# **Deer General Hunting Seasons and Deer Special Permit Seasons**

232-28-357 and 232-28-359

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## **Summary**

Meeting dates: March 20-21, 2015

**Agenda item:** Deer General Hunting Seasons and Deer Special Permit Seasons

**Presenter:** Jerry Nelson, Ph.D., Deer and Elk Section Manager, Wildlife Program

#### **Background summary:**

Staff will brief the Commission on proposed amendments to WAC 232-28-357 2015-2017 Deer General Seasons and Definitions; and WAC 232-28-359 2015 Deer Special Permits. Updates will be provided on recent deer harvest and the status of deer populations. Recommendations to expand deer hunting opportunity will be described.

- The option to retain or eliminate the 4-point antler restriction for white-tailed deer in GMUs 117 and 121 will be presented to the Commission. Available information does not indicate that the 4-point restriction is having a positive effect on the deer population. However, some negative economic impacts are being felt by the local community and hunting opportunity is being unnecessarily limited by the restriction. The Department recommends returning these GMUs to "any buck" general season opportunity.
- Additional antlerless white-tailed deer opportunity is being proposed in the general season.
- Proposal includes adding two (2) days to the modern firearm mule deer hunting season.
- Additional special permit opportunity is being proposed for youth, senior, and disabled hunters.

## Policy issue(s) you are bringing to the Commission for consideration:

- Maximizing recreational hunting opportunity.
- Continue sustainable hunting seasons for deer.
- Managing wildlife conflict issues utilizing hunters.

#### Public involvement process used and what you learned:

The Department conducted an extensive public involvement process to develop the 2015-2017 hunting season recommendations. This summer, two online issue scoping surveys were made available to the public. The first survey laid out major issues of concern. The second survey was a follow-up based on the public response received from the first survey. The department also held six public meetings, three on each side of the state. Both the surveys and the meetings were publicized via news release, WDFW's website and an email to hunters from the last five years. Also, a request for comment was sent to over 9000 individuals and organizations through the rulemaking process. Additionally, these individuals and organizations were informed of the opportunity to provide verbal testimony at the March 20-21, 2015 Commission Meeting in Moses Lake.

#### **Action requested:**

Briefing and public hearing only.

## **Draft motion language:**

Briefing and public hearing only.

## **Justification for Commission action:**

- To provide opportunities to hunters, consistent with achieving management objectives.
- To address and prevent wildlife conflict problems.

## **Communications Plan:**

WDFW Website News Releases Hunting Pamphlet

Form revised 12/5/12

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-10-019, filed 4/25/14, effective 5/26/14)

WAC 232-28-357 ((2012-2014)) 2015-2017 Deer general seasons and definitions. It is unlawful to fail to comply with the bag, possession, and season limits described below. Violations of this section are punishable under RCW 77.15.410, Unlawful hunting of big game—Penalty.

Bag Limit: One (1) deer per hunter during the license year except where otherwise permitted by department rule.

**Hunting Method:** Hunters must select one of the hunting methods: Modern firearm, archery, or muzzleloader.

Any Buck Deer Seasons: Open only to the taking of deer with visible antlers (buck fawns illegal).

Antler Point: To qualify as an antler point, the point must be at least one inch long, measured on the longest side.

Antler Restrictions: APPLIES TO ALL HUNTERS DURING ANY GENERAL SEASON AND DESIGNAT-ED SPECIAL PERMIT SEASONS. Buck deer taken in antler restricted game management units (GMUs) must meet minimum antler point requirements. Minimum antler point requirements are antler points on one side only. Eye guards are antler points when they are at least one inch long. ((2-point Minimum GMUs: 437, 636, 654, and 681.))

3-point Minimum GMUs: All mule deer in 100, 200, and 300 series GMUs; white-tailed deer in GMUs 127, 130, 133, 136, 139, 142, 145, 149, 154, 162, 163, 166, 169, 172, 175, 178, 181, 186, and black-tailed deer in GMU 578.

4-point Minimum GMUs: All white-tailed deer in GMUs 117 and 121.

Permit-only Units: The following GMUs require a special permit to hunt deer: 157 (Mill Creek Watershed), 290 (Desert), 329 (Quilomene), 371 (Alkali), and 485 (Green River).

GMUs Closed to Deer Hunting: 490 (Cedar River) and 522 (Loo-wit).

Types of deer that a person may legally hunt in Washington:

Black-tailed Deer: Any member of black-tailed/mule deer (species Odo-coileus hemionus) found west of a line drawn from the Canadian border south on the Pacific Crest Trail and along the Yakama Indian Reservation boundary in Yakima County to the Klickitat River; south down Klickitat River to the Columbia River.

Mule Deer: Any member of black-tailed/mule deer (species Odocoileus hemionus) found east of a line drawn from the Canadian border south on the Pacific Crest Trail and along the Yakama Indian Reservation boundary in Yakima County to the Klickitat River; south down Klickitat River to the Columbia River.

White-tailed Deer: Any white-tailed deer (member of the species Odo-coileus virginianus), except the Columbian whitetail deer (species Odocoileus virginianus leucurus).

#### MODERN FIREARM DEER SEASONS

License Required: A valid big game hunting license, which includes a deer species option.

Tag Required: A valid modern firearm deer tag for the area hunted.

Hunting Method: Modern firearm deer tag hunters may use rifle, handgun, shotgun, bow, crossbow, or muzzleloader, but only during modern
firearm seasons.

Hunt Season	(( <del>2012</del> )) <u>2015</u> Dates	(( <del>2013</del> )) <u>2016</u> Dates	(( <del>2014</del> )) <u>2017</u> Dates	Game Management Units (GMUs)	Legal Deer
HIGH BUCK HUNT	S				
	Sept. 15-25	Sept. 15-25	Sept. 15-25	Alpine Lakes, Mount Baker, Glacier Peak, Pasayten, Olympic Peninsula, and Henry Jackson Wilderness Areas and Lake Chelan Recreation Area	3 pt. min.
GENERAL SEASON	1				
Western Washington Black-tailed Deer  Oct. ((43-31)) 17-31		Oct. (( <del>12-31</del> )) <u>15-31</u>	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 14-31	407, 418, 426, 437, 448, 450, 454, 460, 466, 501 through 520, 524 through 556, 560, 568, 572, 574, 601 through ((633, 638 through 653, 658 through 673, 684)) 621, 624 (except Deer Area 6020), 627 through 654, 658 through 699	Any buck
				410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 419, 420, 421, 422, 564, 655, Deer Area 6020	Any deer
				578	3 pt. min.
				((437, 636, 654, 681	2 pt. min.))
Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer	Oct. (( <del>13-26</del> )) <u>17-30</u>	Oct. (( <del>12-25</del> )) <u>15-28</u>	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) 14-27	101, 105, 108, 111, 113, 124	Any white-tailed buck
	Oct. (( <del>13-21</del> )) 17-27	Oct. (( <del>12-20</del> )) <u>15-25</u>	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>14-24</u>	203 through 284	Any white-tailed buck
	Oct. (( <del>13-21</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Oct. (( <del>12-20</del> )) <u>15-25</u>	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>14-24</u>	127 through 154, 162 through 186 (except Deer Area 1040)	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.
	Oct. 17-27	Oct. 15-25	Oct. 14-24	<u>373,</u> 379, 381	Any white-tailed deer
	((Oct. 13-26	Oct. 12-25	Oct. 11-24	373	Any white-tailed deer))

Hamat Canana	(( <del>2012</del> )) <u>2015</u>	(( <del>2013</del> )) <u>2016</u>	(( <del>2014</del> )) <u>2017</u>	Come Management Heite (CMHz)	Level Desc
Hunt Season (Option A)	Oct. (( <del>13-26</del> ))	Oct. (( <del>12-25</del> ))	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> ))	Game Management Units (GMUs) 117, 121	Legal Deer White-tailed, 4 pt.
Eastern Washington White- tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Oct. (( <del>13-20</del> )) 17-30	Oct. (( <del>12-23</del> )) 15-28	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) 14-27	117, 121	min.
(Option B) Eastern Washington White- tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Oct. 17-30	Oct. 15-28	Oct. 14-27	117, 121	Any white-tailed buck
Eastern Washington Mule Deer	Oct. (( <del>13-21</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Oct. (( <del>12-20</del> )) <u>15-25</u>	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>14-24</u>	101 through 154, 162 through 169, 172 (except Deer Area 1040), 175 through 186, 203 through 284, 328, 330 through 368, 372, 373, 379, 381, 382, 388	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.
	(( <del>Oct. 13-26</del>	Oct. 12-25	Oct. 11-24	<del>373, 382, 388</del> ))	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.
LATE GENERAL SI					
Western Washington Black-tailed Deer	Nov. (( <del>15-18</del> )) <u>19-22</u>	Nov. (( <del>14-17</del> )) <u>17-20</u>	Nov. (( <del>13-16</del> )) <u>16-19</u>	407, 454, 466, 501 through 520, 524 through 560, 568, 572, 601 through (( <del>633, 638 through 653, 621, 624 (except Deer Area 6020), 627 through 654, 658 through ((<del>673, 684 and)) 699</del></del>	Any buck
				(( <del>636, 654, 681</del>	2 pt. min.))
	Nov. (( <del>15-18</del> )) 19-22	Nov. ((14-17)) 17-20	Nov. (( <del>13-16</del> )) 16-19	410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 419, 420, 421, 422, 564, 655, Deer Area 6020	Any deer
Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer	Nov. (( <del>10-19</del> )) <u>7-19</u>	Nov. (( <del>9-19</del> )) <u>5-</u> 19	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) 11-19	105, 108, 111, 113, 124	Any white-tailed buck
(Option A) Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Nov. (( <del>10-19</del> )) 7-19	Nov. ((9–19)) <u>5-</u> 19	Nov. (( <del>8-19)</del> ) 11-19	117, 121	White-tailed, 4 pt. min.
(Option B) Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Nov. 7-19	Nov. 5-19	Nov. 11-19	117, 121	Any white-tailed buck
HUNTERS 65 AND	OVER, DISABLED	O, OR YOUTH GE	NERAL SEASONS		
Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer	Oct. (( <del>13-26</del> )) <u>17-30</u>	Oct. (( <del>12-25</del> )) <u>15-28</u>	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) 14-27	101, 105, 108, 111, 113, 124	Any white-tailed deer
	((Oct. 18-21	Oct. 17-20	Oct. 16-19	101, 105, 108, 111, 113	Any white tailed deer))
	Nov. (( <del>10-19</del> )) <u>7-19</u>	Nov. (( <del>9-19</del> )) <u>5-</u> <u>19</u>	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) 11-19	Deer Area 1050	Any white-tailed deer
	Nov. (( <del>10-19</del> )) 7-19	Nov. (( <del>9-19</del> )) <u>5-</u> <u>19</u>	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) 11-19	Deer Areas 1060, 1070, 1080	White-tailed, antlerless only
	Oct. (( <del>13-21</del> )) 17-27	Oct. (( <del>12-20</del> )) 15-25	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>14-24</u>	127 through 142, 145, 149, 154, Deer Area 1010, and 178	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
HUNTERS 65 AND			0 . 14.25	L 117 101	L A .1 .1
Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer	Oct. 17-30	Oct. 15-28	Oct. 14-27	117, 121	Antlerless white- tailed deer
YOUTH GENERAL	SEASONS	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			• · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
(Option A) Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Oct. (( <del>18-21</del> )) <u>17-30</u>	Oct. (( <del>17-20</del> )) 15-28	Oct. (( <del>16-19</del> )) 14-27	117, 121	White-tailed, 4 pt. min. or antlerless
(Option B) Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Oct. 17-30	Oct. 15-28	Oct. 14-27	117, 121	Any white-tailed deer

ARCHERY DEER SEASONS

License Required: A valid big game hunting license, which includes a deer species option.

