

Hunt Recommendations

Commission Order 3: Pronghorn Antelope

General Pronghorn Antelope

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| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|--|----------------|---------|
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 1 | Buck antelope | 20 -10 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 2A | Buck antelope | 20 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 2C | Buck antelope | 15 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 3A | Buck antelope | 15 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 3C | Buck antelope | 2 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 4A | Buck antelope | 12 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 4B | Buck antelope | 20 5 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (6,14) | 5A | Buck antelope | 7 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (14) | 5B | Buck antelope | 26 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 6A | Buck antelope | 6 1 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (9) | 6B South | Buck antelope | 2 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (14) | 7 | Buck antelope | 40 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (14) | 9 | Buck antelope | 27 2 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (14) | 10 | Buck antelope | 70 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (5,14) | 12A and 12B | Buck antelope | 2 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (5,14) | 13A | Buck antelope | 15 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (5,14) | 13B | Buck antelope | 5 -5 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 17A | Buck antelope | 4 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 20, 2012 | (14) | 18A | Buck antelope | 10 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (14) | 18B | Buck antelope | 25 -10 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 20, 2012 | (4,7) | 19A (north of AZ Hwy 69/169, east of Fain Rd, west of FR 151/643, and north of US Hwy 89A) | Buck antelope | 30 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 20, 2012 | (4,14) | 19B | Buck antelope | 5 5 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (5,14) | 21 | Buck antelope | 25 5 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (4,14) | 30A | Buck antelope | 10 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (13,14) | 31 and 32 | Buck antelope | 3 -1 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (13,14) | 34B | Buck antelope | 1 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (12) | Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A | Buck antelope | |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (11) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A | Buck antelope | |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (11,14) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A | Buck antelope | |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (11,14) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B | Buck antelope | |
| | | | Total | | 417 -8 |

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LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Pronghorn Antelope hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

Muzzleloader Pronghorn Antelope

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| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|----------------------|-------|-------------|----------------|---------|
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 2B | Buck antelope | 10 -10 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (1) | 3B North | Buck antelope | 5 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | | 8 | Buck antelope | 20 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (14) | 15A and 15B | Buck antelope | 2 0 |

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| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|----------------------|---------|------------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| | Sep 7 - Sep 16, 2012 | (4) | 17B | Buck antelope | 2 -1 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 13, 2012 | (14) | 18A | Buck antelope | 5 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 13, 2012 | (4) | 19A (north of US Hwy 89A) | Buck antelope | 15 0 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 13, 2011 | (4) | 19B | Buck antelope | 5 5 |
| No Hunt | Sep 2 - Sep 11, 2011 | (13,14) | 34B | Buck antelope | 0 -1 |
| No Hunt | Sep 2 - Sep 11, 2011 | (4,14) | 35A (except Fort Huachuca) and 35B | Buck antelope | 0 -1 |
| | | | | Total | 64 -8 |

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LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Muzzleloading weapons as prescribed in R12-4-101 and R12-4-318, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Pronghorn Antelope hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

Archery-Only Pronghorn Antelope

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| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|-------|---|----------------|---------|
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 1 | Buck antelope | 30 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 3A | Buck antelope | 10 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (1) | 3B North | Buck antelope | 10 0 |
| | Aug 10 - Aug 23, 2012 | (2) | 3B South | Buck antelope | 5 5 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (2) | 3B South | Buck antelope | 5 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 4B | Buck antelope | 20 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (6) | 5A | Buck antelope | 4 -3 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 5B | Buck antelope | 13 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (3,8) | 6B North (except Camp Navajo) | Buck antelope | 10 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 7 | Buck antelope | 5 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 9 | Buck antelope | 5 5 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 10 | Buck antelope | 60 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 13, 2012 | | 11M | Buck antelope | 5 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (5) | 12A and 12B | Buck antelope | 3 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 15A and 15B | Buck antelope | 4 0 |
| | Aug 10 - Aug 23, 2012 | | 17B | Buck antelope | 3 3 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (4) | 17B | Buck antelope | 3 -2 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 18A | Buck antelope | 10 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 18B | Buck antelope | 15 -10 |
| | Aug 10 - Aug 23, 2012 | (4,7) | 19A (north of AZ Hwy 69/169 and east of Robert Rd, and north of US Hwy 89A) | Buck antelope | 30 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (4,7) | 19A (north of AZ Hwy 69/169 and east of Robert Rd, and north of US Hwy 89A) | Buck antelope | 30 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (4) | 19B | Buck antelope | 5 5 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (5) | 21 | Buck antelope | 15 0 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | | 27 | Buck antelope | 1 1 |
| No Hunt | Aug 19 - Sep 1, 2011 | (10) | 27 South | Buck antelope | 0 -3 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (13) | 31 and 32 | Buck antelope | 6 -4 |
| No Hunt | Aug 19 - Sep 1, 2011 | (13) | 34B | Buck antelope | 0 -1 |
| No Hunt | Aug 19 - Sep 1, 2011 | (4) | 35A (except Fort Huachuca) and 35B | Buck antelope | 0 -1 |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (3) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Buck antelope | |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (11) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A | Buck antelope | |
| | Aug 24 - Sep 6, 2012 | (11) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B | Buck antelope | |

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Season Dates

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Open Areas

Legal Wildlife

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WHEN APPLYING FOR BIG GAME HUNT PERMIT-TAGS, YOU MUST USE HUNT NUMBERS!

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Class F or G license plus Pronghorn Antelope hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

Notes:

1. 3B North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 3B located north of U.S. Hwy 60.
2. 3B South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 3B located south of U.S. Hwy 60.
3. Camp Navajo in Unit 6B is open to antelope hunting only to properly licensed hunters who meet the qualifications as "Authorized Participants" according to the installation hunting policies outlined on the Camp Navajo website. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Hunters must agree to the Camp Navajo hunting policies during the required registration at http://www.campnavajo.com/index.php?which_page=recreation. After registering, hunters will gain access to the hunt numbers required when submitting the application. All hunters are required to show proof of attendance to a hunter safety education course during paperwork submission for the Camp Navajo permit. Increases in Force Protection Conditions, training missions and industrial operations may result in partial or complete hunt cancellation at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled, hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department.
4. Hunter access in this unit is restricted. Applicants should secure access before applying.
5. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.
6. In the northern portion of Unit 5A, access is permitted on the Clear Creek Ranch by written permission only by contacting the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program via e-mail at hopihunts@hopi.nsn.us or by calling (928) 734-3606 or (928) 734-3605 from Monday-Friday 8am-5pm. Please contact in advance to gain access for hunting and scouting. In Unit 5B North access is permitted on the Hopi's Hart/Drye Ranch and in Unit 4A on the Hopi's Aja Ranch by signing in at designated sign-in boxes located at access points.
7. Vehicle access into portions of 19A (specifically within the following: south of US Hwy 89A, east of Robert Rd, north of AZ Hwy 169/69, and west of FR151/643) is restricted. Foot access is unrestricted.
8. 6B North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 6B located north of the following: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Hwy 89A (mp 371) and FR 152 (Dry Creek Rd.); north on FR 152 to FR 152C (Boynton Pass Rd.); west on FR 152C to FR 525 (Red Canyon Rd.); northwest on FR 525 to the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary at Gate 2 of 9999 Red Canyon Rd.; westerly along the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary to the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary (at the gate in section 18); southwest along the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary to Dogie Trail (Forest Trail 116); northwest on Dogie Trail to Sycamore Creek.
9. 6B South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 6B located south of the following: Beginning at the junction of U.S. Hwy 89A (mp 371) and FR 152 (Dry Creek Rd.); north on FR 152 to FR 152C (Boynton Pass Rd.); west on FR 152C to FR 525 (Red Canyon Rd.); northwest on FR 525 to the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary at Gate 2 of 9999 Red Canyon Rd.; westerly along the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness boundary to the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary (at the gate in section 18); southwest along the Sycamore Canyon Wilderness boundary to Dogie Trail (Forest Trail 116); northwest on Dogie Trail to Sycamore Creek.
10. 27 South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 27 located beginning at the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary; easterly on Forest Trail 309 to FR 54; easterly on FR 54 to U.S. Hwy 191; southeasterly on U.S. Hwy 191 to Forest Trail 35; southeasterly on Forest Trail 35 to Blue River; northerly on Blue River to Bear Canyon; northeasterly on Bear Canyon to Forest Trail 54; easterly on Forest Trail 54 to Forest Trail 43; easterly on Forest Trail 43 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line; southerly along the state line to the San Francisco River; westerly along the San Francisco River to U.S. Hwy 191; northerly on U.S. Hwy 191 to San Carlos-Morenci-Clifton Road; west on San Carlos-Morenci-Clifton Road to Eagle Creek; north along Eagle Creek to the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary; north along the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary to Forest Trail 309.
11. Hopi Trust lands in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B are open to both state and Hopi hunters under an agreement with the Hopi Tribe. A percentage of tags are set aside for Hopi Tribal member hunters. Hopi hunt numbers for these hunts must be obtained from the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program by calling (928) 734-3606 or (928) 734-3605. Non-Hopi Tribal members cannot apply for these hunts. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department on the standard form by the published deadline. The Hopi Wildlife and Ecosystems Management program has requested that all Hopi Tribal elk hunters for these hunts provide a sample for Chronic Wasting Disease testing. Please call 928-734-3606/3605 if you have any questions. If all permits for these hunts are not issued through the draw, the left-over permits will be available to all hunters (tribal and non-tribal) through the first-come, first-serve process. Hunt numbers for left over permits will be available on the AZGF website.
12. The Fort Huachuca Army Garrison in Unit 35A is open to pronghorn antelope hunting only to properly licensed military and Fort Huachuca civilian personnel holding a valid Fort Huachuca post hunting permit. Hunt numbers, season dates and/or special regulations must be obtained from Fort Huachuca. Increases in Force Protection may result in hunt cancellations at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled due to an increase in security, hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline.

