

**A G E N D A**  
**NEW MEXICO STATE GAME COMMISSION**  
New Mexico Museum of  
Space History  
3198 State Route 2001  
Alamogordo, NM 88310  
Thursday, March 26, 2015  
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Public testimony and comment: All those interested in providing oral comments are encouraged to prepare a "Speaker's Card" for each item on which they will comment. These cards assist the Commission Chair to manage more effective public communication. Comments will be allowed on each item, regardless of card completion.

Those who desire to address the Commission and who claim to represent an organization must provide the following information: the number of members in the organization, frequency of the organization's meeting and either a signed statement from that organization's president that states the organization has discussed the topic and approved the position that the representative is presenting, or proof that they are a registered lobbyist for the organization.

AT THEIR DISCRETION, THE COMMISSION MAY TAKE ACTION ON ANY AGENDA ITEM

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 1: Meeting Called to Order.**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 2: Roll Call.**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 3: Pledge of Allegiance.**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 4: Approval of Agenda.**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 5: Introduction of Guests.**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 6: Approval of Minutes January 15, 2015, Santa Fe, NM and February 19, 2015, Albuquerque, NM.**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 7: Revocations.**

**Presented by Robert Griego** – The Department will present a list of individuals that meet established criteria for initiation of the suspension process for license privileges.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 8: Proposal to Amend Miscellaneous Permit Fees Including those for Game Fish Propagation and License Vendor Requirements and Restrictions - 19.30.9 NMAC.**

**Presented by Robert Griego and Dave Rohrbach** – The Department will present initial proposals to change the fee structure for miscellaneous fees including those for captive live fish used for propagation and sell, and will discuss modifying license vendor requirements and restrictions established in 19.30.09 (NMAC).

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 9: Initiation of Tagging and License Validation Requirements for Big Game - 19.31.10 and 19.30.10 NMAC.**

**Presented by Robert Griego** – The Department will present initial concepts and proposals on big game tagging (19.31.10 NMAC) and harvest reporting (19.30.10 NMAC) to assist in compliance of big game harvest and bag limits.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 10: Proposal of Administrative Restrictions For A Convicted Felon Taking or Attempting to Take a Game Animal or Bird with a Firearm.**

**Presented by Robert Griego** – The Department will present initial ideas for discussion on implementing administrative restrictions for a convicted felon that attempts to take a game animal or bird with a firearm.



**AGENDA ITEM NO. 11: Initiation of Bear and Cougar Rule Development - 19.31.11 NMAC for the 2016-2020**

**Seasons.**

**Presented by Cal Baca** – The Department will present initial perspectives on changes to the Bear and Cougar rule (19.31.11 NMAC) based on public comment, harvest data, population status, and other impacts.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 12: Final Proposals on Oryx Management Relating to the Security Badged Hunts – 19.31.12 NMAC.**

**Presented by Cal Baca** – The Department will present final amendment proposals for the security badged hunts on White Sands Missile Range found in 19.31.12 (NMAC).

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 13: Initiation of Migratory Game Bird Rule Development - 19.31.6 NMAC for the 2015 - 2016**  
**Seasons.**

**Presented by Cal Baca** – The Department will present initial perspectives on changes to the Migratory Game Bird rule (19.31.6 NMAC) based on information from the USFWS and recent survey information.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 14: Initiation of Reporting Requirements for Licensed Trappers and Furbearer Hunters - 19.30.10 NMAC for the 2015 – 2016 Seasons.**

**Presented by Cal Baca** – The Department will present initial proposals to change reporting requirements for Licensed Trappers and Furbearer Hunters established in 19.30.10 (NMAC).

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 15: Review of Management Strategies for Barbary Sheep in Game Management Unit 34**  
**Relating to the Need to Expand the Bighorn Sheep Population.**

**Presented by Cal Baca** – The Department will present an overview of management strategies in Game Management Unit 34 relating to harvest data, population status and public input on Barbary sheep and discuss the need to expand bighorn sheep in the Sacramento Mountains.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 16: Review of Commission Properties Previously Approved For Disposal.**

**Presented by RJ Kirkpatrick** – The Department will present a review of Commission properties that were previously approved for disposal because of limited value to wildlife or their habitat.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 17: Unstaffed Shooting Ranges.**

**Presented by Dr. David Bennett** – Dr. Bennett will discuss unstaffed shooting range logistics and development.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 18: Legislative Update.**

**Presented by Dan Brooks** – The Department will update the Commission on legislative actions during the last session including operating budget, capital projects and any other bills that may impact the Department or Commission.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 19: Closed Executive Session.**

The State Game Commission will vote as to whether it will adjourn into Executive Session closed to the public, pursuant to, Section 10-15-1(H)(2) NMSA 1978, to discuss limited personnel matters relating to complaints and discipline, and pursuant to Section 10-15-1(H)(7) on matters subject to the attorney-client privilege relating to threatened or pending litigation pertaining to State of Oklahoma, et al. v. US Dept. of the Interior et al., Defenders of Wildlife, et al. v. Sally Jewel et al., WildEarth Guardians v. Kirkpatrick, Quintana et al. v. Barney et al., and State of New Mexico et al. v. United States et al. (D-1116-CV—7500184), in which the Commission and/or Department is or may become a participant.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 20: Briefing on Quintana et al. v. Barney et al., Case No. D-430-CV-2012-00003.**

**Presented by TBD** – The Commission will receive an update on the case of Quintana et al. v. Barney et al., Case No. D-430-CV-2012-00003 and may determine or provide legal direction to counsel.



**AGENDA ITEM NO. 21: 2015 Meeting Schedule.**

**Commission Discussion** – The Commission will discuss the 2015 meeting dates and any alternate dates that might be needed due to conflicts or availability.

**AGENDA ITEM NO.22: General Public Comments (Comments Limited to 3 Minutes).**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 23: Adjourn.**

NOTE: The meeting will be adjourned upon completion of the agenda or up to those items that time allows. Any items not discussed will be on the following meeting's agenda. The Agenda is subject to change up to 72 hours prior to the scheduled meeting date and time as deemed necessary by the Chairman. To inquire about agenda changes, please contact the Office of the Director at (505) 476-8008. If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing or meeting, please contact Ms. Angelica Ruiz at (505) 476-8027 at least 3 working days before the meeting date. Public documents, including the Agenda and Minutes can be provided in various accessible forms. Please contact Ms. Ruiz if a summary or other type of accessible form is needed.

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