Tag Required: A valid archery deer tag for the area hunted.

**Special Notes:** Archery tag holders can only hunt during archery seasons with archery equipment (WAC 232-12-054).

Hunt Area	(( <del>2012</del> )) <u>2015</u> Dates	(( <del>2013</del> )) <u>2016</u> Dates	(( <del>2014</del> )) <u>2017</u> Dates	Game Management Units (GMUs)	Legal Deer
EARLY ARCHERY	GENERAL DEER	SEASONS			
Western Washington Black-tailed Deer	Sept. ((1-28)) 1-30	Sept. ((1-27)) 1-30	Sept. ((1-26)) 1-29	407 through 426, <u>437</u> , 448, 450, 454, 466, 501, 504, 505, (( <del>510</del> , <del>513</del> , <del>520</del> ), <u>524</u> , 554, 564, 568, 621 through (( <del>633</del> , <del>642</del> )), <u>636</u> , 648 through 652, (( <del>655</del> , <del>658</del> )), <u>654</u> through (( <del>672</del> )), <u>673</u> , 684 (( <del>and 699</del> ))	Any deer
				460, 503, <u>574</u> , 601(( <del>, 603, 615,</del> )) <u>through</u> 618, (( <del>673</del> )) <u>638, 642, 653, 681 and 699</u>	Any buck
				((437, 636, 654, 681	2 pt. min. or antlerless))
				578	3 pt. min.
	Sept. ((1-23)) 1-27	Sept. (( <del>1-22</del> )) <u>1-25</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-21</del> )) <u>1-24</u>	<u>510, 513,</u> 516, (( <del>524,</del> )) <u>520,</u> 556(( <del>, 638,</del> <del>653</del> ))	Any deer
				506, 530, 550, 560, 572(( <del>, 574, 602, 607, 612</del> ))	Any buck
Eastern Washington Mule Deer	Sept. ((1-28)) 1-30	Sept. (( <del>1-27</del> )) <u>1-30</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) <u>1-29</u>	105 through 121, 166, 169, 172 (except Deer Area 1040), 175, 181, 243, 334	3 pt. min.
				124 through 142, 145, 149, 186, 244 through 247, 249, 250, 260, 372, 373, 379, 381, 382, 388	3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Sept. ((1-23)) 1-27	Sept. ((1-22)) 1-25	Sept. ((1-21)) 1-24	154, 178	3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Sept. ((1-23)) 1-27	Sept. ((1-22)) 1-25	Sept. ((1-21)) 1-24	162, 163, 251, 328, 335, 336, 340, (( <del>342,</del> )) 346, 352, 356, 360, 364, 368	3 pt. min.
	Sept. 1-15	Sept. 1-15	Sept. 1-15	101, 204 through 242, 248, 254, 262, 266, 269, 272, 278, 284	3 pt. min.
	Sept. (( <del>16-28</del> )) 16-30	Sept. (( <del>16-27</del> )) 16-30	Sept. (( <del>16-26</del> )) 16-29	101, 204 through 242, 248, 254, 262, 266, 269, 272, 278, 284	3 pt. min. or antlerless
Eastern Washington White-	Sept. (( <del>1-28</del> )) <u>1-30</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-27</del> )) <u>1-30</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) <u>1-29</u>	101, 105, 108, 111, 113	Any white-tailed ((buck)) deer
tailed Deer	Sept. (( <del>1-28</del> )) <u>1-30</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-27</del> )) <u>1-30</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) <u>1-29</u>	124, 204 through 250, 254 through 284, 373, 379, 381	Any white-tailed dee
	Sept. ((1-28)) 1-30	Sept. (( <del>1-27</del> )) <u>1-30</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) 1-29	127 through 149, 166, <u>172 (except Deer Area 1040)</u> , 181, 186	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Sept. (( <del>1-23</del> )) <u>1-27</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-22</del> )) <u>1-25</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-21</del> )) <u>1-24</u>	154, 162, 163, 178	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Sept. (( <del>1-23</del> )) 1-27	Sept. (( <del>1-22</del> )) <u>1-25</u>	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) <u>1-24</u>	169, (( <del>172 (except Deer Area 1040),</del> )) 175	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.
(Option A) Eastern Washington White- tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Sept. ((1-28)) 1-30	Sept. ((1-27)) 1-30	Sept. ((1-26)) 1-29	117, 121	White-tailed, 4 pt. min. <u>or antlerless</u>
(Option B) Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	<u>Sept. 1-30</u>	<u>Sept. 1-30</u>	Sept. 1-29	117, 121	Any white-tailed deep

Hunt Area	(( <del>2012</del> )) <u>2015</u> Dates	(( <del>2013</del> )) <u>2016</u> Dates	(( <del>2014</del> )) <u>2017</u> Dates	Game Management Units (GMUs)	Legal Deer
Western Washington Black-tailed Deer	((Nov. 21 – Dec. 8	Nov. 27 - Dec. 8	Nov. 26 - Dec. 8	437, 636, 654, 681	2 pt. min. or antlerless))
	Nov. (( <del>21</del> )) <u>25</u> - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>27</del> )) <u>23</u> - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>26</del> )) <u>22</u> - Dec. 15	437, 466, 510 through 520, 524, 556(( <del>, 638, 648, and 699</del> ))	Any deer
	Nov. ((21)) 25 - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>27</del> )) <u>23</u> - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>26</del> )) <u>22</u> - Dec. 15	448, 460, 506, 530, 560, 572, 601, (( <del>607</del> )) 603 through 618, 638, 642, 681, and 699	Any buck
	(( <del>Nov. 21 -</del> Dec. 31	Nov. 27 - Dec. 31	Nov. 26 - Dec. 31	603, 624, 652, 655	Any buck))
	Nov. ((21)) 25 - Dec. 31	Nov. ((27)) 23 - Dec. 31	Nov. (( <del>26</del> )) <u>22</u> - Dec. 31	407, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 419, 420, 421, 422, 454, 505, 564, <u>624</u> , 627, (( <del>633</del> , <del>642</del> ,)) <u>636</u> , 648, 652, 654, 655, 660 through 672	Any deer
Eastern Washington Mule Deer	Nov. 21-30	Nov. 21-30	Nov. 21-30	209, 215, 233, 243, 250	3 pt. min.
	Nov. ((21)) 25 - Dec. 8	Nov. (( <del>27</del> )) <u>23</u> - Dec. 8	Nov. (( <del>26</del> )) <u>22</u> - Dec. 8	336, 342, 346, 352, 364, 388, Deer Area 3682	3 pt. min.
	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	145, 163, 178 <u>, 272, 278, 373</u>	3 pt. min. or antlerless
	(( <del>Nov. 21 -</del> <del>Dec. 8</del>	Nov. 27 - Dec. 8	Nov. 26 - Dec. 8	272, 278, 373	3 pt. min. or antlerless))
	Dec. 9-31	Dec. 9-31	Dec. 9-31	Deer Area 1021	Antlerless only
Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer	Nov. 10 - Dec. 15	Nov. 10 - Dec. 15	Nov. 10 - Dec. 15	101	Any white-tailed deer
	Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	(( <del>105, 108,</del> )) 124	Any white-tailed deer
	Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	127	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	145, 163, 178 <u>, 272, 278</u>	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Nov. (( <del>21</del> )) <u>25</u> - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>27</del> )) <u>23</u> - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>26</del> )) <u>22</u> - Dec. 15	105, 108, 204, 209, 215, 233, 243, (( <del>272,</del> <del>278,</del> )) 373	Any white-tailed deer
(Option A) Eastern Washington White- tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Nov. 25 - Dec. ((9)) <u>15</u>	Nov. ((25)) 23 - Dec. ((9)) 15	Nov. ((25)) <u>22</u> - Dec. ((9)) <u>15</u>	117, 121	White-tailed, 4 pt. min. <u>or antlerless</u>
	(( <del>Dec. 10-15</del>	Dec. 10-15	Dec. 10-15	117, 121	White-tailed, 4 pt. min. or antlerless))
(Option B) Eastern Washington White- tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	Nov. 23 - Dec. 15	Nov. 22 - Dec. 15	117, 121	Any white-tailed deer

## MUZZLELOADER DEER SEASONS

License Required: A valid big game hunting license, which includes a deer species option.

Tag Required: A valid muzzleloader deer tag for the area hunted.

Hunting Method: Muzzleloader only.

Special Notes: Muzzleloader tag holders can only hunt during muzzle-loader seasons and must hunt with muzzleloader equipment (WAC 232-12-051) or archery equipment (WAC 232-12-054).

Hunt Area	(( <del>2012</del> )) <u>2015</u> Dates	(( <del>2013</del> )) <u>2016</u> Dates	(( <del>2014</del> )) <u>2017</u> Dates	Game Management Units (GMUs)	Legal Deer
High Buck Hunts	Sept. 15-25	Sept. 15-25	Sept. 15-25	Alpine Lakes, Glacier Peak, Pasayten, Mount Baker, Olympic Peninsula, and Henry Jackson Wilderness areas, and Lake Chelan Recreation Area	3 pt. min.
EARLY MUZZLELO	DADER GENERA	L DEER SEASONS	S		
Western Washington Black-tailed Deer	((Sept. 29 Oct. 7)) Oct. 3-11 ((Sept. 28 - 6)) Oct. 1-9		Sept. ((27)) <u>30</u> - Oct. ((5)) <u>8</u>	407, 418, 426, 448, 450, 501, <u>503</u> , 504, 505, 506, 510, 513, 516, 520, 530, <u>554</u> , 556, <u>560</u> , 568, 572, 574, 603, 607, 612, 615, 624 (except Deer Area 6020), 636, 638, 642, 648, 660, 663, 672, 673((, <del>684</del> ))	Any buck
				410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 419, 420, 421, 422, 454, 564, 627, 652, 655, 666, 684, and Deer Area 6020	Any deer
				437(( <del>, 636</del> ))	2 pt. min.
				578	3 pt. min.
Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer	(( <del>Sept. 29 - Oct.</del> 7)) Oct. 3-11	(( <del>Sept. 28 - Oct.</del> 6)) <u>Oct. 1-9</u>	Sept. ((27)) <u>30</u> - Oct. ((5)) <u>8</u>	((101, 105, 108, 111, 113, 124,)) 203, 204, 209, 215, 231, 233, 239, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 248, 250, 251, 260, 272, 278, 284	White-tailed, any buck
				101, 105, 108, 111, 113, 124	Any white-tailed deer
				<u>127,</u> 142, 145, 149	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
				(( <del>127,</del> )) 130, 133, 136, 139, 175, 181, 186	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.
				373, 379	Any white-tailed, ((any)) deer
(Option A) Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	((Sept. 29 – Oct. 7)) Oct. 3-11	((Sept. 28 – Oct. 6)) Oct. 1-9	Sept. ((27)) 30 - Oct. ((5)) 8	117, 121	White-tailed, 4 pt. min. <u>or antlerless</u>
(Option B) Eastern Washington White- tailed Deer in GMUs 117 and 121	Oct. 3-11	Oct. 1-9	<u>Sept. 30 - Oct.</u> <u>8</u>	117, 121	Any white-tailed deer
Eastern Washington Mule Deer	((Sept. 29 - Oct. 7)) Oct. 3-11	((Sept. 28 - Oct. 6)) Oct 1-9	Sept. ((27)) <u>30</u> - Oct. ((5)) <u>8</u>	101 through 149, 175, 181, 186, 203, 204, 209, 215, 231, 233, 239, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 248, 250, 251, 254, 260, 262, 266, 269, 272, 278, 284, 328, 330 through 342, 352 through ((360,)) 368, 373, 379((,382))	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.
LATE MUZZLELO	ADER GENERAL	DEER SEASONS			
Western Washington Black-tailed Deer	Nov. (( <del>22</del> )) <u>25</u> - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>28</del> )) <u>23</u> - Dec. 15	Nov. (( <del>27</del> )) <u>22</u> - Dec. 15	407, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 419, 420, 421, 422, 454, 501, 504, 564, (( <del>627,</del> )) 633, 666, 684, and Deer Area 6020	Any deer
				((654	2 pt. min.))
				448, 460, 550, 602, <u>621</u> , 651, <u>654</u> , 658, <u>667</u> , and <u>673</u>	Any buck
	((Nov. 22- Dec. 6	Nov. 28 - Dec. 6	Nov. 27 - Dec. 6	667, 673	Any buck
	Dec. 7-15	Dec. 7-15	Dec. 7-15	673	Any deer))
Eastern Washington White-tailed Deer	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Nov. (( <del>25</del> )) <u>23</u> - Dec. 8	Nov. (( <del>25</del> )) <u>22</u> - Dec. 8	113	Any white-tailed buck
	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	130, 133, 136, 139	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	172 (except Deer Area 1040), 181	White-tailed, 3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Nov. 20-30	Nov. 20-30	Nov. 20-30	379, 381	Any white-tailed deer

