

AGENDA
PARKS AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION MEETING
November 17 & 18, 2022
Gateway Canyons Resort
Gateway, CO



Thursday, November 17th

<u>#</u>	<u>Time</u>		<u>AGENDA ITEM</u>
	8:00		Commissioner Tour of Outdoor Wilderness Lab (OWL) Campus
1	9:30	(I)	Welcome, Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call
2	9:35	(A)	Carrie Hauser, Chair Approve Minutes of the September 8 & 9, 2022 Hybrid Parks and Wildlife Commission Meeting
3	9:40	(I)	Carrie Hauser, Chair Corrections to Agenda Corrections/Removal of Consent Agenda Topics
4	9:45	(I)	Carrie Hauser, Chair Commissioner's Questions and Comments
5	10:00	(I)	Carrie Hauser, Chair Comments from the Chair
6	10:05	(I)	Dan Gibbs, DNR Executive Director Department of Natural Resources Update
7	10:15	(I)	Kate Greenberg, Dept. of Ag. Commissioner Department of Agriculture Update
8	10:25	(I)	Heather Dugan, Acting CPW Director Director's Comments
<u>Final Regulations</u>			
9	10:40	(A)	Hilary Hernandez, Regulations Manager Chapter P-3 - "River Outfitters" - 2 CCR 405-3 (Step 2 of 2) Open for final consideration of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revising personal floatation device types to match U.S. Coast Guard changes.
10	10:45	(A)	Hilary Hernandez, Regulations Manager Chapter P-7 - "Passes, Permits and Registrations" - 2 CCR 405-7 (Step 2 of 2) Open for final consideration of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Removing the high-use fee at certain parks, and changing the daily vehicle pass fee to \$10.00 at all parks. • Modifications to the Centennial pass.

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- Removing Panorama Point, at Golden Gate Canyon, from the designated event facility list.
- Revising regulations to provide discounted camping rates for seniors who purchase the non-motor vehicle individual annual pass and adopting regulation for the replacement of a lost or stolen non-motor vehicle individual annual pass. (Step 1 of 1)

11 10:50 (A) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager

Chapter W-1- "Fishing" 2 CCR 406-1 (Step 2 of 2)

Open for final consideration of the following:

- Revising the walleye bag and possession limits at Rifle Gap.
- Revising a fishing restriction in Vallecito Creek from the CR 501 Bridge to the standing water line of Vallecito Reservoir.

12 10:55 (A) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager

Chapter W-3 - "Furbearers and Small Game, except Migratory Birds" 2 CCR 406-3 (Step 2 of 2)

Open for final consideration of the following:

- Expanding the southwest youth extended season for fall turkey to all available Game Management Units (GMU) in the state.
- Adopting regulation to allow air gun hunting of turkey in the fall and late seasons.
- Annual changes to turkey seasons and quotas.

13 11:00 (A) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager

Chapter W-0 - "General Provisions" 2 CCR 406-0, and those related provisions of Chapter W-2 ("Big Game" 2 CCR 406-2), Chapter W-3 ("Furbearers and Small Game, Except Migratory Birds" 2 CCR 406-3), Chapter W-11 ("Wildlife Parks and Unregulated Wildlife" 2 CCR 406-11), Chapter W-15 ("Division Agents" 2 CCR 406-15), and Chapter P-7 ("Passes, Permits and Registrations" - 2 CCR 405-7) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-0 (Step 2 of 2)

Open for final consideration of the following:

- Revising a Bighorn Sheep Unit boundary name that was changed by the U.S. Board on Geographic Names. (Step 1 of 1)
- Revising license fees and license agent commission rates according to adjustments to the Denver-Aurora-Lakewood Consumer Price Index.
- Modifications to the low-income annual Colorado State Wildlife Area pass.

14 11:30 (A) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager
Katie Lanter,
Policy and Planning Supervisor

Chapter W-2- "Big Game" 2 CCR 406-2 (Step 2 of 2)

Open for final consideration of the following:

- Revising Game Management Unit boundary name that was changed by the U.S. Board on Geographic Names. (Step 1 of 1)

- Modifying the limited license application and drawing allocation processes for deer, elk, pronghorn and bear to include a rolling three-year average for licenses requiring ten or more preference points.

12:00

Lunch

Issues Identification

15 1:00 (I) Hilary Hernandez,
Regulations Manager

Chapter W-2 - "Big Game" 2 CCR 406-2 and those related provisions of Chapter W-0 ("General Provisions" 2 CCR 406-0) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-2 (Step 1 of 2)

Open for annual review of the entire chapter including, but not limited to:

Multiple Species

- Amending the definition of an adult novice hunter and revising the license list classification for the adult novice hunting license and adult novice ranching for wildlife license.
- Modifying the Game Management Unit boundaries for 123, 124, 125, 128 and 129.
- Modifying the Game Management Unit boundaries for 008 and 191.
- Modifying the hunting closure on Mount Evans.

