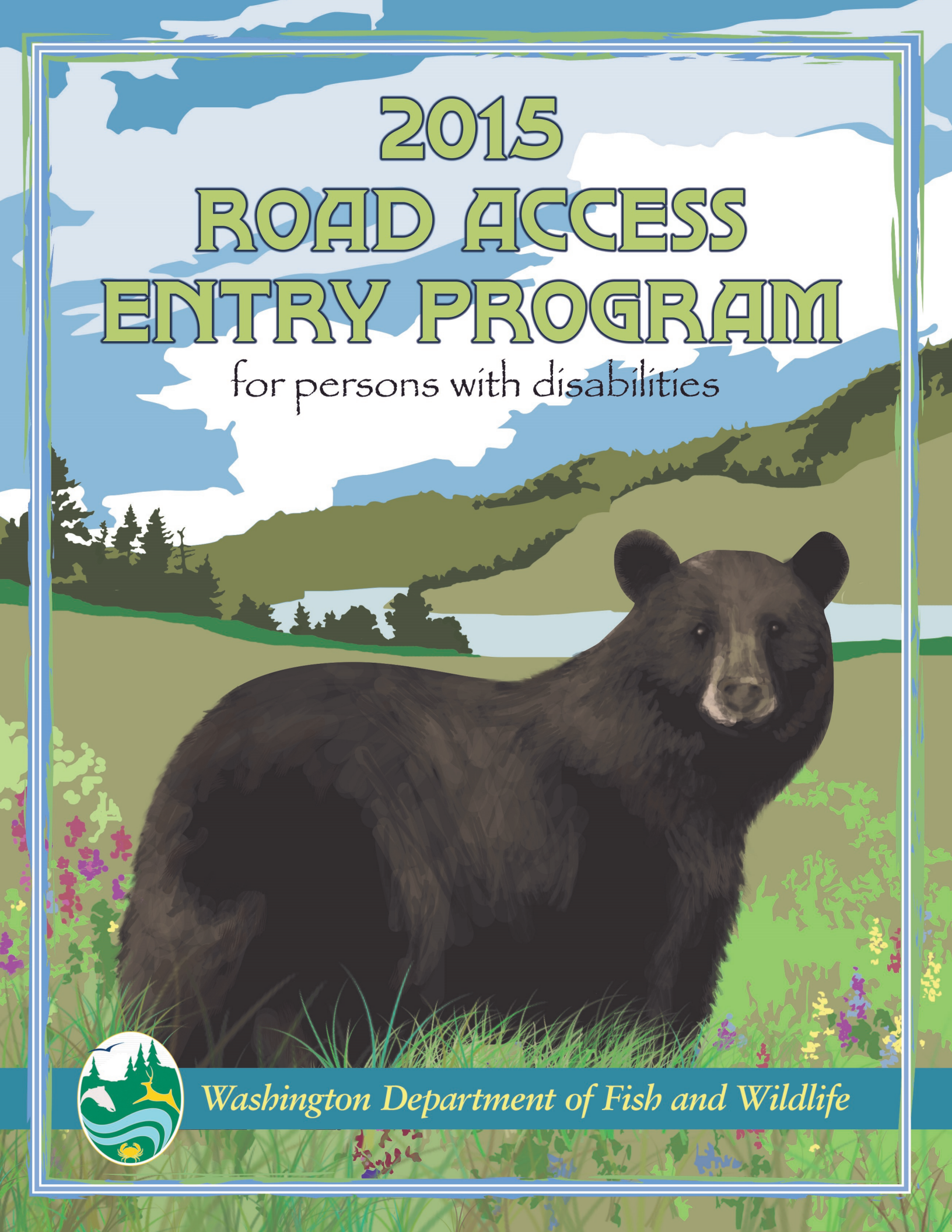
2015 ROAD ACCESS ENTRY PROGRAM

for persons with disabilities



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A cooperative effort between Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, U.S. Fish and Wildlife, Department of Natural Resources, U.S. Forest Service, and Private Timber Companies.

The State of Washington is an equal opportunity employer. Persons with disabilities who need assistance in the application or testing process, or those needing this booklet in an alternative format, may call (360) 902-2349 or Telecommunications Device for the Deaf 1-800-833-6388

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U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service,
Civil Rights Coordinator for Public Access
4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Mail Stop:
WSFR-4020, Arlington, VA 22203

Disabled Hunter Road Access Entry Program & Drawing

The Road Access Entry Program provides access to hunters with lower extremity mobility disabilities into areas with fewer barriers and vehicle distraction.

This is a cooperative effort between the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW), Recreation and Conservation Office (RCO), Department of Natural Resources (DNR), U.S. Forest Service (USFS), private timber companies, and hunters with disabilities.

This is **NOT** the same as the special permit drawings offered each year in the "*Big Game Hunting Seasons and Regulations*" booklet. This is **NOT** a permit drawing for deer or elk tag, doe or cow tag.

If drawn, you will be issued an access special use permit by the land manager allowing you to drive a motorized vehicle into a closed or gated area where other hunters must walk in.

All areas are:

- **still open to walk-in hunters.**
- **open to administrative use by the agency or land manager.**
- **subject to logging, fire and emergency closures… etc.**

You do **NOT** have to buy your license or tags first to apply for these Road Access Entry Permits; you need to be a WDFW registered hunter with a permanent lower extremity mobility disability and have your Disabled Hunter Wild ID number available. ***(This number is on your orange placard).***

However, if drawn for a Road Access Entry Permit, you must have all appropriate licenses and tags for the game you are pursuing.

Everyone must follow all state regulations pertaining to hunting.

How to apply:

Application submissions begin the first week of June. You must fill out an official WDFW application form for deer and/or elk and return it to the mailing address on page 8 or submit one online by **July 31, 2015** in order to be eligible for the drawing.

Note: ***Only one application form per hunter is allowed.*** *If you submit more than one entry form you will* ***not*** *be able to participate in the drawing and your entry forms will be destroyed.*

Please read where the Road Access Areas are located and apply only for those areas you would actually travel to should you be drawn.

If applying for elk, the west side and east side elk tags are different and you must hunt in compliance with your tags and equipment.

Game Management Unit (GMU) numbers for the Road Access Entry Areas are listed at the top of each page for your convenience.

Qualifying Program Criteria - Hunter with a Lower Extremity Mobility Disability

To apply for this ADA accommodation, you must meet the following criteria:

1. Have WDFW disability status in good standing, **and**
2. Have a permanent non-operable lower extremity mobility impairment, **and**
3. WAC 232-12-825(1)(a): Have been medically prescribed the use of an assistive device every time for mobility, including, but not limited to, a wheelchair, walker, crutch, lower extremity prosthesis, or oxygen bottle, **or**
4. RCW 46.19.010(1)(a-j): Have been issued a DOL disability parking permit, **or**
5. Unable to walk more than 200 feet.

RCW 46.19.010(1)(a-j) DOL disability parking permit criteria:

(a) Cannot walk two hundred feet without stopping to rest;

(b) Is severely limited in ability to walk due to arthritic, neurological, or orthopedic condition;

(c) Has such a severe disability that the person cannot walk without the use of or assistance from a brace, cane, another person, prosthetic device, wheelchair, or other assistive device;

(d) Uses portable oxygen;

(e) Is restricted by lung disease to an extent that forced expiratory respiratory volume, when measured by a spirometer, is less than one liter per second or the arterial oxygen tension is less than sixty mm/hg on room air at rest;

(f) Impairment by cardiovascular disease or cardiac condition to the extent that the person's functional limitations are classified as class III or IV under standards accepted by the American heart association;

(g) Has a disability resulting from an acute sensitivity to automobile emissions that limits or impairs the ability to walk. The personal physician, advanced registered nurse practitioner, or physician assistant of the applicant shall document that the disability is comparable in severity to the others listed in this subsection;

(h) Has limited mobility and has no vision or whose vision with corrective lenses is so limited that the person requires alternative methods or skills to do efficiently those things that are ordinarily done with sight by persons with normal vision;

(i) Has an eye condition of a progressive nature that may lead to blindness; or

(j) Is restricted by a form of porphyria to the extent that the applicant would significantly benefit from a decrease in exposure to light.

If you meet the above criteria, then proceed forward...

FILLING OUT THE SUBMISSION FORM:

You have up to four (4) Elk and four (4) Deer road choices. Fill out the submission form with the entry number(s) for the road area(s) you would like to drive into.

Enter the number listed under the **"Entry Number"** column into the choice box on the submission form. ***~ Do not use the "GMU" number ~*** *If GMU's are entered then the form will be destroyed.*

Entry Numbers are separated into two groups:

The "D" is for Deer hunts - example: D 173

The "E" is for Elk hunts - example: E 285

Please print your Name, full mailing Address, Telephone number with area code and your Wild ID number *(found on your **orange** placard)* clearly onto the form.

Your Wild ID number must appear on the entry form to qualify for the drawing.

If you want to be considered as an alternate, check the *"alternate"* box. If there are areas left over, wherever possible, we will match unsuccessful hunters with disabilities to an area close to their preferred choices by geographic location.

Mail form to: WDFW, ADA Access Program Manager, PO Box 43139, Olympia, Washington 98504 and must be post marked by **July 31, 2015.**

Form submission is also available online at: wdfw.wa.gov/accessibility/road_access.html

DRAWING NOTIFICATION:

Hunters who have been drawn will be notified no later than **August 31, 2015.**

- **Hunters with disabilities who are not drawn will "NOT" be notified.**

Those who were drawn will receive information including:

- Congratulation letter
- Information about the Road Access Entry Area for which they were drawn, and
- Instructions on how to obtain the entry special use permit, key, map… etc.

You may be required to visit the land managers office in person at a specific time to pick up a key, sign papers, and leave a check for a key deposit.

Designated Hunting Companion - Hunting areas have different rules about whether the hunter companion can also hunt on their own tag, or must only ***assist*** the disabled hunter in the harvest.

Successfully drawn hunters with disabilities and their designated hunting companions must follow the rules of the land manager while hunting and driving in the permit area. You will receive a list of these rules when you receive your Road Access Entry Special Use Permit.

If allowed on the entry special use permit, other non-hunting persons or family members besides your hunting companion may be allowed to accompany the hunter with a disability. Each land manager makes this decision, so check before you go.

Other Road Systems for hunters with disabilities not requiring participation in this drawing are available. For more details see the section ***"Other Road Access Opportunities"*** in the back of this road access catalog**.**

NOTE: Please notify the ADA Access Program Manager as soon as possible if you are unable to use the permit drawn. This allows the permit to be reissued to an alternate. Also, contact the ADA Access Program Manager at (360) 902-2349, if you have an *address and/or telephone number change*.

TIPS FOR HUNTERS WITH DISABILITIES DRAWN FOR A ROAD ENTRY PERMIT:

If you are successfully drawn for a Road Access Entry permit, please follow the instructions on the letter you will receive. The letter will describe how to obtain your key or combination and other documents needed for entry into the gated access entry area.

PLEASE...

→ Be courteous to the staff where you pick up your key. They did not pick these areas or start the Road Access Entry Program. They are graciously providing these keys and supplying the paperwork as a courtesy to you, the hunter.

→ Do not share stories and consume their time when getting your key.

→ Do not call or seek any other information from the land manager, unless the letter instructs you to do so.