Hunt Area	(( <del>2012</del> )) <u>2015</u> Dates	(( <del>2013</del> )) <u>2016</u> Dates	(( <del>2014</del> )) <u>2017</u> Dates	Game Management Units (GMUs)	Legal Deer
Eastern Washington Mule Deer	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	130	Antlerless
	Nov. 20-30	Nov. 20-30	Nov. 20-30	381	3 pt. min. or antlerless
	Nov. 20-30	Nov. 20-30	Nov. 20-30	379, 382	3 pt. min.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 77.12.047, 77.12.240, and 77.32.070. WSR 14-10-019 (Order 14-95), § 232-28-357, filed 4/25/14, effective 5/26/14; WSR 13-11-078 (Order 13-94), § 232-28-357, filed 5/16/13, effective 6/16/13. Statutory Authority: RCW 77.12.047. WSR 12-11-005 (Order 12-70), § 232-28-357, filed 5/2/12, effective 6/2/12.]

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 14-10-019, filed 4/25/14, effective 5/26/14)

WAC 232-28-359 ((2014)) 2015 Deer special permits. It is unlawful to fail to comply with the bag, possession, and season limits described below. A violation of this section is punishable under RCW 77.15.410, Unlawful hunting of big game—Penalty.

Deer Special Permit Hunting Seasons (Open to Permit Holders Only)

Hunters must purchase a deer hunting license prior to purchasing a permit application. Hunters may only apply for permits consistent with the tag required for the hunt choice; however, Multiple Season Permit holders may apply for archery, muzzleloader, or modern firearm permit hunts. Hunters drawn for a special permit hunt must comply with weapon restrictions, dates, and other conditions listed for the hunt. Hunters drawn for a special permit designated "Any tag" under the "Weapon/Tag" restriction must use equipment consistent with the requirements of their transport tag and license.

Quality						
Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Kelly Hill White- tailed Buck	Modern	Any	Oct. ((25)) <u>24</u> - Nov. (( <del>23</del> )) <u>22</u>	White-tailed, Any buck	GMU 105	5
Kelly Hill Mule Deer Buck	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-23</del> )) <u>7-22</u>	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	GMU 105	1
Douglas White-tailed Buck	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>25</del> )) <u>24</u> - Nov. (( <del>23</del> )) <u>22</u>	White-tailed, Any buck	GMU 108	5
Douglas Mule Deer Buck	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-23</del> )) <u>7-22</u>	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	GMU 108	1
Aladdin White-tailed Buck	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>25</del> )) <u>24</u> - Nov. (( <del>23</del> )) <u>22</u>	White-tailed, Any buck	GMU 111	5
Aladdin Mule Deer Buck	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-23</del> )) <u>7-22</u>	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	GMU 111	1

Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Selkirk Mule Deer Buck	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-23</del> )) <u>7-22</u>	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	GMU 113	1
49 Degrees North White-tailed Buck	Modern	Any	Oct. ((25)) 24 - Nov. ((23)) 22	White-tailed, Any buck	GMU 117	5
49 Degrees North Mule Deer Buck	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-23</del> )) <u>7-22</u>	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	GMU 117	1
Huckleberry White- tailed Buck	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>25</del> )) <u>24</u> - Nov. (( <del>23</del> )) <u>22</u>	White-tailed, Any buck	GMU 121	5
Huckleberry Mule Deer Buck	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-23</del> )) <u>7-22</u>	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	GMU 121	1
Mt. Spokane	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	White-tailed, Any buck	GMU 124	5
Mica Peak	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMU 127	5
Cheney	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMU 130	5
Roosevelt	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMU 133	5
Steptoe	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMU 139	5
Almota	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMU 142	5
Dayton	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	3 pt. min.	GMU 162	5
Tucannon	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	3 pt. min.	GMU 166	2
Wenaha West	Modern	Any	Nov. 7-14	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	GMU-Deer Area 1008	2
Wenaha East	Modern	Any	Nov. 7-14	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	Deer Area 1009	5
((Wenaha West	Modern	Any	Nov. 7-14	Mule deer, 3 pt. min.	Deer Area 1008	2))
Lick Creek	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	3 pt. min.	GMU 175	1
Grande Ronde	Modern	Any	Nov. 20-24	3 pt. min.	GMU 186	1
East Okanogan	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 204	10
Sinlahekin	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 215	10
Chewuch	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 218	20
Pearrygin	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 224	20
Gardner	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 231	15
Pogue	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 233	15
Alta	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 242	15
Manson	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 243	10
Chiwawa	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 245	<del>27</del> 26
Slide Ridge	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 246	<del>11</del> 10
Entiat	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 247	25
Swakane	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 250	15
Mission	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 251	10
Desert	Modern	Any	Oct. ((25)) <u>24</u> - Nov. ((2)) <u>1</u>	Any buck	GMU 290	16
Desert	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>15-23</del> )) <u>14-22</u>	Any buck	GMU 290	5
Naneum	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>16-24</u>	Any buck	GMU 328	14
Quilomene	Modern	Any	Nov. ((3-19)) 9-24	Any buck	GMU 329	<del>15</del> 14
Teanaway	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>16-24</u>	Any buck	GMU 335	17
L.T. Murray	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>16-24</u>	Any buck	GMUs 336, 340	5
Bethel	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>3-19</del> )) <u>9-24</u>	Any buck	GMU 360	5
Cowiche	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>3-19</del> )) <u>9-24</u>	Any buck	GMU 368	10
Alkali	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-16	Any buck	GMU 371	<u>54</u>
Kahlotus	Modern	Any	Nov. 8-17	Any buck	GMU 381	10
Grayback	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>3-23</del> )) <u>9-24</u>	3 pt. min.	GMU 388	40
Nooksack	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>15-20</del> )) <u>14-19</u>	Any buck	GMU 418	25
Skagit	Modern	Any	Nov. ((15-20)) 14-19	Any buck	GMU 426	10
Sauk	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>15-20</del> )) 14-19	2 pt. min. Any buck	GMU 437	25
Stillaguamish	Modern	Any	Nov. ((15-20)) 14-19	Any buck	GMU 448	10
Snoqualmie	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>15-20</del> )) 14-19	Any buck	GMU 460	10
Green River	Any tag	Any	((Oct. 25-31)) TBDNov. 7-13	Any buck	GMU 485	(( <del>10</del> )) TBD5
Lincoln	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck.	GMU 501	4
Mossyrock	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 505	4
Willapa Hills	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 506	<u>±</u>

Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permit
Stormking	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 510	<u>1</u>
South Rainier	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 513	1
Packwood	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 516	1
Winston	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 520	4
Ryderwood	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 530	4
Coweeman	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 550	4
Toutle	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 556	1
Lewis River	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-(( <del>12</del> )) <u>18</u>	Any buck	GMU 560	1
Washougal	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-(( <del>12</del> )) 18	Any buck	GMU 568	2
Siouxon	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-(( <del>12</del> )) <u>18</u>	Any buck	GMU 572	1
Wind River	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>13-25</del> )) <u>19-24</u>	Any buck	GMU 574	40
West Klickitat	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>13-20</del> )) 19-25	3 pt. min.	GMU 578	40
(( <del>Sol Duc</del>	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 607	5))
Mason	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 633	10
Wynoochee	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>1-24</del> )) <u>1-18</u>	Any buck	GMU 648	10
Satsop	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>1-24</del> )) <u>1-18</u> Nov. (( <del>1-24</del> )) <u>1-18</u>	Any buck	GMU 651	10
White River	Modern		Nov. (( <del>1-24</del> )) <u>1-18</u> Nov. 1-18	Any buck Any buck	GMU 651 GMU 653	10 10
Mashel	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>1-23</del> )) 1-18			_
		Any	* "=	(( <del>2 pt. min.</del> )) <u>Any buck</u>	GMU 654	10
North River	Modern Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 658	<u>10</u>
Capitol Peak	Modern	Any	Nov. ((1-24)) 1-18	Any buck	GMU 663	10
Skookumchuck	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>1-24</del> )) <u>1-18</u>	Any buck	GMU 667	10
Williams Creek	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 673	<u>10</u>
Chiliwist	Archery	Any	Nov. 21-30	Any buck	GMU 239	15
((Entiat	Archery	Any	Nov. 21-30	Any buck	GMU 247	<del>50</del> ))
Chiwawa	Archery	Any	Dec. 1-8	Any buck	GMU 245	<del>11</del> 10
Slide Ridge	Archery	Any	Dec. 1-8	Any buck	GMU 246	3
<u>Entiat</u>	Archery	<u>Any</u>	Nov. 21-30	Any buck	<u>GMU 247</u>	<u>50</u>
<u>Desert</u>	Archery	Any	<u>Sept. 1 - Oct. 7</u>	Any buck	<u>GMU 290</u>	<del>18</del> 15
Desert	Archery	Any	Nov. 25 - Dec. (( <del>8</del> )) 12	Any buck	GMU 290	(( <del>37</del> )) <u>1815</u>
Naneum	Archery	Any	Nov. (( <del>20</del> )) <u>25</u> - Dec.	Any buck	GMU 328	<del>10</del> 8
Quilomene	Archery	Any	Nov. (( <del>20</del> )) <u>25</u> - Dec.	Any buck	GMU 329	5
Teanaway	Archery	Any	Nov. (( <del>20</del> )) <u>25</u> - Dec.	Any buck	GMU 335	7 <u>8</u>
((L.T. Murray	Archery	Any	Nov. 20 - Dec. 8	Any buck	GMUs 336, 340	2))
West Klickitat	Archery	Any	Nov. (( <del>21-30</del> )) <u>26 -</u>	3 pt. min.	GMU 578	75
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Kitsap	Archery	Any	Nov. (( <del>1-13</del> )) <u>1-18</u>	Any buck	GMU 627	10
Skokomish	Archery	Any	Nov. (( <del>1-13</del> )) <u>1-18</u>	((2 pt. min.)) Any buck	GMU 636	10
Blue Mtns. Foothills	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. (( <del>24</del> )) <u>25</u> - Dec.	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMUs 149, 154, 162, 166	70
Alta	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 25-30	Any buck	GMU 242	20
Chiwawa	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 25-30	Any buck	GMU 245	<u>32</u>
Slide Ridge	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 25-30	Any buck	GMU 246	1
Mission	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 25-30	Any buck	GMU 251	15
Desert	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>10-18</u>	Any buck	GMU 290	2
Teanaway	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. ((3-10)) 9-15	Any buck	GMU 335	4 <u>2</u>
L.T. Murray	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. ((3-10)) 9-15	Any buck	GMUs 336, 340	1
Bald Mountain	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. ((3-19)) 9-24	Any buck	GMUs 342, 346	2
Naneum	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. ((3-10)) 9-15	Any buck	GMU 328	1
Quilomene	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Oct.	Any buck	GMU 329	42
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West Klickitat	Muzzleloader	Any	Dec. ((1-8)) 3-9	3 pt. min.	GMU 578	75
Olympic	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. (( <del>1-13</del> )) <u>1-18</u>	Any buck	GMU 621	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>10</u>

