

**FINAL REGULATIONS - CHAPTER W-15 - DIVISION AGENTS**

See also § 33-4-101, C.R.S. and §33-12-104(1) C.R.S., for statutory provisions applicable to Division agents.

**ARTICLE VI - AGENT COMMISSION RATES**

**#1510 - Agent Commission Rates**

See also §33-4-101 C.R.S. relative to Division agents and §33-4-102(1.6)(b) C.R.S. for price indexing information for nonresident big game licenses.

- A. Commission Rates for Retail Agents:
1. Division agents shall be paid a 4.75% commission for each license sold electronically, except for those licenses with commissions as shown below in Table A.4.
  2. Division agents shall be paid a 5% commission for each pass sold electronically.
  3. Division agents who sell registrations shall be paid a flat rate of \$1.00 per registration issued.
  4. Other Commission Rates:

<b>Table A.4: Division Product Type</b>	<b><del>2021</del><del>2022</del> Commission</b>	<b>% of license price in <del>2021</del><del>2022</del></b>	<b><del>2022</del><del>2023</del> Commission</b>	<b>% of license price in <del>2022</del><del>2023</del></b>
Second Rod Stamp	<del>\$0.64</del> <del>\$0.63</del>	6.7%	<del>\$0.69</del> <del>\$0.64</del>	6.7%
Resident Fishing - 1 day	<del>\$0.85</del> <del>\$0.84</del>	6.7%	<del>\$0.92</del> <del>\$0.85</del>	6.7%
Nonresident Fishing – 1 day	<del>\$1.06</del> <del>\$1.05</del>	6.7%	<del>\$1.16</del> <del>\$1.06</del>	6.7%
Fishing - 5 day	<del>\$2.13</del> <del>\$2.09</del>	6.7%	<del>\$2.31</del> <del>\$2.13</del>	6.7%
Resident Small Game - 1 day	<del>\$0.85</del> <del>\$0.84</del>	6.7%	<del>\$0.92</del> <del>\$0.85</del>	6.7%
Nonresident Small Game – 1 day	<del>\$1.06</del> <del>\$1.05</del>	6.7%	<del>\$1.16</del> <del>\$1.06</del>	6.7%
Nonresident Deer	<del>\$15.07</del> <del>\$14.79</del>	3.6%	<del>\$16.36</del> <del>\$15.07</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Pronghorn	<del>\$15.07</del> <del>\$14.79</del>	3.6%	<del>\$16.36</del> <del>\$15.07</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Bear	<del>\$3.67</del> <del>\$3.60</del>	3.6%	<del>\$3.98</del> <del>\$3.67</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Mountain Lion	<del>\$12.83</del> <del>\$12.60</del>	3.6%	<del>\$13.93</del> <del>\$12.83</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Antlerless Elk	<del>\$18.88</del> <del>\$18.54</del>	3.6%	<del>\$27.33</del> <del>\$18.88</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Either-sex Elk	<del>\$25.17</del> <del>\$24.71</del>	3.6%	<del>\$27.33</del> <del>\$25.17</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Antlered Elk	<del>\$25.17</del> <del>\$24.71</del>	3.6%	<del>\$27.33</del> <del>\$25.17</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Rocky Mtn Bighorn Sheep	<del>\$84.29</del> <del>\$82.76</del>	3.6%	<del>\$91.52</del> <del>\$84.29</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Desert Bighorn Sheep	<del>\$84.29</del> <del>\$82.76</del>	3.6%	<del>\$91.52</del> <del>\$84.29</del>	3.6%
Nonresident Goat	<del>\$84.29</del> <del>\$82.76</del>	3.6%	<del>\$91.52</del> <del>\$84.29</del>	3.6%

Nonresident Moose	<del>\$84.29</del> \$82.76	3.6%	<del>\$84.29</del> \$91.52	3.6%
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All ~~2021-2022~~ licenses sold through March ~~2022-2023~~ shall be sold at the ~~2021-2022~~ license fee and commission rates.

