

Hunt Recommendations

Commission Order 5: Turkey

Limited Weapon-Shotgun Shooting Shot Spring Turkey

Open Areas do not include any area 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	
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		1	Bearded turkey	500	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		1	Bearded turkey	525	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		3B	Bearded turkey	125	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		3B	Bearded turkey	125	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		3C	Bearded turkey	175	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		3C	Bearded turkey	175	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		4A and 4B	Bearded turkey	250	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		4A and 4B	Bearded turkey	250	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		5A	Bearded turkey	150	-25
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		5A	Bearded turkey	200	-25
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		5B	Bearded turkey	100	-50
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		5B	Bearded turkey	100	-50
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		6A	Bearded turkey	350	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		6A	Bearded turkey	350	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(1)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bearded turkey	60	-20
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(1)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Bearded turkey	90	-15
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		7	Bearded turkey	175	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		7	Bearded turkey	200	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		8 and 10	Bearded turkey	250	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		8 and 10	Bearded turkey	150	-5
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		9	Bearded turkey	60	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		9	Bearded turkey	50	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		12A	Bearded turkey	300	-50
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		12A	Bearded turkey	300	-50
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13A	Bearded turkey	25	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13A	Bearded turkey	15	0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13B (South of Wolfhole - Jacobs Well Road)	Bearded turkey	20	-5
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(2)	13B (South of Wolfhole - Jacobs Well Road)	Bearded turkey	15	-5
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		17A, 17B, and 18B	Bearded turkey	10	-5
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		17A, 17B, and 18B	Bearded turkey	10	-10
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		20A	Bearded turkey	5	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		20A	Bearded turkey	10	5
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		22	Bearded turkey	110	15
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		22	Bearded turkey	110	15
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		23	Bearded turkey	225	0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		23	Bearded turkey	225	0

Limited Weapon-Shotgun Shooting Shot Spring Turkey

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Hunt No.	Season Dates	Notes	Open Areas	Legal Wildlife	Permits
	Apr 23, 2010 - Apr 29, 2019 and May 7 - May 20, 2010		24A	Bearded turkey	2 2
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		24A	Bearded turkey	3 3
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010		27	Bearded turkey	675 50
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010		27	Bearded turkey	600 50
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	29	Bearded turkey	5 0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	29	Bearded turkey	5 0
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	31	Bearded turkey	6 5
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	31	Bearded turkey	6 5
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	33	Bearded turkey	2 2
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	33	Bearded turkey	2 2
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	34A	Bearded turkey	1 1
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	34A	Bearded turkey	1 1
	Apr 23 - Apr 29, and May 7 - May 20, 2010	(3)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Bearded turkey	4 0
	Apr 30 - May 20, 2010	(3)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Bearded turkey	4 0
	Apr 23 - May 20, 2010	(1)	Camp Navajo in Unit 6B	Bearded turkey	
	Apr 23 - May 20, 2010	(3,4)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Bearded turkey	
				Total	7106 -159

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any shotgun shooting shot as prescribed in R12-4-318 or crossbow or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Spring Turkey 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 Nonpermit Tag Required (Limited Weapon-Shotgun Shooting Shot) Turkey

Open Areas do not include any area 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 16 - May 20, 2010	(1)	1, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), 7, 8, 10, 12A, 23, and 27	Bearded turkey

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Any shotgun shooting shot as prescribed in 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 Turkey nonpermit-tag obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.

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).

Notes:

1. Camp Navajo in Unit 6B is open to turkey 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.
2. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.
3. Turkeys in Units 29, 31, 33, 34A, and 35A are Gould's turkeys.

4. The Fort Huachuca Military Reservation in Unit 35A is open to turkey hunting only to properly licensed Fort Huachuca military and 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. Fort Huachuca contact information: Commander, U.S. Army Garrison, ATTN: ATZS-ISB (Wildlife), Fort Huachuca, AZ 85613-6000, (520)-533-1867 or (520) 533-7083, disenrd@hua.army.mil, or www.huachuca.army.mil/usag/dpw/hunting.html.

