Javelina

Licenses, applications, harvest reporting and general information: 1-888-248-6866

General Information

- License Requirements and Fees (see pages 12–17).
- All Javelina Harvests Must Be Tagged (pages 37).
- Legal Sporting Arms for Javelina Hunting (specified by hunt code, see page 30).
- Hunting on Military Reservations (see page 46).
- Youth-Only Hunts (see page 19).
- It is Legal to Harvest a Marked Animal (see page 9).

Javelina Draw Licenses

The deadline to apply for javelina draw licenses is March 18, 2026. Up to four hunters may apply per application. Successful applicants will be mailed a Javelina License/Tag unless the E-Tag option is chosen.

OTC Licenses: Licenses and tags are available at NMDOW offices, license vendors, online and by telephone. Online and telephone purchases must be made at least 14 days prior to hunt start date to allow mailing of tags unless the E-Tag option is chosen.

WMAs open to javelina hunting: Heart Bar, Double E, River Ranch, Red Rock (outside of the high-fence bighorn sheep enclosure only), Sandhills Prairie Conservation Area, and Prairie-Chicken WMAs including Black Hills (East and West), Claudell, Crossroads 1–5, Gallina Wells (1, 1A, 1B and 2–6), Liberty, Marshall, Milnesand, Bluitt (North, South and East), Wayside, Antelope Flats, Bledsoe, Little Dipper, Pitchfork and Ranger Lake.

JAV-1-100, JAV-1-104 and JAV-2-103 Hunts: Javelina will be in small, isolated groups except in Units 23–27.

Draw Hunts	Hunt Dates	Hunt Code	Quality	Licenses	Bag Limit
Bow – Units 19, 23-27	Jan. 1-31, '27	JAV-2-101	S	330	ES
Any Legal – Statewide except GMU 28 / Youth Only	Feb. 1-Mar.31, '27	JAV-1-100	S	180	ES
Any Legal – Units 19, 23-27	Feb. 1-Mar.31, '27	JAV-1-102	S	1100	ES
Any Legal ¹ – Unit 28 McGregor Range / Military Only	Dec. 26-27	JAV-1-105	S	5	ES
Any Legal ¹ – Unit 28 McGregor Range	Dec. 26-27	JAV-1-106	S	5	ES

¹ Fort Bliss charges a \$100 per person access fee for all hunters and their quests

Over-the-Counter State						
Bow – Statewide (excluding Units 19, 23-28)	Jan. 1-31, '27	JAV-2-103	S	360	ES	
Any Legal – Statewide (excluding Units 19, 23-28)	Feb. 1-Mar. 31, '27	JAV-1-104	S	1200	ES	