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**STATE GAME COMMISSION MEETING AND RULE MAKING NOTICE**

The New Mexico State Game Commission (“Commission”) will be hosting a virtual meeting and rule hearing on Thursday August 13, 2020 beginning at 9:00 a.m. For instructions on how to virtually attend this meeting, visit the Department’s website at <http://www.wildlife.state.nm.us/commission/webcast/>. The purpose of this meeting is to hear and consider action as appropriate on the following: presentation of proposed changes to the Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units rule.

**Synopsis:**

The proposal is to amend the Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units rule, 19.30.4 NMAC, which will become effective August 25, 2020. The Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units rule is a permanent rule.

The proposed new rule will include reassigning an area to a different GMU based on land features, and making corrections to 1) neighboring GMUs that overlap each other, and 2) to neighboring GMUs that leave a gap between them. It also includes modifying boundary descriptions such that they: correspond to actual features; cite correct/commonly used feature names; include sufficient detail for a complete boundary description; and reflect updated changes on the ground.

A full text of changes will be available on the Department’s website at: [www.wildlife.state.nm.us](http://www.wildlife.state.nm.us).

Interested persons may submit comments on the proposed changes to the Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units rule at [DGF-Boundary-Rule@state.nm.us](mailto:DGF-Boundary-Rule@state.nm.us), or individuals may submit written comments to the physical address below. Comments are due by 8:00 a.m. on August 13, 2020. The final proposed rule will be voted on by the Commission during a virtual public meeting on August 13, 2020. Interested persons may also provide data, views or arguments, orally or in writing, at the virtual public rule hearing to be held on August 13, 2020.

Full copies of text of the proposed new rule, technical information related to proposed rule changes, and the agenda can be obtained from the Office of the Director, New Mexico Department of Game and Fish, 1 Wildlife Way, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87507, or from the Department’s website at [www.wildlife.state.nm.us/commission/proposals-under-consideration/](http://www.wildlife.state.nm.us/commission/proposals-under-consideration/). This agenda is subject to change up to 72 hours prior to the meeting. Please contact the Director’s Office at (505) 476-8000, or the Department’s website at [www.wildlife.state.nm.us](http://www.wildlife.state.nm.us) for updated information.

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 the Department at (505) 476-8000 at least one week prior to the meeting or as soon as possible. Public documents, including the agenda and minutes, can be provided in various accessible formats. Please contact the Department at 505-476-8000 if a summary or other type of accessible format is needed.

Legal authority for this rulemaking can be found in the General Powers and Duties of the State Game Commission 17-1-14, et seq. NMSA 1978; Commission’s Power to establish rules and regulations 17-1-26, et seq. NMSA 1978.

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**TITLE 19 NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDLIFE**  
**CHAPTER 30 WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION**  
**PART 4 BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS FOR GAME MANAGEMENT UNITS**

**19.30.4.1 ISSUING AGENCY:** New Mexico department of game and fish.  
[19.30.4.1 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.1 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.2 SCOPE:** Department staff and licensed hunters and trappers.  
[19.30.4.2 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.2 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 17-1-14 and 17-1-26 NMSA 1978 provide that the New Mexico state game commission has the authority to establish rules and regulations that it may deem necessary to carry out the purpose of Chapter 17 NMSA 1978 and all other acts pertaining to protected mammals, birds and fish.  
[19.30.4.3 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.3 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.4 DURATION:** Permanent.  
[19.30.4.4 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.4 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.5 EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 25, 2020, unless a different date is cited at the end of a section.  
[19.30.4.5 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.5 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.6 OBJECTIVE:** Establishing boundary descriptions for game management units and other designated areas.  
[19.30.4.6 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.6 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.7 DEFINITIONS:**

**A. "County road" or "CR"** as used herein shall be a numbered road that is designated and managed by New Mexico county governments.

**B. "East" or "E"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction east.

**C. "Forest road" or "FR"** as used herein shall be a numbered road that is under the jurisdiction of and managed by the United States Forest Service.

**D. "Forest trail" or "FT"** as used herein shall be a numbered trail that is under the jurisdiction of and managed by the United States Forest Service.

**E. "Game management unit" or "GMU"** as used herein, shall be a geographical subdivision of the state used to manage game species.

**F. "Interstate" or "I-"** as used herein shall be a numbered controlled access highway that is part of the United States Interstate Highway System.

**G. "New Mexico highway" or "NM"** as used herein shall be a numbered highway or route that is part of the New Mexico State Highway System managed by the New Mexico Department of Transportation.

**H. "North" or "N"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction north.

**I. "Range" or "R"** as used herein shall be range designations based on the New Mexico Principal Meridian and Base Line of the United States Public Land Survey System. Ranges are numbered in order east and west from the principal meridian (e.g. R10E is the 10<sup>th</sup> range east of the principle meridian).