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

Hunt Recommendations

Commission Order 6: Javelina

General Spring Javelina

Open Areas do not include any area 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
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), and 8	Any javelina	150 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		10 and 18A	Any javelina	250 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		16A	Any javelina	350 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		17A and 17B	Any javelina	450 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		18B	Any javelina	450 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		19A	Any javelina	400 50
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		19B	Any javelina	250 -50
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		20A	Any javelina	350 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		20B	Any javelina	625 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		20C	Any javelina	250 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(1,4)	21	Any javelina	500 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		22	Any javelina	600 -75
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		23	Any javelina	325 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		24A	Any javelina	225 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		24B	Any javelina	225 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		27	Any javelina	125 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		28	Any javelina	200 -50
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		29	Any javelina	100 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		30A	Any javelina	350 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	30B	Any javelina	125 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(9)	31	Any javelina	175 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(9)	32	Any javelina	450 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		33	Any javelina	650 25
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		34A	Any javelina	550 -100
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		34B	Any javelina	100 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(2)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Any javelina	75 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		35B	Any javelina	75 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	36A	Any javelina	375 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	36B	Any javelina	475 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(3)	36C	Any javelina	275 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(4)	37A	Any javelina	880 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010	(8)	37B	Any javelina	1000 0
	Feb 19 - Feb 25, 2010		42 and 44A (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	100 0
	Feb 12 - Feb 18, 2010	(2)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any javelina	
Total					11480 -200

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

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Javelina 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 Spring Javelina

Open Areas do not include any area 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
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), and 8	Any javelina	75 0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		10, 17A, 17B, 18A, 19A, 19B, and 20A	Any javelina	100 0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		16A (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	50 0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		18B	Any javelina	100 0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		20B and 21	Any javelina	115 50

Juniors-Only Spring Javelina

Open Areas do not include any area 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	
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		20C	Any javelina	100	0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		22 and 23	Any javelina	75	0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		24A and 24B	Any javelina	45	5
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		27	Any javelina	25	-25
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010	(3,9)	28, 29, 30A, 30B, 31, and 32	Any javelina	75	0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010	(8)	33, 37A, and 37B	Any javelina	150	0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		34A and 34B	Any javelina	40	0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010		35A (except Fort Huachuca) and 35B	Any javelina	20	0
	Jan 22 - Jan 31, 2010	(3)	36A, 36B, and 36C	Any javelina	50	0
Total					1020	30

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

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Javelina 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).

HAM Spring Javelina

Open Areas do not include any area 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	
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), and 8	Any javelina	50	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		10 and 18A	Any javelina	100	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		16A (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	100	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		17A and 17B	Any javelina	100	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		18B	Any javelina	250	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		19A	Any javelina	100	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		19B	Any javelina	100	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		20A	Any javelina	150	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		20B	Any javelina	325	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		20C	Any javelina	325	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(1,4)	21	Any javelina	200	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		22	Any javelina	350	50
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		23	Any javelina	200	50
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		24A	Any javelina	135	20
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		24B	Any javelina	100	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		27	Any javelina	50	-15
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		28	Any javelina	85	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		29	Any javelina	40	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		30A	Any javelina	100	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	30B	Any javelina	125	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(9)	31	Any javelina	130	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(9)	32	Any javelina	250	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		33	Any javelina	380	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		34A	Any javelina	285	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		34B	Any javelina	30	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(2)	35A (except Fort Huachuca)	Any javelina	80	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010		35B	Any javelina	80	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	36A	Any javelina	165	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	36B	Any javelina	150	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(3)	36C	Any javelina	115	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(4)	37A	Any javelina	360	0
	Feb 5 - Feb 14, 2010	(8)	37B	Any javelina	500	0
Total					5510	105