13. The following Pima County parks and preserves are open to hunting: A-7 Ranch in Units 32 and 33, Emperita Ranch in Unit 34B, Bar V Ranch in Unit 34B, Sands Ranch in Unit 34B, and Clyne Ranch in Unit 34B. Hunting in County Parks, opened by this Commission Order, is not permitted within $\frac{1}{4}$ mile of any developed picnic area, developed camp ground, shooting range, occupied building, boat ramp, or golf course. Developed areas do not include trails.
14. Areas of private property within municipal boundaries are closed to hunting during this hunt.

DEFINITION: BUCK ANTELOPE - means a male pronghorn antelope as defined in R12-4-101.

PRONGHORN ANTELOPE BAG LIMIT: One (1) pronghorn antelope per calendar year except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

Hunt Recommendations

Commission Order 4: Elk

General Elk

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| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|----------------|----------|
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Sep 29, 2011 | (18) | 1, 2B, and 2C | Bull elk | 0 -45 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | | 3A and 3C | Bull elk | 40 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | | 4A | Bull elk | 24 24 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | | 4B | Bull elk | 50 0 |
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Sep 29, 2011 | (5,20,35) | 5B North | Bull elk | 0 -24 |
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Sep 29, 2011 | (15,20,35) | 6B (except Camp Navajo) | Bull elk | 0 -25 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | | 9 | Bull elk | 25 25 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (35) | 10 | Bull elk | 100 50 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (10,35) | 22 North | Bull elk | 30 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (12,35) | 23 North | Bull elk | 20 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | | 27 | Bull elk | 25 25 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (5,20,28,35) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A | Bull elk | |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (18) | 1, 2B, and 2C | Bull elk | 365 -60 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | | 3A and 3C | Bull elk | 325 -100 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | | 4A | Bull elk | 390 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | | 4B | Bull elk | 300 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (3,20,35) | 5A | Bull elk | 291 -48 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (20,35) | 5B | Bull elk | 757 -74 |
| | Oct 26 - Oct 29, 2012 | (20) | 6A | Bull elk | 125 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (20) | 6A | Bull elk | 900 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (15,20) | 6B (except Camp Navajo) | Bull elk | 190 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (8,20,35) | 7 East | Bull elk | 325 -100 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (9,20,35) | 7 West | Bull elk | 275 -50 |
| No Hunt | Oct 21 - Oct 24, 2011 | (20,35) | 8 | Bull elk | 0 -75 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (20) | 8 | Bull elk | 500 -100 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (20,35) | 9 | Bull elk | 275 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (35) | 10 | Bull elk | 600 100 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | | 19A | Bull elk | 30 -10 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (16,35) | 21 | Bull elk | 20 5 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (10,35) | 22 North | Bull elk | 450 0 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 13, 2012 | (10,35) | 22 North | Bull elk | 100 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (11,35) | 22 South | Bull elk | 30 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (35) | 23 | Bull elk | 200 -50 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (18) | 27 | Bull elk | 400 0 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A | Bull elk | |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (20,28,35) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A | Bull elk | |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | (20,28,35) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B | Bull elk | |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 13, 2012 | (1,18) | Escudilla Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 75 0 |
| No Hunt | Dec 9 - Dec 15, 2011 | (18) | 1, 2B, and 2C | Antlerless elk | 0 -300 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 13, 2012 | (18) | 1, 2B, and 2C | Antlerless elk | 315 -45 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | | 3A and 3C | Antlerless elk | 350 350 |
| No Hunt | Oct 21 - Oct 27, 2011 | | 3A and 3C East | Antlerless elk | 0 -200 |
| No Hunt | Oct 21 - Oct 27, 2011 | | 3C West | Antlerless elk | 0 -150 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | | 4A | Antlerless elk | 122 25 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | | 4B | Antlerless elk | 50 0 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (3,20,35) | 5A | Antlerless elk | 121 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (5,20,35) | 5B North | Antlerless elk | 285 44 |

General Elk

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| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------|---|----------------|------------|
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (7,20,35) | 5B South | Antlerless elk | 450 0 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (20) | 6A | Antlerless elk | 500 50 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 16, 2012 | (15,20) | 6B (except Camp Navajo) | Antlerless elk | 200 0 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 16, 2012 | (8,20,35) | 7 East | Antlerless elk | 125 -225 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (29,35) | 7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area) | Antlerless elk | 10 -40 |
| | Oct 5 - Oct 11, 2012 | | 7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area) | Antlerless elk | 10 10 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | | 7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area) | Antlerless elk | 10 10 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 28, 2012 | (29,35) | 7 East (excluding the Peaks Hunt Area) | Antlerless elk | 10 -40 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (9,20,35) | 7 West | Antlerless elk | 550 150 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 13, 2012 | (9,20,35) | 7 West | Antlerless elk | 100 -160 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 13, 2012 | (20) | 8 | Antlerless elk | 475 100 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (20,35) | 9 | Antlerless elk | 250 0 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 13, 2012 | (20,35) | 9 | Antlerless elk | 250 0 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (35) | 10 | Antlerless elk | 900 0 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 16, 2012 | (35) | 10 | Antlerless elk | 810 110 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | | 19A | Antlerless elk | 30 -10 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 16, 2012 | | 19A | Antlerless elk | 20 -10 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2011 | | 21 | Antlerless elk | 25 25 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (10,35) | 22 North | Antlerless elk | 275 100 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (11,35) | 22 South | Antlerless elk | 25 0 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 13, 2012 | (35) | 23 | Antlerless elk | 200 25 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (12,35) | 23 North | Antlerless elk | 25 0 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (13,35) | 23 South | Antlerless elk | 25 0 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (18) | 27 | Antlerless elk | 305 0 |
| | Oct 1 - Oct 7, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Antlerless elk | |
| | Nov 23 - Dec 13, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Antlerless elk | |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (15,17) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B (Disabled Veteran) | Antlerless elk | |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (20,28,35) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A | Antlerless elk | |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (5,20,28,35) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North | Antlerless elk | |
| | Oct 1 - Oct 7, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Any elk | |
| | Oct 26 - Nov 1, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Any elk | |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (15,17) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B (Disabled Veteran) | Any elk | |
| Total | | | | | 14060 -713 |

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LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Elk hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