Bucks

<b>Hunt Name</b>	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	<b>Hunt Dates</b>	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Palouse	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) <u>7-19</u>	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMUs 127-142	750
Blue Mtns. Foothills West	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>7-19</del> )) 9-19	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMUs 149, 154, 162-166	110
Blue Mtns. Foothills East	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>7-19</del> )) <u>9-19</u>	White-tailed, 3 pt. min.	GMUs 145, 172 (except Deer Area 1040)-181	50
Mayview	Any tag	Any	Nov. 16-19	3 pt. min.	GMU 145	25
Watershed	Any tag	Any	Oct. ((4-15)) 3-14	3 pt. min.	GMU 157	5
Ten Forty	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-20</del> )) 17-25	3 pt. min.	Deer Area 1040	2
East Okanogan	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 204	50
Sinlahekin	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 215	50
Chewuch	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 218	15
Pearrygin	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 224	15
Gardner	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 231	15
Pogue	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 233	15
Chiliwist	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 239	15
Alta	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any white-tailed buck	GMU 242	15
Ritzville	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-20	Any buck	GMU 284	10 <u>9</u>
Hoko	Modern		Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 601	
Sol Duc	Modern	Any Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 607	<u>5</u> <u>5</u>
	<del>                                     </del>		Nov. 1-18		GMU 612	
Goodman	Modern	Any		Any buck		<u>5</u>
Clearwater	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 615	<u>5</u>
Quinault Ridge	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 638	<u>5</u>
Bear River	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 681	<u>5</u>
Long Beach	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 684	<u>5</u>
Parker Lake	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-(( <del>26</del> )) <u>30</u> and Nov. 25 - Dec. (( <del>9</del> )) <u>15</u>	White-tailed, 4 pt. min. or antlerless	Deer Area 1031	5
Ten Forty	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-14	3 pt. min.	Deer Area 1040	2
Big Bend	Archery	Any	Dec. 1-8	Any buck	GMU 248	10
Ritzville	Archery	Any	Dec. 1-8	Any buck	GMU 284	5
Alkali	Archery	Any	Sept. (( <del>1-21</del> )) <u>1-24</u>	Any buck	GMU 371	3
((Whitcomb	Archery	Any	Sept. 7-12	Any buck	Deer Area 3071	10
Paterson	Archery	Any	Sept. 7-12	Any buck	Deer Area 3072	<del>10</del> ))
Parker Lake	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	White-tailed, 4 pt. min. or antlerless	Deer Area 1031	5
Roosevelt	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 10</del> )) <u>Oct. 3-16</u>	ONLY 2 pt. x 2 pt. mule deer bucks	GMU 133	25
Harrington	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 – Oct. 10</del> )) <u>Oct. 3-16</u>	ONLY 2 pt. x 2 pt. mule deer bucks	GMU 136	25
Steptoe	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 -</del> <del>Oct. 10</del> )) <u>Oct.</u> 3-16	ONLY 2 pt. x 2 pt. mule deer bucks	GMU 139	25
Almota	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 10</del> )) <u>Oct. 3-16</u>	ONLY 2 pt. x 2 pt. mule deer bucks	GMU 142	25
Dayton	Muzzleloader	Any	((Sept. 27— Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11	3 pt. min.	GMU 162	25
Tucannon	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	3 pt. min.	GMU 166	10
Wenaha	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) <u>Oct.</u> 3-11	3 pt. min.	GMU 169	15
Mountain View	Muzzleloader	Any	((Sept. 27— Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11	3 pt. min.	GMU 172 (except Deer Area 1040)	15

Bucks						
Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Ten Forty	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. (( <del>27</del> )) <u>26</u> - Oct. (( <del>5</del> )) <u>4</u>	3 pt. min.	Deer Area 1040	2
Ritzville	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 25-30	Any buck	GMU 284	1
Alkali	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((21)) <u>25</u> - Oct. (( <del>10</del> )) <u>11</u>	Any buck	GMU 371	1
Kahlotus	Muzzleloader	Any	<del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> 5 <u>Oct. 3-11</u>	Any buck	GMU 381	20
<u>Dickey</u>	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 602	<u>5</u>
Matheny	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 618	<u>5</u>
Copalis	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 642	<u>5</u>

Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Mayview	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-12	Antlerless	GMU 145	(( <del>35</del> )) <u>65</u>
Prescott	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-12	Antlerless	GMU 149	(( <del>50</del> )) <u>100</u>
Blue Creek	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) <u>9-19</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 154	30
Dayton	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) <u>9-19</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 162	80
Ten Ten	Modern	Any	Nov. 8-19	Antlerless	Deer Area 1010	30
Marengo	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-12	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 163	50
Marengo	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-12	<u>Antlerless</u>	GMU 163	<u>40</u>
Peola	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-12	Antlerless	GMU 178	50
East Klickitat	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 382	5
Grayback	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 388	5
Lincoln	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 501	15
Stella	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 504	15
Mossyrock	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 505	30
South Rainier	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 513	10
Winston	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 520	20
Lewis River	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 560	3
Siouxon	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 572	3
Wind River	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 574	3
West Klickitat	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 578	5
((Pysht	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU-603	<del>15</del> ))
Olympic	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 621	35
Mason	Modern	Any	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 633	<u>15</u>
Skokomish	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 636	(( <del>20</del> )) <u>10</u>
Wynoochee	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 648	(( <u>25</u> )) <u>10</u>
<u>SkokomishSatsop</u>	Modern	Any	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 651	<u>30</u>
Mashel	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 654	(( <del>40</del> )) <u>30</u>
North River	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 658	(( <del>35</del> )) <u>20</u>
Minot Peak	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 660	20
Capitol Peak	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 663	((5)) <u>10</u>
Skookumchuck	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 667	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>30</u>
Williams Creek	<u>Modern</u>	Any	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 673	<u>10</u>
Entiat	Archery	Any	Nov. 21-30	Antlerless	GMU 247	40
Swakane	Archery	Any	Nov. 21-30	Antlerless	GMU 250	50
Whitcomb	Archery	Any	Sept. (( <del>1-6</del> )) <u>14-18</u>	Antlerless	Deer Area 3071	10
Whitcomb	Archery	Any	Sept. 21-28	Antlerless	Deer Area 3071	<u>10</u>
Paterson	Archery	Any	Sept. (( <del>1-6</del> )) <u>14-18</u>	Antlerless	Deer Area 3072	10
Paterson	Archery	Any	Sept. 21-28	Antlerless	Deer Area 3072	<u>10</u>
Grayback	Archery	Any	Nov. (( <del>26</del> )) 25 - Dec. 8	Antlerless	GMU 388	75

Antlerless						
Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
((Sherman	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 28 - Oct. 6	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 101	<del>40</del> ))
Selkirk	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 113	15
Prescott	Muzzleloader	Any	<del>Sept. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Oct. ((5)) <u>4Oct. 3-11</u></del>	Antlerless	GMU 149	25
Whitcomb	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 15-19</del> )) Aug. 31 - Sept. 5	Antlerless	Deer Area 3071	10
Paterson	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 15-19</del> )) Aug. 31 - Sept. 5	Antlerless	Deer Area 3072	10
((Whitcomb	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 22-30	Antlerless	Deer Area 3071	10
Paterson	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 22-30	Antlerless	Deer Area 3072	10
East Klickitat	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5	Antlerless	GMU 382	5))
Mossyrock	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 505	10
Stormking	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 510	5
South Rainier	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 513	5
Packwood	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 516	5
Winston	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 520	5
Coweeman	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 550	(( <del>30</del> )) <u>10</u>
Yale	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 554	2
Toutle	Muzzleloader	Any	((Sept. 27 - Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 556	3
West Klickitat	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 578	5
Olympic	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 621	(( <del>20</del> )) <u>40</u>
Mason	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 633	<u>20</u>
Skokomish	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 636	<u>10</u>
Wynoochee	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 648	<u>10</u>
Satsop	Muzzleloader	Any	((Nov. 24 - Dec. 15)) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 651	(( <del>100</del> )) <u>30</u>
Mashel	Muzzleloader	Any	((Nov. 24 - Dec. 15)) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 654	(( <del>50</del> )) <u>35</u>
North River	Muzzleloader	Any	((Sept. 27 - Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 658	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>20</u>
Minot Peak	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 660	<u>5</u>
Capitol Peak	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 663	20
Williams Creek	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 673	10

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Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Colville River	Any	Any	Sept. 1 - Dec. 31	White-tailed, antlerless	Deer Area 1035	25
Benge	Any	Any	Dec. 9-31	Antlerless	Deer Area 2010	30
Lakeview	Any	Any	Jan. 1-30, 2015 <u>2016</u>	Antlerless	Deer Area 2011	15
Methow	Any	Any	Sept. 8 - Oct. 9	Antlerless	Deer Area 2012	20
North Okanogan	Any	Any	Sept. 8 - Oct. 9	Antlerless	Deer Area 2013	30
Central Okanogan	Any	Any	Sept. 8 - Oct. 9	Antlerless	Deer Area 2014	30
Omak	Any	Any	Sept. 8 - Oct. 9	Antlerless	Deer Area 2015	25
Conconully	Any	Any	Sept. 8 - Oct. 9	Antlerless	Deer Area 2016	25
((High Prairie	Any	Any	Oct. 11-24	Antlerless	Deer Area 3088	5))
Mt. Spokane	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-30</u> and Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) <u>7-19</u>	((White-tailed,)) Antlerless	GMU 124	50
Spokane North	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-30</u> and Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) <u>7-19</u>	((White-tailed,)) Antlerless	Deer Area 1050	350

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Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	<b>Hunt Dates</b>	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Mica Peak	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	((White-tailed,)) Antlerless	GMU 127	25
Spokane South	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	(( <del>White-tailed,</del> )) <u>A</u> ntlerless	Deer Area 1060	(( <del>125</del> )) <u>75</u>
Cheney	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 130	100
Spokane West	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> 27	Antlerless	Deer Area 1070	(( <del>75</del> )) 100
Roosevelt	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 133	150
Harrington	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 136	150
Steptoe	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 139	200
Colfax	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	Deer Area 1080	(( <del>125</del> )) <u>150</u>
Almota	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 142	150
Mayview	Modern	Any	Nov. 1-12	Antlerless	GMU 145	35
Blue Creek	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) <u>9-19</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 154	30
Ten Ten	Modern	Any	Nov. (( <del>8-19</del> )) <u>9-19</u>	Antlerless	Deer Area 1010	30
East Okanogan	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 204	75
Sinlahekin	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 215	40
Chewuch	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 218	10
Pearrygin	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 224	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>40</u>
Gardner	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 231	10
Pogue	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 233	10
Chiliwist	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 239	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>40</u>
Alta	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 242	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>40</u>
Big Bend	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 248	35
Mission	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 251	10
St. Andrews	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 254	20
Foster Creek	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 260	20
Withrow	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 262	20
Badger	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 266	15
Desert	Modern	Any	Dec. 13-28	Antlerless	GMU 290	(( <del>50</del> )) <u>25</u>
Kahlotus	Modern	Any	Dec. 1-9	Antlerless	GMU 381	20
Orcas	Modern	Any	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 411	<u>40</u>
Shaw	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-30</u> and Nov. (( <del>13-16</del> )) <u>12-15</u>	Antlerless	GMU 412	20
San Juan	Modern	Any	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 413	<u>40</u>
Lopez	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>30</u> and Nov. (( <del>13-</del> <del>16</del> )) <u>12-15</u>	Antlerless	GMU 414	40
((Orcas	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31 and Nov. 13-16	Antlerless	GMU 411	40))
Blakely	Modern	Any	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-51	Antlerless	GMU 415	<u>30</u>