→ Have your Disabled Hunter Permit (***orange*** placard) with you.

→ Return the key and required paperwork when your hunting time is up.

Follow all hunting regulations, rules, instructions and procedures of the Road Access Entry Special Use Permit and land manager so you and other hunters with disabilities will be welcomed back.

REMEMBER...

- Access into these drawing entry areas does not guarantee hunting success. Your entry permit simply allows you to drive a vehicle into an area other hunters walk into. All other state hunting laws apply to you. Other vehicle traffic may be allowed in the area for other reasons than hunting. Other hunters with disabilities may be in the area at the same time. There are no guarantees that someone will not trespass into the area and be there illegally. Everyone has different expectations of what makes a quality hunt, but the areas provided should offer a good chance of seeing game, with minimal interference from other hunters and vehicles.

- **Signs or gates may be vandalized. Gates and/or locks may be damaged due to vandalism and may prevent you from entering the area you are assigned. If this occurs, WDFW cannot guarantee you will be able to use your entry special use permit at your assigned time.**

If you suspect a vehicle is trespassing, **DO NOT ENDANGER YOURSELF.** Instead, note a description of the vehicle, persons involved, license plate number, time, place, etc. and notify the Land Manager and/or Law Enforcement as soon as possible.

REVIEW: *Submissions accepted from June 1st to July 31st*

All Packet information is available online or by calling the number below.

Entries for the Disabled Hunter Road Access Permit drawing for Deer and Elk must either be submitted online or to the address below by **July 31, 2015** to be valid.

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
ADA Access Program Manager
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Olympia, WA 98504

This form and packet is available online at: wdfw.wa.gov/accessibility/road_access.html

If you have questions, please contact:

Dolores Noyés, ADA Access Program Manager at (360) 902-2349

Questions regarding DNR lands should be directed to Heidi Stephens at **(360) 902-1375.**

DISCLAIMER:

PLEASE NOTE: If any of the following dates associated with the GMU are incorrect, or the GMUs listed in this pamphlet are incorrect, the 2015 "Big Game Seasons and Regulations" pamphlet dates associated with the GMU's apply. Landowners & managers at anytime may cancel the permit due to fire danger, logging activity or vandalism, etc. The Department has no control over their decision. This program does not guarantee success with your harvest.

ENTRY INSTRUCTIONS:

The following pages are intended to help you choose an area and provide you with an idea of its location. Each area has a charted schedule showing the Entry Number, Hunt Type, Date of Hunt and Number of Permits offered for this year.

Each line on the chart schedule represents one road access selection opportunity, and the number of permits indicate the number of hunters who will be drawn for that particular date.

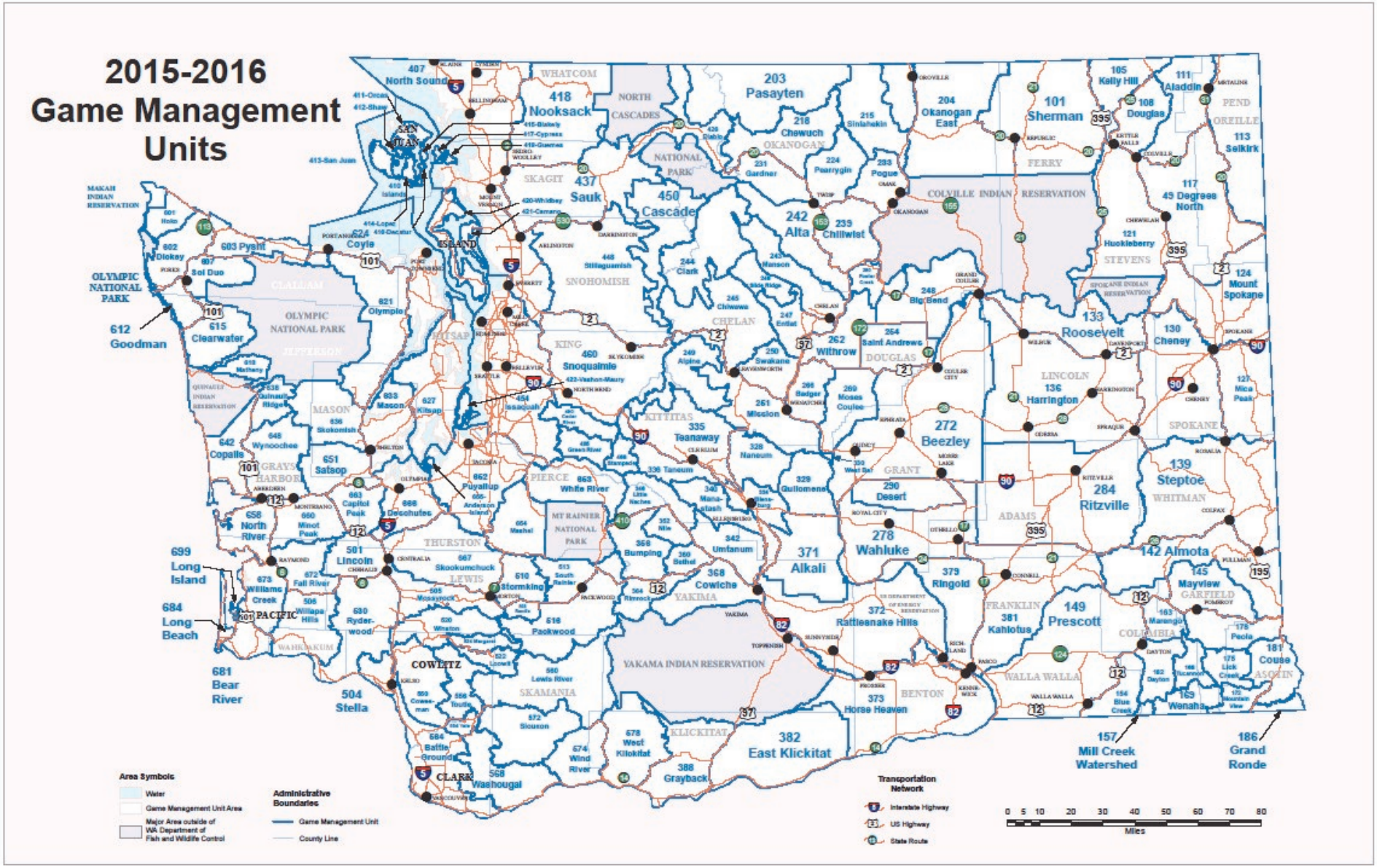
Entry Numbers are separated into two groups:

The "D" is for Deer hunts - example: D 173
The "E" is for Elk hunts - example: E 285

Look through the opportunities carefully. Select up to four (4) deer and/or up to four (4) elk road accesses. Please write the Entry Number (located in the left hand column) onto your submission form as indicated. **DO NOT USE THE GMU NUMBER**.

Mail form to: ADA Access Program Manager, WDFW, PO Box 43139, Olympia, Washington 98504 and must be post marked by **July 31, 2015.**

2015-2016 Game Management Units



WAC 232-12-828 *Hunting of game birds and animals by persons with a disability.*

(1) Definitions:

(a) "Hunter with a disability" means a person with a permanent disability who possesses a disabled hunter permit issued by the department.

(b) "Disabled hunter permit" means a permit, card, or endorsement to a license issued by the department to any person with a permanent disability who applies to the department and presents such evidence as the director may require showing that the applicant is a person with a qualifying disability.

(i) Upon approval of the application, the department will issue a vehicle identification placard.

(ii) A designated hunter companion card will be issued to the holder of a disabled hunter permit along with the issuance of a hunting license.

(c) "Designated hunter companion" means a person who assists or acts on behalf of a hunter with a disability in the stalking, shooting, tracking, retrieving, or tagging of game birds and game animals.

(d) "Designated hunter companion card" means an identification card issued by the department to a hunter with a disability for use by another person in assisting or acting on the behalf of the hunter with a disability while engaging in hunting activities.

(e) "Accompany" means the hunter with a disability and the designated hunter companion are in the physical presence of each other, not to exceed a 1/4-mile separation. While stalking or shooting an animal, the hunter with a disability and the designated hunter companion must have a form of reliable and direct communication.

(2) It is unlawful for a hunter with a disability to fail to obtain all required licenses, tags, or stamps before hunting.

(3) It is unlawful for a designated hunter companion to assist a hunter with a disability unless the designated hunter companion has the designated hunter companion card on his or her person. A designated hunter companion must have a valid hunting license issued by Washington state or another state.

(a) The designated hunter companion must accompany the hunter with a disability when stalking or shooting game on behalf of the hunter with a disability.

(b) The designated hunter companion does not need to accompany the hunter with a disability while tracking an animal wounded by either hunter, or while tagging or retrieving a downed animal on behalf of the hunter with a disability.

(4) It is unlawful for the hunter with a disability or the designated hunter companion to fail to:

(a) Immediately cut, notch, or date any required tag upon harvesting a game bird or animal; and

(b) Affix the tag to the carcass of the game bird or animal as soon as is reasonably possible after killing the game.

(5) A violation of subsections (2), (3) or (4) of this section is punishable under RCW 77.15.400, 77.15.410, 77.15.430, 77.15.750 or other statutes under chapter RCW 77.15 depending on the circumstances of the violation.

(6) Game birds or game animals killed, tagged or retrieved by a designated hunter companion on behalf of a hunter with a disability do not count against the designated hunter companion's bag or possession limit.

Western Washington

Road Access GMU Sites

The "**D**" is for DEER Hunts - example: D 173

The "**E**" is for ELK Hunts - example: E 284

Mt. Rainier as seen from High Rock, south west GMU 513

WDFW Cowlitz Wildlife Area

Peterman Ridge Unit GMU 505

WDFW Cowlitz Wildlife Area (GMU 505)
The 6,840 acre Peterman Ridge Unit is located south of Morton in Lewis County. Owned by Tacoma Power and managed by WDFW, this area is home to black-tailed deer. From Highway 12 near Morton, turn south onto Highland Valley Road. Stay up hill to Peterman Hill Road, the entry point is at the 1500 Road. Access to over 7 miles of Mainline Road. All permits must be displayed. ATV's allowed at this site. No off-road travel. Camping is available at Ike Kinswa State Park on Mayfield Lake. One non-hunting person in addition to the Hunter and Hunter Companion is allowed to help.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 001	Early Archery	September 1 - 14 *	1
D 002	Early Archery	September 15 - 28 *	1
D 003	Muzzleloader	October 5 - 9	1
D 004	Modern	October 19 - 23	1
D 005	Modern	October 26 - 30	1
D 006	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	1
D 007	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 8	1
D 008	Late Archery	December 10 - 22	1
D 009	Late Archery	December 24 - 31	1

* Due to fire danger regulations, this area could be closed to motorized vehicles. Check with Area Manager.