Juniors-Only Elk

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|----------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------|-----------|
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (18) | 1 and 2C | Antlerless elk | 150 -25 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | | 3A and 3C | Antlerless elk | 200 -100 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | | 4A | Antlerless elk | 97 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (20) | 6A | Antlerless elk | 500 0 |
| | Nov 9 - Nov 15, 2012 | (35) | 22 | Antlerless elk | 50 20 |
| | Nov 9 - Nov 15, 2012 | (35) | 23 | Antlerless elk | 30 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A | Antlerless elk | |
| Total | | | | | 1027 -105 |

Juniors-Only Elk

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| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife |
|---|-------|------------|----------------|
| WHEN APPLYING FOR BIG GAME HUNT PERMIT-TAGS, YOU MUST USE HUNT NUMBERS! | | | |
| When applying for a Juniors-Only Hunt, do not reapply for the same species with family on a separate application. | | | |
| LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304. | | | |
| LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Elk hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number. | | | |
| ELIGIBLE HUNTERS: Persons are eligible to participate up to and throughout the calendar year of their 17th birthday, provided that persons between the ages 10 and 13 have satisfactorily completed a Hunter Education Course that is approved by the Director as per ARS 17-335 (C). | | | |

Limited Opportunity (General) Elk

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|------------------|---|----------------|---------|
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (29,35) | Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East | Bull elk | 30 30 |
| | Oct 5 - Oct 11, 2012 | (29,35) | Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East | Bull elk | 30 30 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (29,35) | Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East | Bull elk | 30 30 |
| | Oct 5 - Oct 18, 2012 | (14,35) | 15A, 15B, and 18A | Bull elk | 25 0 |
| | Oct 5 - Oct 18, 2012 | (14) | 17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C | Bull elk | 35 0 |
| No Hunt | Nov 4 - Nov 10, 2011 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Nov 25 - Dec 4, 2011 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Dec 9 - Dec 18, 2011 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Dec 23 - Dec 31, 2011 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| | Aug 3 - Aug 12, 2012 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 10 0 |
| | Aug 17 - Aug 26, 2012 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 10 0 |
| | Aug 31 - Sep 9, 2012 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 10 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 7, 2012 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 10 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 21, 2012 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 10 0 |
| | Oct 26 - Nov 4, 2012 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 10 0 |
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Oct 2, 2011 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -5 |
| No Hunt | Nov 4 - Nov 10, 2011 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -5 |
| No Hunt | Nov 25 - Dec 4, 2011 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -5 |
| | Aug 3 - Aug 12, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Aug 17 - Aug 26, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Aug 31 - Sep 9, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 7, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 21, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Oct 26 - Nov 4, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Dec 7 - Dec 16, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Dec 21 - Dec 31, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| No Hunt | Dec 2 - Dec 11, 2011 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Antlerless elk | 0 -30 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 23, 2012 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Antlerless elk | 40 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 7, 2012 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Antlerless elk | 40 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 21, 2012 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Antlerless elk | 30 0 |
| | Aug 10 - Aug 19, 2012 | (2,14) | 3A and 4B Dry Lake | Antlerless elk | 15 -45 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (3,4,6,14,28,35) | East Sunset, West Sunset, Meteor Crater, Twin Arrows, Two Guns, and Grapevine Hunt Areas in Units 5A and 5B North | Antlerless elk | 37 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (29,35) | Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East | Antlerless elk | 75 -15 |
| | Oct 5 - Oct 11, 2012 | (29,35) | Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East | Antlerless elk | 75 75 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (29,35) | Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East | Antlerless elk | 75 75 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 28, 2012 | (29,35) | Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East | Antlerless elk | 75 -15 |
| | Nov 9 - Dec 13, 2012 | (14,35) | 15A, 15B, and 18A | Antlerless elk | 200 0 |

Limited Opportunity (General) Elk

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits | |
|----------|-----------------------|------------------|---|----------------|---------|-----|
| | Oct 5 - Oct 18, 2012 | (14) | 17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C | Antlerless elk | 150 | 0 |
| | Nov 9 - Dec 13, 2012 | (14) | 17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C | Antlerless elk | 250 | 0 |
| | Aug 10 - Aug 23, 2012 | (14,21) | Martinez Hunt Area in Unit 27 | Antlerless elk | 25 | 0 |
| | Aug 10 - Aug 23, 2012 | (14,19) | 27 South | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (3,4,6,14,28,35) | Hopi Hunt (East Sunset, West Sunset, Meteor Crater, Twin Arrows, Two Guns, and Grapevine Hunt Areas in Units 5A and 5B North) | Antlerless elk | | |
| No Hunt | Dec 2 - Dec 11, 2011 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Any elk | 0 | -15 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 23, 2012 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Any elk | 20 | 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 7, 2012 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Any elk | 20 | 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 21, 2012 | (14) | 2A and 2B | Any elk | 15 | 0 |
| No Hunt | Aug 5 - Aug 14, 2011 | (2,14) | 3A and 4B Dry Lake | Any elk | 0 | -15 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (3,4,6,14,35) | East Sunset, West Sunset, Meteor Crater, Twin Arrows, Two Guns, and Grapevine Hunt Areas in Units 5A and 5B North | Any elk | 25 | 0 |
| | Nov 9 - Dec 13, 2012 | (14,35) | 15A, 15B, and 18A | Any elk | 150 | 0 |
| | Nov 9 - Dec 13, 2012 | (14) | 17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C | Any elk | 150 | 0 |
| No Hunt | Oct 14 - Oct 20, 2011 | (14,35) | 24A | Any elk | 0 | -5 |
| | Sep 21 - Sep 27, 2012 | (14,35) | 24A | Any elk | 5 | 0 |
| | Oct 5 - Nov 1, 2012 | (14,34,35) | 28, 31, and 32 | Any elk | 10 | 0 |
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (3,4,6,14,28,35) | Hopi Hunt (East Sunset, West Sunset, Meteor Crater, Twin Arrows, Two Guns, and Grapevine Hunt Areas in Units 5A and 5B North) | Any elk | | |
| Total | | | | | 1782 | 45 |

WHEN APPLYING FOR BIG GAME HUNT PERMIT-TAGS, YOU MUST USE HUNT NUMBERS!

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Elk hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

CHAMP Elk

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits | |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|------------|----------------|---------|----|
| | Oct 19 - Oct 25, 2012 | (18) | 1 | Any elk | 10 | 0 |
| | Nov 23 - Nov 29, 2012 | (20,35) | 6A | Any elk | 25 | 0 |
| | Nov 9 - Nov 15, 2012 | (35) | 10 | Any elk | 10 | 10 |
| Total | | | | | 45 | 10 |

WHEN APPLYING FOR BIG GAME HUNT PERMIT-TAGS, YOU MUST USE HUNT NUMBERS!

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Elk hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114, and a CHAMP permit. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

ELIGIBLE HUNTERS: Limited to individuals with a Challenged Hunter Access/Mobility Permit (CHAMP) as pursuant to R12-4-217.

Muzzleloader Elk

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits | |
|----------|----------------------|-------|------------|----------------|---------|----|
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (18) | 1, 2B, 2C | Bull elk | 45 | 45 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | | 3B | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |

Muzzleloader Elk

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| | Nov 30 - Dec 6, 2012 | | 3B | Bull elk | 200 0 |
| | Nov 16 - Nov 22, 2012 | (20) | 6A | Bull elk | 300 0 |
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Sep 29, 2011 | (20,35) | 8 | Bull elk | 0 -25 |
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Sep 29, 2011 | (20,35) | 9 | Bull elk | 0 -25 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (35) | 16A (except Mohave County Park Lands) | Bull elk | 3 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (16,35) | 21 | Bull elk | 5 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (11,35) | 22 South | Bull elk | 40 0 |
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Sep 29, 2011 | | 27 | Bull elk | 0 -25 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | | 6A | Bull elk | 50 50 |
| | Dec 14 - Dec 31, 2012 | | 3B | Antlerless elk | 250 0 |
| | Nov 16 - Nov 22, 2012 | (20) | 6A | Antlerless elk | 75 -25 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 4, 2012 | (20) | 8 | Antlerless elk | 120 0 |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Antlerless elk | |
| | Oct 12 - Oct 18, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Any elk | |
| | | | | Total | 1113 -5 |

WHEN APPLYING FOR BIG GAME HUNT PERMIT-TAGS, YOU MUST USE HUNT NUMBERS!