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Decatur	Modern	Any	Oct. ((11-31)) 17- 30 and Nov. ((13- 16)) 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 416	30
(( <del>Blakely</del>	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31 and Nov. 13-16	Antlerless	GMU 415	<del>30</del> ))
Cypress	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-30</u> and Nov. (( <del>13-16</del> )) <u>12-15</u>	Antlerless	GMU 417	30
(( <del>San Juan</del>	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31 and Nov. 13-16	Antlerless	GMU 413	40))
Guemes	Modern	Any	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 419	<u>30</u>
Whidbey	Modern	Any	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 420	100
Camano	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-30</u> and Nov. (( <del>13-16</del> )) <u>12-15</u>	Antlerless	GMU 421	30
((Whidbey	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31 and Nov. 13-16	Antlerless	GMU-420	100))
Vashon-Maury	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>30</u> and Nov. (( <del>13-</del> <del>16</del> )) <u>12-15</u>	Antlerless	GMU 422	100
((Guemes	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31 and Nov. 13-16	Antlerless	GMU 419	30
Randle	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU-503	5
Willapa Hills	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 506	10
Stormking	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 510	15
Packwood	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 516	<del>15</del>
Ryderwood	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU-530	10
Coweeman	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU-550	<del>10</del>
Yale	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU-554	<del>10</del>
Washougal	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 568	<del>10</del> ))
Anderson	Modern	Any	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u> and Nov. (( <del>13-16</del> )) <u>19-22</u>	Antlerless	GMU 655	40
((Kitsap	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 627	10
Mashel	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 654	10
North River	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 658	<del>15</del> ))
Deschutes	Modern	Any	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 666	40
Mt. Spokane	Archery	Any	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) <u>1-30</u> and Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	(( <del>White-tailed,</del> )) Antlerless	GMU 124	25
Spokane North	Archery	Any	Sept. 1- 30 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	Deer Area 1050	<u>75</u>
Mica Peak	Archery	Any	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) <u>1-30</u> and Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	((White-tailed,)) Antlerless	GMU 127	25
Spokane South	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-30 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	Deer Area 1060	<u>75</u>
Clarkston	Archery	Any	Nov. 20 - Dec. 31	Antlerless	Deer Area 1021	30
((Spokane North	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-26 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	White-tailed, antlerless	Deer Area 1050	75
Spokane South	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-26 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 15	White-tailed, antlerless	Deer Area 1060	25))
Orcas	Archery	Any	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 411	<u>25</u>
Shaw	Archery	Any	((Sept. 1 - 26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31)) Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 412	20
San Juan	Archery	Any	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 413	<u>20</u>

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Lopez	Archery	Any	((Sept. 1 - 26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31)) Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 414	20
((Orcas	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31	Antlerless	GMU 411	<del>20</del> ))
Blakely	Archery	Any	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 415	<u>20</u>
Decatur	Archery	Any	((Sept. 1- 26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31)) Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 416	20
((Blakely	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31	Antlerless	GMU 415	20))
Cypress	Archery	Any	((Sept. 1- 26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31)) Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 417	20
(( <del>San Juan</del>	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31	Antlerless	GMU 413	20))
Guemes	Archery	Any	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 419	<u>20</u>
Whidbey	Archery	Any	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 420	30
Camano	Archery	Any	((Sept. 1–26 and Nov. 26 – Dec. 34)) Aug. 31 – Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 – Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 421	(( <del>20</del> )) <u>25</u>
((Whidbey	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31	Antlerless	GMU 420	<del>20</del> ))
Vashon-Maury	Archery	Any	((Sept. 1 - 26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31-)) Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 422	(( <del>20</del> )) <u>30</u>
((Guemes	Archery	Any	Sept. 1-26 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 31	Antlerless	GMU 419	20))
Miller	Archery	Any	Dec. 15-30	Antlerless	Deer Area 6020	40
Anderson	Archery	Any	Sept. (( <del>1-26</del> )) <u>1-30</u> and Dec. (( <del>16-31</del> )) <u>21-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 655	10
((Miller	Archery	Any	Dec. 15-30	Antlerless	Deer Area 6020	40))
Mt. Spokane	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> 5)) <u>Oct. 3-11</u>	((White-tailed,)) Antlerless	GMU 124	25
Spokane North	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 – Oct.</del> 5)) <u>Oct. 3-11</u> and Dec. 9-31	((White-tailed,)) Antlerless	Deer Area 1050	100
Cheney	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> 5)) <u>Oct. 3-11</u> and Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Antlerless	GMU 130	25
((Spokane West	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Antlerless	Deer Area 1070	25
Colfax	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Antlerless	Deer Area 1080	<del>75</del> ))
Roosevelt	Muzzleloader	Any	((Sept. 27 - Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Antlerless	GMU 133	25

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Harrington	Muzzleloader	Any	((Sept. 27 – Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Antlerless	GMU 136	25
Colfax	Muzzleloader	Any	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 8	Antlerless	Deer Area 1080	<u>50</u>
Mayview	Muzzleloader	Any	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> 5)) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 145	30
Chiwawa	Muzzleloader	Any	<del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> <del>5</del> <u>Oct. 3-11</u>	Antlerless	GMU 245	10
Swakane	Muzzleloader	Any	<del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> <u>5Oct. 3-11</u>	Antlerless	GMU 250	5
Mission	Muzzleloader	Any	<del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> <del>5</del> Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 251	5
Foster Creek	Muzzleloader	Any	<del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> <del>5</del> <u>Oct. 3-11</u>	Antlerless	GMU 260	10
Moses Coulee	Muzzleloader	Any	<del>Sept. 27 - Oct.</del> <u>5Oct. 3-11</u>	Antlerless	GMU 269	10
Lakeview	Muzzleloader	Any	Nov. 1-18	Antlerless	Deer Area 2011	5
Orcas	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 26 - Oct. 4Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 411	<u>20</u>
Shaw	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((27)) 26 Oct. ((5)) 4Oct. 3- 11 and Nov. ((27)) 26 - Dec. ((15)) 14	Antlerless	GMU 412	20
San Juan	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 26 - Oct. 4 Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 413	<u>20</u>
Lopez	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((27)) 26 Oet. ((5)) 4 Oct. 3- 11 and Nov. ((27)) 26 - Dec. ((15)) 14	Antlerless	GMU 414	20
((Oreas	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 and Nov. 27 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	GMU 411	<del>20</del> ))
Blakely	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 26 - Oct. 4 Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	<u>GMU 415</u>	<u>20</u>
Decatur	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Oct. ((5)) <u>4</u> Oct. 3- <u>11</u> and Nov. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Dec. ((15)) <u>14</u>	Antlerless	GMU 416	20
((Blakely	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 and Nov. 27 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	GMU 415	20))
Cypress	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Oct. ((5)) <u>4</u> Oct. 3- <u>11</u> and Nov. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Dec. ((15)) <u>14</u>	Antlerless	GMU 417	20
(( <del>San Juan</del>	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 and Nov. 27 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	GMU 413	<del>20</del> ))
Guemes	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 26 - Oct. 4 Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 419	<u>20</u>
Whidbey	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 26 - Oct. 4 Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 420	20
Camano	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((27)) 26- Oet. ((5)) 4 Oct. 3- 11 and Nov. ((27)) 26 - Dec. ((15)) 14	Antlerless	GMU 421	20
((Whidbey	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 and Nov. 27 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	GMU 420	<del>20</del> ))

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Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	<b>Hunt Dates</b>	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits				
Vashon-Maury	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Oct. ((5)) <u>4</u> Oct. 3- <u>11</u> and Nov. ((27)) <u>26</u> - Dec. ((15)) <u>14</u>	Antlerless	GMU 422	20				
((Guemes	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 and Nov. 27 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	GMU 419	20				
Yale	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5	Antlerless	GMU-554	2				
Washougal	Muzzleloader	Any	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5	Antlerless	GMU 568	<del>10</del> ))				
Anderson	Muzzleloader	Any	((Sept. 27 – Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11 and Nov. ((27)) 22 - Dec. 15	Antlerless	GMU 655	5				

Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
(( <del>Ferry</del>	Modern	Youth	Oct. 11-24	Antlerless	GMU 101	<del>25</del> ))
Blue Mtns. Foothills West	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>17-</del> 2517-27	Antlerless	GMUs 149, 154, 163, Deer Area 1010	(( <del>30</del> )) <u>40</u>
((49 Degrees North	Modern	Youth	Oct. 11-15	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU-117	20
Huckleberry	Modern	Youth	Oct. 11-15	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU-121	<del>20</del> ))
Blue Mtns. Foothills East	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>17-</del> 2517-27	Antlerless	GMUs 145, 172 (except Deer Area 1040)-181	(( <del>20</del> )) <u>30</u>
Tucannon	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>17-</del> <del>25</del> 17-27	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 166	10
Ten Forty	Modern	Youth	Oct. 10-18	Antlerless	Deer Area 1040	<u>5</u>
East Okanogan	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>10-</del> <u>4817-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 204	30
Wannacut	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>10-</del> <u>1817-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 209	10
Sinlahekin	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>10-</del> <del>18</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 215	10
Chewuch	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>10-</del> <u>4817-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 218	10
Pearrygin	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>10-</u> <u>1817-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 224	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>50</u>
Gardner	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>10-</del> <del>18</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 231	10
Pogue	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>10-</del> 1817-27	Antlerless	GMU 233	10
Chiliwist	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>10-</u> <u>1817-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 239	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>50</u>
Alta	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>10-</del> <del>18</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 242	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>50</u>
Chiwawa	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 245	10
Entiat	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 247	10
Swakane	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 250	5
Mission	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 251	15
Bridgeport	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMUs 248, 260	20
Palisades	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMUs 266, 269	20
Beezley	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 272	30
Benge	Modern	Youth	Oct. 30 - Nov. 7	Antlerless	Deer Area 2010	30
Desert	Modern	Youth	Dec. 13-28	Antlerless	GMU 290	<u>5</u>
Horse Heaven Hills	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 373	10
Ringold	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 379	10
Kahlotus	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 381	10
East Klickitat	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Any buck	GMU 382	5
East Klickitat	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 382	(( <del>20</del> )) 10

