the tag may use or possess the tag. This violation is considered a felony offense if an animal is harvested.

3. **License and Tag Fraud**
   Providing false information (for example, claiming to be a Nevada resident, using a false date of birth, or fictitious name, etc.) to obtain a license is a misdemeanor. Providing false information to obtain a big game tag is a gross misdemeanor, and killing a big game mammal with such a tag is a felony. This activity steals tags from lawful sportsmen.

4. **Early/Late Shooting**
   Do not shoot at game before or after the designated legal hunting hours. Check the sunset/sunrise and hunts by species table. Sunset does not mean dark! (Refer to legal hunting hours by species on page 45. Also see sunrise/sunset tables pages 45–48. This is a misdemeanor offense.

5. **Failure to Properly Punch Tag or Permit Immediately After Taking Game**
   Upon reaching game, immediately validate (punch) the tag or permit with a knife or other sharp object. Marking it with a pencil or pen is not acceptable. This is a misdemeanor offense.

6. **Possessing an Over Limit of a Species**
   Possession Limit is the maximum number of a species that one person can legally take and control at any one time—this includes animals held in the freezer and ice chest. Daily Limit is the maximum number of a species that is allowed to be harvested in any given day.

7. **Unplugged Shotgun**
   Waterfowl and dove hunters may not use shotguns capable of holding more than three shells. Shotguns must be plugged and rendered incapable of holding more than three shells. Shotguns must also be plugged in all Wildlife Management Areas regardless of species. This is a misdemeanor offense.
The following authorized NDOW license agents listed below have been issued a supply of transportation permits. Please call the one closest to your hunting area to verify that they still have a supply on hand before you go in. Transportation permits are also available at all NDOW offices statewide (see page 5).

**EASTERN REGION**

**Gun World**  
2515 Noddle Ln  
Elko, NV 89801  
(775) 738-2666

**Carlin Ace Hardware**  
924 Bush St.  
Carlin, NV 89822  
(775) 754-6211

**Big 5 Sporting Goods #250**  
2409 Mtn. City Hwy  
Elko, NV 89801  
(775) 777-2252

**Ace Hardware**  
263 Spring Valley Pkwy Ste. K  
Elko, NV 89815  
(775) 738-5444

**Raine’s Market**  
901 N Main St  
Eureka, NV 89316  
(775) 237-5296

**Hotel Nevada**  
501 Aultman St.  
Ely, NV 89301  
(775) 289-6665

**Sportsworld**  
1500 Aultman St.  
Ely, NV 893041  
(775) 289-8886

**SOUTHERN REGION**

**Wal-Mart #1838**  
3041 N. Rainbow Blvd.  
Las Vegas, NV 89108  
(702) 656-0199

**Bass Pro Shops Outdoor World**  
8200 Dean Martin Dr  
Las Vegas, NV 89139  
(702) 730-5200

**Tillie’s Mini Market**  
#1 Main St.  
Pioche, NV 89043  
(775) 962-5205

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300 S. HWY 160  
Pahrump, NV 89048  
(775) 537-1400

**WESTERN REGION**

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3306 Kietzke Ln.  
Reno, NV 89502  
(775) 828-1500

**Mark Fore & Strike**  
490 Kietzke Ln  
Reno, NV 89502  
(775) 322-9559

**Wal-Mart #1648**  
3770 S. Hwy 395  
Carson City, NV 89705  
(775) 267-2158

**CB Brown**  
221 Bridge St.  
Winnemucca, NV 89445  
(775) 623-2541

**Giomi Inc.**  
119 W. Bridge St.  
Yerington, NV 89447  
(775) 463-4427

**Wal-Mart #2453**  
2333 Reno Hwy  
Fallon, NV 89406  
(775) 428-1700

**B L M  I N F O R M A T I O N**

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) in Nevada encourages hunters to call in advance of hunting season to find out if land management practices will be conducted during the hunting season. While BLM field offices are aware of hunting seasons, some management activities, such as prescribed burns, wild horse gathers, road closures or fire restrictions may temporarily disrupt hunting activities.

**Call Before You Hunt**  
If possible, call the appropriate BLM office before you send in your hunt area requests. That way you may avoid an area that may have some access restrictions or other changes because of management activities. It’s a good idea to call BLM just before the hunt to find out if any unplanned restrictions from fire or emergency wild horse gatherings are in effect.

- Battle Mountain District Office (775) 635-4000
- Carson City District Office (775) 885-6000
- Elko District Office (775) 753-0200
- Ely District Office (775) 289-1800
- Southern Nevada District Office (702) 515-5000
- Winnemucca District Office (775) 623-1500

**Responsible Hunting in Wilderness and Wilderness Study Areas (WSAs)**  
Some units contain BLM lands designated as wilderness or wilderness study areas. Motor vehicle use—trucks, ATVs and motorcycles—is not allowed unless signs are placed to indicate a designated route. The motorized vehicle rule extends to mechanized vehicles such as game carriers, which are also not allowed in these areas. Hand-held GPS units are allowed.

**Responsible Off-Highway Vehicle Use**  
There has been a big increase in the use of OHVs by hunters. While most areas of the public lands are designated as open to OHV use, cross-country travel on OHVs is causing unnecessary damage to habitat that wildlife depend on. OHV riders are asked to stay on existing roads and trails. If it is necessary to drive off roads to retrieve and pack out harvested game, hunters are asked to use care and avoid creating new routes.
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CLEAN, DRAIN, DRY.

STOP INVASIVE SPECIES

After a day of hunting, always remember to follow the Clean Drain Dry steps to prevent the spread of invasive species.

1. **Clean** all plants, mud and debris from trucks, trailers, gear and pets.
2. **Drain** all water from boats and recreational vehicles.
3. **Dry** boots/waders and all equipment for at least 5 days.

Learn to identify invasive species in your area. Report findings to a local fish and wildlife agency!
Registration Opens September 7th at 8am

- Limited Gun Tables Available! - Thousands of Dollars in Raffle Prizes!
  Games are an Annual Favorite!

Early Bird Bonus
Pre-Register by September 17th 2021 to receive $60 in free raffle tickets

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