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Muzzleloading weapons as prescribed in R12-4-101 and R12-4-318, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Elk hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

Archery-Only Elk

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 1, 2B, and 2C | Bull elk | 245 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 3A and 3C | Bull elk | 125 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 3B | Bull elk | 75 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 4A | Bull elk | 219 1 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 4B | Bull elk | 150 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (3,20) | 5A | Bull elk | 179 -25 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (5,20) | 5B North | Bull elk | 241 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (7,20) | 5B South | Bull elk | 175 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 6A | Bull elk | 650 55 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (15,20) | 6B (except Camp Navajo) | Bull elk | 125 25 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (8,20) | 7 East | Bull elk | 110 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (9,20) | 7 West | Bull elk | 100 -25 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (20) | 8 | Bull elk | 150 -50 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (20) | 9 | Bull elk | 100 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 10 | Bull elk | 200 50 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (20) | 11M | Bull elk | 80 0 |
| | Sep 28 - Oct 11, 2012 | (20) | 11M | Bull elk | 80 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 16A (except Mohave County Park Lands) | Bull elk | 4 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 19A | Bull elk | 15 -5 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2011 | | 21 | Bull elk | 10 10 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 22 | Bull elk | 25 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (12) | 23 North | Bull elk | 15 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (13) | 23 South | Bull elk | 15 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 27 | Bull elk | 150 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A | Bull elk | |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (20,28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A | Bull elk | |

Archery-Only Elk

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| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------------|-----|-----|
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (5,20,28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North | Bull elk | | |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 1, 2B, and 2C | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 3A and 3C | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 3B | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 4A | Bull elk | 24 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 4B | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (3,20) | 5A | Bull elk | 24 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (5,20) | 5B North | Bull elk | 24 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (7,20) | 5B South | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 23 - Nov 29, 2012 | (20) | 6A | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (15,20) | 6B (except Camp Navajo) | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (8,20) | 7 East | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (9,20) | 7 West | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (20) | 8 | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (20) | 9 | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 10 | Bull elk | 30 | 5 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (10) | 22 North | Bull elk | 275 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (11) | 22 South | Bull elk | 30 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 23 | Bull elk | 200 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 27 | Bull elk | 25 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A | Bull elk | | |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (20,28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A | Bull elk | | |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | (5,20,28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North | Bull elk | | |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 1, 2B, and 2C | Antlerless elk | 75 | -25 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 3A and 3C | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 3B | Antlerless elk | 25 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 4A | Antlerless elk | 78 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 4B | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (3,20) | 5A | Antlerless elk | 39 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (5,20) | 5B North | Antlerless elk | 24 | -48 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (7,20) | 5B South | Antlerless elk | 50 | -25 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 6A | Antlerless elk | 75 | -50 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (15,20) | 6B (except Camp Navajo) | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (8,20) | 7 East | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (9,20) | 7 West | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (20) | 8 | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 10 | Antlerless elk | 50 | -25 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (20) | 11M | Antlerless elk | 80 | 0 |
| Sep 28 - Oct 11, 2012 | (20) | 11M | Antlerless elk | 80 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 22 | Antlerless elk | 70 | 0 |
| Nov 16 - Nov 29, 2012 | | 23 | Antlerless elk | 25 | -25 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | | 27 | Antlerless elk | 50 | 0 |
| Sep 14 - Sep 20, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Antlerless elk | | |
| Sep 21 - Sep 30, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Antlerless elk | | |
| Nov 9 - Nov 22, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Antlerless elk | | |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 4A | Antlerless elk | | |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (20,28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5A | Antlerless elk | | |
| Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (5,20,28) | Hopi Hunt in Unit 5B North | Antlerless elk | | |
| Sep 14 - Sep 20, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Any elk | | |
| Sep 21 - Sep 30, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Any elk | | |
| Nov 9 - Nov 22, 2012 | (15) | Camp Navajo in Unit 6B | Any elk | | |

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Archery-Only Elk

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| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife |
|--|-------|------------|----------------|
| WHEN APPLYING FOR BIG GAME HUNT PERMIT-TAGS, YOU MUST USE HUNT NUMBERS! | | | |
| LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216. | | | |
| LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Elk hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number. | | | |

Limited Opportunity (Archery-Only) Elk

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| Hunt No. | Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------|-----------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| | Sep 14 - Oct 4, 2012 | (14) | 15A, 15B, and 18A | Bull elk | 25 0 |
| | Sep 14 - Oct 4, 2012 | (14) | 17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C | Bull elk | 35 0 |
| No Hunt | Nov 11 - Nov 20, 2011 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 23, 2012 | (14,31) | Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 10 0 |
| No Hunt | Aug 19 - Aug 22, 2011 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Aug 26 - Sep 4, 2011 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Sep 9 - Sep 18, 2011 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Sep 23 - Oct 2, 2011 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Oct 21 - Oct 30, 2011 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| No Hunt | Dec 23 - Dec 31, 2011 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 0 -10 |
| | Aug 3 - Aug 12, 2012 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 30 20 |
| | Sep 7 - Sep 30, 2012 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 30 20 |
| | Oct 5 - Oct 28, 2012 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 30 20 |
| | Nov 2 - Nov 11, 2012 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 15 5 |
| | Nov 16 - Nov 25, 2012 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 15 5 |
| | Nov 30 - Dec 9, 2012 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 15 5 |
| | Dec 14 - Dec 23, 2012 | (14,32) | Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 15 5 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 23, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Nov 9 - Nov 18, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 0 |
| | Nov 23 - Dec 2, 2012 | (14,33) | Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 | Antlerless elk | 5 5 |
| | Sep 14 - Oct 4, 2012 | (14) | 17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C | Antlerless elk | 35 -40 |
| | Sep 14 - Sep 27, 2012 | (14,34) | 28, 31, and 32 | Any elk | 5 0 |
| | | | | Total | 275 -25 |

WHEN APPLYING FOR BIG GAME HUNT PERMIT-TAGS, YOU MUST USE HUNT NUMBERS!

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Elk hunt permit-tag obtained only through application and drawing procedures as prescribed in R12-4-104 and R12-4-114. Applicants must apply by Hunt Number.

General Nonpermit Tag Required Elk

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| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife |
|-----------------------|------------|---|----------------|
| Apr 1 - Jul 31, 2012 | (22,23,25) | Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area and Verde Valley Hunt Area | Bull elk |
| Nov 23 - Dec 31, 2012 | (22,27,34) | 28 (excluding the Gila River corridor - see note), 31, and 32 | Any elk |
| Dec 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (22,24,25) | Verde Valley Hunt Area and Alamo Lake Hunt Area | Any elk |
| Sep 21 - Oct 25, 2012 | (22,24) | Alamo Lake Hunt Area | Any elk |
| Aug 1 - Sep 13, 2012 | (22,25) | Verde Valley Hunt Area | Any elk |

General Nonpermit Tag Required Elk

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| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife |
|----------------------|---------------|---|----------------|
| Aug 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (22,23) | Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area and Units 12A and 12B | Any elk |
| Jan 1 - Mar 31, 2012 | (22,23,24,25) | Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area, Verde Valley Hunt Area, Alamo Lake Hunt Area, and Units 12A and 12B | Any elk |

Archery-Only Nonpermit Tag Required Elk

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife |
|----------------------|---------|------------------------|----------------|
| Apr 1 - Jul 31, 2012 | (22,26) | Rincon Basin Hunt Area | Bull elk |
| Jan 1 - Mar 31, 2012 | (22,26) | Rincon Basin Hunt Area | Any elk |
| Aug 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (22,26) | Rincon Basin Hunt Area | Any elk |

Notes:

