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The correct information is:
The Colorado Parks and Wildlife Commission is expected to approve the correction of the allotment of resident and nonresident licenses available for hunt S-M-S09-O1-R at the March Commission meeting.

There will be 8 resident licenses available for S-M-S09-O1-R, and there will be 2 nonresident licenses available for S-M-S09-O1-R, pending approval by the Commission.

Please check the online brochure again after the meeting.

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The available units for the Aug. 1–31 ram hunt at Culebra Ranch for the Bighorn Sheep Access Program (hunt code S-M-S51-W1-R) were not listed completely at the time of publication: Only unit S51 was listed in the brochure.

The correct information is:
Hunting units S51 and S65 are open for the BSAP ram hunt at Culebra Ranch (hunt code S-M-S51-W1-R).

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CPW REGIONAL AND AREA OFFICE LOCATIONS

ADMINISTRATION
1313 Sherman St., #518
Denver, 80203
303-297-1192 (M–F 8 a.m.–5 p.m. MT)

ONLY the offices below can assist hunters with animal checks and taking samples that are related to hunting activities. See the CPW website for a complete list of our parks locations that can also sell licenses, issue duplicate licenses and accept licenses for refunds.

BRUSH
28167 County Rd. T
Brush, 80723
970-842-6300

COLORADO SPRINGS
4255 Sinton Rd.
Colorado Springs, 80907
719-227-5200

DENVER
6060 Broadway
Denver, 80216
303-291-7227

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15 E. 16th St.
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Grand Junction, 81505
970-255-6100

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Gunnison, 81230
970-641-7060

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346 Grand County Rd. 362
Hot Sulphur Springs, 80451
970-925-5200

LAMAR
250 S. Main St.
Lamar, 81052
719-336-6600

MEEKER
73485 Hwy. 64
Meeker, 81641
970-878-6090

MONTANA
711 Independent Ave.
Montana, 81401
970-252-6000

MONTE VISTA
9722 S. Rd. 1E
Monte Vista, 81144
719-587-6900

MONTROSE
2300 S. Townsend Ave.
Montrose, 81401
970-252-6000

PUEBLO
600 Reservoir Rd.
Pueblo, 81005
719-561-5300

SALIDA
7405 Hwy. 50
Salida, 81201
719-530-5520

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS
925 Weiss Dr.
Steamboat Springs, 80487
970-870-2197
WHAT'S NEW: 2020

- Valid dates for annual licenses & habitat stamps have changed:
- Annual hunting and fishing licenses (such as fishing, small game, fur bearer, resident combo small game/fishing) and Habitat Stamps will be valid March 1–March 31 of the following year (13 months), instead of April 1–March 31. Annual and qualifying licenses go on sale March 1. See "Habitat Stamps" in the table below and on page 2.

- First responder lifetime combo & annual senior combo licenses now qualifying licenses: The new resident first responder lifetime combo small game/fishing license and the new annual senior combo small game/fishing license are now qualifying licenses for the big game draw. See "Qualifying Licenses" in the table below and on page 2.

- Goat units G3 & G13 have been combined into one unit: Units G3 and G13 are now one unit called G3. See pages 11 and 13.

REGULATION CHANGES & NEW INFORMATION

- New unit-specific changes:
  - Changes to several sheep unit boundaries: Sheep units S11, S13, S17, and S26 have more accurate boundary descriptions. See page 12.
  - New archery ram season in unit S69: A second archery season for rams is now available from Oct. 15–Nov. 15. See page 7.
  - S15 now has two new rifle ram seasons: Sept. 26–Oct. 11 and Sept. 12–Oct. 11. See page 8.
  - There will not be a rifle ewe season in S35 as in past years.
  - New rifle ram season in unit S70: The season runs from Sept. 8–Oct. 8. See page 8. Note that there’s no longer an S70 archery ram hunt.
  - G10 now has female-only mountain goat licenses for all resident rifle seasons: There are now 4 female-only and 4 either-sex seasons available in G10. See page 10.
  - G15 female-only rifle hunts combined into one hunt: The 4 individual female-only rifle hunts in G15 have been combined into one female-only season, Sept. 8–Oct. 30. See page 10.

LICENSE INFORMATION

LICENSE, APPLICATION PROCESSING & HABITAT STAMP FEES

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QUALIFYING LICENSES

All applicants, including youth, must purchase a qualifying hunting license to apply for the big game draw.

RESIDENT

- Spring turkey (youth: $19.25) $30.11
- Annual small game (youth: $12.60) $30.11
- Small game/fishing combo $50.37
- New Senior small game/fishing combo $29.75
  (Residents age 65 and older)
- Veteran lifetime combo (Resident only, 60% disabled or Purple Heart recipient) free
- New First responder lifetime combo free
  (Resident only, permanent occupational disability)

NONRESIDENT

- Spring turkey (youth: $103.04) $153.68
- Annual small game (youth: $12.60) $82.78

PREFERENCE & WEIGHTED POINT FEE

Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep, mountain goat and moose only.

- Resident (age 18 or older) $50
- Nonresident (age 18 or older) $100

LICENSES

RESIDENTS

- Resident application processing fee (per species & nonrefundable) $7
- Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep $305.61
- Desert bighorn sheep $305.61
- Mountain goat $305.61

NONRESIDENTS

- Nonresident application processing fee (per species & nonrefundable) $9
- Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep/fishing combo* $2,240.20
- Desert bighorn sheep/fishing combo* $2,240.20
- Mountain goat/fishing combo* $2,240.20

*Nonresident annual fishing licenses are good through March 31, 2021.

All license fees include a 25-cent search-and-rescue fee and a $1.50 fee for the Wildlife Education Fund. REMINDER: If you draw a sheep or goat license, your credit card on file in your online account will be charged after the draw. See page 6 and back cover.

BUY ONLINE, BY PHONE OR IN PERSON

- Online: Go to cpw.state.co.us and click "Buy and Apply"
- Call: 1-800-244-5613
- In person: CPW offices and sales agents around the state

WHAT YOU NEED TO BUY A LICENSE

See page 2 for details

1. ID: Secure and verifiable ID (See cpw.state.co.us/secure-verifiable-id for more information.) AND PROOF of residency for Colorado residents.

2. PROOF of hunter education.

3. HABITAT STAMP: A 2020 or lifetime Habitat Stamp is required prior to buying a license or purchasing a qualifying license to apply for the draw for anyone ages 18–64.

