

AGENDA
PARKS AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION MEETING
July 21-22, 2022
Colorado Mountain College
Edwards, CO



Thursday: July 21st

<u>#</u>	<u>Time</u>		<u>AGENDA ITEM</u>
1	8:30	(I)	Welcome, Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call
2	8:35	(A) Carrie Hauser, Chair	Approve Minutes of the June 1-2, 2022 Hybrid Parks and Wildlife Commission Meeting
3	8:40	(I) Carrie Hauser, Chair	Corrections to Agenda Corrections/Removal of Consent Agenda Topics
4	8:45	(I) Carrie Hauser, Chair	Commissioner's Questions and Comments
5	9:00	(I) Carrie Hauser, Chair	Comments from the Chair
6	9:05	(I) Dan Gibbs, DNR Executive Director	Department of Natural Resources Update
7	9:15	(I) Kate Greenberg, Dept. of Ag. Commissioner	Department of Agriculture Update
8	9:25	(I) Heather Dugan, Acting CPW Director	Director's Comments
9	9:40	(I) Justin Rutter, AD of Financial Services	Financial Update

Final Regulations

10	9:55	(A) Krista Heiner, Policy and Planning Analyst	Chapter W-0 - "General Provisions" - 2 CCR 406-0 and those related provisions of Chapter W-11 ("Wildlife Parks and Unregulated Wildlife" 2 CCR 406-11) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-0 (Step 2 of 2)
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Open for final consideration of the following regulations:

- Updating the disease testing requirements for cervids in commercial parks to maintain consistency with the revised requirements of the Colorado Department of Agriculture.

- 11 10:10 (A) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager
Kathy Griffin,
Grouse Conservation Coordinator
- Chapter W-3 - "Furbearers and Small Game except Migratory Birds" - 2 CCR 406-3 (Step 1 of 1)
- Open for final consideration of the following regulations:
- Closing the 2022 hunting season for greater sage-grouse in Game Management Unit 2 pursuant to thresholds set forth in the Northwest Colorado Greater Sage-grouse Conservation Plan.

10:30

Break

Draft Regulations

- 12 10:45 (I) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager
- Chapter P-7 - "Passes, Permits and Registrations" - 2 CCR 405-7 (Step 1 of 2)
- Open for consideration of regulations including, but not limited to, adopting or revising regulations to implement 21SB-249, concerning the Keep Colorado Wild annual pass, clarifying exemptions to the entry requirements without a motor vehicle, creating a non-motor vehicle individual annual pass, and clarifying the number of people who may access state parks or recreation areas without a motor vehicle while accompanying an annual pass holder.

Issues Identification

- 13 11:15 (I) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager
- Chapter P-7 - "Passes, Permits and Registrations" - 2 CCR 405-7 (Step 1 of 2)
- Open for annual review of the entire chapter including, but not limited to, regulations pertaining to eligibility requirements and fees for individual and vehicle park passes, use permits, vessel, snowmobile and off-highway vehicle registrations and license agent requirements. Specific regulatory changes include, but are not limited to, the following:
- Implementing a refund program for instances where customers' KCW passes overlap with annual passes.

- 14 11:30 (I) Jonathan Boydston,
Public Involvement Planning
Specialist
Matt Eckert,
Terrestrial Programs Supervisor
- License distribution update

- 15 12:10 (I)
- Awards and Presentations

12:30

Lunch

- 16 1:30 (I) Dan Zimmerer,
Parks & Wildlife Partnership
Manager, GOCO
Jackie Miller,
Executive Director, GOCO
- GOCO Update

17 2:00 (I) Jacob Brey,
Deputy Regional Manager - CPW
NW Region
Scott Fitzwilliams,
Forest Supervisor - White River
National Forest
Bergen Tjossem,
Deputy Director - Eagle Valley
Land Trust
Melissa Bade,
Program Manager -CDR
Associates (Collaborative
Decision Resources)

Sweetwater Lake Planning and Partnerships

3:00 (I)

Commissioner Tour of Sweetwater Lake

5:30

Recess

Friday, July 22nd

18 8:30 (I)

Welcome and Roll Call

19 8:35 (I)

Julie Shapiro,
Ernest House Jr.,
Keystone

Keystone Update on Wolf Planning

20 9:05 (I/A)

Reid DeWalt,
Asst. Director, Aquatic,
Terrestrial & Natural Resources
Eric Odell,
Species Conservation Program
Manager

CPW Update on Wolf Planning

21 10:05

Wolf Comments

10:25

Break

22 10:40 (I)

David Klute,
Species Conservation Unit
Supervisor

Planning and Implementation for Colorado's Species of
Concern

23 11:10 (A)

Fletcher Jacobs,
State Trails Program Manager

2022-2023 Snowmobile Program Grant Funding
Recommendations

24 11:25

Public Comments

25 11:40 (A)

Carrie Hauser,
Chair

Consent Agenda

26 11:45 (I)

Carrie Hauser,
Chair
Reid DeWalt,
Asst. Director, Aquatic,
Terrestrial & Natural Resources

2023 Meeting Schedule Discussion

12:00

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25 (A) Consent Agenda

**Proposed Parks and Wildlife Commission Consent Agenda
July 21-22, 2022**

In order to increase the Parks and Wildlife Commission’s efficiency and allow more time for consideration of wildlife policy and contested issues, the listed items are noticed for action by the Commission as part of the July, 2022 “Consent Agenda.”

Note: The process for placing matters on the Consent Agenda is as follows:

The Director identifies matters where the recommended action follows established policy or precedent, there has been agreement reached or the matter is expected to be uncontested and non-controversial. Staff will provide written memos to the Parks and Wildlife Commission members explaining the matters on the Consent Agenda. Copies of the memos will be available to the public.

Matters on the Consent Agenda are noticed for hearing at the same time and in the same manner as other agenda items. If a member of the Commission requests further consideration of an item on the consent agenda, that item will be withdrawn from the Consent Agenda and discussed and acted upon as determined by the Commission. The Consent Agenda may be voted on without the necessity of reading individual items. Any Commission member may request clarification from the Director for any matter on the Consent Agenda.

Citizen Petition

25.1	(A)	Chapter W-2 - “Big Game” 2 CCR 406-2			
		At its July meeting, the Parks and Wildlife Commission will consider whether it should adopt the Director’s written recommendation to DENY a petition for rulemaking related to big game, as follows:			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Citizen Petition requesting a change in the types of cases allowed for firearms carried on OHVs. 			

PWC Policy

25.2	(A)	PWC Policy B-325 OHV Use on Roads and Lands			
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Game Damage Claim - Approval Over \$20,000

25.3	(A)	03-Y22-01	Howard Hettinger	\$22,476	Growing Corn by Deer
		DWM: Larry Conger	AWM: Todd Schmidt	RM: Mark Leslie	

Real Estate

25.4	(A)	Project #	Region	Project Name
	a.	21-007	NE	Electric Association Easement
	b.	21-012	SE	Public Access Lease Acquisition
	c.	22-017	SE	Public Access Lease Acquisition