B. Commission Rates for the System Agent: The system agent shall be paid the commissions shown in the Table B.1 below for each license sold through the system:

1. Commission pricing for any CPW Commissionable Product sold through IPAWS

<b>Table B.1: Commission Rates</b>	<b>IPAWS Products</b>
a. Contractor Commission Fee percent commission rate to cover AWO System operation and maintenance cost for those products less than \$100 and not listed below in c.	3.7%
b. Contractor Commission Fee flat fee commission rate to cover AWO System operation and maintenance cost for those products \$100 or greater and not listed below in c.	\$4.25
c.1. All Wildlife Applications, regardless of Product Cost.	\$4.25
c.2. Parks variable cost products, regardless of actual Product Cost.	3.7%
<b>Breakout Costs</b>	
Contractor credit card fee	2.2%
Contractor fulfillment fee	\$1.45

**AS APPROVED 11/17/2022**  
**Basis and Purpose**  
**Chapter W-15 - Division Agents**

**Basis and Purpose Statement:**

**Updating retail agent commission rates according to inflationary increase in license prices**

Previously adopted regulations set the retail agent commission at 4.75% of the license fee, except for those commissions that are fixed, as described below. Statutorily, the Commission may set these rates wherever feasible. Historically, the year-to-year Consumer Price Index (CPI) change has been used as a guideline for setting these rates. However, in 2019 CPW proposed fixed commission rates for different types of licenses (6.7% for fishing/small game, and 3.6% for nonresident big game). The fixed rates approved in 2019 yield the following retail agent commissions for the 2023 license year:

Division Product Type	2022	2022	2023	2023
	Actual Price	Commission	Actual Price	Commission
Second Rod Stamp	\$ 9.53	\$ 0.64	\$ 10.35	\$ 0.69
Resident Fishing - 1 day	\$ 12.71	\$ 0.85	\$ 13.80	\$ 0.92
Nonresident Fishing - 1 day	\$ 15.89	\$ 1.06	\$ 17.26	\$ 1.16
Fishing - 5 day	\$ 31.78	\$ 2.13	\$ 34.51	\$ 2.31
Resident Small Game - 1 day	\$ 12.71	\$ 0.85	\$ 13.80	\$ 0.92
Nonresident Small Game - 1 day	\$ 15.89	\$ 1.06	\$ 17.26	\$ 1.16
Nonresident Deer	\$ 418.48	\$ 15.07	\$ 454.39	\$ 16.36
Nonresident Pronghorn	\$ 418.48	\$ 15.07	\$ 454.39	\$ 16.36
Nonresident Bear	\$ 101.85	\$ 3.67	\$ 110.59	\$ 3.98
Nonresident Mountain Lion	\$ 356.48	\$ 12.83	\$ 387.08	\$ 13.93
Nonresident Antlerless Elk	\$ 524.42	\$ 18.88	\$ 759.24	\$ 27.33
Nonresident Either-sex Elk	\$ 699.23	\$ 25.17	\$ 759.24	\$ 27.33
Nonresident Antlered Elk	\$ 699.23	\$ 25.17	\$ 759.24	\$ 27.33
Nonresident Rocky Mtn Bighorn Sheep	\$ 2,341.35	\$ 84.29	\$ 2,542.29	\$ 91.52
Nonresident Desert Bighorn Sheep	\$ 2,341.35	\$ 84.29	\$ 2,542.29	\$ 91.52
Nonresident Goat	\$ 2,341.35	\$ 84.29	\$ 2,542.29	\$ 91.52
Nonresident Moose	\$ 2,341.35	\$ 84.29	\$ 2,542.29	\$ 91.52

The statements of basis and purpose for these regulations can be obtained from the Colorado Division of Parks and Wildlife, Office of the Regulations Manager by emailing [dnr\\_cpw\\_planning@state.co.us](mailto:dnr_cpw_planning@state.co.us) or by visiting the Division of Parks and Wildlife headquarters at 6060 Broadway, Denver, CO, 80216.

**The primary statutory authority for these regulations can be found in § 24-4-103, C.R.S., and the state Wildlife Act, §§ 33-1-101 to 33-6-209, C.R.S., specifically including, but not limited to: §§ 33-1-106, C.R.S.**

**EFFECTIVE DATE - THESE REGULATIONS SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2023, AND SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT UNTIL REPEALED, AMENDED, OR SUPERSEDED.**

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE PARKS AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO ON THIS 17TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2022.**

**APPROVED:**  
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**OPINION OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL RENDERED IN  
CONNECTION WITH THE RULES ADOPTED BY THE  
Colorado Parks and Wildlife (406 Series, Wildlife)  
ON 11/17/2022**

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The above-referenced rules were submitted to this office on 11/17/2022 as required by section 24-4-103, C.R.S. This office has reviewed them and finds no apparent constitutional or legal deficiency in their form or substance.

**November 23, 2022 14:56:00 MST**

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**Philip J. Weiser**  
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