1. Escudilla Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 east and north of U.S. Hwy 180.
2. 3A and 4B Dry Lake Hunt Unit - All of Unit 3A and that portion of Unit 4B beginning at AZ Hwy 377 and the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest boundary (mile post 6.3); west and north along the forest boundary to Black Canyon; northwesterly along the bottom of Black Canyon to Hutch Ranch Road; Hutch Ranch Road easterly to AZ Hwy 377 (mp 15.2); southwesterly on AZ Hwy 377 to the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest Boundary (mp 6.3).
3. In the northern portion of Unit 5A, access is permitted on the Clear Creek Ranch by written permission only by contacting the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program via e-mail at hopihunts@hopi.nsn.us or by calling (928) 734-3606 or (928) 734-3605 from Monday-Friday 8am-5pm. Please contact in advance to gain access for hunting and scouting. In Unit 5B North access is permitted on the Hopi's Hart/Drye Ranch and in Unit 4A on the Hopi's Aja Ranch by signing in at designated sign-in boxes located at access points.
4. East Sunset, West Sunset, and Meteor Crater Hunt Area in Units 5A and 5B North - That portion of Unit 5A beginning at the junction of the northern boundary of the Coconino National Forest and AZ Hwy 87 (mp 316.7 on Hwy 87); west, north and west along the Coconino National Forest boundary to FR 69 (Meteor Crater Road); northerly along the FR 69 approximately 10.8 miles to a dirt road (Wolfolk Well Rd.); westerly on the dirt road to Diablo Canyon; northerly along the bottom of Diablo Canyon to I-40; easterly on I-40 to Hipkoe Dr. in Winslow; south on Hipkoe Dr. to Business I-40 (3rd Street); east on Business I-40 (3rd Street) to AZ Hwy 87; south on AZ Hwy 87 to AZ Hwy 99; south on AZ Hwy 99 to East Clear Creek; southwesterly along the bottom of East Clear Creek to the Coconino National Forest boundary; north and west along the Coconino National Forest boundary to AZ Hwy 87.
5. 5B North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 5B located north of the following roads: Beginning at the junction of FH 3 (Lake Mary/Clints Well Road) and FR 125; east on FR 125 to FR 82; south on FR 82 to FR 69B; east on FR 69B to FR 69.
6. Twin Arrows, Two Guns, and Grapevine Hunt Combined Hunt Areas in Unit 5B North - That portion of 5B beginning at the junction of FR 69 and the rim of Anderson Mesa (at Chavez Pass); northwest along the rim of Anderson Mesa to FR 125; north along FR 125 to FR 126; northwest on FR 126 (Twin Arrows road) to I-40; east along I-40 to Diablo Canyon; south along the bottom of Diablo Canyon approximately 16 miles to the extended Wolfolk Well dirt road; east on the Wolfolk Well dirt road to the Meteor Crater road (approx. 11.5 miles south of I-40); south on the Meteor Crater road approximately 13 miles to the junction of FR 69 and the rim of Anderson Mesa (at Chavez Pass).
7. 5B South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 5B located south of the following roads: Beginning at the junction of FH 3 (Lake Mary/Clints Well Road) and FR 125; east on FR 125 to FR 82; south on FR 82 to FR 69B; east on FR 69B to FR 69.
8. 7 East Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 7 located east of AZ Hwy 180.
9. 7 West Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 7 located west of AZ Hwy 180.
10. 22 North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 22 located north of the following: Beginning at the confluence of the Verde River and the East Verde River; easterly along the East Verde River to FR 406; easterly on FR 406 to AZ Hwy 260 in Payson; easterly on AZ Hwy 260 to Tonto Creek (the Unit Boundary).
11. 22 South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 22 located south of the following: Beginning at the confluence of the Verde River and the East Verde River; easterly along the east Verde River to FR 406; easterly on FR 406 to AZ Hwy 260 in Payson; easterly on AZ Hwy 260 to Tonto Creek (the Unit Boundary).

12. 23 North Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 23 located north of the following: Beginning at the junction of Tonto Creek and Spring Creek; east along Spring Creek to FR 134; east on FR 134 to FR 129; east on FR 129 to AZ Hwy 288; east on AZ Hwy 288 to FR 54; east on FR 54 to FR 202; south on FR 202 to FR 127; east on FR 127 to FR 127A; east on FR 127A to the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation Boundary.
13. 23 South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 23 located south of the following: Beginning at the junction of Tonto Creek and Spring Creek; east along Spring Creek to FR 134; east on FR 134 to FR 129; east on FR 129 to AZ Hwy 288; east on AZ Hwy 288 to FR 54; east on FR 54 to FR 202; south on FR 202 to FR 127; east on FR 127 to FR 127A; east on FR 127A to the White Mountain Apache Indian Reservation Boundary.
14. Elk occur in low numbers in these non-traditional areas. Hunt success may be very low to no success.
15. Camp Navajo in Unit 6B is open to elk hunting only to properly licensed hunters who meet the qualifications as "Authorized Participants" according to the installation hunting policies outlined on the Camp Navajo website. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to Arizona Game and Fish Department by the published deadline. Hunters must agree to the Camp Navajo hunting policies during the required registration at http://www.campnavajo.com/index.php?which_page=recreation. After registering, hunters will gain access to the hunt numbers required when submitting the application. All hunters are required to show proof of attendance to a hunter safety education course during paperwork submission for the Camp Navajo permit. Increases in Force Protection Conditions, training missions and industrial operations may result in partial or complete hunt cancellation at any time with little or no prior notification. In the event a hunt is cancelled, hunters drawn for these permits will not be reimbursed or otherwise compensated by the Arizona Game and Fish Department.
16. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.
17. Eligible disabled veterans must be rated at 50% or greater as determined by the Veterans Administration. Written proof is required prior to being allowed to hunt on Camp Navajo.
18. Portions of Units 1 and 27 are closed to elk hunting during firearms seasons. Hunting is not permitted in the Alpine Valley in the following areas of Units 1 and 27: all lands in Section 12, Township 5 North, Range 30 East; all lands, other than USFS lands, in Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 13, and 14, Township 5 North, Range 30 East; and all lands, other than USFS lands, in Sections 7, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20, Township 5 North, Range 31 East.
19. 27 South Hunt Unit - That portion of Unit 27 located beginning at the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary; easterly on Forest Trail 309 to FR 54; easterly on FR 54 to U.S. Hwy 191; southeasterly on U.S. Hwy 191 to Forest Trail 35; southeasterly on Forest Trail 35 to Blue River; northerly on Blue River to Bear Canyon; northeasterly on Bear Canyon to Forest Trail 54; easterly on Forest Trail 54 to Forest Trail 43; easterly on Forest Trail 43 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line; southerly along the state line to the San Francisco River; westerly along the San Francisco River to U.S. Hwy 191; northerly on U.S. Hwy 191 to San Carlos-Morenci-Clifton Road; west on San Carlos-Morenci-Clifton Road to Eagle Creek; north along Eagle Creek to the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary; north along the San Carlos Indian Reservation Boundary to Forest Trail 309.
20. The U.S. Forest Service has expressed concern regarding road damage during wet weather. The Department is working with the U.S. Forest Service to provide limited access via designated core roads in units 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B, 7, 8, and 9 that will remain open during periods when other roads may be closed. When weather is deemed severe, the core roads may also be closed to prevent excessive road damage, provide for public safety, and protect natural resources. Roads that have been closed are closed to all users. Hunters should respect and obey road closures and drive responsibly during wet periods. It is recommended that hunters contact the appropriate Forest Service office to determine current road status for their hunt area (see the Index: Hunting on Public Lands).
21. Martinez Hunt Area in Unit 27 - That portion of Unit 27 beginning at the Arizona-New Mexico state line and AZ Hwy 78; southwest on AZ Hwy 78 to U.S. Hwy 191; north on U.S. Hwy 191 to the San Francisco River in Clifton; easterly along the San Francisco River to the Arizona-New Mexico state line; south along the New Mexico state line to AZ Hwy 78.
22. Over-the counter nonpermit-tags for elk are available in some hunt areas. Elk numbers in these hunt areas are very low; therefore, hunt success is expected to be very low. Make sure you obtain permission to hunt on private lands. These hunts will not affect your Bonus Points but do count towards your one-elk-per-calendar-year bag limit. More information on these hunts can be found on the Department's Web site at www.azgfd.gov/otc.
23. Winslow-Holbrook Hunt Area in Units 4A, and 4B - Beginning at the northwest corner of Unit 4A and the southwest corner of the Navajo Indian Reservation; south to I-40 at MP 221.4; east on I-40 to Hipkoe Drive (exit 252); south on Hipkoe Drive to Business I-40 (3rd Street); east on Business I-40 to AZ Hwy 87; south on AZ Hwy 87 to AZ Hwy 99; southeast on AZ Hwy 99 to Territorial Road; east on Territorial Road to intersection of Territorial Road and Obed Road (at this intersection Territorial Road becomes Mclaws Road); east on Mclaws Road to AZ Hwy 77; north on AZ Hwy 77 to I-40; east along I-40 to AZ Hwy 77 (exit 292); north on AZ Hwy 77 to the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary; west along the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary to the southwest corner of the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary.
24. Alamo Lake Hunt Area in Units 16A and 44A - That portion of Unit 16A south and east of the following: beginning at Bill Williams River and Planet Ranch Road, north on Planet Ranch Road to Yucca-Alamo Road, southeast on Yucca-Alamo Road to Chicken Springs Ranch Road, northeast on Chicken Springs Ranch Road to US Hwy 93; and that portion of Unit 44A north of Alamo-Highway 93 Road and west of AZ Hwy 93.
25. Verde Valley Hunt Area in Units 6A, 19A, and 21 - Beginning in that portion of Unit 6A at the junction of I-17 and FR 618 (Beaver Creek Road); southeasterly along FR 618 to AZ Hwy 260 (General Crook Trail); east along AZ Hwy 260 to FR 708 (Fossil Creek Road); east along FR 708 to FR 500; south along FR 500 to the Verde River to Chasm Creek; west along the bottom of Chasm Creek to FR 574 (Salt Mine Road) in the Prescott National Forest; northwesterly along FR 574 to Oasis Road; westerly along Oasis Road to AZ Hwy 260; west along AZ Hwy 260 to US Hwy 89A; north along US Hwy 89A to FR 119 (Cornville Road); east along FR 119 to FR 120 (Bearverhead Flat Road); north along FR 120 to AZ Hwy 179; easterly along AZ Hwy 179 to I-17.
26. Rincon Basin Hunt Area in Units 4A and 4B - Those portions of Units 4A and 4B beginning at the junction of I-40 and North Park Drive (exit 253); north along North Park Drive to McHood Road; east along McHood Road to the Little Colorado River; south along the Little Colorado River channel to I-40; west along I-40 to North Park Drive (exit 253).