4. QUALIFYING LICENSE: Required for participation in the big-game draw.

NOTE: A Social Security number is required for hunters age 12 and older.

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

1. Bighorn sheep and mountain goat licenses are limited, available only by draw for specific units. Licenses expire on the date printed on them and are not transferable.

2. You can apply for one bighorn sheep license and one mountain goat license each year. You cannot apply for a Rocky Mountain bighorn and desert bighorn in the same year. The purchasing system will not process more than one bighorn sheep license in the same year.

3. BIGHORN SHEEP: If you harvest a Rocky Mountain bighorn ram (must have a half-curl or more), you must wait five years (sixth year after harvest) before applying for another Rocky Mountain bighorn ram license. During the five-year waiting period, hunters may apply for ewe licenses, but cannot accrue preference points. This rule does not apply if you harvest a ram with an auction, raffle or special sheep management license.

4. DESERT BIGHORN SHEEP: If you harvest a desert bighorn sheep, you cannot participate in future desert bighorn sheep drawings. It’s once in a lifetime!

5. MOUNTAIN GOAT: If you harvest a mountain goat, you must wait five years (sixth year after harvest) before applying for another mountain goat license. This rule does not apply if you harvest a goat with an auction, raffle or special goat management license.

6. YOUTH AGES 12–17 can hunt sheep and goat, but must meet hunter education requirements. Youth may also apply for a sheep or goat license, or preference point at age 11 if they will turn 12 before the end of the season on the license. Youth cannot hunt with the license until they turn 12. If a 17-year-old submits an application and then turns 18 prior to the start of the sheep or goat season for which they applied, they are still considered a youth and qualify for the youth license.

7. Youth under 16 must hunt with a mentor. Mentors must be 18 or older and have a hunter education card, if born on or after Jan. 1, 1949. Mentors do not have to hunt. Youth and mentors must be able to see and hear each other without binoculars, radios, other devices or aids while hunting.

8. It is illegal to make false statements to obtain a license or alter a license, and doing so voids the license.

9. Lost or destroyed licenses can be replaced by paying a replacement fee at any CPW location or license agent.
RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

The physical residence address you give to buy or apply for a license must be the same as the address given for Colorado state income tax purposes.

You terminate your Colorado residency if you apply for, buy or accept a resident hunting, fishing or trapping license issued by another state or foreign country, register to vote outside Colorado or accept a driver’s license that shows an address other than in Colorado.

CPW cannot accept Colorado-issued drivers licenses, permits or IDs that state “Not valid for federal identification, voting or public benefit purposes.” You will need another valid form of identification to purchase a hunting or fishing license in Colorado. See: cpw.state.co.us/secure-verifyable-id

NOTE: CPW can accept valid drivers licenses, permits or IDs issued by another state, even if those out-of-state documents do not meet federal REAL ID requirements.

RESIDENCY TYPES

1. STANDARD COLORADO RESIDENT

   a. Requirements: You must live in Colorado for at least 6 consecutive months prior to buying or applying for any resident CPW product, have your primary residence in Colorado and have not applied for or purchased a resident license or pass outside of Colorado in the last 6 months.

   b. Proof: Current and valid Colorado driver’s license/ID with a Colorado address issued 6 or more months prior. If the Colorado driver’s license/ID is not 6 months old, you must provide at least two forms of additional residency proof, as outlined in “Additional Residency Proofs” below.

2. STUDENT: ATTENDING SCHOOL FULL-TIME IN COLORADO

   a. Requirements: You must be attending school full time at an accredited Colorado school starting at least 6 months prior to buying or applying for any resident CPW product.

   b. Proof: Student ID, name of institution, date you became a full-time student, school transcript showing full-time status.

3. STUDENT: ATTENDING SCHOOL FULL-TIME OUTSIDE OF COLORADO

   a. Requirements: You must meet Colorado residency requirements and be attending an accredited school outside of Colorado, paying nonresident tuition.

   b. Proof: Student ID, name of institution, date you became a full-time student, proof of out-of-state tuition payment.

4. MILITARY: STATIONED IN COLORADO

   a. Requirements: You must be active-duty military stationed in Colorado (including your spouse/dependents). Residency begins the date the orders begin.

   b. Proof: Military ID and orders.

5. MILITARY: COLORADO HOME OF RECORD

   a. Requirements: You must be active-duty military stationed outside of Colorado, but with Colorado as your home of record, paying income tax as a Colorado resident (including your spouse/dependents).

   b. Proof: Military ID and orders.

6. YOUTH

   Children under the age of 18 have the same residency status as their parent, legal guardian or person with whom they live the majority of the time per court order.

OTHER RESIDENCY INFORMATION

1. ADDITIONAL RESIDENCY PROOFS

   If you otherwise meet residency requirements but your Colorado driver’s license or ID was issued or renewed less than 6 months ago, or you have a CPW-approved religious exemption to photo identification on your record, you must provide at least two additional proofs of residency showing 6 consecutive months of Colorado residency immediately prior to buying or applying for a license. Those proofs include: income sources (pay stubs), utility bills, state income tax documents (as a full-time resident), lease agreements/rent receipts, motor vehicle registration, voter registration.

2. MULTIPLE HOMES

   If you have a home in Colorado and another location, call 303-297-1192 to make sure you comply with Colorado residency requirements before obtaining a CPW license or state park pass.

SPECIAL LICENSE INFORMATION

RANCHING FOR WILDLIFE

Public Ranching for Wildlife (RFW) licenses are available only to Colorado residents by draw. RFW landowners must provide free access to hunters who draw a license for the ranch. For more information, see the hunt code table on page 7 and go to: cpw.state.co.us/rfw

BIGHORN SHEEP ACCESS PROGRAM

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TURN IN POACHERS (TIPS) PROGRAM

TIPS awards licenses and preference points to eligible persons that report the illegal take, possession or willful destruction of big game or turkey that results in a person being charged for the illegal take, possession or willful destruction of big game or turkey. Go to cpw.state.co.us/bg/tips or call 303-297-1192 for details.

SPECIAL MANAGEMENT LICENSES

CPW may issue special licenses to prevent the spread of disease and unplanned expansion of sheep and goats. Licenses are offered to unsuccessful applicants from nearby units for the same species. Season dates to be determined. These licenses do not use or generate preference points, and hunters do not lose preference points.

CPW offers several programs for hunters and anglers with disabilities. Go to cpw.state.co.us/accessibility for more program information and how to apply. These programs require advance legal paperwork submissions.

