New Mexico Department of Game & Fish

Legislative Roundup

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BILLS: PASSED or FAILED

Bills Passed

- HB 2 Appropriations (Reps Small and Dixon)
- HB35 Free Cultural Services for Foster Families (Reps Lord, Block, Armstrong and Terrazas and Senator Diamond)
- HB197 Increase Free Fishing Days (Reps Gallegos, Lara, Madrid, and Lundstrum)
- SB72 Create Wildlife Corridors Fund (Sen Stewart)
- SB9 Create Legacy Permanent Fund (Sens Neville and Wirth)
- SB 392 Game and Fish Outdoor Youth Programs (Sens Sanchez and Pirtle)

Bills Failed

- HB 183 Transfer Game and Fish Department and Commission (Rep McQueen)
- HB 184 Commission Changes (Rep McQueen and Sen Diamond)
- HB 261 Expand Unlawful Taking of Big Game (Reps Ortez and Johnson and Sen Schmedes)
- HB486 Game and Fish Mission and Fees (Reps McQueen and Small)
- SB225 Hunter Safety Training for Filmmaking (Sen Pirtle)
- SB 254 Game and Fish Licensing Fees (Sens Neville and Campos)
- SB439 Legislative Approval for Certain Land Purchases (Sens Sharer, Munoz, and Diamond)