HAM Spring Javelina

Open Areas do not include any area 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
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LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Handguns, muzzleloading rifles, muzzleloading handguns, crossbow, or bow and arrow as prescribed in R12-4-318.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Javelina 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 Spring Javelina

Open Areas do not include any area 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
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		1, 2A, 2B, 2C, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B (except Camp Navajo), 7, 8, and 9	Any javelina	700 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(4,7)	10, 15A, 15B, 15C, 15D, 16A, 18A, 39, 40A, 40B, 41, 42, 43A, 43B, 44A, and 44B (except National Wildlife Refuges)	Any javelina	1000 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		17A, 17B, 18B, 19A, 19B, and 20A	Any javelina	1500 -200
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		20B	Any javelina	475 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		20C	Any javelina	275 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(1,4)	21	Any javelina	420 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		22	Any javelina	450 -100
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		23	Any javelina	200 -50
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		24A	Any javelina	150 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		24B	Any javelina	175 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010		27	Any javelina	75 -25
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(3,9)	28, 29, 30A, 30B, 31, and 32	Any javelina	1200 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(8)	33 and 37B	Any javelina	1200 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(4)	34A and 37A	Any javelina	700 100
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(2)	34B, 35A (except Fort Huachuca), and 35B	Any javelina	300 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(3)	36A, 36B, and 36C	Any javelina	800 0
	Jan 1 - Jan 31, 2010	(2)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any javelina	
Total					9620 -275

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 Javelina 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 Nonpermit Tag Required Spring Javelina

Open Areas do not include any area 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
Jan 1 - Jan 21, 2010	(4,5,6)	11M, 25M, 26M, 38M, and 47M	Any javelina

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 Javelina nonpermit-tag obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.

Notes:

1. Cave Creek Recreational Area is closed to javelina hunting.
2. The Fort Huachuca Military Reservation in Unit 35A is open to javelina hunting only to properly licensed Fort Huachuca military and 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. Fort Huachuca contact information: Commander, U.S. Army Garrison, ATTN: ATZS-ISB (Wildlife), Fort Huachuca, AZ 85613-6000, (520)-533-1867 or (520) 533-7083, disenrd@hua.army.mil, or www.huachuca.army.mil/usag/dpw/hunting.html.
3. The Buenos Aires Refuge is open to javelina hunting as permitted by refuge regulations; all other Refuges are closed.

4. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.
5. Hunting is not permitted in Unit 26M in the following described area: Those private lands lying just north of the Town of Cave Creek in Sections 10, 11, 12, 14 and 15 of Township 6 North, Range 3 East.
6. Hunting is not permitted in Unit 47M in the following described area: an unincorporated portion of land within the City of Mesa known as the Elliott and Hawes County Island in Section 16, Township 1 South, Range 7 East.
7. Entry into portions of units 40A, 40B, 46A, and 46B is subject to military closure and requires coordination with the Barry M. Goldwater Range (BMGR) for hunting access. A) Weapons impact areas on the Air Force side of the BMGR, to include the East Tactical Range (including the Paradise Well area), are closed to entry at all times. All persons desiring to hunt outside weapons impact areas but within the boundaries of the BMGR located in Units 40A and 40B or to cross the BMGR to access Units 46A and 46B are required to sign a Hold Harmless Agreement and obtain a Special Use Range Permit. More information about the Special Use Range Permit may be obtained by calling the 56th Fighter Wing Range Management Office Public Affairs person at 623-856-8516 or 623-856-8520. B) Access to the Air Force's one public recreation area (Area B) or the Marine Corps side of the BMGR does not require a Special Use Range Permit but still requires a Recreational Permit that can be obtained by calling: the Marine Corps Air Station in Yuma at (928) 269-7150; the Bureau of Land Management, Phoenix Field Office at (623) 580-5500; the Cabeza Prieta National Wildlife Refuge at (520) 387-6483 ; the Public Lands Information Center at (602) 417-9300; or the Gila Bend Air Force Auxiliary Field at (928) 683-6200.
8. The Florence Military Reservation (training areas B and D: the areas north and south of Cottonwood Canyon Road) in Unit 37B is subject to short term closures due to military operations, including live fire operations, and requires coordination with the Florence Military Reservation for hunting access. For specific closure dates or any other access concerns, contact the Florence Military Reservation at 602-267-2062. A map of the Florence Military Reservation is located on the Arizona Game and Fish Department's website, azgfd.gov (type Florence Military Reservation in the search box).
9. 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) 348-4450 or www.blm.gov/az/sfo/aravaipa/aravaipa.htm.