HUNTERS WITH DISABILITIES

Accommodation permits are available to hunters with disabilities. Hunters must have a temporary or permanent disability that significantly impairs major life functions and the ability to hunt.

RESIDENT VETERAN LIFETIME PROGRAM

Military veterans who are disabled, residents of Colorado and have proof of a service-connected disability (with an overall combined rating of 60% or more by the Dept. of Veteran’s Affairs) can obtain a lifetime combo small game/fishing license.

RESIDENT FIRST RESPONDER LIFETIME PROGRAM

Colorado residents who are disabled first responders and have proof of a permanent occupational disability can obtain a lifetime combo small game/fishing license.
AUCTION & RAFFLE LICENSES

WIN THE HUNT OF A LIFETIME!
Special auction and raffle licenses are available for Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep, mountain goat, deer, elk, pronghorn and moose. A total of 18 auction and raffle licenses allows one to hunt during extended seasons in any unit open to hunting a certain species. These licenses are offered by participating wildlife conservation organizations that return at least 75 percent of the proceeds to CPW for research, management and education.

For information on purchasing raffle tickets for licenses or participating in auctions, visit any of these websites:

ROCKY MOUNTAIN BIGHORN SHEEP & MOUNTAIN GOAT
▶ Rocky Mountain Bighorn Society: www.bighornsheep.org — Auction & Raffle

DEER
▶ The Male Deer Foundation: www.muledeer.org — Auction & Raffle
▶ Colorado Mule Deer Assoc.: www.coloradomuledeer.org — Auction
▶ Safari Club Intnl., Colorado Chapter: www.scicolorado.org — Raffle

ELK
▶ Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation: www.rmef.org — Auction
▶ The Male Deer Foundation: www.muledeer.org — Auction
▶ Colorado Wildlife Federation: www.coloradowildlife.org — Raffle
▶ Safari Club Intnl., Colorado Chapter: www.scicolorado.org — Raffle

PRONGHORN
▶ Muley Fanatic Foundation: muleyfanatic.com — Auction
▶ The Male Deer Foundation: www.muledeer.org — Auction
▶ Rocky Mountain Bighorn Society: www.bighornsheep.org — Raffle
▶ Safari Club Intnl., Colorado Chapter: www.scicolorado.org — Raffle

MOOSE
▶ Ducks Unlimited, Inc. Colorado: www.ducks.org/colorado — Auction
▶ Safari Club Intnl., Colorado Chapter: www.scicolorado.org — Raffle

MORE ABOUT THE AUCTION & RAFFLE PROGRAM:
cpw.state.co.us/bg/auction

GENERAL INFORMATION

IDENTIFICATION

BIGHORN SHEEP IDENTIFICATION
▶ ONE-HALF-CURL RAM:
Male bighorn with a horn or horns having one or both tips grown at least through half (180 degrees) of a circle. This is measured by first establishing a reference line bisecting the eye and base of the ear. A half-curl ram has one or both horns that have grown at least as far as the reference line in the illustration.

▶ EWE:
A female sheep with a horn or horns at least 5 inches long, measured on the outside curve.

MOUNTAIN GOAT IDENTIFICATION
▶ BILLY (MALE):
Horns have bases that are closer together and larger than the eye. Horns are heavy and have more curvature. Males stand and stretch hind legs backwards, with a slight arch in the back, to urinate. The scrotum may be visible from the rear when goats have short summer coats.

▶ NANNY (FEMALE):
Horns have bases that are smaller or equal to the eye size. Horns are often thinner and straighter, with a curve at the ends. Females squat to urinate. The dark vulva patch may be visible when the tail is raised.

FOR MORE go to the goat ID and quiz online at:
cpw.state.co.us/outreach-sheepgoat-resources

MANDATORY BIGHORN SHEEP CHECK
1. All bighorns, including ewes and desert bighorns, must be inspected by a CPW officer or at a CPW office (listed on inside front cover) during regular business hours within five working days of harvest. License holders must personally present sheep with horns and skull intact. A harvest report will be completed at that time. A permanent plug will be inserted into the horn of bighorn rams.
2. All licensees (successful or not) must return a completed questionnaire within 30 days after a season ends. Licensees who do not complete the questionnaire become ineligible for future sheep licenses.
3. It is illegal to trade, transfer or sell ram heads, capes, skulls or horns unless CPW inspects and permanently plugs the horns. CPW permanently plugs only legally taken rams.

MANDATORY MOUNTAIN GOAT CHECK
1. All goats must be inspected by a CPW officer or at a CPW office (listed on inside front cover) during regular business hours within five working days of harvest. License holders must personally present goats with horns and skull intact. A harvest report will be completed by the hunter at that time.
2. All licensees (successful or not) must return a completed questionnaire within 30 days after a season ends. Licensees who do not complete the questionnaire become ineligible for future goat licenses.

HUNTER ORIENATIONS
1. ALL SHEEP AND GOAT HUNTERS: All hunter orientation information for successful sheep and goat applicants can now be found online at cpw.state.co.us/outreach-sheepgoat-resources. Learn about hunting techniques, game care and how to identify the sex of the animal through videos and other resources.
2. UNIT S42 MANDATORY ORIENTATION: All bighorn sheep hunters that hunt in unit S42 near Waterton Canyon must attend a mandatory unit-specific hunter orientation prior to hunting. Other special restrictions may apply for hunting this unit. The S42 orientation will be held Sept. 21 at 9 a.m. in the Denver Metro area. Details on location and agenda will be sent to all S42 hunters by mid July.

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Madeline Demaske, the 2018 Colorado bighorn sheep raffle winner. © Mike Duplan
DISEASES can be transmitted from goats to bighorns, even if your animals appear healthy. Some diseases can cause large-scale die-offs of wild bighorns. To prevent disease transmission, keep domestic goats out of areas occupied by bighorn sheep.

MT. EVANS HIGHWAY (UNITS G4 & S3): Hunting is prohibited on Mt. Evans Summit Lake Cirque and within a half-mile of either side of the centerline of Mt. Evans Hwy. (Colo. 5) while the road is open to vehicle traffic from the intersection with Colo. 103 to the summit. When Mt. Evans Hwy. is closed to vehicle traffic, this hunting closure is lifted, except that the closure will remain in place year-round for prismatic hunting.