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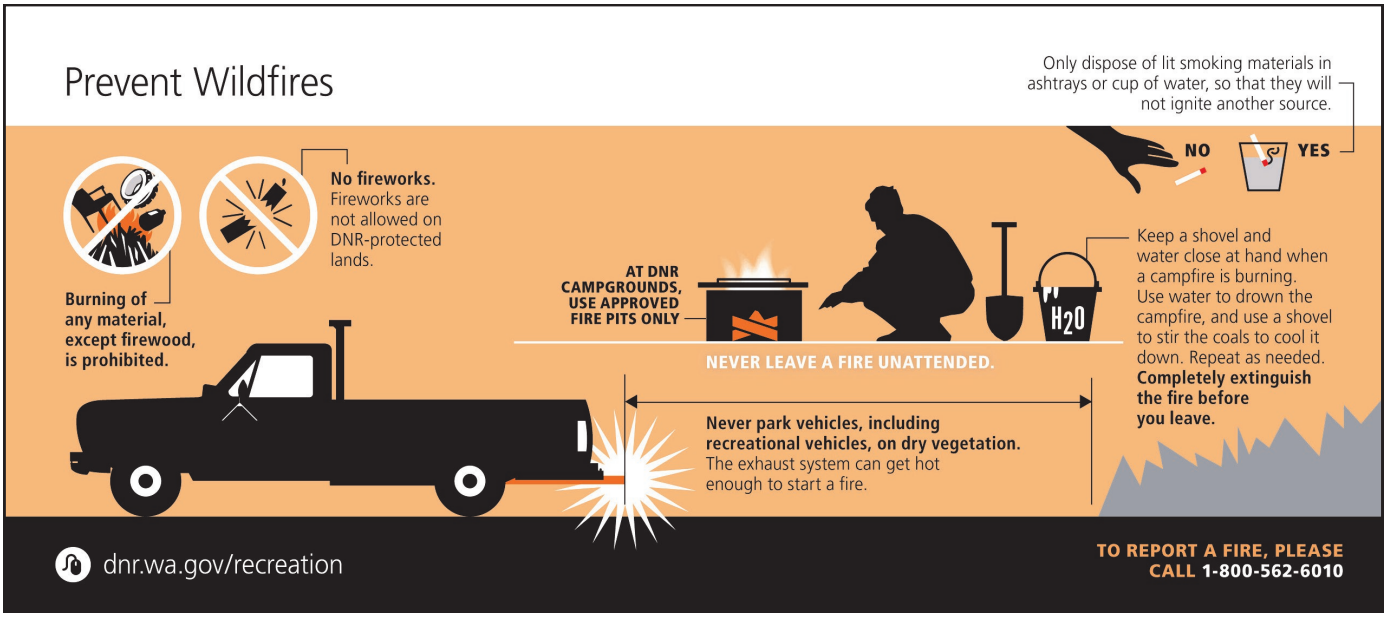
WDFW Scatter Creek Wildlife Area

Skookumchuck GMU 667

WDFW Scatter Creek Puget Sound (Skookumchuck) Wildlife Area (GMU 667)
The 960 acre Skookumchuck Unit is managed by and on TransAlta's private property located eleven miles NE of Centralia and downstream from the Skookumchuck Dam in Thurston County. On Hwy 507, go south of Tenino towards Bucoda 2.3 miles and turn left (east) onto 184th Ave SE, which becomes Skookumchuck Rd. SE. Proceed **5.4** miles and turn right (south) onto Thompson Creek Rd SE. Proceed **1.0** miles to TransAlta's Gate #17 on the left just past BPA's transmission lines. This road is **1.9** miles long. Deer and Elk move into and through this security cover from forage fields on the north side of the river and meadows on the south side. This access is for the south side of the Skookumchuck River and for **Elk** only. ATV's, target shooting, and overnight camping are not permitted within the habitat area. Camping is available at Millersylvania State Park. Hunter may bring hunter companion to help. Must display orange placard.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
E 010	Muzzleloader	October 5 - 9	1
E 011	Modern	November 9 - 18	1
E 012	Late Muzzle	Nov 26 - Dec 4	1
E 013	Late Archery	December 6 - 13	1



DNR Capitol Forest

DC Line Road GMU 663

Capitol State Forest - DC Line Road (GMU 663) Located in the Capitol Forest between Porter and Oakville opposite of State Route 12 – Mile Post 31. Approximately 20 miles of road accessing good views of both timber and cut over areas. Be extremely cautious. Logging maybe occurring on this road and there could be brush pickers. ATV's are allowed. No camping.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 014	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	4
D 015	Early Archery	September 16 - 30	4
D 016	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	4
D 017	Modern	October 17 - 23	4
D 018	Modern	October 24 - 31	4
D 019	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	4
D 020	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 6	4
D 021	Late Archery	December 7 - 18	4
D 022	Late Archery	December 19 - 31	4

DNR Cassidy Creek

PA-L 1000 Road GMU 621

DNR Cassidy Creek PA-L 1000 Road (GMU 621) From Sequim on Highway 101 travel 2.1 miles west to Hooker Rd. Turn left and travel .3 miles to Atterbury Rd. Turn right and travel 2.1 miles to Cassidy Rd. Turn left and travel 1.1 miles to the gate. No overnight camping. ATV use allowed.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 023	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	2
D 024	Modern	October 17 - 23	2
D 025	Modern	October 24 - 31	2
D 026	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	2

DNR Elbe Hills

GMU 654

Elbe Hills (GMU 654) From Elbe continue East toward Ashford on Highway 706 for 6.1 miles. Turn left onto 278th Ave East and follow .6 miles to the end of the county road. Continue left for 2 miles. Stay left for 1.8 miles to Beaver Creek Trailhead. The gate is around a sharp left hand turn (not visible from the main road). There is approximately 9.25 miles to explore behind the gate.
No ATV's allowed. Overnight camping is allowed. Discover Pass Required.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 027	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	3
D 028	Early Archery	September 25 - 30	3
D 029	Modern	October 17 - 23	3
D 030	Modern	October 24 - 31	3
D 031	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	3
D 032	Late Muzzle	Nov 25 - Dec 1	3
D 033	Late Muzzle	December 2 - 8	3
D 034	Late Muzzle	December 9 - 15	3
E 035	Archery	September 12 - 17	3
E 036	Archery	September 18 - 24	3
E 037	Modern	November 7 - 12	3
E 038	Modern	November 13 - 18	3

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DNR Hood Canal State Forest

GMU 621

DNR Hood Canal State Forest (GMU 621)

From Highway 101 and Jorsted Creek Road (Forest Service 24 Road) follow 2.1 miles to the junction of FS 2480 and FS 24 Roads. Turn left onto FS24 and follow for 2.9 miles. Turn left onto FS 2420 to the gate. There are several large thinning units behind the gate. No overnight camping. Street legal vehicles on roads only. Discover Pass Required.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 039	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	3
D 040	Early Archery	September 16 - 30	3
D 041	Modern	October 17 - 23	3
D 042	Modern	October 24 - 31	3
D 043	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	3

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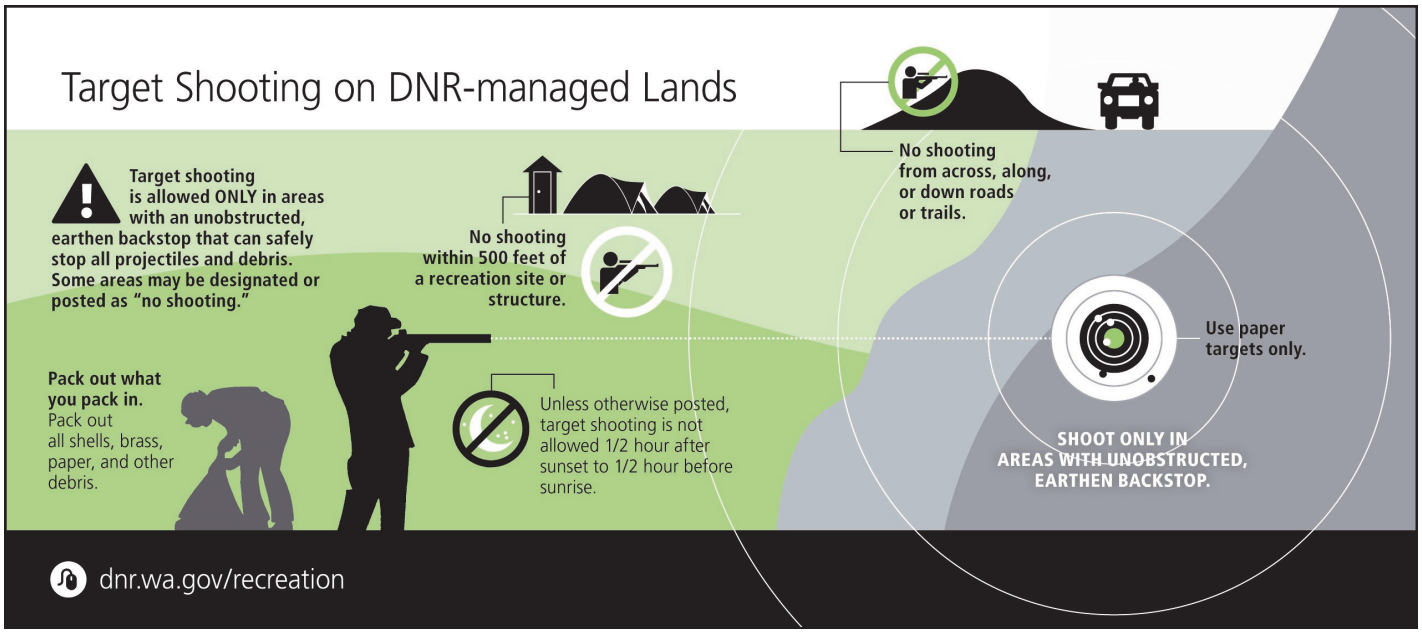

DNR Lincoln Creek

L 1000 Road GMU 501

Lincoln Creek Road - L-1000 (GMU 501) I-5 & Centralia take Exit 82 and go west on Harrison Ave 0.8 miles, then turn left onto Galvin Road for 2 miles to Galvin, then continue west on Lincoln Creek Road for 11.4 miles, turn right (north) on Manners Road for 2.6 miles. Turn left (west) on Garrard Creek Road for 3.1 miles. Lincoln Creek 1000 Road is on the left. This area has various types of terrain. No ATV's allowed. No camping permitted.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 044	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	2
D 045	Early Archery	September 25 - 30	2
D 046	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 047	Modern	October 17 - 23	2
D 048	Modern	October 24 - 31	2
D 049	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	2
D 050	Late Muzzle	December 7 - 15	2
E 051	Archery	September 12 - 17	2
E 052	Archery	September 18 - 24	2
E 053	Modern	November 7 - 12	2
E 054	Modern	November 13 - 18	2
E 055	Late Muzzle	Nov 25 - Dec 6	2

* BEAR HUNT ONLY *

DNR Markworth Forest

West GMU 460

Markworth State Forest West (GMU 460) I-90 to Preston (Exit #22) then North to Fall City pass Twin Rivers Golf Course. Cross the Snoqualmie River bridge and turn left onto Hwy 203 towards Carnation. Go six miles (through Carnation) and go three more miles and turn right on Stillwater Hill Road. Stay to the right on Rock Road and veer to the right on Stossel Creek Way. Go 1 mile and veer right again to enter Markworth State Forest. At the four-way, continue north approximately 2.5 miles to the gate on the left of Stossel Creek Road (ST 2700). All roads beyond the gate are open to hunting. Wastewater sludge is sprayed over vegetation in late August leaving a mild odor. No ATV's allowed. No camping allowed. *This is for Fall Black Bear only.*