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

Hunt Recommendations

Commission Order 8: Buffalo

General Buffalo

Open Areas do not include any area 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
	Jan 15 - Jan 17, 2010		Raymond Wildlife Area Herd 5A and 5B	Adult bull buffalo only	1 1
	Feb 5 - Feb 7, 2010		Raymond Wildlife Area Herd 5A and 5B	Yearling buffalo only	2 2
	Feb 19 - Feb 21, 2010		Raymond Wildlife Area Herd 5A and 5B	Yearling buffalo only	2 2
				Total	5 5

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

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. Note that bow and arrow or centerfire handguns may NOT be used at Raymond Wildlife Area.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Buffalo 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 Spring Buffalo

Open Areas do not include any area 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
	Jan 1 - Jun 13, 2010	(2,3)	12A, 12B, and 13A (House Rock Wildlife Area Herd)	Any buffalo	14 0
				Total	14 0

LAWFUL TAKING METHODS: Bow and arrow, centerfire rifles, muzzleloading rifles, or all other rifles using black powder as prescribed in R12-4-304.

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Any valid hunting license (excluding Class H) plus Spring Buffalo 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. A hunter with a buffalo hunt permit-tag for the Raymond Wildlife Area herd shall be accompanied by an authorized Department employee who shall designate the animal to be harvested and shall hunt in the order scheduled by the Department in accordance with R12-4-306. Hunters that desire a more challenging hunt should apply for the House Rock Wildlife Area hunts.
2. An unsuccessful hunter, or hunter who did not hunt, with a buffalo hunt permit-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).
3. The Grand Canyon-Parashant, Vermilion Cliffs, Sonoran Desert, Ironwood Forest, and Agua Fria National Monuments are open to hunting.

BUFFALO BAG LIMIT: One (1) buffalo in a lifetime except as prescribed in R12-4-120.

HOUSE ROCK BUFFALO HUNT SPECIAL NOTE: During the fall and spring hunts at the House Rock Wildlife Area (HRWA), a significant portion of the herd has in the past moved to the Grand Canyon National Park where hunting is not allowed. Hunters are advised that if this occurs, their ability to successfully harvest a buffalo may be significantly impacted. As with any hunt, circumstances beyond the control of the Arizona Game and Fish Department may prevent the permit holder from being successful. The Arizona Game and Fish Department and Commission disclaims any responsibility to reissue or replace a permit, to reinstate bonus points, to refund any fees, or to provide any other form of relief.

The HRWA buffalo hunt is considered to be one of the most difficult hunts in the state. Buffalo can be difficult to locate. Plan on spending the entire season hunting, as an abbreviated hunt will lower your chances of success. Buffalo hunters must dress and care for their own animals; the Department will not assist. Take time to improve your physical condition. Hunters are often required to walk considerable distances (up to 8 miles) every day over rugged terrain. House Rock hunters should be prepared for remote and primitive conditions.

High clearance or four-wheel drive vehicles are recommended. Some portions of HRWA are included in the U.S. Forest Service wilderness system that does not preclude hunter access but does limit their means of transportation and equipment usage. For more information, call the Flagstaff Regional Office at 928-774-5045.

BUFFALO SPECIALREGULATIONS: Buffalo meat taken under this Order may be sold as prescribed in R12-4-305. SEE BUFFALO HUNT REGULATIONS UNDER R12-4-306.