CHECK FOREST CLOSURES

Projects on National Forest lands can impact access any time of the year. Closures of areas can change quickly and your hunting destination or access route may be affected. CPW is not responsible for Forest Service closures, and license refunds cannot be offered after the start of the season. Learn about closures and plan alternative routes and areas to hunt: Go to www.fs.usda.gov/about-agency/contact-us (to find regional offices) or to the main website: www.fs.usda.gov/goto/r2/huntsfs-co

LEGAL HUNTING HOURS

Legal hunting hours for sheep and goat are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset.

The sunrise/sunset chart below lists Denver times. Subtract 1 minute from opening and closing time for each 1/2 mile east of Denver. Add 1 minute to opening and closing time for each 1/2 mile west of Denver. (These changes assume that each degree of longitude equals 50 miles and a change of 1 degree of longitude equals a 4-minute change in sunrise and sunset times.)

EVIDENCE OF SEX

1. MALES: head with horns attached, testicle, scrotum or penis.
2. FEMALES: head, udder (mammary) or vulva.
3. It is illegal to have or transport big game, or a considerable part of it, without evidence of sex naturally attached. Evidence of sex must be attached to carcass until it is cut into processed meat (commercially or otherwise), wrapped and frozen or stored at licensee's home.
4. Head or intact skull of sheep and goats with horns naturally attached to skull plate must accompany the carcass.

CARCASS TAGS

You must attach a carcass tag to animals you take per instructions on the tag. The tag must stay on the carcass until the meat is processed, and it must remain with the meat until consumed.

It is illegal to sign or tear the tag before take. If you lose, accidentally destroy or detach the tag, you must get a duplicate from a CPW location before hunting and prove the loss, detachment or destruction was accidental. Do not remove other parts of a license from the carcass tag after take. Doing so voids the license and you must buy a duplicate.

DONATING GAME MEAT

Donation certificates are required for all donations. Certificates must contain names, addresses and telephone numbers of donor and recipient; donor's hunting license number; species and amounts donated; date the animal was taken; and donor's signature. Certificate must stay with the meat until the meat is completely consumed. Donor and recipient are subject to all bag and possession limits.

NOTE: A "like license" is a license for exactly the same species, sex, season and method of take as a donor's license.

1. You can donate to someone WITH OR WITHOUT a like license:
   a. any amount of processed and packaged game meat, anywhere.
   b. You can donate to someone WITHOUT a like license:
      a. up to 20 pounds of unprocessed meat, anywhere;
      b. more than 20 pounds of unprocessed meat, only at recipient's home.

2. You can donate to someone WITH a like license:
   a. up to 20 pounds of unprocessed meat, anywhere;
   b. more than 20 pounds of unprocessed meat, anywhere, only if:
      1) recipient's license is unfilled;
      2) recipient's carcass tag is on the meat. This establishes recipient's claim to their portion of meat and voids their license. Donor's tag must remain with donor's portion.
   c. the entire carcass, if:
      1) recipient's license is unfilled, and
      2) both the donor's carcass tag and recipient's like-license carcass tag is on meat, voiding both.
ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES

If convicted of these felony violations, you can face a lifetime license suspension:

1. **FELONY OFFENSE**: To kill and abandon big game. It is illegal to remove only the hide, antlers or other trophy parts and leave the carcass in the field.
2. **FELONY OFFENSE**: To sell, buy, or offer to sell or buy big game.
3. **FELONY OFFENSE**: To solicit someone to illegally harvest big game for commercial gain or provide outfitting services without required registration.

IT IS ALSO AGAINST THE LAW TO:

4. Establish a permanent structure or plant vegetation on CPW-owned land or waters. Only portable blinds and tree stands for big-game hunting can be erected on state wildlife areas, and no longer than 30 days prior to the season they will be used. No nails can be driven into trees. Man-made materials for blinds or stands must be removed within 10 days after the season they are used. The owner’s Customer Identification number (CID) and dates of use must be visible on outside of portable blinds or underside of tree stands. Placement of blinds or stands does not reserve them for personal use; they may be used on first-come, first-served basis.

5. Have a loaded (round in the chamber) rifle or shotgun in or on any motor vehicle. Muzzleloaders are considered unloaded if the percussion cap or shotshell primer is removed, or if the powder is removed from the flashpan. It is illegal to have a loaded electronic-ignition muzzleloader in or on a motor vehicle: The chamber must be unloaded or the battery must be disconnected and removed from its compartment.

6. Carry firearms (except handguns) on an OHV during deer, elk, pronghorn and bear seasons, or operate or ride a snowmobile with a firearm unless it's completely unloaded and cased, or have a loaded (round in the chamber) rifle or shotgun in or on any motor vehicle. Muzzleloaders are considered unloaded if the percussion cap or shotshell primer is removed, or if the powder is removed from the flashpan. It is illegal to have a loaded electronic-ignition muzzleloader in or on a motor vehicle: The chamber must be unloaded or the battery must be disconnected and removed from its compartment.

7. Hunt carelessly, discharge a firearm or release an arrow with disregard for human life or property.

8. Operate or ride a snowmobile with a firearm unless it’s completely unloaded and cased, or with a bow unless it’s unstrung or cased. Compound bows must be cased, not unstrung.

9. Shoot from or use a motor vehicle, motorcycle, off-highway vehicle, snowmobile or aircraft to hunt, intercept, chase, harass or drive wildlife.

10. Use aircraft to hunt, to direct hunters on the ground or to hunt the same day or day after a flight was made to find wildlife.

11. Hunt under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances.

12. Use artificial light as an aid in hunting wildlife.

13. Use poison, drugs or explosives to hunt or harass wildlife.

14. Fail to extinguish a campfire.

15. Fail to make a reasonable attempt to track and kill animals you wound or may have wounded. It is against the law to pursue wounded wildlife that goes on private property without first obtaining permission from landowner or person in charge.

16. Fail to prepare edible wildlife meat for human consumption. At a minimum, the four quarters, tenderloins and backstraps are edible meat. Internal organs are not.

17. Shoot from, across or on a public road with a firearm, bow or crossbow. People firing a bow, rifle, handgun or shotgun with a single slug must be at least 50 feet from the centerline of the road.

18. Party hunt (harvest someone else’s game or let someone harvest yours).

19. Interfere with hunters. This includes distracting or frightening prey; causing prey to flee by using light or noise; chasing prey on foot or by vehicle; throwing objects; making movements; harassing hunters by using threats or actions; erecting barriers to deny access to hunting areas; intentionally injecting yourself into the line of fire. Violators face prosecution and may have to pay victim’s damages and court costs.

