



Premium Hunting Opportunities

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New Mexico State Game Commission Meeting

Las Vegas, NM

Enhancement Program

- Program initiated in 1990 to address limited funds for wildlife management throughout NM
- Currently 20 tags auctioned/raffled annually
- Money used exclusively for management of species and habitat
- Criticism of these enhancement tags



Premium hunt opportunities

The Department is recommending 1 statewide deer and 1 statewide elk license to be made available by draw

The seal of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency is visible in the background. It features a central illustration of a bear's head, surrounded by the text "TENNESSEE WILDLIFE RESOURCES AGENCY" and "GAME & FISH".

Public comment

3 public comment in favor of statewide license (1 recommended weapon restrictions)



Questions?



“Move to amend 19.31.14 and 19.31.13 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”

Translocations



Habitat Improvement



Money Generated

- Raised \$9 million to date matched with P-R Funds
- Average big game auction earns \$99,824
- Average raffle earns \$37,587

Research

- **Elk Calf Mortality Studies**
- **Bighorn Sheep Adult/Lamb Mortality Study**
- **Deer-lion predator prey studies**