27. Gila River Corridor in Unit 28 - That portion of Unit 28 within the following boundaries is closed to elk hunting: beginning at the San Carlos Reservation boundary and U.S. Hwy 70 east of Bylas; east along U.S. Hwy 70 to East Sanchez Road (in Solomon); north along East Sanchez Road to North Airport Road; west along North Airport Road to the Safford-Bryce-Eden Road; west along the Safford-Bryce-Eden Road through to the North River Road and on to the San Carlos Reservation boundary; and south along the San Carlos Reservation boundary to U.S. Hwy 70.
28. Hopi Trust lands in Units 4A, 5A, and 5B are open to both state and Hopi hunters under an agreement with the Hopi Tribe. A percentage of tags are set aside for Hopi Tribal member hunters. Hopi hunt numbers for these hunts must be obtained from the Hopi Tribe Wildlife and Ecosystems Management Program by calling (928) 734-3606 or (928) 734-3605. Non-Hopi Tribal members cannot apply for these hunts. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department on the standard form by the published deadline. The Hopi Wildlife and Ecosystems Management program has requested that all Hopi Tribal elk hunters for these hunts provide a sample for Chronic Wasting Disease testing. Please call 928-734-3606/3605 if you have any questions. If all permits for these hunts are not issued through the draw, the left-over permits will be available to all hunters (tribal and non-tribal) through the first-come, first-serve process. Hunt numbers for left over permits will be available on the AZGF website.
29. Peaks Hunt Area in Unit 7 East - That portion of Unit 7 East beginning at the intersection of FR 418 and FR 420 (Schultz Pass Rd); southwesterly along FR 420 to the Transwestern Gas Pipeline; westerly along the Transwestern Gas Pipeline to U.S. Hwy 180; northerly along U.S. Hwy 180 to FR 151 (mp 235); easterly along FR 151 to FR 418; easterly along FR 418 to the intersection of FR 418 and FR 420. This hunt may have restricted vehicle access, be physically challenging, and have low hunt success.
30. Maverick Butte Hunt Area in Unit 7 East - That portion of Unit 7 East beginning at the intersection of U.S. Hwy 89 and FR 545; east on FR 545 to the Sunset Crater National Monument; easterly along the southern boundary of the Sunset Crater National Monument to FR 545; east on FR 545 to the 345 KV transmission lines 1 and 2; south-easterly along the power lines to I-40 (mp 212 on I-40); east on I-40 to mp 221.4; north to the southwest corner of the Navajo Indian Reservation boundary; northerly and westerly along the reservation boundary to the Four Corners Gas Line; southwesterly along the Four Corners Gas Line to U.S. Hwy 180; southwesterly along U.S. Hwy 180 to FR 151; easterly along FR 151 to FR 418; easterly along FR 418 to FR 420; easterly along FR 420 to U.S. Hwy 89.
31. Antelope Mountain Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 beginning at the junction of AZ Hwy 260 and FR 118; north on FR 118 to FR 8911; north on FR 8911 to State Trust Land; continuing north on dirt road through State Trust Land to U.S. Hwy 60 between mile post 374 and 375; east on AZ Hwy 60 to Main Street in Eagar; south on Main Street to U.S. Hwy 260; west on AZ Hwy 260 to FR 118. A map of the area will be mailed to successful draw applicants.
32. Coon Canyon Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 beginning at the junction of AZ Hwy 260 and AZ Hwy 373; south on AZ Hwy 373 to Hall Creek; east on Hall Creek to the Lower Colorado River; east along the Lower Colorado River to Hobson Canyon; southeast along Hobson Canyon to FR 8070A (70A); east on FR 8070A (70A) to AZ Hwy 261; south on AZ Hwy 261 to FR 8070C (70C); east on FR 8070C (70C) to FR 285 (Water Canyon Road); north of FR 285 (Water Canyon Road) to School Bus Road in Eagar; east on School Bus Road to Main Street in Eagar; north on Main Street to AZ Hwy 260; west AZ Hwy 260 AZ Hwy 373. A map of the area will be mailed to successful draw applicants.
33. Flat Top Hunt Area in Unit 1 - That portion of Unit 1 beginning at the junction of Main Street in Springerville and U.S. Hwy 60; south on Main Street to School Bus Road in Eagar; west on School Bus Road to FR 285 (Water Canyon Road) in Eagar; south on FR 285 (Water Canyon Road) to FR 74/76; east on FR 74/76 to Forest Trail 607 (Saffel Canyon Trail); east on Forest Trail 607 to U.S. Hwy 191; southeast on U.S. Hwy 191 to Nutrioso Creek; north along Nutrioso Creek to U.S. Hwy 60; west on U.S. Hwy 60 to Main Street in Springerville. A map of the area will be mailed to successful draw applicants.
34. The following Pima County parks and preserves are open to hunting: A-7 Ranch in Units 32 and 33. Hunting in County Parks, opened by this Commission Order, is not permitted within ¼ mile of any developed picnic area, developed camp ground, shooting range, occupied building, boat ramp, or golf course. Developed areas do not include trails.
35. Areas of private property within municipal boundaries are closed to hunting during this hunt.

DEFINITIONS: BULL ELK - means an antlered elk. ANTLERLESS ELK - means an elk, any age, without antlers.