20. Use computer-assisted remote technology (any device, equipment or software used to remotely control a weapon, including the Internet) to hunt or fish. Hunters and anglers must be physically present in the immediate vicinity while hunting and fishing.

21. Use unmanned or remote-control drones to look for, scout or detect wildlife.

22. For two or more people to use electronic equipment on the ground, in a vehicle or on a vessel while violating any wildlife law or regulation.

23. Use smart rifles, including any firearm equipped with a target tracking system, electronically controlled, assisted or computer-linked trigger or a ballistics computer. Any firearm equipped with a scope containing a computer processor is considered to be a smart rifle.

24. Use fully automatic rifles.

25. Hunt big game over bait, whether or not the person hunting over such bait personally placed the bait. Bait means to put, expose, distribute or scatter salt, minerals, grain or other feed as an attraction for big game. Salt or mineral blocks used for normal agricultural purposes are not considered bait.

26. Use live-action game cameras to locate, surveil, or assist in locating game wildlife in order to take/tray to take game wildlife during the same or following day. (The use of live-action cameras is prohibited for hunting or scouting within a 48-hour period.)"Live-action game camera” is any device capable of recording and transmitting photographic/video data wirelessly to a remote device (such as a computer or smartphone). This does not include game cameras that record photographic/video data and store such data for later use, as long as the device cannot transmit data wirelessly.

LEGAL METHODS OF TAKE

1. **HAND-HELD BOW**: a long bow, recurve bow or compound bow on which the string is not drawn mechanically or held mechanically under tension. String or mechanical releases are legal if they are hand-drawn or hand-held with no other attachments or connections to the bow (other than the bowstring).
   a. Hand-held bows, including compound bows, must use arrows with a broadhead having an outside diameter or minimum width of 7/8-inch, with a minimum of two steel cutting edges. Each cutting edge must be in same plane for entire length of cutting surface.
   b. Only legal hand-held bows allowed during archery seasons.
   c. Minimum draw weight: 35 pounds; let-off max: 80 percent.
   d. No part of a bow’s riser (handle) or track, trough, channel, arrow rest or other device (excluding cables and bowstring) that attaches to the riser can contact, support and/or guide the arrow from a point rearward of bow’s brace height behind the undrawn string.
   e. Bows can propel only one arrow at a time. No mechanisms that automatically load arrows are allowed.
   f. Scopes and electronic or battery-powered devices cannot be incorporated into or attached to a bow or arrow, with the exception of lighted nocks on arrows. Recording devices such as cameras or video recorders attached to bows may be used as long as they do not cast light towards the target or aid in range finding, sighting or shooting the bow.
   g. Hydraulic or pneumatic technology cannot be used to derive or store energy to propel arrows. Explosive arrows are prohibited.

2. **CROSSBOWS**:
   a. Minimum draw weight: 125 pounds.
   b. Minimum draw length: 14 inches from front of bow to nocking point of drawstring.
   c. Positive mechanical safety device required.
   d. Bolts must be a minimum of 16 inches long, have a broad-head a minimum of 7/8-inch wide and a minimum of two steel cutting edges. Each cutting edge must be in same plane for entire length of cutting surface.
   e. Illegal in archery seasons.

3. **MUSSELLOADING RIFLES AND SMOOTHBORE MUSKETS**:
   a. In-line muzzleloaders are legal.
   b. Must have a single barrel that fires a single round ball or conical projectile.
   c. From .40 to .50 caliber, conical bullets must weigh at least 170 grains. Round-ball bullets must be .50 caliber.
   d. If greater than .50 caliber, bullets must weigh at least 210 grains.
   e. Shotshell primers are legal.

4. **RIFLES**: Must be a minimum .24 caliber (6 mm); have a minimum 16-inch barrel and be at least 26 inches long and fired from the shoulder. Must use expanding bullets that weigh a minimum of 70 grains and have an impact energy (at 100 yards) of 1,000 foot-pounds, as rated by the manufacturer. Semi-automatic rifles cannot hold more than six rounds in the magazine and chamber combined. Fully automatic rifles are prohibited.

5. **SHOTGUNS**: Must be a minimum 20 gauge and must fire a single slug. Barrel length: minimum 18 inches. Overall length: minimum 26 inches.

6. **HANDBUNS**: Must use a minimum .24 caliber (6 mm) diameter expanding bullet, with no shoulder stock or attachment. Must use only cartridge or load with a minimum energy of 550 foot-pounds at 50 yards. Barrel length a minimum of 4 inches.

RESTRICTIONS

CHILD SUPPORT DELINQUENCY: State law requires a Social Security number to buy a license. It is not displayed on the license but is provided, if requested, to Child Support Enforcement authorities. Hunting and fishing licenses are not issued to those suspended for noncompliance with child support. Any current licenses become invalid if held by an individual who is noncompliant with child support.

WEAPONS RESTRICTIONS: Colorado and federal laws prohibit people convicted of certain crimes, including felony offenses and domestic violence-related offenses, from possessing weapons even for hunting. If you've been convicted of a crime, check with the appropriate Colorado and federal law enforcement authority to find out how these laws apply to you.
APPLICATIONS & PREFERENCE POINTS

APPLICATION DEADLINES

MARCH 1 Applications accepted starting on this date for the limited license draw.

APRIL 7 Final day to submit applications for the limited license draw. Application corrections must also be made by this date.

PAYMENT DEADLINE

MAY 15 License must be paid for by this date.

THE PAYMENT DEADLINE IS FINAL. Plan ahead: Log in to your account before the draw and make sure your credit card information is accurate. If we are unable to charge the credit card on file in your account, your license will be surrendered, and you will lose both the license and any preference points you used to draw it.

PREFERENCE POINTS

1. ONE PREFERENCE POINT IS AWARDED PER SPECIES APPLIED FOR to hunters who apply properly and are unsuccessful in drawing a license for a first-choice hunt code for Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep and mountain goat in the draw. Note that preference points don’t apply to desert bighorn sheep. You may apply for a preference point as your first-choice hunt code (see below).

2. YOUTH AGES 12–17 can apply for a point. Youth age 11 can also apply for a point provided they turn 12 in 2020.

3. PREFERENCE POINT HUNT CODE: You can gain a preference point as a first choice on your application to use another year; specific preference-point hunt codes are listed on pages 7 and 10. You can also choose other hunt codes as your second, third or fourth choices. Do not submit a separate application for preference points, or both applications will be disqualified.