Deer

- Creating a new 4th rifle antlered deer hunting season in Game Management Units 31 and 32.
- Creating a new 4th rifle antlered deer hunting season in Game Management Unit 30.
- Creating a list B, private land only, antlerless whitetail season in Game Management Units 6, 16, 17, 161, and 171 from December 1 through December 31.
- Adding early season doe hunt codes in Game Management Units 54, 55, and 551.
- Expanding D-E-411-P6-R to include portions of Game Management Units 52 and 521 and changing the hunt code to D-E-052-P6-R.
- Adding hunt codes for either-sex deer, doe, and cow elk valid only on Centennial Cone Open Space in Game Management Unit 38.

Elk

- Splitting Data Analysis Unit E-10 cow elk hunt codes in Game Management Units 21, 22, 30, 31, and 32.
- Restoring Game Management Unit-specific cow rifle licenses for 2nd, 3rd, and 4th seasons in Data Analysis Unit E-16 and the extended private land only cow season in Game Management Unit 444.
- Limiting archery elk licenses in Data Analysis Unit E-14 and/or Game Management Unit 521.

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Pronghorn

- Creating private land only hunt codes in Data Analysis Unit PH-5.

Moose

- Adding bull and cow moose hunting codes in Game Management Units 33 and 34.
- Adding cow moose hunt codes in Game Management Units 44 and 45.
- Replacing the hunt codes for cow (MF04701X) and bull (MM04701X) moose in Game Management Unit 47 to create four separate hunt codes in Game Management Units 47, 444, and 471.

Bighorn Sheep

- Adding a bighorn sheep ewe hunt code to Data Analysis Unit S-36.

Mountain Goat

- Re-opening either-sex mountain goat hunt code GEG1801R in Game Management Unit G18.

16	1:40	(I)	Julie Shapiro, Ernest House Jr., Keystone	Keystone Update on Wolf Planning
17	2:10	(I)	Reid DeWalt, Asst. Director, Aquatic, Terrestrial & Natural Resources Eric Odell, Species Conservation Program Manager	CPW Update on Wolf Planning
	2:40			Break
18	2:55	(I)	Katie Lanter, Policy and Planning Supervisor	Public Engagement Strategy for the Draft Wolf Plan
19	3:15			Wolf Comments
20	4: 00	(I/A)	Jake Matter, Assistant Attorney General Kim Rogers, Reals Estate Section Manager Mark Lamb, Area 1 Wildlife Manager	Legal Update and Executive Session to consider the purchase of private property for public purposes (Real Estate Project 22-032) and to receive legal advice re the role of Commission to appoint a new director under § 33-9-103. CRS
21	5:10	(A)	Kim Rogers, Reals Estate Section Manager	Approval of Real Estate Project 22-032
	5:15			Recess

Friday, November 18th

22	8:30	(I)		Welcome and Roll Call
23	8:35	(I)	Justin Rutter, AD of Financial Services	Financial Update
24	8:50	(I)	Dan Zimmerer, Parks & Wildlife Program Manager, GOCO	GOCO Update
25	9:05	(I)	Bryan Lamont, Wildlife Biologist	RBS-9 Arkansas River Bighorn Sheep Herd Management Plan
26	9:25	(I)	Jonathan Reitz, Wildlife Biologist	D-28 Arkansas River Deer Herd Management Plan
27	9:45	(I)	Jonathan Reitz, Wildlife Biologist	D-33 Mesa de Maya Deer Herd Management Plan
28	10:05	(I)		Public Comments
29	10:25	(A)	Carrie Hauser, Chair	Consent Agenda
	10:30			ADJOURN

29 (A) Consent Agenda

Proposed Parks and Wildlife Commission Consent Agenda
November 17-18, 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 November, 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.

Issue Identification

- 29.1 (I) Chapter W-2 - “Big Game” 2 CCR 406-2 and those related provisions of Chapter W-0 (“General Provisions” 2 CCR 406-0) necessary to accommodate changes to or ensure consistency with Chapter W-2
- Open for annual review of the entire chapter, including, but not limited to:
- Modifying the hunt code DM951P7R to be a general private land only antlered license.
 - Removing the private land only designation from all mule deer and pronghorn licenses in Game Management Unit 83.
 - Revising the Bighorn Sheep Access Program Option C.

Game Damage Claim - Denial

29.2	(A)	10-Y23-01	David Gittleson	\$1,100.00	Calf by Unknown
	a.	DWM: Zach Weaver	AWM: Kris Middledorf	RM: Travis Black	
		10-Y23-03	Don Gittleson	\$3,000.00	Calf by Wolf
	b.	DWM: Zach Weaver	AWM: Kris Middledorf	RM: Travis Black	

License Suspension Appeal

29.3	(A)	<u>Name</u>	<u>Case #</u>	<u>Suspension</u>
	a.	Broc Bebout	CPW-2021-3	3 Years
	b.	David Davenport	CPW-2022-62	2 Years

Real Estate

29.4	(A)	<u>Project #</u>	<u>Region</u>	<u>Project Name</u>
	a.	20-010	SW	Irrigation Easement
	b.	20-068	NW	CPW Conservation Easement Acquisition
	c.	21-062	SW	Fee Title Acquisition
	d.	21-064	NW	Right of Way
	e.	22-001	NE	Lease
	f.	22-004	SE	Lease
	g.	22-039	NE	Fee Title Acquisition
	h.	22-047	NE	Water Lease