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East Klickitat	Modern	Youth	Dec. 21 - Jan.1, (( <del>2015</del> )) <u>2016</u>	Antlerless	GMU 382	10
East Klickitat	Modern	Youth	Jan. 16-31, ((2015)) 2016	Antlerless	GMU 382	10
((East Klickitat	Modern	Youth	Feb. 8-18, 2015	Antlerless	GMU 382	<del>10</del> ))
Grayback	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Any buck	GMU 388	5
Grayback	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 388	10
Orcas	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 411	<u>5</u>
Shaw	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 412	2
San Juan	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 413	<u>5</u>
Lopez	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 414	<u>3</u>
<u>Blakely</u>	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-51	Antlerless	GMU 415	2
Decatur	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 416	1
Cypress	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 417	<u>1</u>
Guemes	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 419	1
Whidbey	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-03 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 420	<u>10</u>
Camano	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 421	<u>3</u>
Vashon-Maury	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 422	<u>10</u>
Green River	Modern	Youth	Nov. 7-13	Any buck	GMU 485	<u>5</u>
Lincoln	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 501	10
Randle	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 503	<u>5</u>
Stella	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 504	10
Mossyrock	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 505	10
Stormking	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 510	10
South Rainier	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 513	10
Packwood	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 516	10
Winston	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 520	10
Coweeman	Modern	Youth	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 550	10
Yale	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 554	10
Toutle	Modern	Youth	Oct. ((11-31)) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 556	((25)) 10
Lewis River	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 560	5
Washougal	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 568	10
Siouxon	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 572	5
Wind River	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 574	10
West Klickitat	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Any buck	GMU 578	5
West Klickitat	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 578	10
Pysht	Modern	Youth	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 603	<u>5</u>
Minot Peak	Modern	Youth	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	GMU 660	10
Mason	Modern	Youth	Oct. 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 633	10
Skokomish	Modern	Youth	Oct. ((4-31)) 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 636	5
Satsop	Modern	Youth	Oct. (( <del>4-31</del> )) <u>10-31</u> Oct. (( <del>4-31</del> )) 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 651	((10)
Mashel	Modern	Youth	Oct. ((4-31)) 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 654	((30))
North River	Modern	Youth	Oct. ((4-31)) 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 658	15
Minot Peak	Modern	Youth	Oct. 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 660	10
Capitol Peak	Modern	Youth	Oct. 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 663	5
Skookumchuck	Modern	Youth	Oct. ((4-10)) 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 667	((35))
Skookumchuck	Modern	Youth	Oct. ((4-31)) 10-31	Any buck	GMU 667	1 <u>5</u>

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Olympic	Modern	Youth	Nov. 17-23	Any deer	GMU 621	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>20</u>
Coyle	<u>Modern</u>	<u>Youth</u>	Oct. 10-31	Antlerless	GMU 624	<u>10</u>
Kitsap	Modern	Youth	Nov. 17-23	Any deer	GMU 627	10
Orcas	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	<u>Antlerless</u>	GMU 411	4
Shaw	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 412	2
San Juan	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	<u>Antlerless</u>	GMU 413	4
Lopez	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	<u>Antlerless</u>	GMU 414	3
Blakely	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 415	2
<u>Decatur</u>	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 416	1
Cypress	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 417	1
Guemes	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 419	<u>1</u>
Camano	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 421	<u>3</u>
Whidbey	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 420	<u>10</u>
Vashon-Maury	Archery	Youth	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 422	<u>10</u>
East Okanogan	Muzzleloader	Youth	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 204	5
Wannacut	Muzzleloader	Youth	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 <u>Oct.</u> 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 209	5
Pogue	Muzzleloader	Youth	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 <u>Oct.</u> 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 233	5
Chiliwist	Muzzleloader	Youth	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 <u>Oct.</u> 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 239	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>15</u>
Alta	Muzzleloader	Youth	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5 <u>Oct.</u> 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 242	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>15</u>
Mission	Muzzleloader	Youth	<del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> <u>Oct.</u> 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 251	5

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((49 Degrees North	Modern	65+	Oct. 11-15	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU-117	20
Huckleberry	Modern	65+	Oct. 11-15	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU-121	<del>20</del> ))
Blue Mtns. Foothills	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <del>17-</del> 2517-27	Antlerless	GMUs 145, 149, 154, <u>163</u> , Deer Area 1010	30
East Okanogan	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 204	5
Wannacut	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 209	5
Sinlahekin	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 215	5
Chewuch	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 218	5
Pearrygin	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 224	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>50</u>
Gardner	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 231	5
Pogue	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 233	5
Chiliwist	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 239	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>50</u>
Alta	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 242	((5)) <u>50</u>
Chiwawa	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 245	10
Entiat	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 247	10
Swakane	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 250	10
Mission	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 251	10
Bridgeport	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMUs 248, 260	10
Palisades	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMUs 266, 269	10

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Sunnyside	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 372	10
Horse Heaven Hills	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-24</del> <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 373	10
Kahlotus	Modern	65+	Oct. <del>11-19</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMU 381	10
East Klickitat	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 382	(( <del>15</del> )) <u>5</u>
Grayback	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 388	5
Orcas	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 411	4
Shaw	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 412	2
San Juan	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	<u>GMU 413</u>	4
<u>Lopez</u>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	<u>GMU 414</u>	3
Blakely	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-51	Antlerless	<u>GMU 415</u>	2
<u>Decatur</u>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	<u>GMU 416</u>	1
Cypress	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	<u>Antlerless</u>	<u>GMU 417</u>	1
Guemes	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 419	1
Whidbey	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-0330 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 420	<u>5</u>
Camano	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 421	3
Vashon-Maury	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 422	<u>5</u>
Lincoln	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 501	5
Stella	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 504	5
Mossyrock	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 505	15
Stormking	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 510	5
South Rainier	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 513	5
Packwood	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 516	5
Winston	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 520	5
Yale	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 554	5
Toutle	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 556	10
Lewis River	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 560	5
Washougal	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 568	(( <del>10</del> )) <u>5</u>
Siouxon	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 572	5
Wind River	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 574	5
West Klickitat	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 578	5
((Copalis	Modern	65+	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU-642	20))
Olympic	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 621	<u>20</u>
Mason	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 633	<u>10</u>
Skokomish	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 636	<u>5</u>
Copalis	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 648	<u>5</u>
Satsop	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 651	<u>15</u>
Mashel N. d. D.	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 654	<u>15</u>
North River	Modern	65+	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 658	10
((Williams Creek	Modern	65+	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 673	10))
Minot Peak	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 660	<u>10</u>
Capitol Peak Orcas	Modern Archery	<u>65+</u> <u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-31  Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 Dec. 30	Antlerless Antlerless	<u>GMU 663</u> <u>GMU 411</u>	<u>5</u> <u>4</u>
Shaw	Archery	<u>65+</u>	and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30  Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	<u>Antlerless</u>	GMU 412	2
San Juan	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 413	4
Lopez	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	<u>GMU 414</u>	3

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Blakely	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 415	2
<u>Decatur</u>	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 416	1
Cypress	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 417	1
Guemes	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 419	1
Whidbey	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 420	<u>5</u>
Camano	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 421	3
Vashon-Maury	Archery	<u>65+</u>	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 422	<u>5</u>
Whidbey	Muzzleloader	<u>65+</u>	Sept. 26 - Oct. 4Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 420	2
Vashon-Maury	Muzzleloader	<u>65+</u>	Sept. 26 - Oct. 4Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 422	2

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((49 Degrees North	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 11-15	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 117	20
Huckleberry	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 11-15	White-tailed, antlerless	GMU 121	20))
Blue Mtns. Foothills	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. <del>17-25</del> 17-27	Antlerless	GMUs 145, 149, 154, 163, Deer Area 1010	<u>20</u>
East Okanogan	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 204	5
Wannacut	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 209	5
Sinlahekin	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 215	5
Chewuch	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 218	5
Pearrygin	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 224	((5)) <u>50</u>
Gardner	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 231	5
Pogue	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 233	5
Chiliwist	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 239	((5)) <u>50</u>
Alta	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 242	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>50</u>
Chiwawa	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 245	5
Entiat	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 247	5
Mission	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 251	5
Saint Andrews	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 254	5
Bridgeport	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMUs 248, 260	5
Palisades	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMUs 266, 269	5
Beezley	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-19</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 272	5
Horse Heaven Hills	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>27</u>	Antlerless	GMU 373	10
Kahlotus	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Nov. 1-9	Antlerless	GMU 381	10
East Klickitat	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-</u> 27	Antlerless	GMU 382	(( <del>15</del> )) <u>5</u>

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Grayback	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-24</del> )) <u>17-</u> 27	Antlerless	GMU 388	5
<u>Orcas</u>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	<u>Antlerless</u>	GMU 411	4
<u>Shaw</u>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 412	2
<del>San Juan</del>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU-413	4
<del>Lopez</del>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 414	<u>3</u>
Blakely	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-51	Antlerless	GMU 415	<u>2</u>
<del>Decatur</del>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 416	<u>1</u>
Cypress	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 417	<u>1</u>
Guemes	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 419	<u>1</u>
Whidbey	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 420	<u>5</u>
<u>Camano</u>	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 421	<u>3</u>
Vashon-Maury	Modern	<u>65+</u>	Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15	Antlerless	GMU 422	<u>5</u>
Green River	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 25-31	Antlerless	GMU 485	5
Lincoln	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 501	2
Stella	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 504	2
Mossyrock	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 505	3
Stormking	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 510	2
South Rainier	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 513	2
Packwood	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 516	2
Winston	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 520	2
Yale	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 554	2
Toutle	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> <u>31</u>	Antlerless	GMU 556	3
Lewis River	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 560	1
Washougal	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 568	5
Siouxon	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 572	2
Wind River	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 574	1
West Klickitat	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. (( <del>11-31</del> )) <u>17-</u> 31	Antlerless	GMU 578	2
((Capitol Peak	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU 663	20))
Olympic	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 621	<u>10</u>
Mason	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 633	<u>5</u>
Satsop	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 651	<u>10</u>
Mashel	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 654	10
North River	<u>Modern</u>	Hunter with Disability	Oct 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 658	<u>5</u>
Minot Peak	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 660	<u>5</u>

Hunters with Disabi Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Skookumchuck	Modern Weapon/Tag	Hunter with	Oct. ((4-31)) 17-31	Antlerless	GMU 667	(( <del>20</del> ))
	Wiodelli	Disability	(( // <u></u>	Anticricss	GWIC 007	10
((North River	Modern	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 11-31	Antlerless	GMU-658	5))
Fall River	<u>Modern</u>	Hunter with Disability	Nov. 1-18	Any buck	<u>GMU 672</u>	<u>10</u>
Orcas	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 411	4
Shaw	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 412	2
San Juan	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 413	4
Lopez	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 414	<u>3</u>
Blakely	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 415	2
<u>Decatur</u>	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 416	1
Cypress	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 417	1
Guemes	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 419	1
Whidbey	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 420	<u>5</u>
<u>Camano</u>	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 421	<u>3</u>
Vashon-Maury	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Aug. 31 - Sept. 25 and Nov. 25 - Dec. 30	Antlerless	GMU 422	<u>5</u>
Wind River	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Sept. ((1-21)) 1-30	Antlerless	GMU 574	1
West Klickitat	Archery	Hunter with Disability	Sept. (( <del>1-21</del> )) <u>1-30</u>	Antlerless	GMU 578	1
East Okanogan	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 204	5
Sinlahekin	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 215	5
Gardner	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 231	5
Chiwawa	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	((Sept. 27 - Oct. 5)) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 245	5
<u>Entiat</u>	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 247	<u>5</u>
Mission	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 251	5
((Entiat	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5	Antlerless	GMU 247	5))
Saint Andrews	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 254	5
Bridgeport	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMUs 248, 260	5
Palisades	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMUs 266, 269	5
((Capitol Peak	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Sept. 27 - Oct. 5	Antlerless	GMU 663	5))
Orcas	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 411	2
Shaw	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 412	2

Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
San Juan	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 413	2
<u>Lopez</u>	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 414	2
Blakely	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 415	2
<u>Decatur</u>	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 416	1
Cypress	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 417	1
Guemes	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 419	1
Whidbey	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 420	2
Camano	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 421	2
Vashon-Maury	Muzzleloader	Hunter with <u>Disability</u>	Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26 - Dec. 14	Antlerless	GMU 422	<u>2</u>
Olympic	Muzzleloader	Hunter with <u>Disability</u>	Oct. 3 – 11	Antlerless	GMU 621	<u>15</u>
Mason	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3 – 11	Antlerless	GMU 633	<u>5</u>
Wynoochee	Muzzleloader	Hunter with <u>Disability</u>	Oct. 3 – 11	Antlerless	GMU 648	<u>5</u>
<u>Satsop</u>	Muzzleloader	Hunter with <u>Disability</u>	Oct. 3 – 11	Antlerless	GMU 651	<u>10</u>
Mashel	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3 – 11	Antlerless	GMU 654	<u>10</u>
North River	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	(( <del>Sept. 27 - Oct. 5</del> )) Oct. 3-11	Antlerless	GMU 658	(( <del>5</del> )) <u>10</u>
Capitol Peak	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3 – 11	Antlerless	GMU 663	<u>10</u>
Skookumchuck	Muzzleloader	Hunter with Disability	Oct. 3 – 11	Antlerless	GMU 667	<u>10</u>

Master Hunter - Only master hunters may apply. Weapon must be consistent with weapon/tag restriction noted for hunt. Additional weapon restrictions may be conditioned by the hunt coordinator for each hunt. For those hunts requiring the purchase of a master hunter second tag, one deer may be killed in the unit under the authorization of the special permit.