4. PREFERENCE POINT FEE:
   - If you apply for a preference point hunt code as your first choice or are unsuccessful in drawing your first choice hunt, you’ll be charged a $50 resident or $100 nonresident preference point fee for Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep and mountain goat.
   - You’ll have the option to OPT IN or OPT OUT of paying the preference point fee while filling out your draw application(s). If you OPT OUT, you will not be charged the fee and will NOT acquire a preference or weighted point for 2020. This includes if you apply for a preference point hunt code as your first choice.
   - The fee is waived for youth, resident lifetime license holders and residents who are in the military on active duty outside Colorado.

5. IF YOU ARE ISSUED A FIRST-CHOICE LICENSE, all accumulated preference points for that species become void and return to zero.

6. ALL ACCUMULATED PREFERENCE POINTS FOR A SPECIES BECOME VOID if you fail both to apply for that species and have not purchased a license for that species during any given 10-year period.

7. SECOND-, THIRD- AND FOURTH-CHOICE HUNTS don’t use or generate points.

8. THE MAXIMUM PREFERENCE POINTS YOU CAN ACCUMULATE for Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep or mountain goat is three. If you have three points for Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep or mountain goat, and you fail to draw a first-choice license, you will receive weighted preference for that species.

9. WEIGHTED PREFERENCE POINTS: See above right.

10. PREFERENCE POINTS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE BETWEEN HUNTERS. Points are awarded for specific species, not for hunt codes, sex, unit(s), season(s) or method of take.

11. GROUP APPLICATION PRIORITY IS BASED ON THE MEMBER WITH FEWEST POINTS. See “Apply as a Group” at cpw.state.co.us/bg/planyourhunt.

12. YOU CAN APPLY FOR A BIGHORN EWE LICENSE if you are waiting the five years to reapply for a bighorn ram license (sixth year after harvest), but you cannot accrue preference points.

WEIGHTED PREFERENCE POINTS

Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep, mountain goat and moose are the three species of big-game animals that use the weighted preference point system to award licenses in Colorado:

- Weighted preference increases your probability of drawing and applies to both male and female licenses.
- You can only accumulate up to three points for each of these three species. If you have three preference points and you fail to draw a first-choice license, you will receive weighted preference.
- Weighted preference is calculated by converting your application number into a different, random application number, then dividing that new application number by the number of weighted points you have, plus one. Individuals with three preference points and no weighted preference will have their application number divided by one.
- This generates a new application number. Applications are sorted by this new number from lowest to highest, and low numbers for each hunt code are awarded licenses.

NOTE: The preference point fee for Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep, mountain goat and moose applies to preference points AND weighted preference points. Go to cpw.state.co.us/weightedpreference for more details.

REFUNDS, REISSUES & EXCHANGES

- Sheep and goat hunters who need to return a license will have to do so AT LEAST 30 DAYS PRIOR TO THE START OF THE SEASON for which the license is valid by turning in their license at a CPW location, or postmarked to CPW Refund Office, 6060 Broadway, Denver, CO 80216. NOTE: If you drew a license you would like to return, payment for the license is still required first. You can then return it for a refund or preference point restoration.
- Application fees, the $10.13 Habitat Stamp fee, qualifying licenses, and the preference point and weighted preference point fees are nonrefundable.
- Licenses that have been returned will be made available on the leftover list (after being offered to the next 5 applicants in line) at cpw.state.co.us/ leftover.
- All license exchanges will be charged a fee of fifty percent of the cost of the original license, not to exceed $25.
- No refunds or preference point restorations are available on exchanged licenses.
- Exchanges can be completed at a CPW office or park up until the day before the season starts on the original license. Once a season starts, an exchange is no longer available.
- Exchanges cannot be completed until leftover licenses and OTC licenses go on sale.

For any account issues, please contact us at: 303-297-1192 (M–F, 8 a.m.– 5 p.m. MT) or 1-800-244-5613 (24/7).

All big-game license applications for the draw are only available ONLINE (go to cpw.state.co.us and click “Buy & Apply”) or BY PHONE (1-800-244-5613).

Go online to find everything you need for detailed account, application and payment information: cpw.state.co.us/bg/planyourhunt

- How to set up an online account
- How to access your existing online account
- How to apply for the big game draw
- How to apply for group hunts
- How to clear a rejected payment
- And more!
ROCKY MOUNTAIN BIGHORN SHEEP

LIMITED LICENSES ONLY

Rams must have a half-curl or longer to be harvested. See page 3.

REMEMBER: You cannot apply for a Rocky Mountain bighorn or desert bighorn in the same year.

PREFERENCE POINT HUNT CODE

To apply for a Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep preference point, enter hunt code S-P-999-99-P as your FIRST CHOICE hunt.

- You’ll have the option to OPT IN or OPT OUT of paying the preference point fee while filling out your draw application. If you OPT OUT, you will not be charged the fee and will NOT acquire a preference or weighted point for the year. If you OPT IN, you will be charged the $50 resident or $100 nonresident preference point fee and acquire a point for the year.

- If you apply for a point as your first choice, you can use the second-, third- and fourth-choice hunt code spaces on the application to apply for a license.

RANCHING FOR WILDLIFE — RESIDENT

Public Ranching for Wildlife (RFW) licenses are available only to Colorado residents by draw. RFW landowners must provide free access to hunters who draw a license for the ranch. By applying for a RFW license, hunters allow CPW to provide applicant information to the ranch. RFW hunting rules are different on each ranch; for ranch rules, maps and ranch contacts, go to: cpw.state.co.us/RFW

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BIGHORN SHEEP ACCESS PROGRAM (BSAP) — RESIDENT

Bighorn Sheep Access Program (BSAP) licenses are available only to Colorado residents by draw. BSAP landowners must provide free access to hunters who draw a sheep license for the ranch. A free guide must also be provided by the ranch to hunters who draw a ram license.

Read ranch rules first, and see the maps and ranch contacts at: cpw.state.co.us/bsap

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NEW CHANCELLOR RANCH — RESIDENT

Bighorn sheep hunting is available on Chancellor Ranch (on State Land Board property). Get detailed information and find ranch contacts at: cpw.state.co.us/chancellor-ranch

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NEW S560 Sheep may be found on both public and private lands. Before accessing private property, landowner permission is required; a trespass fee may apply.