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
B 056	Bear Only	August 1 - 10	1
B 057	Bear Only	August 11 - 21	1
B 058	Bear Only	August 22 - 31	1
B 059	Bear Only	September 1 - 9	1
B 060	Bear Only	September 10 - 19	1
B 061	Bear Only	September 20 - 30	1
B 062	Bear Only	October 1 - 9	1
B 063	Bear Only	October 10 - 19	1
B 064	Bear Only	October 20 - 31	1

This is not part of the deer and elk drawing. To request access to this area, you must call ten (10) days before hunt date:
WDFW Dolores Noyes (360) 902-2349 or DNR Heidi Stephens (360) 902-1375

DNR Markworth Forest

East GMU 460

Markworth State Forest East (GMU 460) I-90 to Preston (Exit #22) then north to Fall City pass Twin Rivers Golf Course - Cross bridge over the Snoqualmie River and turn left on Highway 203 to Carnation. Go six miles (through Carnation) and go three more miles and turn right on Stillwater Hill Road. Stay to the right on Rock Road and veer to the right on Stossel Creek Way. Go 1 mile veer right again to enter Markworth State Forest. At the four-way continue north approximately 2 miles to the gate on the right of Stossel Creek Road (ST 5000). All roads beyond the gate are open to hunting. Logging activity present until October 31. Wastewater sludge is sprayed over vegetation in August leaving a mild odor. No ATV's allowed. No camping allowed. Discover Pass Required.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 065	Archery	September 1 - 15	4
D 066	Archery	September 16 - 30	4
D 067	Modern	October 17 - 23	4
D 068	Modern	October 24 - 31	4
D 069	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 6	4
D 070	Late Muzzle	December 7 - 15	4

DNR Robertson Road

GMU 530

Robertson (GMU 530) From I-5, take Kelso, State Route 4 exit and go west about 14 miles. Turn right onto Mill Creek Road and drive 1 mile. Turn right onto Robertson Road and drive 3,000 feet. Gate is on left. This area is semi-flat with a 2 mile road system. Camping is permitted in designated site. ATV's allowed on roads only. Homes & children are located next to unit, be sure of your shot..!

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 071	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	2
D 072	Early Archery	September 25 - 30	2
D 073	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 074	Modern	October 17 - 23	2
D 075	Modern	October 24 - 31	2
D 076	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	2
E 077	Late Archery	December 7 - 15	2
E 078	Early Archery	September 12 - 17	2
E 079	Early Archery	September 18 - 24	2
E 080	Modern	November 7 - 12	2
E 081	Modern	November 13 - 18	2
E 082	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 6	2

DNR Sherwood Forest

GMU 633

Sherwood Forest (GMU 633) From Shelton at the junction of Front Street and Highway 3 – follow Hwy 3 north for 12.2 miles. There is a large turnout with two orange gates (2 tenths of a mile past Mile Post 15). The gate to the left is the road access gate. Go through the orange gate and follow for 1.4 miles to the first intersection. Stay right and follow 1 mile to the new gate. The access area for hunting begins at the blue DNR gate. Street legal vehicles on roads only. No ATV's. No camping allowed. Discover Pass Required.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 083	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	3
D 084	Early Archery	September 16 - 30	3
D 085	Modern	October 17 - 23	3
D 086	Modern	October 24 - 31	3
D 087	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	3
D 088	Late Muzzle	Nov 25 - Dec 6	3
D 089	Late Muzzle	December 7 - 15	3

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You Can Make a Difference and Make a Statement with Personalized License Plates

The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) launched a "Make A Difference – Make A Statement" campaign that is aimed at increasing public awareness of our state's Personalized License Plate program. Proceeds from the sale of personalized license plates directly benefit Washington's wildlife species and their natural habitat. By buying personalized license plates, Washington vehicle owners support wildlife research, recovery efforts, and viewing opportunities for wildlife species such as bald eagles, burrowing owls, Columbian white-tailed deer, and spotted frogs.

Personalized plates are available for Washington passenger vehicles for $49.75, with a yearly renewal fee of $32. Forty dollars of the initial purchase, and the entire $32 renewal fee, help conserve wildlife species through WDFW's Wildlife Program. Personalized license plates allow motorists to "Make A Statement" while they "Make a Difference" for Washington's wildlife.

For more information on personalized license plates or to receive an application in the mail, call the Washington Department of Licensing at (360) 902-3770. Applications are available at license vendors. You can also log on to the Department of Licensing website at www.wa.gov/dol for an electronic application.

DNR Tahoma State Forest

Upper 24 Road GMU 510

Tahoma State Forest (GMU 510) From Elbe continue East toward Ashford on Highway 706 for approximately 7 miles, turn right on Kernahan Road, follow the road for 1.4 miles continuing past Osborn and Skate Creek Roads, then veer right onto Forest Service 85 road, go 1.4 miles. Turn right toward Catt Creek Road and proceed 2.5 miles staying to the right to the intersection of the one and two roads. Continue 2.3 miles to the 24 Road to the gate. No ATV's. Camping is allowed.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 090	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	2
D 091	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 092	Modern	October 17 - 23	2
D 093	Modern	October 24 - 31	2
D 094	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	2
D 095	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 6	2
D 096	Late Archery	December 7 - 18	2
D 097	Late Archery	December 19 - 31	2
E 098	Archery	September 12 - 17	2
E 099	Archery	September 18 - 24	2
E 100	Modern	November 7 - 12	2
E 101	Modern	November 13 - 18	2

DNR Tahoma State Forest

Lower 11 Road GMU 510

Tahoma State Forest (GMU 510) From Elbe continue East toward Ashford on Highway 706 for approximately 7 miles, turn right on Kernahan Road, follow the road for 1.4 miles continuing past Osborn and Skate Creek roads, then veer right onto Forest Service 85 road, go 1.4 miles and turn right toward Catt Creek road and proceed 2.5 miles staying to the right to the intersection of the 1 and 2 road. Go right towards river for 3/4 mile. Gate on left. No ATV's. Camping is allowed.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 102	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	1
D 103	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 104	Modern	October 17 - 23	1
D 105	Modern	October 24 - 31	1
D 106	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	1
D 107	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 6	1
D 108	Late Archery	December 7 - 18	1
D 109	Late Archery	December 19 - 31	1
E 110	Archery	September 12 - 17	1
E 111	Archery	September 18 - 24	1
E 112	Modern	November 7 - 12	1
E 113	Modern	November 13 - 18	1

DNR Tahuya State Forest

Cougar 1000 Road GMU 633

Tahuya State Forest – Cougar 1000 Road (GMU 633)
This is a 2,500 acre working forest on the southeastern portion of Hood Canal. Beginning in Belfair at intersection of NE Old Belfair Hwy and State Route 300, continue on St. Hwy 300 for 3.5 miles, turn right on Belfair-Tahuya Rd for 7.7 miles. Take right onto Dewatto Bay Rd and follow for 2.3 miles. Turn left on NE Hohobas Way for .6 miles and stay left at junction for .9 miles. Stay left on Cougar Forest Rd for .5 miles to the gate. The Road Access for hunting unit starts here. Camping is available at Belfair State Park. No ATV's permitted. One non-hunting helper may assist the hunter with a disability and the hunter companion. Discover Pass Required.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 114	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	2
D 115	Early Archery	September 16 - 30	2
D 116	Modern	October 17 - 23	2
D 117	Modern	October 24 - 31	2
D 118	Late Modern	November 19 - 22	2
D 119	Late Muzzle	Nov 25 - Dec 1	2
D 120	Late Muzzle	December 2 - 8	2
D 121	Late Muzzle	December 9 - 15	2

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF Natural Resources

US FOREST SERVICE

Skykomish Ranger District (GMU 488) The Skykomish Ranger District located within the Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest is well positioned to connect urban dwellers with nature. Miles of rivers and streams flow through forested slopes into wide, open valleys fringed by the North Cascades. Maps of USFS roads may be purchased from this USFS Office providing more detail of the area. Camping is available outside the gate. One non-hunting person is allowed to assist the hunter with a disability and hunter companion.

Heybrook Mountain (GMU 448) From HWY 2 turn north onto the Index-Galena road. Turn right onto NF-210 road and go to gate. Both NF-210 and NF-6022 are open to this hunt. Bear activity is present. Great care is required near an active pedestrian trail leading to the lookout. Picnic table available at this point. Absolutely no ATV use is allowed. 4x4 vehicle is recommended. High walk in hunter use.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 122	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	1
D 123	Muzzleloader	October 8 - 11	1
D 124	Modern	October 17 - 23	1
D 125	Modern	October 24 - 30	1
D 126	Late Muzzle	December 2 - 8	1
D 127	Late Archery	December 9 - 15	1
B 128	Bear Only	August 1 - 10	1
B 129	Bear Only	August 11 - 20	1
B 130	Bear Only	August 21 - 31	1

Bear hunts are not part of the deer and elk drawing. To request access to Bear hunts, you must call in by July 15.

Names will be drawn on July 22. If you were drawn, you will be contacted by July 24.

Call ⇨ WDFW Dolores Noyes (360) 902-2349

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Lowe Creek (GMU 460)

From Hwy 2 west of Skykomish, turn south towards the Money Creek Campground on the Old Cascade Hwy. Turn right onto the Lowe Creek road staying right at "Y". Follow to gate. This access is made up of private and USFS property and can be an active thoroughfare for logging trucks. This road follows the South Fork of the Skykomish River and provides good access for deer. No ATV's or camping inside gate.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 131	Archery	September 1 - 15	1
D 132	Archery	September 17 - 30	1
D 133	Modern	October 17 - 23	1
D 134	Modern	October 24 - 30	1
D 135	Late Muzzle	Nov 25 - Dec 4	1
D 136	Late Archery	Dec 5 - 15	1

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Road Access GMU Sites

The "**D**" is for DEER Hunts - example: D 173

The "**E**" is for ELK Hunts - example: E 284

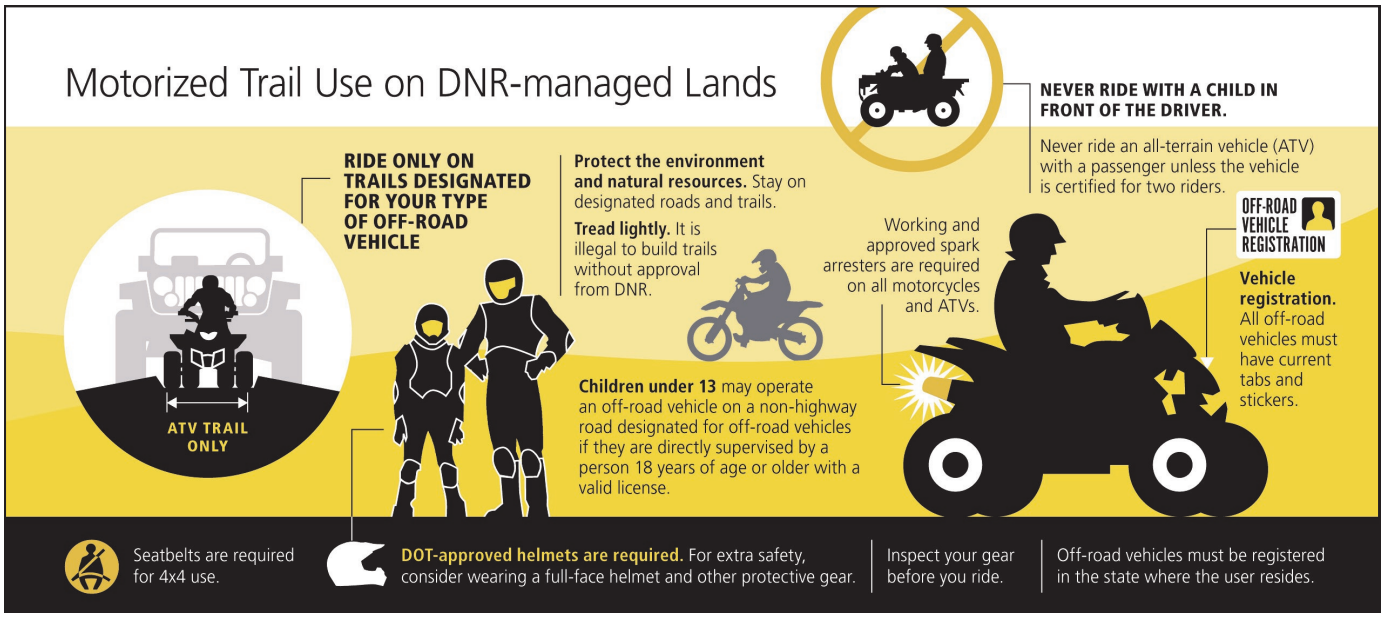
Mt. Adams as seen from Klickitat County, south central GMU 388.