ELK BAG LIMIT: One (1) elk per calendar year except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

Hunt Recommendations

Commission Order 26: Population Management Seasons

Deer

Deer General Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|-------|-----------------------|-----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 1 | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 2A | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 2B | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 2C | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 12A | Designated deer | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 12B | Designated deer | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 13A | Designated deer | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 13B | Designated deer | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 19A, 20A, 20B, and 21 | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 27 | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 28 | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 29 | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 30A | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 30B | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,5) | 34A | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 34B | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 35A | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 35B | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 36A | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 36B | Designated deer | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 36C | Designated deer | 75 |
| | | | Total | 1475 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm, crossbow, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

Deer Archery-Only Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|-------|------------|-----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 43B | Designated deer | 50 |
| | | | Total | 50 |

Elk

Elk General Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|----------|----------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 1 and 27 | Designated elk | 200 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 2A and 2B | Designated elk | 100 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 3A | Designated elk | 100 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 3C | Designated elk | 100 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 4A and 4B | Designated elk | 100 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,6) | 6A, 19A, and 21 | Designated elk | 30 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 16A and 44A | Designated elk | 15 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 17A, 17B, 18B, 19B, 20A, and 20C | Designated elk | 115 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 22 | Designated elk | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 23 | Designated elk | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3,10) | 28, 31, and 32 | Designated elk | 35 |
| | | | Total | 945 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

Elk Muzzleloader Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|-------|------------|----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 3B and 3C | Designated elk | 100 |
| | | | Total | 100 |

LAWFUL TAKING DEVICES AND TIMES: Muzzleloading weapons as prescribed in R12-4-101 and R12-4-318, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

Elk HAM Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|----------|----------------|----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3,10) | 28, 31, and 32 | Designated elk | 25 |
| | | | Total | 25 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318.

Elk Archery-Only Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|-------|-----------------|----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 1 and 27 | Designated elk | 100 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 3B and 3C | Designated elk | 100 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 4A and 4B | Designated elk | 75 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,6) | 6A, 19A, and 21 | Designated elk | 30 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 22 | Designated elk | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 23 | Designated elk | 50 |
| | | | Total | 405 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216.

Javelina

Javelina General Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|----------|-------------|----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 1 and 27 | Any javelina | 20 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 3B and 3C | Any javelina | 20 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 22 and 23 | Any javelina | 10 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 24A and 24B | Any javelina | 10 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 28 | Any javelina | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3) | 30A | Any javelina | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3) | 30B | Any javelina | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,10) | 31 | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3,10) | 32 | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,4) | 35A | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,6) | 37A | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 39 and 41 | Any javelina | 50 |
| | | | Total | 360 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm, crossbow, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

Javelina HAM Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|--------|------------|----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 28 | Any javelina | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3) | 30A | Any javelina | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3) | 30B | Any javelina | 50 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,10) | 31 | Any javelina | 25 |

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|----------------------|----------|-----|--------------|-----|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,3,10) | 32 | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,4) | 35A | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,6) | 37A | Any javelina | 25 |
| | | | Total | 250 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, crossbow, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318.

Javelina Archery-Only Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|-------|------------------------|----------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 1 and 27 | Any javelina | 20 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 3B and 3C | Any javelina | 20 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 4B | Any javelina | 20 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1) | 25M, 26M, 38M, and 47M | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,4) | 35A | Any javelina | 25 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,6) | 37A | Any javelina | 25 |
| | | | Total | 135 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216.

Buffalo

Buffalo General Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|---------|-------------------|--------------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,7) | 5A and 5B | Designated buffalo | 10 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,7,8) | 12A, 12B, and 13A | Designated buffalo | 150 |
| | | | Total | 160 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow, centerfire handguns, centerfire rifles, muzzleloading rifles, or all other rifles using black powder as prescribed in R12-4-304. Bow and arrow or centerfire handguns may NOT be used on Raymond Wildlife Area.

Bear

Bear General Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 1 and 27 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 4 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 3B and 3C | Any bear except sow with cubs | 4 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 4A and 4B | Any bear except sow with cubs | 4 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,6,9) | 20B and 21 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 22 and 23 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 10 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 24A and 24B | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 28 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,3,9) | 29 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,3,9) | 30A | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9,10) | 31 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,3,9,10) | 32 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 3 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,5,9) | 34A | Any bear except sow with cubs | 3 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,4,9) | 35A | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 35B | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| | | | Total | 68 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any firearm or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

Bear HAM Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|------------|------------|-------------------------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 28 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,3,9) | 29 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,3,9) | 30A | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9,10) | 31 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |

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|----------------------|--------------|-----|-------------------------------|----|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,3,9,10) | 32 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 3 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,5,9) | 34A | Any bear except sow with cubs | 3 |
| | | | Total | 26 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318.

Bear Archery-Only Population Management Seasons

Open Areas do not include areas within municipal parks, municipal preserves, county parks, county preserves, airports, golf courses, or posted water treatment facilities (except as specifically opened in this Commission Order) or areas closed to hunting under A.R.S. Sections 17-303 and 17-304 or Commission Rules R12-4-301, R12-4-801, R12-4-802 and R12-4-803.

| Season Dates | Notes | Open Areas | Legal Wildlife | Permits |
|----------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------------------------|---------|
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 1 and 27 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 4 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 3B and 3C | Any bear except sow with cubs | 4 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 4A and 4B | Any bear except sow with cubs | 4 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,6,9) | 20B and 21 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 2 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 22 and 23 | Any bear except sow with cubs | 2 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 24A and 24B | Any bear except sow with cubs | 2 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,4,9) | 35A | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2012 | (1,2,9) | 35B | Any bear except sow with cubs | 5 |
| | | | Total | 28 |

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304 and R12-4-318 and crossbow as prescribed in R12-4-216.

Notes:

1. These seasons shall be held in accordance with R12-4-115 and may include shorter time frames, smaller geographic areas, and specification of legal wildlife within that described in this Commission Order.
2. In accordance with R12-4-318, dogs may not be used to pursue bears between January 1 and July 31.
3. Hunter access in Units 29, 30A, 30B, and 32 is extremely restricted. Applicants should not apply for these units unless they have secured access.
4. The Fort Huachuca Army Garrison in Unit 35A is open to hunting only to properly licensed military and civilian personnel holding a valid Fort Huachuca post hunting permit. Special regulations must be obtained from Fort Huachuca. Applications for these hunts must be submitted to the Arizona Game and Fish Department.
5. The Santa Rita Wildlife Area in Unit 34A is actively used for studies in wildlife management. Researchers are present all months and study sites are not always recognizable; hunters are urged to use caution while hunting and take care not to disturb study sites.
6. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.
7. Individuals that have previously harvested a buffalo in Arizona and have met the one (1) per lifetime bag limit are not eligible to purchase the restricted nonpermit tag for buffalo.
8. All buffalo hunters, including unsuccessful hunters or hunters who did not hunt, with a buffalo restricted nonpermit-tag for the House Rock Wildlife Area herd shall check out in person or by telephone at either the Department's Flagstaff regional office or the House Rock Wildlife Area headquarters within three days following the close of the season. A successful buffalo hunter shall report information about the kill to the Department within five business days after taking the buffalo either in person at the House Rock Wildlife Area headquarters or in person or by telephone at the Department's Flagstaff regional office. If the kill is reported by telephone, the report shall include the name of the hunter, the hunter's tag number, the sex of the buffalo taken, the number of days hunted, and a telephone number where the hunter can be reached for additional information (R12-4-306).
9. As prescribed in R12-4-308, all hunters must contact an Arizona Game and Fish Department office in person or by telephone at 1-800-970-BEAR (2327) within 48 hours of taking a bear. The report shall include the hunter's name, hunting license number, tag number, sex of the bear taken, management unit where the bear was taken, and telephone number at which the hunter can be reached to obtain additional information. Within 10 days of taking a bear, the hunter shall present the bear's skull, hide, and attached proof of sex to a designated Arizona Game and Fish Department employee for inspection. If a hunter freezes the skull or hide before presenting it for inspection, the hunter shall prop the jaw open to allow access to the teeth and ensure that the attached proof of sex is identifiable and accessible (pursuant to R12-4-308). A premolar tooth will be removed during the inspection. Successful hunters are encouraged to contact the nearest Department office by telephone to coordinate inspections.
10. Unit 31 and 32 hunts -- Access to Aravaipa Canyon Wildlife Area (as prescribed in R12-4-802) is allowed by permit only, available through the Safford Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management. For more information, contact the Safford Field Office at (928) 348-4400 or www.blm.gov/az/sfo/aravaipa/aravaipa.htm.

