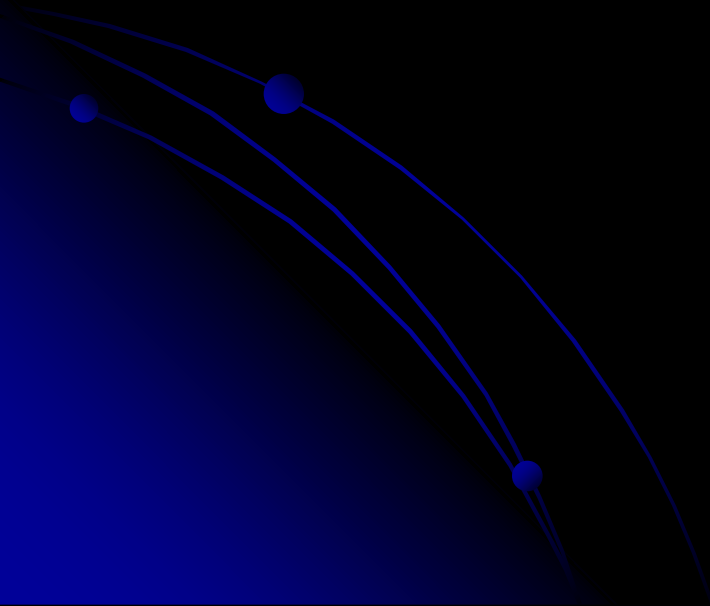

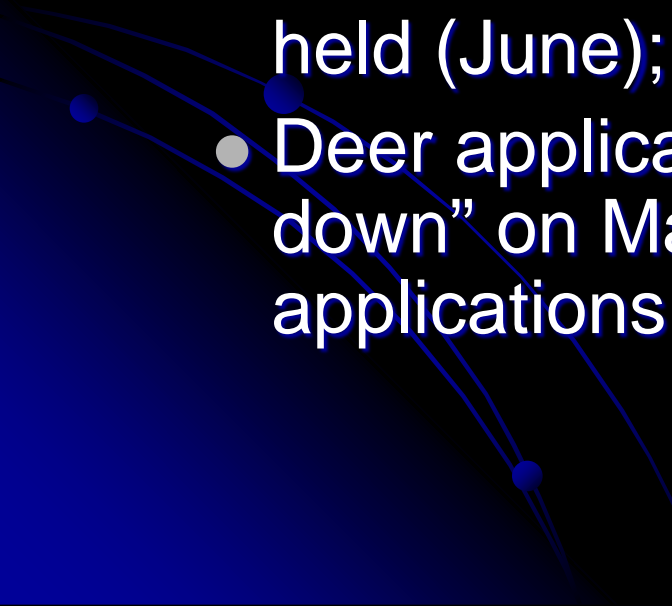


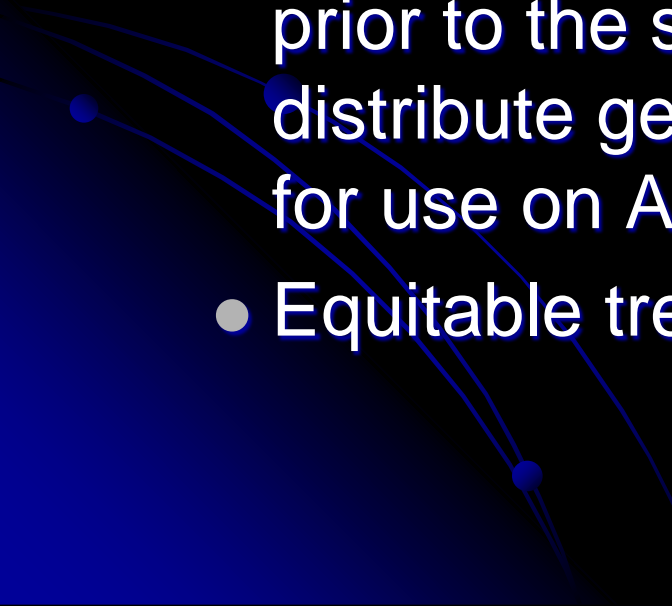
Proposal to change
application deadline for Draw
2, 2011-2012



- October SGC meeting, application deadlines set for both Draw 1 & Draw 2, 2011-2012;
- Draw 2 (public land deer, elk, pronghorn antelope, ibex, Barbary sheep, bighorn sheep, javelina) deadline set, April 6, 2011;
- Procedural change for payment requirements: pay for application and license fees at the time the application is submitted;
- The purpose of the procedural change was to alleviate the issue of providing general hunting/fishing authorizations prior to the start of the license year.

- System development of the procedural change to collect all fees at the time of application began several weeks ago.
 - Development team identified several issues with the implementation of this change; the change requires the application process to become more restrictive and inequitable treatment of applicants.
- 

- Once the application is paid for, the change requires the following restrictions:
 - No changes to the application will be allowed once it has been submitted;
 - Application can be deleted, but not allowed to submit another application;
 - If application is deleted or unsuccessful, refunds will be distributed after the draw is held (June);
 - Deer applications will have to be “locked-down” on March 23rd. No deletions of the applications will be allowed.
- 

- Change the application deadline to March 28th:
 - Maintain flexibility of last year's special hunts online system (ability to change application until deadline date and charge license fee after the application deadline)
 - Allows Department to charge credit cards prior to the start of the license year and distribute general hunting/fishing authorization for use on April 1st.
 - Equitable treatment of all applicants
- 

Questions

