

# 2021 BIG-GAME PRIMARY DRAW APPLICATION FLOWCHART



- Nonrefundable application fees apply on all species applications: residents, \$7; nonresidents, \$9
- For each application per species submitted, you may fill in up to **four hunt code choices**.
- Note that 2nd, 3rd and 4th choice awarded licenses **do not** use preference points.

**FOR DEER, ELK, PRONGHORN & BEAR APPLICANTS**

**FIRST!**

**If born after Jan. 1, 1949, you are required to have your hunter education to apply and/or hunt in Colorado.**

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**FOR SHEEP, GOAT & MOOSE APPLICANTS**

Do you have a qualifying license?  
*See below left.*



**All big-game applicants must purchase a nonrefundable qualifying license before applying.**  
*If applicable, a nonrefundable Habitat Stamp will be added to this purchase.*

Do you have a qualifying license?  
*See below left.*

Are you applying for a license as your first choice option?

Are you applying for a preference point as a first choice option?

Did you successfully draw your first choice option?

**You've been awarded a free deer, elk, pronghorn or bear preference point for the 2021 season or subsequent years.**

Are you applying for a license as your first choice option?

Are you applying for a preference point as a first choice option?

Did you successfully draw your first choice option?

Did you choose to pay for a preference point?



**To acquire a sheep, goat or moose preference point for the 2022 season or subsequent years, you must purchase it.**  
*If you apply for a preference point as a 1st-choice option, the fee for the preference point will be charged regardless of whether you successfully draw a license on a 2nd, 3rd or 4th-choice option.*

**You've been awarded a deer, elk, pronghorn or bear license for the 2021 season.**  
*All previously accumulated preference points used.*

**Awarded licenses are automatically paid for by your credit card on file in your online account.**  
*Missing payment deadlines results in both the forfeiture of the license and the preference points used to draw it.*

**You've been awarded a sheep, goat or moose license for the 2021 season.**  
*All previously accumulated preference points used.*

**You've purchased a sheep, goat or moose preference point for the 2022 season or subsequent years.**  
*Resident = \$50  
Nonresidents = \$100*

**What is a qualifying license?**  
A qualifying hunting license, valid 3/1/21–3/31/22 (13 months), must be purchased first in order to **apply** for any 2021 big-game license, in either the primary or secondary draws.  
**Qualifying licenses are:**

- Resident or nonresident spring turkey
- Resident or nonresident fall turkey (*valid for the secondary draw ONLY*)
- Annual resident or nonresident small-game
- Annual resident or senior small-game/fishing combination
- Resident veterans or first responder lifetime small-game/fishing combination (*advance paperwork required*)
- Annual small-game license for resident senior lifetime fishing license holders