WDFW Methow Wildlife Area

USFS Bear Mountain GMU 224

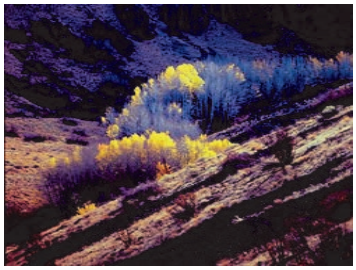
WDFW Methow Wildlife Area - Bear Mountain USFS (GMU 224)
Bear Mountain (USFS) is located on U.S. Forest Service property near the Loup Loup summit off of State Route 20. Twisp is approximately 12 miles from this site. This area is characterized by rolling hills with mixed Ponderosa Pine and Douglas Fir forest with a shrubby understory. Bear Mountain has an extensive road network. Mule deer and black bear are the big game species found in the area. From State Route 20 at the Loup Loup summit, go north on Forest Service Road 42. At 0.6 miles from the highway, USFS Road 42 will veer right. Continue on USFS 42 for another 3 miles until the pavement ends. Access to the Bear Mountain site is on the left. Camping facilities, including vault toilets are available at nearby USFS campgrounds. Only street legal vehicles are authorized. ATV's are prohibited.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 200	Archery	September 1 - 15	2
D 201	Archery	September 16 - 30	2
D 202	Modern	October 17 - 21	2
D 203	Modern	October 22 - 27	2



WDFW Oak Creek Wildlife Area

Cougar Canyon GMU 360



WDFW Oak Creek Wildlife Area - Cougar Canyon (GMU 360)

This 40,366 acre Oak Creek Unit is 8 miles west of Naches on Hwy 12. A winter elk feeding program is conducted annually. This access departs from the WDFW office headquarters on the Bethel Ridge road and up past the Cougar Canyon road on the right. Stay on Bethel Ridge to the signed area on right approximately 5 miles. All permits must be displayed in this area. Only one ATV per entry is allowed at this site. No off road travel. This road is not maintained. 4x4 vehicle recommended. Primitive camping on Bethel Ridge road and at the WDFW office available with permission. USFS Forest Service campgrounds are nearby. Please contact the Naches Ranger Station for more information.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 204	Early Archery	September 1 - 27	1
D 205	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 206	Modern	October 17 - 21	1
D 207	Modern	October 22 - 27	1
E 208	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	1

Discover Pass

The Discover Pass is your ticket to millions of acres of state lands managed by WDFW, the Washington Department of Natural Resources, and Washington State Parks. Your purchase of a Discover Pass helps to keep recreation access open on these state lands.

You don't need a Discover Pass to hunt and fish on WDFW-managed lands. When you purchase a hunting or fishing license, you also receive a complimentary Vehicle Access Pass that gives you access to hunt and fish on WDFW-managed lands.

However, to hunt on many DNR managed lands and to fish on DNR managed lands AND state parks, you will need a Discover Pass. (Hunting is not allowed in state parks.)

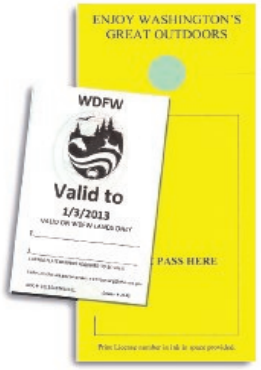
Learn more about when and where you need a Discover Pass and how to purchase the pass at:

discoverpass.wa.gov

The Discover Pass is just $30 per year and can be switched between two vehicles. A day-use pass is $10. (Transaction fees may apply)

Vehicle Access Pass

You must clearly display a Vehicle Access Pass (VAP) to park a vehicle at all posted WDFW wildlife areas and water access sites. The VAP must be visible from outside the vehicle (they can be placed on the dash or hung from the rear-view mirror) and can be switched between two vehicles. You can get a rear-view mirror hanger from your local license dealer.



Your Vehicle Access Pass is free with the purchase of an annual hunting, fishing, or trapping license. It cannot be purchased separately. Your Vehicle Access Pass can be switched between two motor vehicles.

For a list of locations requiring the VAP, visit:

wdfw.wa.gov/lands/ wildlife_areas/

WDFW Oak Creek Wildlife Area

Windy Point Road GMU 368

WDFW & US Forest Service - Windy Point Road (GMU 368)

This 40,366 acre Oak Creek Unit is 8 miles west of Naches on Hwy 12. A winter elk feeding program is conducted annually. This access departs from Hwy 12, one mile west of the Oak Creek Office. Turn left onto NF-1320 and proceed 3/4 mile to the NF 1302-511 road on the right. Gate access starts there. All permits must be displayed in this area. No ATV's allowed at this site. No off road travel. This road is not maintained. 4x4 vehicle recommended. Primitive camping available at gate or at office available with permission. USFS Forest Service campgrounds are nearby. Please contact the Naches Ranger Station for more information about camping.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 209	Early Archery	September 1 - 27	1
D 210	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 211	Modern	October 17 - 21	1
D 212	Modern	October 22 - 27	1
E 213	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	1

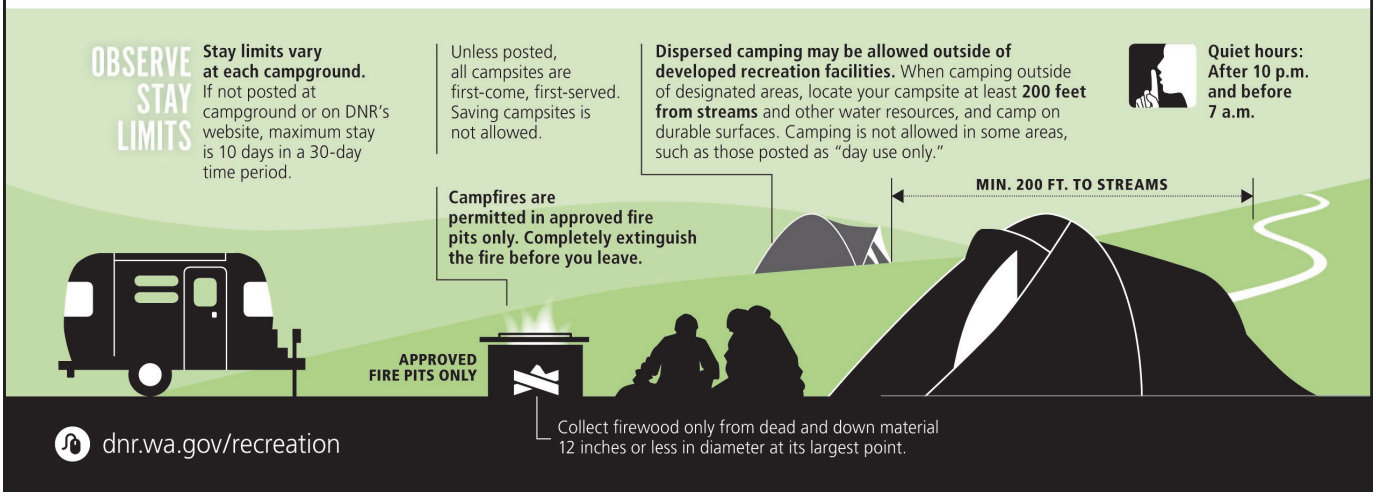
WDFW Sinlahekin Wildlife Area

Silver Hill Area GMU - 233

WDFW Roberts Lake Unit (GMU 233)
The Roberts Lake Unit is located 18 miles northwest of the town of Okanogan. Take Hwy 215 to downtown Okanogan. Turn left onto Pine Street. After S turn, road is 6th Ave North. This road turns into Conconully Road. Follow for 16 miles to Silver Hill road on the right. Hunters must have all permits displayed and stay on the mainline road at all times. This road loops up the hill, crosses the ridge and back down to Conconully road. White-tail and mule deer are present in the area. Camping facilities are available at Conconully State Park. The town of Conconully is two miles NW. One non-hunting person in addition to the Hunting Companion is allowed to help. Only one ATV vehicle is allowed to assist the disabled hunter with NO off road travel. ATV unloading area is available at gate entrance.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 214	Archery	September 1 - 15	1
D 215	Archery	September 16 - 30	1
D 216	Muzzleloader	October 5 - 9	1
D 217	Modern	October 19 - 23	1
D 218	Late Archery	Nov 23 - Dec 15	1

Camping on DNR-managed State Trust Lands



WDFW Sinlahekin Wildlife Area

Jay Hill Unit GMU - 215

WDFW Jay Hill Unit (GMU 215)

The Jay Hill Unit is located 28 miles northwest of the town of Riverside. Take Hwy 20 north from Riverside. Turn left onto Pine Creek road. This turns into Fish Lake road. Then it turns into Sinlahekin Road and heads north. Go past Blue Lake on the left and Forde Lake on the right. Turn right onto Connors Lake access road and stay left. Proceed up to the area managers office for key. Hunters must have all permits displayed and stay on the mainline road at all times. This road drives out through the pastures and follows the creek north. White-tail and mule deer are present in the area. Camping is available at the WDFW office with permission. The town of Loomis is four miles north. One non-hunting person in addition to the Hunting Companion is allowed to help. Only one ATV vehicle is allowed to assist the disabled hunter with NO off road travel. ATV unloading area is available at the office. Green dot roads are open to the east of this area.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 219	Archery	September 1 - 15	1
D 220	Archery	September 16 - 30	1
D 221	Muzzleloader	October 5 - 9	1
D 222	Modern	October 19 - 23	1
D 223	Late Archery	Nov 23 - Dec 15	1

DNR Ahtanum State Forest

C 1500 Road GMU 368

Ahtanum State Forest – C-1500 Road (GMU 368) From Yakima, travel west on Ahtanum road to Tampico. At Tampico, go west on North Fork Ahtanum Road for 3 miles. Turn right on A-5000 road for 2.2 miles. Follow the road to A-5500 and turn left on the C-1000 road. Follow the C-1000 road for approximately 3 miles, and just past the cattle guard, turn left on C-1500 for approximately ½ mile to the gate. No camping behind the gate. There are several dispersed camp sites available outside the gate. No ATV's allowed.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 224	Early Archery	September 1 - 9	2
D 225	Early Archery	September 10 - 18	2
D 226	Early Archery	September 19 - 27	2
D 227	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 228	Modern	October 17 - 21	2
D 229	Modern	October 22 - 27	2
D 230	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	2