Special Notes:

LICENSE REQUIRED: Any valid hunting license plus restricted nonpermit-tag for legal wildlife. Successful applicants for Population Management Hunts may not exceed the bag limit except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

**2012 Seasons, season dates, and permit numbers approved for
Military lands and Hopi lands**

Antelope:

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|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Camp Navajo | Archery buck antelope | Aug 24-Sep 6, 2012 | 4 military |
| Fort Huachuca | General buck antelope | Sep 7-16, 2012 | 1 military |
| Hopi (Unit 4A) | General buck antelope | Sep 7-16, 2012 | 3 Hopi tribe member |
| Hopi (Unit 5A) | General buck antelope | Sep 7-16, 2012 | 3 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery buck antelope | Aug 24-Sep 6, 2012 | 1 Hopi tribe member |
| Hopi (Unit 5B) | General buck antelope | Sep 7-16, 2012 | 4 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery buck antelope | Aug 24-Sep 6, 2012 | 2 Hopi tribe member |

Elk:

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|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Camp Navajo | General antlerless | Oct 1-7, 2012 | 5 military, 2 civilian |
| | General antlerless | Nov 23-Dec 13, 2012 | 35 military, 5 civilian |
| | General any elk | Oct 1-7, 2012 | 8 military, 3 civilian |
| | General any elk | Oct 26-Nov 1, 2012 | 23 military, 4 civilian |
| | Muzzleloader antlerless | Oct 12-18, 2012 | 25 military, 5 civilian |
| | Muzzleloader any elk | Oct 12-18, 2012 | 10 military, 3 civilian |
| | Archery antlerless | Sep 14-20, 2012 | 20 military, 3 civilian |
| | Archery antlerless | Sep 21-30, 2012 | 20 military, 3 civilian |
| | Archery antlerless | Nov 9-22, 2012 | 10 military, 3 civilian |
| | Archery any elk | Sep 14-20, 2012 | 17 military, 2 civilian |
| | Archery any elk | Sep 21-30, 2012 | 17 military, 2 civilian |
| | Archery any elk | Nov 9-22, 2012 | 8 military, 2 civilian |
| | DAV general antlerless | Oct 19-25, 2012 | 20 military |
| | DAV general any elk | Oct 19-25, 2012 | 7 military |
| Hopi (Unit 4A) | General bull elk | Sep 28-Oct 4, 2012 | 1 Hopi tribe member |
| | General bull elk | Nov 30-Dec 6, 2012 | 10 Hopi tribe member |
| | Juniors antlerless | Oct 12-18, 2012 | 6 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery bull elk | Sep 14-27, 2012 | 6 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery bull elk | Nov 16-29, 2012 | 1 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery antlerless | Sep 14-27, 2012 | 2 Hopi tribe member |
| Hopi (Unit 5A) | General bull elk | Nov 30-Dec 6, 2012 | 9 Hopi tribe member |
| | General antlerless | Oct 19-25, 2012 | 4 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery bull elk | Sep 14-27, 2012 | 6 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery bull elk | Nov 16-29, 2012 | 1 Hopi tribe member |
| | Archery antlerless | Sep 14-27, 2012 | 1 Hopi tribe member |
| Hopi (Unit 5B) | General bull elk | Nov 30-Dec 6, 2012 | 18 Hopi tribe member |

**2012 Seasons, season dates, and permit numbers approved for
Military lands and Hopi lands**

Hopi (Unit 5B North)

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|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| General antlerless | Oct 19-25, 2012 | 10 Hopi tribe member |
| Archery bull elk | Sep 14-27, 2012 | 9 Hopi tribe member |
| Archery bull elk | Nov 16-29, 2012 | 1 Hopi tribe member |
| Archery antlerless | Sep 14-27, 2012 | 1 Hopi tribe member |

Hopi (East Sunset, West Sunset, Meteor Crater, Twin Arrows, Two Guns, and Grapevine Hunt Areas in Units 5A and 5B North)

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| Limited Opportunity general antlerless | Oct 19-25, 2012 | 38 Hopi tribe member |
| Limited Opportunity general any elk | Oct 19-25, 2012 | 25 Hopi tribe member |

CHINO GRANDE, LLC
PERMISSION AND RELEASE AGREEMENT
(HUNTER)

The undersigned _____ (print full name) has been granted permission by Chino Grande, LLC (“Owner”) to hunt _____ (print species) on property owned by Owner in Yavapai County, Arizona, commonly known as the CV/CF Ranches, for the period commencing the _____ day of _____, 20____, and ending the _____ day of _____, 20____.

The undersigned acknowledges that the Owner’s grant of permission is made pursuant to A.R.S. § 33-1551, that the undersigned is a “Recreational User” on “Premises” all as defined in A.R.S. § 33-1551 and that the undersigned has not made any payment of an admission fee or other consideration to the Owner or the Owner’s agents or lessees.

The undersigned, on behalf of himself/herself, my spouse, personal representative, estate, offspring and heirs agrees as follows:

1. I voluntarily assume the risk of danger of injury or death inherent in the activity of hunting.
2. I RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND PROMISE NOT TO SUE Owner and/or any of Owner’s members, managers, employees, lessees, or agents for any loss, claim of damage, damage or cost whatsoever arising out of or relating to my activity or any activity arising from or relating thereto.
3. I RELEASE, DISCHARGE AND PROMISE NOT TO SUE Owner and/or any of Owner’s members, managers, employees, lessees or agents for any loss, liability, damage or cost whatsoever arising from their negligence or alleged negligence. I SPECIFICALLY AND KNOWINGLY AGREE THAT I AM EXPRESSLY AND IRREVOCABLY INTENDING TO RELEASE the entities and persons described herein from THEIR OWN NEGLIGENCE.
4. I HEREBY INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Owner and Owner’s members, managers, employees, lessees and agents from and against any loss, liability, damage or cost (including attorneys’ fees) arising from any source including, but not limited to, claims by third persons and/or entities which relate to or result from my activity or any activity arising from or relating thereto.
5. I agree to fully compensate Owner and Owner’s lessees for any loss or damage which they sustain arising from or relating to my activity or any activity arising from or relating thereto.
6. I agree that this Permission and Release Agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Arizona and is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by Arizona law, and that in the event any portion of this Agreement is determined to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the balance of the Agreement shall not be affected or impaired in any way and shall continue in full legal force and effect.
7. I acknowledge that this Permission and Release Agreement is a revocable license and agree that if a lawsuit is filed against Owner and/or Owner’s members, managers, employees, lessees or agents for any injury or damage heretofore described herein, I will pay all attorneys’ fees and costs incurred by Owner and/or Owner’s members, managers, employees, lessees or agents in defending such action.
8. I understand that the permission granted is gratuitous and revocable at the Owner’s will. Under no circumstances shall Owner be liable in damages of any nature or kind for revocation of permission.
9. I agree to comply with all statutes, rules and regulations applicable to my activity.
10. I agree to comply with the Owner’s Rules as set forth on the reverse side hereof, which is incorporated herein, and that my failure to so comply automatically terminates the permission granted herein.
11. The terms hereof shall survive termination and/or revocation.

I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THIS PERMISSION AND RELEASE AGREEMENT. I UNDERSTAND IT IS A PROMISE NOT TO SUE AND A RELEASE AND INDEMNITY OF CLAIMS AGAINST OWNER AND/OR OWNER’S MEMBERS, MANAGERS, EMPLOYEES, LESSEES AND AGENTS.

I HAVE EXECUTED THIS AGREEMENT FREELY.

DATED this _____ day of _____, 20____.

APPROVED:

CHINO GRANDE, LLC

Printed Name and Address

By: _____

Signature

CHINO GRANDE, LLC

PERMISSION AND RELEASE AGREEMENT - RULES

1. All hunters and those assisting hunters must carry a fully signed Permission and Release Agreement at all times while on the property.
2. Enter and exit the property only from the main entrance off the Big Chino Road at the CV ranch headquarters.
3. Respect and do not interfere with farming and cattle operations.
4. Camp only in designated areas, all of which are located on private property. (See map below)
5. Please do not litter.
6. No ATV's, UTV's or motorcycles are allowed.
7. Drive respectfully. Do not drive off-road (except one vehicle for one trip to retrieve elk). Do not drive in muddy areas or farm fields for any reason. Owner may close certain roads and areas to protect them from damage.
8. Shoot only in a safe direction. Remember, there are people, livestock and improvements throughout the property.
9. Do not field dress your animal in a road, agricultural field or livestock pen.

**THANK YOU FOR COMPLYING WITH THESE RULES.
HAVE A SAFE AND SUCCESSFUL HUNT.**

MAP