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**S70** Sheep hunting is valid in this unit ONLY within the area bounded on N by Gunnison CR 12 (Kebler Pass Rd.); on E by Colo. 135; on S by northern boundary of FS0N; on W by Curecanti Creek and Coal Creek.

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### Notes

- **S42** Weekdays only
- No hunting within 200 yards of Waterton Canyon Rd.
- **ATTENTION HUNTERS:** Sheep hunting requires completion of unit-specific hunter orientation; special restrictions may apply. See page 3.
DESSERT BIGHORN SHEEP

LIMITED LICENSES ONLY

Rams must have a half-curl or longer to be harvested. See page 3. REMEMBER: You cannot apply for a Rocky Mountain bighorn and desert bighorn in the same year.

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BIGHORN SHEEP HUNTING UNIT MAP

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GET THE LEAD OUT

SEE THE CDHPE PUBLIC HEALTH STATEMENT: www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/lead-in-wild-game

From the field to the table, ensuring your next harvest is safe for your family is important. Switching from lead bullets may be an option that’s right for you. Science tells us ingesting lead can cause potential health problems over time. Risks are low for most people; however, you can also:

1. Use lead-free shot or bullets.
2. Choose a firearm with lower-velocity bullets, so bullet fragments don’t scatter as far into the wound. Liberally trim and discard meat damaged by the bullet when you process an animal.
3. Clean your meat grinder between each animal. Lead is soft and can go through your grinder, contaminating an entire batch of ground meat. If you don’t grind the meat yourself, speak with your commercial processor about their equipment cleaning process between animals.
4. Avoid eating game meat from animals harvested with lead bullets if you are pregnant. Children younger than 6 should also avoid it.
To apply for a mountain goat preference point, enter hunt code G-P-999-99-P as your FIRST CHOICE hunt.

- You’ll have the option to OPT IN or OPT OUT of paying the preference point fee while filling out your draw application. If you OPT OUT, you will not be charged the fee and will NOT acquire a preference or weighted point for the year. If you OPT IN, you will be charged the $50 resident or $100 nonresident preference point fee and acquire a point for the year.
- If you apply for a point as your first choice, you can use the second-, third- and fourth-choice hunt code spaces on the application to apply for the license.

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ROCKY MOUNTAIN & DESERT BIGHORN SHEEP

51 Poudre River (Larimer Co.) — bounded on N by CR 80C and Deadman-Deadman-Red Feather Rd.; on E by CR 68C (Boy Scout Ranch Rd.) and Elkhorn Creek; on S by Col. 14, on W by Laramie River Rd.

52 Gore Eagles Nest (Eagle, Summit Co.) — bounded on N by Elk Creek to Finney Ridge, Eagles Nest Wilderness boundary, Elliott Ridge/Arapaho/White River National Forest boundary, north Fork of Elliott Creek, Hoagland Reservoir and Elliott Creek; on E by Blue Bridge; on S by T-20; on W by Col. 131 and Colorado River from State Bridge to Elk Creek.

53 Mount Evans (Clear Creek, Jefferson, Park Co.) — bounded on N by T-70; on E by Col. 74; on W by Bear Creek, Tumbling Creek, Tumbling Creek, a line from head of Tumbling Creek to junction of USFS trails 603 and 602, USFS Trail 603 and Pike-Arapaho national forest boundary; on W by Continental Divide. See “Land Use Restrictions” on page 3 for hunting closure details.

54 Grant (Clear Creek, Park, Jefferson Co.) — bounded on N by boundary of Pike National Forest, USFS Trail 603, a line from junctions of USFS trails 603 and 602 to head of Tumbling Creek, Tumbling Creek, Bear Creek and Bear Creek; on E by T-70; on S and W by T-20; on N by north Fork of South Platte River; on W by Continental Divide.

55 Beaver Creek (El Paso, Fremont, teller Co.) — bounded on N by Gold Camp Rd. and Rock Creek; on E by Col. 115; on S by US 50; on W by Fremont CR 67 and Teller CR 86 (Phantom Canyon Rd.), Teller CR 861 (Skaguay Rd.) and 81 (Lazy 5 Ranch Rd.).

56 Pikes Peak (El Paso, Teller Co.) — bounded on N by US 24; on E by T-25 and Col. 115; on W by Gold Camp Rd. and Rock Creek; on S by Col. 67.

57 Arkansas River (Fremont Co.) — bounded on N by Fremont CR 2; on E by Col. 9; on S by US 50; on W by CR 12.

58 Huerfano (Huerfano, Alamosa Co.) — bounded on N by Sielme Lane, USFS Trail 883 and USFS Trail 583 (Mosca Pass) and Huerfano Ck 583, 581, 580 and 550; on W by Huerfano Crs 570 and 572 (Pass Creek Rd.); on E by Huerfano-Costa and Costilla-Alamosa Co. lines and US 160; on W by Col. 17.

59 Sangre de Cristo (Alamosa, Sangre, Custer, Huerfano Co.) — bounded on N by Sangre Creek CR 37, US 30, 790 (Hayden Pass Rd.) and Fremont-Sangre and Fremont-Custer Co. lines; on E by Col. 69; on S by Huerfano Crs 550, 580, 581 and 583, USFS 583 (Mosca Pass), USFS Trail 883 and Sielme Lane; on W by Col. 17 and US 285.

50 Trickle Mountain (Sangre, Chaffe, Gunnison Co.) — bounded on N by US 50 and Marshall Pass Rd. (US 24); on E by US 25; on S by Col. 114; on W by US 833 (Meyer G. and Giron Creek Rd.), Razor Creek and Sangre Creek CR 14-PF and Gunnison CR 45 (Doyeville Catoft Rd.).

51 Collegiate North (Lake, Chaffe, Pitkin, Gunnison Co.) — bounded on N by Col. 82; on E by US 24; on S by Chaffe CR 306 and Colorado Pass (US 202); on W by US 205 Rds. 742, 761 (Taylor Pass Rd.) and 7761, and Pitkin Crs 15E (Richard Hill Rd.) and 14 (Aspen Mtn. Summer Rd.).

52 Buffalo Peaks (Lake, Chaffe, Park Co.) — bounded on N by T-70; on E by Col. 9 and US 285; on S by US 285; on W by US 24, Cola. 91 and 1-70.