DNR Ahtanum State Forest

A – 2050 Road GMU 368

Ahtanum State Forest – A - 2050 Road (GMU 368) From Yakima, travel west on Ahtanum road to Tampico. At Tampico, go west on North Fork Ahtanum Road for 8 miles. Go past the DNR Guard Station. At the intersection of the A-2000 and A-3000 road, turn left on the A-2000 road for 2.3 miles. Then turn left on the A-2050 road for approximately ¼ mile to the gate. No camping behind the gate. There are several campgrounds available outside the gate. No ATV's allowed.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 231	Early Archery	September 1 - 9	2
D 232	Early Archery	September 10 - 18	2
D 233	Early Archery	September 19 - 27	2
D 234	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 235	Modern	October 17 - 21	2
D 236	Modern	October 22 - 27	2
D 237	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 2	2
E 238	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 3	2
E 239	Modern	November 4 - 8	2
E 240	Late Archery	December 3 - 9	2
E 241	Late Archery	December 10 - 15	2

DNR Naneum State Forest

Croker Flats – GMU 328

Naneum State Forest – Pearson Gate (GMU 328) Located on the eastern slopes of the central Cascade Mountains, Naneum (nah-num) Ridge State Forest includes 71,000-acres of mostly forested uplands. With its mix of ponderosa pine, Douglas-fir and white fir trees, this area is habitat for deer, bears, cougars, and abundant bird life. The Naneum area also is home to one of the largest elk herds in the state of Washington. Portions of the forest are a critical corridor between the winter and summer ranges of the Yakima and Colockum elk herds. This access is located on the east side of Pearson Creek. ATV's allowed and camping available behind gate. All fire laws apply depending upon statewide burn bans. Propane powered campfire rings allowed year round as well as BBQ's.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 242	Archery	September 1 - 11	2
D 243	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 244	Modern	October 17 - 27	2
D 245	Archery	September 15 - 24	2
D 246	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	2

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DNR Naneum State Forest

Boulder / Winch Hill – GMU 328

Naneum State Forest – Scramblin Gate (GMU 328) Located on the eastern slopes of the central Cascade Mountains, Naneum (nah-num) Ridge State Forest includes 71,000-acres of mostly forested uplands. With its mix of ponderosa pine, Douglas-fir and white fir trees, this area is habitat for deer, bears, cougars, and abundant bird life. The Naneum area also is home to one of the largest elk herds in the state of Washington. Portions of the forest are a critical corridor between the winter and summer ranges of the Yakima and Colockum elk herds. This access is located on the north side of Boulder Creek. ATV's allowed and camping available behind gate. Fire laws apply. Watch statewide burn bans. Propane powered campfire rings allowed year round as well as BBQ's.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 247	Archery	September 1 - 11	2
D 248	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 249	Modern	October 17 - 27	2
D 250	Archery	September 15 - 24	2
D 251	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	2

DNR Rose Hill

4700 Road GMU 121

Rose Hill - 4700 Road (GMU 121)
From Spokane take US 395 to Loon Lake, then west on SR 292 to Springdale, turn right onto SR 231, continue west for about a mile, then turn left onto the Springdale Hunters Road for about 10 miles. The entrance to 4700 Road is on the right. There are 4 miles of road accessing a number of cut over areas. ATV's allowed. Camping allowed in the area. Discover Pass Required.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 252	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	2
D 253	Early Archery	September 16 - 30	2
D 254	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 255	Modern	October 17 - 23	2
D 256	Modern	October 24 - 30	2
D 257	Late Modern	November 7 - 19	2
D 258	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 9	2
D 259	Late Archery	December 10 - 15	2

DNR Sherry Divide

S 2000 Road GMU 117

DNR Sherry Divide - S 2000 Road (GMU 117) From Colville take SR 20 east for 18.3 miles, turn right on Sherry Creek Road for 1.6 miles. The S 2000 Road is on the left. The S 2000 Road is a 3 mile loop accessing both cut over areas and standing timber. ATVs are allowed. No camping.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 260	Early Archery	September 1 - 15	2
D 261	Early Archery	September 16 - 30	2
D 262	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 263	Modern	October 17 - 23	2
D 264	Modern	October 24 - 30	2
D 265	Late Modern	November 7 - 19	2
D 266	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 9	2
D 267	Late Archery	December 10 - 15	2

Western Pacific Timber

Grayback Unit GMU 388

Western Pacific Timber – Grayback (GMU 388) Go 15 miles west of Goldendale on Hwy 142. Turn right or north onto the Glenwood/Goldendale Highway. Proceed 2 miles, then turn right onto the Grayback road. Gate is located on Grayback road. Vehicles must stay on established roads. No camping allowed. Hunting companion may fill their tag as well.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 268	Modern	October 17 - 21	1
D 269	Modern	October 22 - 27	1
E 270	Late Archery	Nov 26 - Dec 8	1

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Wild Horse Wind and Solar Facility

Ellensburg - GMU (329)

Wild Horse Wind Facility (329)
The Wild Horse Wind Facility is located 17 miles east of Ellensburg on the Vantage Highway. Owned and operated by Puget Sound Energy, the facility generates electricity from 149 wind turbines spread across 11,000 acres of rangeland in the Whiskey Dick Mountain area of eastern Kittitas County. Hunters with disabilities drawn for this access must check in at the Maintenance Building office before their hunt. There is no access of any kind within 300 feet of wind turbines, solar panels, buildings, or substation. No pointing or shooting any weapon at any target other than legal game. The hunting party must drive on site access road only. One hunter with a disability and one hunter companion allowed. No ATV's. No camping on-site. No off-road driving.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
E 271	Archery	September 14 - 18	1
E 272	Modern	November 2 - 6	1

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Wild Horse Wind and Solar Facility

East Ellensburg - GMU (329)

Wild Horse Wind Facility (329)
The Wild Horse Wind Facility is located 17 miles east of Ellensburg on the Vantage Highway. Owned and operated by Puget Sound Energy, the facility generates electricity from 149 wind turbines spread across 11,000 acres of rangeland in the Whiskey Dick Mountain area of eastern Kittitas County. Hunters with disabilities drawn for this access must check in at the Maintenance Building office before their hunt. There is no access of any kind within 300 feet of wind turbines, solar panels, buildings, or substation. No pointing or shooting any weapon at any target other than legal game. The hunting party must drive on site access road only. One hunter with a disability and one hunter companion allowed. No ATV's. No camping on-site. No off-road driving.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
C 273	Chukar	October 5 - 9	1
C 274	Chukar	October 12 - 16	1

This is a special hunt. To request access to this hunt, you must call before September 21, 2015.
WDFW Dolores Noyes (360) 902-2349

Chukar Partridge Hunt - An adult chukar measures 13 to 14 inches long and weighs about three-quarters of pound, a little larger than a valley quail and a little smaller than a ruffed grouse. Also known as red-legged partridge and rock partridge, they're bluish-gray on the back, wings and breast, with a buff belly and flanks marked with vertical bars of black and chestnut. A black band extends across the eyes and down the side of the head, neck and upper breast. The throat is white, the beak, legs and feet red. The cooler nights that tend to coincide with the early October partridge season opener may prompt chukars to roost on the warmer south-facing slopes, so these may be the places to explore first thing in the morning. Chukars often feed throughout the morning and then move to shady slopes and draws, dusting sites and water holes during mid-day. They'll usually begin moving back toward steeper roosting areas late in the afternoon. Whenever possible, approach chukars from above. While they tend to fly downhill, they usually run uphill, and they're about as likely to run as they are to fly. This is a disabled "CHUKAR HUNT ONLY'

US FOREST SERVICE

Naches Ranger District (GMU 352) The Naches Ranger District encompasses approximately 518,000 acres and extends from near the town of Naches to the crest of the Cascades in the William O. Douglas, Norse Peak, Goat Rocks Wilderness and White Pass areas. Maps of USFS roads may be purchased from this USFS Office and will provide more detail of the area. Camping is available outside the gate. One non-hunting person is allowed to assist the hunter with a disability and hunter companion.

Nile (GMU 352)

West of Naches on SR 410 proceed approximately 9 miles to the Nile Road. Turn left and follow about 2.5 miles to USFS Road 1600, which enters on the left. Stay on main line 1600 about 12 miles to Road 1608. Turn left on 1608 go 100 yards to the gate. 4x4 vehicle area - road not maintained.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 275	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	1
D 276	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 277	Modern	October 17 - 21	1
D 278	Modern	October 22 - 27	1
D 279	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 8	1
E 280	Archery	September 12 - 17	1
E 281	Archery	September 18 - 24	1
E 282	Muzzleloader	Oct 31 - Nov 8	1

*Symbol located next to hunt indicates **only** hunters who permanently use a wheelchair may apply for that specific hunt. Use must be indicated on submission form.*

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RIM (GMU 352)

From the junction of Hwy 12 and 410 just west of Naches, travel approximately 24.8 miles west on Hwy 410. Turn left on Forest Road 1709 - follow road 1709 across the bridge and straight up the hill approximately 0.7 miles to the junction with 1709-400 on the right. 4x4 vehicle area - road not maintained.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 283	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	2
D 284	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	2
D 285	Modern	October 17 - 21	2
D 286	Modern	October 22 - 27	2
D 287	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 8	2
E 288	Archery	September 12 - 17	2
E 289	Archery	September 18 - 24	2
E 290	Muzzleloader	Oct 31 - Nov 8	2

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US FOREST SERVICE

Wenatchee River Ranger District (GMU 251) The Wenatchee River Ranger District encompasses approximately 696,000 acres and extends from near the city of Wenatchee and the Columbia River to the crest of the Cascades in the Glacier Peak and Alpine Lakes Wilderness areas. Maps may be purchased from this USFS Office and will provide more detail of the area. Camping is available outside the gate. Only the hunter companion is allowed to assist the hunter with a disability. No ATV's permitted.

Coulter Creek ***(GMU 251) Mission –*** West of Leavenworth on Hwy 2 proceed 18 miles and turn left on Coulter Creek Road #6930 across from Nason Creek Rest Area near milepost 82. This is a gated road system of approximately 17 miles which accesses private timber company and National Forest lands under a road use cost share agreement. Respect private property. Street legal motorcycles are also permitted on this road system. Access may be denied during high fire danger or logging operations.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 291	Archery	September 1 - 11	2
D 292	Archery	September 15 - 25	2
D 293	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 9	2
D 294	Modern	October 17 - 21	2
D 295	Modern	October 22 - 27	2

Youth Outdoors Unlimited, Y.O.U.

Y.O.U. is a Central WA based non-profit corporation organized to take youth who have been diagnosed with a life threatening illness and/or physical disability on fully funded and guided hunting and fishing adventures.

