

# AGENDA ITEM NO. 11

Proposal to Amend Miscellaneous Permit Fees Including those for Game Fish Propagation and License Vendor Requirements and Restrictions - 19.30.9 NMAC.



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- Chapter 17 establishes the Commission's authority over license vendors, and authorizes the Commission to set fees for permits, not to exceed administrative costs.
- Commission Rule 19.30.9 NMAC establishes the financial requirements for license vendors, and sets the fees for many special use permits.



- This rule was originally passed over 20 years ago.
- The on-line licensing system has significantly changed the role and responsibilities of License Vendors.
- The costs of administering special use permits has evolved over time.



# Vendor Eligibility and Bonding Requirements

- Vendors must follow procedures in current license vendor manual and agreement.
- When a surety bond is needed.
- When the surety bond can be waived.
- Vendor must have a current agreement with Department on a Department approved form.



# Vendor Eligibility and Bonding Requirements Continued

- Delinquent vendors may have cash acceptance privileges suspended or reactivated.
- Allows Director to determine if a delinquent vendor's privileges maybe retained and continue to waive bonding requirement.
- Gives Director flexibility to work with delinquent vendors.



The Department proposes that the Commission repeal the current 19.30.9 and replace it with a new rule 19.30.9 updating the responsibilities of vendors and the fees charged for special use of wildlife permits.



The proposed changes have been posted for public comment. In response to comments received, an alternative proposed rule has been posted. The Department recommends the adoption of the alternative proposed rule.



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# Questions?



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