Hunt Name	Weapon/Tag	Requirements	Hunters	Hunt Dates	Special Restrictions	Boundary	Permits
Republic	Any/2nd deer tag	Master Hunter deer tag required	Master Hunter	Sept. 1 - Dec. 31	Any deer	Designated properties within Deer Area 1030	25нс
Region 1	Any/2nd deer tag	Master Hunter deer tag required	Master Hunter	Aug. 1, <del>2014</del> - <u>2015</u> - March 31, <del>2015</del> <u>2016</u>	Antlerless	Designated Areas in Region 1	50 <sup>HC</sup>
Region 2	Any/2nd deer tag	Master Hunter deer tag required	Master Hunter	Aug. 1, <del>2014</del> <u>2015</u> - March 31, <del>2015</del> <u>2016</u>	Antlerless	Designated Areas in Region 2	30 <sup>HC</sup>
Region 3	Any/2nd deer tag	Master Hunter deer tag required	Master Hunter	Aug. 1, <del>2014</del> - <u>2015</u> - March 31, <del>2015</del> <u>2016</u>	Antlerless	Designated Areas in Region 3	(( <del>30</del> )) <u>40</u> <sup>HC</sup>
Region 5	Any/2nd deer tag	Master Hunter deer tag required	Master Hunter	Aug. 1, ((2014)) 2015 - March 31, ((2015)) 2016	Antlerless	Designated Areas in ((Region 5)) Klickitat, Skamania, and Clark counties	10 <sup>HC</sup>
Region 6	Any/2nd deer tag	Master Hunter deer tag required	Master Hunter	Aug. 1, <del>2014</del> - <u>2015</u> - March 31, <del>2015</del> <u>2016</u>	Antlerless	Designated Areas in Region 6	20 <sup>HC</sup>

#### **Hunter Education Instructor Incentive Permits**

- Special deer permits will be allocated through a random drawing to those hunter education instructors who qualify.
- Permit hunters must use archery equipment during archery seasons, muzzleloader equipment or archery equipment during muzzleloader seasons, and any legal weapon during modern firearm seasons. Hunter orange is required during modern firearm seasons.
- Except for online class incentive permits and chief instructor incentive permits, qualifying hunter education instructors must be certified and have been in active status for a minimum of three consecutive years, inclusive of the year prior to the permit drawing.
- ((- Instructors who are drawn, accept a permit denoted with (\*) below, and are able to participate in the hunt, will not be eligible for those specific incentive permits for a period of ten years thereafter.))

Hunter Edu	Hunter Education Instructor Incentive Permits							
- Permi	- Permittees may purchase a second license for use with the permit hunt only.							
Quali	Qualified hunter education instructors may only receive one incentive permit each year.							
Area	Dates	Restrictions	GMUs	Permits				
Region 1	All general season and permit	Any white-tailed deer	Any 100 series GMU EXCEPT GMU 157	2((*))				
Region 2	seasons established for GMUs included with the permit. Not eligible for seasons and permits	Any white-tailed deer	GMUs 204-215	2				
Region 2		Any deer	GMUs 215-251	1((*))				
Region 2	for auction hunts; raffle hunts; and hunts for master hunters,	Any deer	GMU 290	1((*))				
Region 3	youth hunters, hunters with	Any deer	GMUs 335-368, 382, 388	1((*))				
Region 4	disabilities, or hunters 65 years and older, unless the hunter	Any deer	Any 400 series GMU EXCEPT GMUs 485 and 490	2				
Region 5	education instructor legally qualifies for such hunts.	Legal buck for 500 series GMU of choice or antlerless	Any 500 series GMU open for a general deer hunting season or a special deer permit hunting season	6				
Region 6	1	Legal buck for GMU of choice	GMUs 654, 660, 672, 673, 681	1				

[Statutory Authority: RCW 77.12.047, 77.12.240, and 77.32.070. WSR 14-10-019 (Order 14-95), § 232-28-359, filed 4/25/14, effective 5/26/14; WSR 13-11-078 (Order 13-94), § 232-28-359, filed 5/16/13, effective 6/16/13. Statutory Authority: RCW 77.12.047. WSR 12-11-005 (Order 12-70), § 232-28-359, filed 5/2/12, effective 6/2/12.]

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#### RECOMMENDED ADJUSTMENTS

The following adjustments are proposed since the Code Reviser (CR 102) filing and are already included in your notebook.

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- Under Quality, Modern Firearm, Wenaha West, changed the Boundry from GMU 1008 to Deer Area 1008 to correct a typographical error.
- Under Quality, Modern Firearm, due to the special permit allocation formula calculating different special permit numbers from the previous year:
  - Chiwawa, adjusting the permit quota from 27 to 26.
  - Slide Ridge, adjusting the permit quota from 11 to 10.
  - Quilomene, adjusting the permit quota from 15 to 14.
  - Alkali, adjusting the permit quota from 5 to 4.
- Under Quality, Modern Firearm, Sauk, changed the Special Restriction from 2 pt min to Any buck in order to correct a typographical error.
- Under Quality, Any Tag, due to the special permit allocation formula calculating different special permit numbers from the previous year:
  - Green River, the permit season and permit quota have been determined. The permit season is Nov. 7-13 and the permit quota is 5.

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- Under Quality, Archery, due to the special permit allocation formula calculating different special permit numbers from the previous year:
  - Chiwawa, adjusting the permit quota from 11 to 10.
  - Desert, with season of Sept. 1 Oct.7, adjusting the permit quota from 18 to
  - Desert, with season of Nov. 25 Dec. 12, adjusting the permit quota from 18 to 15.
  - Naneum, adjusting the permit quota from 10 to 8.
  - Teanaway, adjusting the permit quota from 7 to 8.
- Under Quality, Muzzleloader, due to the special permit allocation formula calculating different special permit numbers from the previous year:

- Chiwawa, adjusting the permit quota from 3 to 2.
- Teanaway, adjusting the permit quota from 1 to 2.
- Quilomene, adjusting the permit quota from 4 to 2.
- Under Quality, Muzzleloader, Quilomene, changed the season date from Sept. 26 Oct. 4 to Oct. 3 11 in order to correct a typographical error

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- Under Bucks, Modern Firearm, due to the special permit allocation formula calculating different special permit numbers from the previous year:
  - Ritzville, adjusting permit quota from 10 to 9.

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- Under Bucks, Muzzleloader, Kahlotus, changed the season date from Sept. 27 Oct. 5 to Oct. 3 11 in order to correct a typographical error.
- Under Antlerless, Modern Firearm, Skokomish was changed to Satsop to correct a typographical error.

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- Under Antlerless, Muzzleloader, Prescott, changed the season date from Sept. 26 Oct. 4 to Oct. 3 11 in order to correct a typographical error.
- Under 2<sup>nd</sup> Deer, Any Deer Tag, Lakeview, changed the season date year from 2015 to 2016 in order to correct a typographical error.

- Under 2<sup>nd</sup> Deer, Muzzleloader, changed the season date in order to correct a typographical error.
  - Chiwawa, changed the season date from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Swakane, changed the season date from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Mission, changed the season date from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Foster Creek, changed the season date from Sept. 27 Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Moses Coulee, changed the season date from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11

- Orcas, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Shaw, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- San Juan, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Lopez, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Blakely, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Decatur, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Cypress, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Guemes, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Whidbey, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Camano, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14

- Under 2<sup>nd</sup> Deer, Muzzleloader, changed the season date in order to correct a typographical error:
  - Vashon-Maury, changed the season date from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and
     Nov. 26 Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Under Youth, Modern Firearm, changed the season date in order to correct a typographical error:
  - Blue Mtns. Foothills West, changed the season date from Oct. 17-25 to Oct. 17-27
  - Blue Mtns. Foothills East, changed the season date from Oct. 17-25 to Oct. 17-27
  - Tucannon, changed the season date from Oct. 17-25 to Oct. 17-27
  - East Okanogan, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27
  - Wannacut, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27
  - Sinlahekin, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27
  - Chewuch, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27
  - Pearrygin, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27
  - Gardner, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27
  - Pogue, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27
  - Chiliwist, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27

- Alta, changed the season date from Oct. 10-18 to Oct. 17-27

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• Under Youth, Modern Firearm, add a Green River hunt, Nov. 7-13, Any Buck, GMU 485, 5 permits

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- Under Youth, Muzzleloader, changed the season dates to correct a typographical error:
  - East Okanogan, changed the season dates from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct.
     3-11
  - Wannacut, changed the season dates from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Pogue, changed the season dates from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Chiliwist, changed the season dates from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Alta, changed the season dates from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
  - Mission, changed the season dates from Sept. 27-Oct. 5 to Oct. 3-11
- Under Senior 65+, Modern Firearm, changed the season dates to correct a typographical error:
  - Blue Mtns. Foothills, changed the season dates from Oct. 17-25 to Oct. 17-27
  - East Okanogan, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Wannacut, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Sinlahekin, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Chewuch, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Pearrygin, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Gardner, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Pogue, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Chiliwist, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Alta, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27

  - Chiwawa, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
    Entiat, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Swakane, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Mission, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Bridgeport, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Palisades, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27

- Under Senior 65+, Modern Firearm, changed the season dates to correct a typographical error:
  - Sunnyside, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Horse Heaven Hills, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Kahlotus, changed the season dates from Oct. 11-19 to Oct. 17-27
  - Whidbey, changed the season dates from Oct. 17-03 and Nov. 12-15 to Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15

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- Under Senior 65+, Muzzleloader, changed the season dates to correct a typographical error:
  - Whidbey, changed the season dates from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
  - Vashon-Maury, changed the season dates from Sept. 26-Oct. 4 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14 to Oct. 3-11 and Nov. 26-Dec. 14
- Under Hunters with Disabilities, Modern Firearm, Blue Mtns. Foothills, changed the season date from Oct. 17-25 to Oct. 17-27 to correct a typographical error.