Do you know a youth or would like to be a sponsor?

www.youthoutdoorsu.org

you@youthoutdoorsu.org

or call Cindy Carpenter, President at (509) 431-1604

US FOREST SERVICE

Priest Lake Ranger District (GMU 113) Priest Lake Ranger District is located in the northern Idaho Panhandle. The entire shoreline of Upper Priest Lake is managed by USFS. From here, Priest River flows south and was famous in the early days as a log-drive stream moving 125,000,000 board feet of timber. This Washington hunt is accessed via the lower Wild and Scenic River system north of the Pend Oreille River. Camping is available outside the gate. Only the hunter companion and one non-hunting helper is allowed to assist the hunter with a disability during this access. No ATV's permitted.

Butch Creek ***(GMU 113) in Washington*** – From Priest River, Idaho go North on State Highway 57. At approximately 8.6 miles take a left on the Bearpaw road # 305. Proceed on the Bearpaw road, to the state line, approximately 6.2 miles, where you will enter back into Washington. At approximately 1 mile from the state line, turn left on Forest Service road #1084. Proceed approximately .7 mile to the Butch Creek road #1142 and you will see the Gate on the designated ADA hunting road. This road is not maintained.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 296	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	1
D 297	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 298	Modern	October 17 - 21	1
D 299	Modern	October 22 - 27	1
D 300	Late Modern	November 9 - 19	1
E 301	Archery	September 12 - 24	1
E 302	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	1

HUNTING SAFETY

WDFW would like to remind hunters to be safe, follow the regulations and practice hunter safety.

KEEP YOUR VISION ON TARGET

Hunters with a valid Washington hunting license are now eligible to receive a **free visual acuity screening** at participating optometrist locations across the state.

US FOREST SERVICE

Three Rivers Ranger District (GMU 117) The Colville National Forest consists of 1.1 million acres in the northeast corner of Washington State which roll like the high seas. Three waves of mountains run from north to south, separated by troughs of valleys. These ranges; the Okanogan, Kettle River, and Selkirk are considered foothills of the Rocky Mountains. Residents and visitors enjoy the Colville National Forest's wild huckleberries, camping, hiking trails (486 miles), OHV trails, mountain biking, horse trails, lakes, rivers, and streams. The forest also boasts exciting wildlife such as the grizzly and black bears, cougars, bald eagles, deer, elk and the last remaining herd of caribou in the U.S.

Mitchell Mtn. ***(GMU 117) in Washington*** – Go south from Colville or north from Spokane on highway 395 to Chewelah. In Chewelah, take County Road 2998 about 8 miles north then east to the Colville National Forest boundary where this road designation changes to forest road 9521 (North Fork of Chewelah Creek Road). You will see road 9531015 about ½-mile after the forest boundary. It exits south and passes through some private timber land. Follow 9521015 about 2 miles to the gate. Your hunting route consists of 9521015 and 9521041. Use is not permitted on spur 9521043 due to a washout so do not attempt to drive it. Camping and wood gathering are not allowed behind the gate, but there are great camping sites along the North Fork of Chewelah Creek Road. In some years this route may be unavailable due to tall, dry grasses and high fire danger. The road may be closed for fire danger or other administrative reasons. This road is not maintained.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 303	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	1
D 304	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 305	Modern	October 17 - 22	1
D 306	Modern	October 23 - 30	1
D 307	Archery	September 12 - 24	1
E 308	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	1
E 309	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 8	1

US FOREST SERVICE

Three Rivers Ranger District (GMU 101) The Colville National Forest consists of 1.1 million acres in the northeast corner of Washington State which roll like the high seas. Three waves of mountains run from north to south, separated by troughs of valleys. These ranges; the Okanogan, Kettle River, and Selkirk are considered foothills of the Rocky Mountains. Residents and visitors enjoy the Colville National Forest's wild huckleberries, camping, hiking trails (486 miles), OHV trails, mountain biking, horse trails, lakes, rivers, and streams. The forest also boasts exciting wildlife such as the grizzly and black bears, cougars, bald eagles, deer, elk and the last remaining herd of caribou in the U.S.

Betty Creek ***(GMU 101) in Washington*** **–** From Colville, drive west approximately 12 miles on highway 395 through Kettle Falls and across Lake Roosevelt where you will continue north on highway 395 six miles to the Deadman Creek road which exits on the west side of the highway. This road is forest road 9565 or county 460. Follow the main Deadman Creek road about seven miles passing through private property. Turn north on the 9565800 road, driving northwest about eight miles to the first hunting route which exits to the right on the 9565810 road. The gate is about a quarter of a mile down this road. This route also includes 9565811, 9565812, and 9565813. The second route is about one mile on up the 9565800 road. It is the 9565830 and the gate is about an eighth of a mile down this road. This route also includes 9565832, 9565833, and 9564834. These routes sometimes have tall dry grass in the fall and may need to be closed due to fire danger or for other administrative reasons. There is no camping or firewood gathering behind the gate. There are dispersed camping sites along the 9565800 road. This road is not maintained.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 310	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	1
D 311	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 312	Modern	October 17 - 22	1
D 313	Modern	October 23 - 30	1
D 314	Archery	September 12 - 24	1
E 315	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	1
E 316	Late Archery	Nov 25 - Dec 8	1

US FOREST SERVICE

Republic Ranger District (GMU 101) The Colville National Forest consists of 1.1 million acres in the northeast corner of Washington State which roll like the high seas. Three waves of mountains run from north to south, separated by troughs of valleys. These ranges; the Okanogan, Kettle River, and Selkirk are considered foothills of the Rocky Mountains. Residents and visitors enjoy the Colville National Forest's wild huckleberries, camping, hiking trails (486 miles), OHV trails, mountain biking, horse trails, lakes, rivers, and streams. The forest also boasts exciting wildlife such as the grizzly and black bears, cougars, bald eagles, deer, elk and the last remaining herd of caribou in the U.S.

Boundary Mtn. ***(GMU 101) in Washington*** – This route is near the Canadian border northeast of Republic. Due to a washout, the only open route into this area is via the 9120930 road which can be accessed from three directions, but the most obvious one is off the Boulder-Deer highway, county road 602. You can get on the Boulder-Deer highway from highway 395 north of Kettle Falls or from highway 21 at Curlew north of Republic. Exit off the Boulder-Deer highway on forest road 6120 and proceed in a north-northeast about 5 miles to the 6120450 road. Follow it about 5 miles to the intersection with the 9120930 road. Don't attempt to drive the 9120930 if there are muddy or snowy conditions because it has several switchbacks that are very difficult to drive if the road is slick. This access route is NOT suitable to hauling a trailer. You will need to camp somewhere prior to 6120930. Drive about 5 miles on the 6120930 road to the gate on the 6120900 route which includes 6120942, 6120944 and 6120945. Camping and firewood gathering is not allowed behind this gate. This road is not maintained.

Entry Number	Hunt Type	Dates of Hunt	# of Permits
D 317	Early Archery	September 1 - 11	1
D 318	Muzzleloader	October 3 - 11	1
D 319	Modern	October 17 - 22	1
D 320	Modern	October 23 - 30	1
E 321	Archery	September 12 - 24	1
E 322	Modern	Oct 31 - Nov 8	1

The Swanson Lakes Wildlife Area WDFW (GMU 136) provides two access areas:

The Roloff Unit is located in the center of the Wildlife Area, about ten miles south of the town of Creston. The habitat is mostly shallow alkaline soils covered with sage brush, native bunchgrasses, and a few groves of aspens usually found in conjunction with shallow, seasonal alkali ponds. Mule deer are the predominant big game species. Coyotes are also abundant. Gray partridge are the primary hunted upland game birds. Hunters must be completely certain of their upland bird species before shooting; it is illegal to shoot native sage grouse and sharp-tailed grouse, both present on the Wildlife Area. Both ATVs and street legal vehicles are authorized for trail use only for this portion of the Wildlife Area.

The Welch/Anderson Unit is located on the east side of the Wildlife Area, about eight miles south of the Telford Rest Area on U.S. Highway 2. The rest area is located between the towns of Davenport and Creston. The habitat is mostly shallow alkaline soils covered with sage brush, native bunchgrasses, and a few groves of aspens usually found in conjunction with shallow, seasonal alkali ponds. However, the Lake Creek drainage runs through this parcel, including the informally named mile-long "Z Lake," which contains a seasonal population of waterfowl, and a fishable population of planted rainbow trout. Mule deer are the predominant big game species. Coyotes are abundant, but difficult to spot during the day. Gray partridge are the primary hunted upland game birds. Hunters must be completely certain of their upland bird species before shooting; it is illegal to shoot native sage grouse and sharp-tailed grouse, both present on the Wildlife Area. Access is provided via a gated driveway to an abandoned home site, off Telford Road North, heading downhill to the drainage. The entry road has an informal parking area 1/3 mile down the hill, where the gravel driveway ends and a trail starts north. There are no restroom facilities. Both ATVs and street legal vehicles are authorized for trail use only for this portion of the Wildlife Area. Trails will take the visitor to the south edge of Z Lake, and to a short cliff along the east side of the lake.

West Branch Little Spokane Wildlife Area WDFW (GMU 117) provides one access area:

Through a locked gate off the corner of Horseshoe Lake Road and Holly Road. This intersection is accessed from U.S. Hwy 2 off the Eloika Lake Road. The trail, which continues northeast off the noted corner, eventually delivers the driver to a parking site, an abandoned dairy just north of Fan Lake. Drivers should take care to stay on the uphill side of the trail while traveling to and from the parking area, as there is continuing erosion around a culvert on the downhill side of the trail. There are no restroom facilities at this Wildlife Area. The habitat is composed primarily of upland forest, with some meadow openings. The West Branch Little Spokane River also runs through this property, providing fishing opportunities. Hunted species include white-tailed deer, forest grouse, and turkey. Beyond the parking area at the dairy, ATVs are the only authorized motorized vehicles, and they must stay on established trails. This Wildlife Area has an extensive trail network; however, some of the trails may be blocked off to access, and the fords across the river are not always passable. Crossing the river at locations other than established fords is prohibited.

The NE Washington Wildlife Area Complex Manager limits authorized travel at all of these access areas. Only the hunter with a Disabled Hunter Permit and the designated hunting companion (while accompanying the hunter with a disability) may operate the vehicle or be transported on/in it. No vehicular camping is allowed at any of these areas.

For reservations, rules, and other information about Swanson Lakes and West Branch Little Spokane Wildlife Area, call the Manager at (509) 636-2344 in advance.

Cle Elum Ranger District (GMU 328)

Camping allowed – prepare for snowy conditions – between 4000-6000 elevations.

Table Mountain can be accessed from the south from Highway 97 near Ellensburg and from the north – from Highway 97 at Blewett Pass. The southern route, locally known as Reecer Creek, starts out on a two lane paved road with turnouts and climbs steeply through a series of switchbacks that lead to the Table Mountain area and accesses gravel forest service roads. Services road include 35, 3500, 114, 3507, 3517, 3521, 3530, 9712, 9716 and numerous spur roads.

The Colville National Forest (GMUs 101, 105, 108, 111, 113, and 117) :

The Colville National Forest (CNF) has road opportunities for 2015 on all four Ranger Districts. All routes are signed, gated, and locked. Hunters with Disabilities must visit the Colville office in Colville or the CNF office in Spokane prior to or on their first day of hunting to sign in and receive information, maps and access procedures and permits. Hunters with Disabilities must also have the Disabled Hunter Permit in their possession. The hunter with a disability and one designated hunter companion may carry firearms while using the area. The designated hunter companion may also fill their own tag. All WDFW rules and regulations apply. No firewood cutting or other removal of forest products is allowed. Camping and off-road-vehicle use on these roads may or may not be permitted – check with the Forest Service office before accessing the roads. If camping or off road vehicles are allowed, all pertinent Forest Service rules and regulations will apply. For specific information including CNF office business hours, road locations, maps, and other details, please contact the Colville National Forest Supervisor's office at (509) 684-7000.