Hunt Recommendations

Commission Order 9: Bear

General Spring Bear

Open Areas do not include any area 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	Fem Harv Limit
	Mar 19 - Apr 28, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	6B (except Camp Navajo)	Any bear except sows with cubs	5	1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
Total					5	

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 Spring Bear 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 Spring Bear

Open Areas do not include any area 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	Fem Harv Limit
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	22	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,6,7)	23 North	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	24A	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	27	Any bear except sows with cubs		2
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	29 and 30A	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,5,7)	31	Any bear except sows with cubs		2
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,5,7)	32	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	34A	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	35A and 35B (except Fort Huachuca)	Any bear except sows with cubs		2

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 Bear nonpermit-tag obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.

Archery-Only Spring Bear

Open Areas do not include any area 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	Fem Harv Limit
	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	3B and 3C	Any bear except sows with cubs	100	1
	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	22	Any bear except sows with cubs	50	1
	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,6,7)	23 North	Any bear except sows with cubs	50	1
	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	33	Any bear except sows with cubs	10	2
	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	34A	Any bear except sows with cubs	20	2
	Apr 30 - Jul 31, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	35A and 35B (except Fort Huachuca)	Any bear except sows with cubs	40	3
	Apr 30 - Aug 15, 2010	(1,2,3,4,7)	Fort Huachuca in Unit 35A	Any bear except sows with cubs		1
Total					270	

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Class F or G license plus Spring Bear 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.

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

Archery-Only Nonpermit Tag Required Spring Bear

Open Areas do not include any area 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	Fem Harv Limit
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Archery-Only Nonpermit Tag Required Spring Bear

Open Areas do not include any area 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
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	3B and 3C	Any bear except sows with cubs	1
	Mar 19 - Apr 29, 2010	(1,2,3,7)	33	Any bear except sows with cubs	1

LICENSE AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS: Class F or G license plus Bear nonpermit-tag obtained from a license dealer as prescribed in R12-4-114.

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. No person shall knowingly use any substance as bait at any time to attract or take bear (R12-4-304).
2. The use of dogs is prohibited during Bear hunts from January 1 to July 31 (R12-4-318).
3. When the number of female bears equaling the female harvest limit for a particular hunt has been reported killed, by either hunters or the Department, the unit(s) will be closed at sundown the Wednesday immediately following. Hunters are responsible for calling 1-800-970-BEAR (2327) before hunting to determine if their desired hunt unit is still open. The female harvest limit is combined for Unit 35A/35B and Fort Huachuca hunts, and both hunts will close when the female harvest limit is reached for Unit 35A/35B.
4. The Fort Huachuca Military Reservation in Unit 35A is open to bear hunting only to properly licensed Fort Huachuca military and 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. Fort Huachuca contact information: Commander, U.S. Army Garrison, ATTN: IMWE-HUA-PWB (Hunting), Fort Huachuca, AZ 85613-7010, www.huachuca.army.mil/usag/dpw/hunting.html, (520) 533-2549 or dis-enrd@conus.army.mil.
5. 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) 348-4450 or www.blm.gov/az/sfo/aravaipa/aravaipa.htm.
6. 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.
7. Annual Female Harvest Limit – If the Annual Female Harvest Limit for a given unit is met during a calendar year, that unit or portion thereof will close to bear hunting for the current and future bear seasons during that calendar year. The Annual Female Harvest Limit is comprised of any female bear killed by a hunter or the Department. Refer to the table below for the Annual Female Harvest Limit by unit.

BEAR SPECIAL REGULATIONS: 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.

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

Annual Female Harvest Limit

Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit	Unit	Limit
3B	10	22N	10	24A	8	29/30A	10	33	4
3C	4	22S	4	27	25	31	9	34A	7
6B	4	23N	15	28	5	32	6	35A/35B	7