- Under Hunters with Disabilities, Modern Firearm, removed hunts due to redundancy and incorrect placement:
  - Orcas, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 411,4 permits
  - Shaw, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 412,
     2 permits
  - San Juan, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 413, 4 permits
  - Lopez, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 414,
     3 permits
  - Blakely, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 415, 2 permits
  - Decatur, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 416, 1 permit
  - Cypress, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 417, 1 permit
  - Guemes, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 419, 1 permit
  - Whidbey, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 420, 5 permits

- Camano, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 421, 3 permits
- Vashon-Maury, Senior 65+, Oct. 17-30 and Nov. 12-15, Antlerless, GMU 422, 5 permits
- Under Hunters with Disabilities, Modern Firearm, delete the Green River hunt, Oct. 25-31, Antlerless. This change is a result of a negotiated agreement between WDFW, Muckleshoot Tribe, and the City of Tacoma. This hunt will alternate every other year with the youth hunt.

- Under Master Hunter, Any/2<sup>nd</sup> Deer Tag, changed the season dates to correct typographical errors:
  - Region 1, changed the season dates from Aug. 1 2014 March 31, 2015 to Aug. 1 2015 – March 31, 2016
  - Region 2, changed the season dates from Aug. 1 2014 March 31, 2015 to Aug. 1 2015 – March 31, 2016
  - Region 3, changed the season dates from Aug. 1 2014 March 31, 2015 to Aug. 1 2015 – March 31, 2016
  - Region 6, changed the season dates from Aug. 1 2014 March 31, 2015 to Aug. 1 2015 – March 31, 2016



# PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (June 2012)
(Implements RCW 34.05.320)
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Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife	Botto Fase for expedited fale making
<ul> <li>☑ Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 14-24-118</li> <li>☑ Expedited Rule MakingProposed notice was filed as WSR</li> <li>☑ Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4) or 34.05.330(1).</li> </ul>	filed 12/3/14;or Supplemental Notice Supplemental Notice to WSR
Title of rule and other identifying information: See attachment A.	
Hearing location(s): Civic Center 411 South Balsam Street Moses Lake, WA 98837	Submit written comments to:  Name: Wildlife Program Commission Meeting Public Comments  Address:600 Capitol Way North Olympia, WA 98501  e-mail wildthing@dfw.wa.gov fax (360) 902-2162 by (date) 2/24/15
Date: March 20-21, 2015 Time: 8:00 AM	Assistance for persons with disabilities: Contact
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## ATTACHMENT A

### Title of rule and other identifying information:

- 232-12-078 Baiting for the purposes of hunting deer or elk.
- 232-12-079 Bait volume limits for the purposes of hunting deer or elk.
- 232-12-088 Baiting for the purposes of hunting deer or elk with exceptions.
- 232-28-248 Special closures and firearm restriction areas
- 232-28-337 Elk area descriptions
- 232-28-357 2015-2017 Deer general seasons and definitions
- 232-28-358 2015-2017 Elk general seasons and definitions
- 232-28-359 2015 Deer special permits
- 232-28-360 2015 Elk special permits
- 232-28-624 Deer area descriptions

#### WAC 232-12-078 Baiting for the purposes of hunting deer or elk

## Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

The purpose of this proposal is to further the public discussion regarding hunting deer and elk using bait. If adopted the rule would make it unlawful to use bait to hunt deer or elk for all hunters.

#### **Reasons supporting proposal:**

In the last two years the Department has been approached by hunters and landowners that do not approve of the practice of baiting for the purposes of hunting deer or elk. Additional input was received as part of the 3-year hunting season package, public process.

The non-random input the Department received via the website indicated that 23% of hunters wanted a ban on baiting with an exception for food plots and agricultural operations. Fourteen percent (14%) of hunters wanted to disallow the use of bait by hunting guides and restrict the manner and volume of baiting by hunters not using guides. A 63% majority of the hunters commenting wanted no change to the rules pertaining to baiting deer and elk.

In a random telephone survey of deer hunters, 59% either opposed or strongly opposed baiting for deer. Deer hunters that strongly supported or supported baiting for deer made up 21% of the respondents. Eleven percent (11%) of those surveyed were neutral and 9% didn't know.

In the same random telephone survey, 68% of elk hunters either opposed or strongly opposed baiting for elk. Elk hunters that supported or strongly supported using bait to hunt elk were 14%. Eleven percent (11%) of those surveyed were neutral and 8% didn't know.

Although some potential exists, the Department has no data at this time to suggest that the practice of baiting for deer and elk hunting has a negative population or natural resource effect. Therefore it is a social issue that the Fish and Wildlife Commission will address.

#### 232-12-079 Bait volume limits for the purposes of hunting deer or elk

## Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

The purpose of this proposal is to further the public discussion regarding hunting deer and elk using bait. If adopted the rule would make it unlawful to use bait to hunt deer or elk if the bait volume exceeded 10 gallons (1.34 cubic feet).

#### **Reasons supporting proposal:**

In the last two years the Department has been approached by hunters and landowners that do not approve of the practice of baiting for the purposes of hunting deer or elk. Additional input was received as part of the 3-year hunting season package, public process.

The non-random input the Department received via the website indicated that 23% of hunters wanted a ban on baiting with an exception for food plots and agricultural operations. Fourteen percent (14%) of hunters wanted to disallow the use of bait by hunting guides and restrict the manner and volume of baiting by hunters not using guides. A 63% majority of the hunters commenting wanted no change to the rules pertaining to baiting deer and elk.

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In the same random telephone survey, 68% of elk hunters either opposed or strongly opposed baiting for elk. Elk hunters that supported or strongly supported using bait to hunt elk were 14%. Eleven percent (11%) of those surveyed were neutral and 8% didn't know.

Although some potential exists, the Department has no data at this time to suggest that the practice of baiting for deer and elk hunting is having a negative population or natural resource effect in Washington. Therefore it is a social issue that the Fish and Wildlife Commission will address.

### 232-12-088 Baiting for the purposes of hunting deer or elk with exceptions.

## Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

The purpose of this proposal is to further the public discussion regarding hunting deer and elk using bait. If adopted the rule would make it unlawful to use bait to hunt deer or elk with some exceptions for youth hunters, elderly hunters, and hunters with disabilities while still imposing a volume restriction.

#### **Reasons supporting proposal:**

In the last two years the Department has been approached by hunters and landowners that do not approve of the practice of baiting for the purposes of hunting deer or elk. Additional input was received as part of the 3-year hunting season package, public process.

The non-random input the Department received via the website indicated that 23% of hunters wanted a ban on baiting with an exception for food plots and agricultural operations. Fourteen percent (14%) of hunters wanted to disallow the use of bait by hunting guides and restrict the manner and volume of baiting by hunters not using guides. A 63% majority of the hunters commenting wanted no change to the rules pertaining to baiting deer and elk.

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Although some potential exists, the Department has no data at this time to suggest that the practice of baiting for deer and elk hunting is having a negative population or natural resource effect in Washington. Therefore it is a social issue that the Fish and Wildlife Commission will address.

## 232-28-248 Special closures and firearm restriction areas

## Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

The purpose of the proposal is to change the Special Closures and Firearm Restriction Areas; adjust the boundaries and dates of Firearm Restriction Areas to better address safety issues while still accommodating hunting as a management tool. The proposal also recommends adding semi-auto handguns of .40 caliber or larger for the modern firearm season.

The proposed changes to the Deer Area Descriptions will accommodate additional land acquired and added to the 4-O Wildlife Area since last year. The effect will be to better discern hunting boundaries.

The proposed changes to the Elk Area Descriptions will accommodate additional land acquired and added to the 4-O Wildlife Area since last year. The proposal also recommends an adjustment to Elk Area 3911 which will remove a portion of public land. This change will allow better distribution of elk away from private agricultural lands. A boundary change is proposed for an Elk Area in Klickitat County to better address wildlife conflict and a new Elk Area is proposed in GMU 522 to create a new Quality elk opportunity. In addition, boundary changes to an existing Elk Area and the creation of a new Elk Area are proposed to better address agricultural damage caused by elk in Pierce County.

## **Reasons supporting proposal:**

Special closures and firearm restriction areas allow the Fish and Wildlife Commission to restrict or close hunting activity in certain areas to optimize safety, discourage trespass on restricted lands, and protect sensitive species.

Deer Areas and Elk Areas allow the Fish and Wildlife Commission to adopt hunting seasons that can be conducted at a smaller scale than the Game Management Unit. Setting seasons at this scale allows for more strategic wildlife management using hunting as a tool to control populations and mitigate wildlife conflict.

#### 232-28-337 Elk area descriptions

#### Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

The purpose of the proposal is to change the Special Closures and Firearm Restriction Areas; adjust the boundaries and dates of Firearm Restriction Areas to better address safety issues while still accommodating hunting as a management tool. The proposal also recommends adding semi-auto handguns of .40 caliber or larger for the modern firearm season.

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## **Reasons supporting proposal:**

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#### 232-28-357 2015-2017 Deer general seasons and definitions

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules: The purpose of this proposal is to retain general season deer hunting opportunity for the years 2015-2017. The purpose of this proposal is also to retain special permit deer hunting opportunity for 2015. In addition, the purpose of the proposal is to balance the hunting opportunity between user groups. The proposal also increases the opportunity when deer populations allow, and reduces the opportunity when declining deer numbers warrant a change.

**Reasons supporting proposal:** These proposals provide for recreational deer hunting opportunity and protects deer from overharvest. The proposal would maintain sustainable general deer hunting season opportunities for 2015-2017. The proposal would also maintain sustainable deer special permit hunting season opportunities for 2015. The proposal helps address deer agricultural damage problems and provides for deer population control when needed.

## 232-28-358 2015-2017 Elk general seasons and definitions

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules: The purpose of this proposal is to retain general season elk hunting opportunity for 2015-2017 and retain elk special permit hunting opportunity for 2015. The purpose is also to balance the elk hunting opportunity between user groups. The proposal also increases elk hunting opportunity when elk populations allow, and reduces elk hunting opportunity when declining elk numbers warrant a change.

**Reasons supporting proposal:** This proposal provides for recreational elk hunting opportunity and protects elk from overharvest. The proposal would maintain sustainable general elk hunting season opportunities for 2015-2017 and sustainable elk special permit hunting opportunity for 2015. The proposal helps address elk agricultural damage problems and provides for elk population control when needed.

#### 232-28-359 2015 Deer special permits

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules: The purpose of this proposal is to retain general season deer hunting opportunity for the years 2015-2017. The purpose of this proposal is also to retain special permit deer hunting opportunity for 2015. In addition, the purpose of the proposal is to balance the hunting opportunity between user groups. The proposal also increases the opportunity when deer populations allow, and reduces the opportunity when declining deer numbers warrant a change.

**Reasons supporting proposal:** These proposals provide for recreational deer hunting opportunity and protects deer from overharvest. The proposal would maintain sustainable general deer hunting season opportunities for 2015-2017. The proposal would also maintain sustainable deer special permit hunting

season opportunities for 2015. The proposal helps address deer agricultural damage problems and provides for deer population control when needed.

### 232-28-360 2015 Elk special permits.

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules: The purpose of this proposal is to retain general season elk hunting opportunity for 2015-2017 and retain elk special permit hunting opportunity for 2015. The purpose is also to balance the elk hunting opportunity between user groups. The proposal also increases elk hunting opportunity when elk populations allow, and reduces elk hunting opportunity when declining elk numbers warrant a change.

**Reasons supporting proposal:** This proposal provides for recreational elk hunting opportunity and protects elk from overharvest. The proposal would maintain sustainable general elk hunting season opportunities for 2015-2017 and sustainable elk special permit hunting opportunity for 2015. The proposal helps address elk agricultural damage problems and provides for elk population control when needed.

#### 232-28-624 Deer area descriptions

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules: The purpose of the proposal is to change the Special Closures and Firearm Restriction Areas; adjust the boundaries and dates of Firearm Restriction Areas to better address safety issues while still accommodating hunting as a management tool. The proposal also recommends adding semi-auto handguns of .40 caliber or larger for the modern firearm season.

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