



# **Wildlife Management Division**

**Turkey  
19.31.16 NMAC**

**June 21, 2018**

**New Mexico State Game Commission Meeting  
Raton, NM**

# **Proposed Amendments: Turkey 19.31.16 NMAC**


- **Adjust youth seasons for calendar dates**
- **Add an additional youth draw in GMU 30**
- **Open additional areas for spring turkey**
- **Open additional areas for fall hunting**

# Summary of Public Comment

- **13 written comments received**
- **Public meetings: Farmington (13), Las Cruces (5), Albuquerque (10)**
- **Summary of Comments Received:**
  - **Additional spring and fall areas**
  - **Additional spring primitive/disability hunting opportunity**
  - **Season dates**
  - **Youth hunt season updates**
  - **Reduce spring possession limit**


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- **Create a Spring youth hunt on Washington Ranch in GMU 30**
  - **1 weekend during regular or youth season**
  - **Up to 10 tags**
- **Increase the number of tags in GMU 8 from 10 to 15**



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  - **All WMAs except: Bernardo, Bill Evans, Double E, Jackson Lake, La Joya, Lake Roberts, Marquez, Prairie Chicken, Red Rock, River Ranch, W.S. Huey**




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  - **GMUs: 2B (except Carson National Forest), 4, 5A, 39, 51, 52**
  - **All WMAs except: Bernardo, Bill Evans, Double E, Edward Sargent, Jackson Lake, La Joya, Lake Roberts, Marquez, Prairie Chicken, Red Rock, Rio Chama, River Ranch, Humphries, W.S. Huey**




***Questions?***

The seal of the University of Wyoming is visible in the background, featuring a bison head in the center, surrounded by the text "UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING" and "1890".

**“Move to repeal and replace 19.31.16 NMAC, as presented by the Department and allow the Department to make minor corrections to comply with filing this rule with State Records and Archives.”**





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Year	Youth Only - Over the Counter	
	Open	Close
2019	April 12	April 14
2020	April 10	April 12
2021	April 9	April 11
2022	April 8	April 10

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Hunt and Code	Year	Dates
Youth Only WS Huey Draw TUR-1-107	2019	April 13 -14
	2020	April 11-12
	2021	April 10-11
	2022	April 9-10
Youth Only WS Huey Draw TUR-1-108	2019	April 20-21
	2020	April 18-19
	2021	April 17-18
	2022	April 16-17