53 Snowmass East (pitkin Co.) — bounded on N by US 70 and US 24; Pitkin Crs 14 (Aspen Mtn. Summer Rd.) and 15 E (Richard Hill Rd.) and USFS 7761; on W by Taylor River Head (USFS 761.10), Bruscl Creek Trail (USFS 400), E. Brush Creek Rd. (USFS 734.28) and Brush Creek Rd. (USFS/Gunnison CR 738); on W by W Col. 135, Gothic Rd. (Gunnison CR 317), Crystal-Gunnison River division, Roaring Fork-Crystal River division and Capitola Creek.

54 Poudre River (Larimer Co.) — bounded on N by USFS/Gunnison CR 738 (Brush Creek Rd.), USFS 738.28 (East Brush Creek Rd.), USFS Trail 400 (Brush Creek Head Rd.); on S by USFS Rds. 761 (Taylor Pass Rd.) and 742, and Willow Creek, Middle Willow Creek and Cumberland Pass; on S by US 285; on S by US 285; on S by US 285; on N by USFS Trail 787 (La Ganta Stock Driveway), USFS 504, and USFS 507; on W by USFS 833; on E by USFS 540 and 473 and Cola. 149.


56 Battle Mountain (Garfield, Mesa Co.) — bounded on N by Colorado River and I-70; on E by US 69 and CR 331 and 342, Mesa CR 330E, Cola. 330 and 65; on W by Colorado River.

57 Snowmass West (pitkin, Gunnison, Eagle Co.) — bounded on N by Roaring Fork River; on Capitol Creek and Roaring Fork-Crystal River division; on W by Crystal River-Gunnison River division; on W by Crystal River-Gunnison River division and Col. 133.

58 San Luis Peaks (Hinsdale, Mineral, and Gove Co.) — bounded on N by USFS 788, Hinsdale Cr. 15 and 45, Sangre CR 39 and 14; on E by US 160, USFS 767 and La Ganta Watersh head; on S by USFS Trail 787 (La Ganta Stock Driveaway), USFS 504 and Cola. 149; on W by USFS 507; USFS 833, 873 and 473 and Cola. 149.


60 Mountain Silverheels (Park, Summit Co.) — bounded on N by US 285; Park Cr 73 and 23 (Turner Gulch Rd. or USFS 234); on W by US 24; on W by US 285 and Cola. 9.

61 Lone Pine (Larimer Co.) — bounded on N by CR 80C and CR 59 (Cherokee Park Rd.) and WY; on E by CR 37, South Branch Boxelder Creek, Boxelder Crk. 10; on S by CR 80 and US 287; on S by W by Cola. 74E and 162 (Red Feather Lakes-Deadman Rd.).

62 Peru Peak (Summit Co.) — bounded on N by I-70; on E by Continental Divide; on W by Pitkin Co. line; on S by Col. 67 and usfs 6; on W by Col. 9 and U.S. 6.


64 Basalt (Garfield, Eagle, Pitkin Co.) — bounded on N by USFS Trail 514 (Red Tables Divide Rd.); on USFS Trail 1017; on E by Crooked Creek Pass Rd. (USFS 400); on W by Frymining Road and Roaring Fork; on W by Garfield CR 100 and Cottonwood Pass Rd.
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**G6 GORE RANGE (GRAND, EAGLE, SUMMIT COS.)** — bounded on N by Colorado River; on E by Colo. 9; on S by E-70; on W by W. 131.

**G7 GRAY’S PEAK (SUMMIT, CLEAR CREEK COS.)** — bounded on N by U.S. 491; on E by Gunnell Pass Rd. (USFS 381); on S by Pike-Arapaho National Forest boundary, Continental Divide, Arapaho Pass Trail, USFS 260; and on W by U.S. 6.

**G8 FOSSIL RIDGE (GUNNISON COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 742 (Lake County Rd.) and USFS 765 (North Clear Creek Road); on E by USFS 742 (North Clear Creek Road); on S by USFS 765; and on W by USFS 765.

**G10 TENMILE (SUMMIT, PARK, LAKE COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 404 (Independence Pass); on S by Continental Divide; on E by Milton Gulch, Middle Fork of South Platte River and Platte Gulch to Lake-Park Co. line; on W by Lake-Park Co. line, Continental Divide; on S by E-70; and on W by USFS 765.

**G11 THE RAGGEDS (GUNNISON, PITKIN COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 742; on E by PA-14 (Doyleville Cutoff Rd.); on S by USFS 803 (Gismo Creek Rd.); and on W by USFS 806.

**G12 MAROON BELLS (GUNNISON, PITKIN COS.)** — bounded on N by Colorado River and U.S. 45; on E by Maroon Creek; on S by U.S. 82; and on W by Pitkin County Line.

**H1 JONES PASS (SUMMIT, GRAND, CLEAR CREEK COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 677; on E by U.S. 40; on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.

**H2 CATCHAM (LAKE, CHAFFEE, Pitkin, Gunnison COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 690 (in Jackson County); on E by USFS 680 (in Chaffee County); on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.

**H3 DELTA MOUNTAINS (LAKE, CHAFFEE, Pitkin, Gunnison COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 685; on E by USFS 680 (in Chaffee County); on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.

**H4 SQUAW PASS (SUMMIT, GRAND, CLEAR CREEK COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 685; on E by USFS 677; on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.

**H5 GRANITE MOUNTAIN (LAKE, CHAFFEE, Pitkin, Gunnison COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 685; on E by USFS 680 (in Chaffee County); on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.

**H6 BOULDER MOUNTAINS (LAKE, CHAFFEE, Pitkin, Gunnison COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 685; on E by USFS 680 (in Chaffee County); on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.

**H7 RAVEN CIRQUE (SUMMIT, GRAND, CLEAR CREEK COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 685; on E by USFS 677; on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.

**H8 RED BARN PASS (SUMMIT, GRAND, CLEAR CREEK COS.)** — bounded on N by USFS 685; on E by USFS 677; on S by USFS 677; and on W by USFS 677.
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MARCH 1 Applications accepted and qualifying licenses available for purchase starting on this date
APRIL 7 Application & correction deadline, 8 p.m. MT
MAY 1 Draw results posted online by this date
MAY 15 License payment deadline
MAY 15 Licenses in the mail by this date

SEASON DATES

AUG. 1–DEC. 31* ROCKY MTN. BIGHORN SHEEP
NOV. 1–30 DESERT BIGHORN SHEEP
SEPT. 8–OCT. 31* MOUNTAIN GOAT

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