Most areas have deer and some have elk. These are a mix of high mountain areas, clear cuts logging and forested areas. Forest service maps can be purchased at most FS offices. Call the specific FS office for more information.

Northeast Spokane INWC (GMU 121) : * Snow may occur as early as October 31 in the Loomis State Forest.

Contact the Inland Northwest Wildlife Council at (509) 487- 8552 for more information about private landowner opportunities on private timberlands. Some are in old logging areas with locked gates and extensive road systems. These areas provide limited access for disabled permit holders to drive motor vehicles into the "walk-in only" areas.

DNR NORTHEAST REGION - COLVILLE:

Loup Loup State Forest North (GMU 233) Access from West Fork road out of Concunully, Salmon Creek road to Loup Loup Canyon road which runs north and south all the way to Highway 20. ATV's allowed on DNR roads only.

Loup Loup State Forest South (GMU 239) Access from Chilliwist road 1882 off Old Highway 97. On non-gated roads, ATVs allowed on DNR roads only.

Loomis State Forest South (GMU 215) Salmon Creek Road to USFS 200 road at Kerr Camp up to DNR OMF 1000 road.

Loomis State Forest Middle (GMU 215) From Sinlahekin Valley Road to DNR OME 1000.

Loomis State Forest North (GMU 215) OMT 1000 road (Toats Coulee Rd)

DNR SOUTHEAST REGION - ELLENSBURG:

Buck Creek Road System (GMU 578) South of Trout Lake off Highway 141. No ATV's or motorcycles allowed on trail system.

Ahtanum Multiple Use Area (GMU 368) This is a Green Dot system. Any road marked with a green dot is open to motorized use. Follow Ahtanum road from exit 36 off I-82 for 13 miles to Tampico. Go right on North Fork Ahtanum road. Travel west about 10 miles to the entrance. Camping available.

NORTHWEST REGION –SEDRO WOOLLEY:

Sauk Prairie Road System – GMU 437 – East of Darrington. From I-5 take exit 208 and head east on Highway 530. Follow 530 approximately 29 miles to Darrington. At the stop sign in Darrington, turn left on Highway 530 to the North. Go approximately .1 miles from the stop sign and turn right on the Sauk Prairie Road. Follow Saulk Prairie Road approximately 5.5 miles to the stop sign at the T in the road. Turn left onto Forest Road.

Forest Service 18 Road – GMU 437 – Take off from Highway 530 at White Horse Store. Go North on Forest Service mainline road 18. Only street legal motorized vehicles allowed on roads.

Red Mountain – GMU 407 – North of the town of Kendall, access is from Highway 542 about 1.5 miles East of Kendall.

Sumas Mountain – GMU 407 – West of Kendall, access is from Highway 542 about 2 miles south of Kendall.

North Fork Nooksack Area – GMU 418 – Southwest of Kendall, access is from the North Fork Road off the Mosquito Lake Road.

Middle Fork Nooksack Area – GMU 418 – East of Deming, access is on the USFS Road 38 off the Mosquito Lake Road.

Van Zandt Dike – GMU 407 – Northeast of Acme, access is from the Mosquito Lake Road about 2 miles East of Highway 9 at Acme.

Anderson Mountain – GMU 407 – Northwest of Sedro Woolley, access is on the Skarup Road off the Prairie Road about one mile East of old Highway 99.

Harry Osborn State Forest – GMU 418 – North of the town of Hamilton on Highway 20, take the Muddy Creek Road from the Hamilton Cemetery Road.

SOUTH PUGET SOUND REGION - ENUMCLAW:

Tahuya State Forest – GMU 633 Belfair – At the intersection of 300 and old Belfair Highway (Safeway and QFC at the corners) go West on 300 approximately .8 miles to Sand Hill Road and turn right. Go approximately 1.7 miles to the Tiger 2 Road (Blue Gate) on the right. ATV's allowed. May offload just north of the Youth Camp Road at the gravel pit. Take the Overland Trail to the Tiger 2 road for additional roads.

Elbe Hills State Forest – GMU 654 – Access off Highway 706, turn left at 278th street, follow into State Forest. Roads are not gated, bermed or signed "No motorized Use" – they are open to hunt.

PACIFIC CASCADE REGION – CASTLE ROCK:

Yacolt Burn State Forest – GMU 568 Access from Dole Valley Road, NE Rawson Road, NE Berry Road, NE Livingston Road, Ammeter Road, NE 412th, Skamania Mines Road, North Fork Road, Washougal River Road, Skaar Road, and Carson Road – all roads behind closed gates are walk in only for hunting purposes.

Capitol State Forest – GMU 663 Access from Hwy 8 at Rock Candy Trailhead, Waddell Creek Road, Bourdeaux road, D-Line and Porter Creek road off Highway 12. All non gated roads are open to hunting.

Winston Creek Block – GMU 520 – Access off Highway 12 onto Winston Creek/Salmon Creek roads.

Deep Creek – GMU 501 – D 1000 and D 6000 roads at the end of the Deep Creek Road, Access off Cooks Hill Road, D 5000. A couple of these gates may be subject to closure. Contact DNR.

OLYMPIC REGION - FORKS:

Olympic Experimental Forest - GMU 615 – Access off Highway 101 on Clearwater road to the South and Hoh Mainline to the North. Roads not gated, bermed or signed "No Motorized Use" – they are open to hunt.

Hunters are Feeling the Pinch of Reduced Access

Despite the efforts of WDFW, the acreage of private lands available to the hunter has declined over time. Several major landowners have begun to charge fees for access. This have been especially true in western Washington where major timberland owners have begun to charge access fees and limit the number of hunters they allow. This common practice in other parts of the US is new to our state and may eventually cause hunting to be more crowded on public lands or limit the ability of some to participate in hunting. Incentives offered by WDFW to landowners in the past to address landowner costs associated with providing access may no longer be as effective when landowners seek to derive income from hunting access. WDFW has and will continue to seek new approaches and encourage landowners to keep the cost to hunters low and not limit the number of hunters allowed. Hunters should be aware that landowner fee programs have expanded over the past year and are known to impact access in the following Game Management Units: 501, 506, 520, 524, 550, 556, 612, 615, 642, 648, 651, 653, 654, 658, 660, 667, 672, and 681. Substantial blocks of land in these areas are leased or require hunters to purchase permits to access private timberlands. You may call the WDFW ADA Program with ADA access concerns about your permit.

Feel Free to Hunt and Register to Hunt Program

The *GO HUNT* online interactive mapping system is a great tool for persons with disabilities. Access to private lands is a privilege. Much of the big game hunting in Washington occurs on private forestlands. WDFW works with timberland owners to maintain access but many of these landowners provide access without direct assistance from WDFW. Hunters can help maintain access by respecting the landowner and following their rules. Most forest landowners post access rules at entry points. If hunters are not sure of the rules, the following are guidelines:

- Obey all posted signs.
- Leave gates as you found them.
- Pack out your trash.
- Be courteous.
- No camping.
- No ORV's.
- No fires.
- Drive only on maintained roads if open to motorized access.
- An opened gate does not mean the road is open to motorized access, read the signs.
- If possible, avoid active haul routes and logging operations.
- Private forest lands are usually closed to public access during hours of darkness.
- No target shooting or plinking.
- No wood cutting.

Landowners may not have staff on hand to answer all of the phone calls received regarding hunting access. Therefore, hunters are encouraged to contact WDFW regional offices about access to private lands prior to contacting the landowner. Some have hotlines or web addresses that can be provided. Information on private lands access opportunities is also included on the hunting access pages of WDFW's website at: *http://wdfw.wa.gov/hunting/hunting_access* and *GoHunt* online mapping system at: *wdfw.wa.gov/mapping/gohunt*

Hunt By Reservation Program

In 2013 WDFW launched a new program to help landowners manage hunting access on their land. The program allows hunters to reserve a site, sometimes shared with a few others, for one to several days depending on the site. The program objectives include providing quality hunting opportunities and reducing the need for direct guidance of hunters by the landowner. Hunters can access property information and create a reservation account at: *http://wdfw.wa.gov/hunting/hunting_access/private_lands/search.php*. WDFW expects the number and distribution of reservation sites to expand over time, but other options such as Feel Free to Hunt offered to landowners will continue to be used.

Multi-Season Permits

Hunt Big Game from September 1 - December 31

Applications on Sale:

December 1, 2015 - March 31, 2016

Three Ways to Purchase Applications:

1. Over 600 License Vendors
2. Online at: fishhunt.dfw.wa.gov
3. Over the Telephone: (866) 246-9453

* If selected, you may hunt in any open unit during all general seasons starting with archery and continuing on for muzzleloader and modern firearm. You must comply with all rules and weapon restrictions for the season in effect. You may also apply for any weapon type special hunting permits.

* To apply you must purchase an application at a license vendor, online at fishhunt.dw.wa.gov, or by calling 1-866-246-9453. You do not need to purchase a deer or elk license and tag before applying for a multiple season permit.

* If you are applying as an individual your application is automatically submitted.

* If you would like to apply as a group (maximum of 2 people), you must submit your application online at: wdfw.wa.gov/hunting/permits or by calling 1-877-945-3492.

* If submitting your application, please use hunt choice #1888 for Deer, 2888 for Elk, and 4999 for Points Option for both species. See pages 88-90 for more information on applying for special permits.

* 8,500 deer and 1,000 elk permits will be available.

* Elk multi-season permit holders may hunt eastern and western Washington.

* The Bag limit does not increase. Bag limit is consistent with the game management unit or area restrictions.

* If selected, the costs for both resident and non-resident multi-season tags are: $139.10 for deer, and $182.00 for elk in addition to the cost of your original deer or elk license.

* Please note that if you purchased your license and tag before you were selected, your general season tag must be surrendered before a multiple season tag can be purchased.

* If selected, multi-season tags will be available to purchase any time prior to August 1.

* Drawing results will be available online in April and winners will be notified by mail.

WDFW Road Access Entry Program

2015 SUBMISSION FORM

Permanently use a Wheelchair YES NO

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Wild ID _____

You may enter up to four (4) selections. You will be selected for only one (1) opportunity for Deer. Those hunters not selected may qualify as an alternate should another hunter decline his winning entry. Would you like to be considered as an alternate also...

YES ◯

Entry 1	Entry 2	Entry 3	Entry 4
DEER	DEER	DEER	DEER

By my submission, I acknowledge I meet the minimum requirements of this Road Access Program.

WDFW Road Access Entry Program

2015 SUBMISSION FORM

Permanently use a Wheelchair YES NO

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Wild ID _____

You may enter up to four (4) selections. You will be selected for only one (1) opportunity for ELK. Those hunters not selected may qualify as an alternate should another hunter decline his winning entry. Would you like to be considered as an alternate also...

YES ◯

Entry 1	Entry 2	Entry 3	Entry 4
ELK	ELK	ELK	ELK

By my submission, I acknowledge I meet the minimum requirements of this Road Access Program.

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