**J. "South" or "S"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction south.

**K. "Township" or "T"** as used herein shall be township designations based on the New Mexico Principal Meridian and Base Line of the United States Public Land Survey System. Townships are numbered in order north and south from the base line (e.g. T2N is the second township north of the base line).

**L. "United States highway" or "US"** as used herein shall be a numbered highway that is part of the United States Numbered Highway System coordinated by the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials.

**M. "West" or "W"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction west.

[19.30.4.7 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.7 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.8 GAME MANAGEMENT UNITS:**

**A. GMU 1:** The Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation and all contiguous portions of the Navajo Nation reservation north and west of and including section 31, T 17 N, R 13 W.

**B. GMU 2:** Beginning at the junction of the east boundary of the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation and the Colorado-New Mexico state line and running east along the state line to the western boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then south, west and south along the reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550, then northwest along US 550 to its intersection with the San Juan river, then west along the San Juan river to the east boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation, then north along the east boundary of the Navajo reservation to its junction with the south boundary of the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation, then east and north along the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation boundary to the Colorado-New Mexico state line.

**C. GMU 2A:** That portion of GMU 2 west of the Los Pinos river (Pine Arm of Navajo reservoir) and north of the San Juan river.

**D. GMU 2B:** That portion of GMU 2 east and north of the following line: from the junction of the New Mexico-Colorado state line and Pine river, then south along the Pine river to its junction with the San Juan river, then south and west along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon), then south and east along the central wash of Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon) to the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation boundary.

**E. GMU 2C:** That portion of GMU 2 south and west of the following line: from the junction of US 550 and the San Juan river at Bloomfield, then east along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon), then south and east along the central wash of Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon) to the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation boundary.

**F. GMU 3:** The Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation.

**G. GMU 4:** Beginning at the junction of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation and the Colorado-New Mexico state line and running east along the state line to the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, then south along the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and west along its south boundary to its junction with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then north along the east boundary of the reservation to its junction with the Colorado-New Mexico state line.

**H. GMU 5:** Beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then south along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 northwest of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with NM 595 north of Regina, then west along NM 595 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then northerly along the east boundary of the reservation to its junction with the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama.

**I. GMU 5A:** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the junction of the northwest boundary of the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary with the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation north of Lindrith and following the forest administrative boundary south towards Lindrith, then northeasterly past Llaves, thence southerly to its intersection with NM 96, then west along NM 96 to its junction with NM 595 north of Regina, then west along NM 595 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then following the reservation boundary north to its intersection with the northwest corner of the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary.

**J. GMU 5B:** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then south along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 northwest of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary west of Gallina, then following the forest boundary north then west past Llaves then southwesterly to south of Lindrith, then north along the forest service administrative boundary line to its intersection with the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then east along the reservation boundary to the junction of the reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama.

**K. GMU 6:** Beginning at the junction of I-25 and US 550 near Bernalillo and running northwest and west along US 550 past San Ysidro to its intersection with the boundary of the Pueblo of Zia reservation, then south, west and north along the Pueblo of Zia reservation boundary to the boundary of the Pueblo of Jemez reservation, then west, north and east along the Pueblo of Jemez reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 near La Ventana, then north and west along US 550 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then east along the south boundary of the reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 595, then east along NM 595 to its junction with NM 96, then east along NM 96 to its junction with US 84

northwest of Abiquiu, then southeast along US 84 to its junction with I-25 at Santa Fe, then southwest along I-25 to its junction with US 550.

**L. GMU 6A:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of I-25 and US 550 at Bernalillo and running northwest and west along US 550 past San Ysidro to its intersection with the boundary of the Pueblo of Zia reservation, then south, west and north along the Pueblo of Zia reservation boundary to the Pueblo of Jemez reservation, then west, north and east along Pueblo of Jemez reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 near La Ventana, then north and west along US 550 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then east along the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 595, then east along NM 595 to its junction with NM 96, then east along NM 96 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 103, then south along Santa Fe FR 103 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 117, then south along Santa Fe FR 117 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 527 (Pipeline road), then east along Santa Fe FR 527 to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then south and east along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with Santa Fe FR 280 and NM 4, then south along Santa Fe FR 280 to its junction with Santa Fe FT 140, then south along Santa Fe FT 140 to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with Santa Fe FR 266, then south and east along Santa Fe FR 266 to its junction with NM 22, then along NM 22 to its junction with NM 16, then southeast along NM 16 to its junction with I-25, then south and west along I-25 to its junction with US 550 at Bernalillo.

**M. GMU 6B:** That portion of GMU 6 comprised of all lands within the fenced or posted boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve as fenced or posted by the United States forest service.

**N. GMU 6C:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of NM 96 and Santa Fe FR 103 east of Gallina and running south along Santa Fe FR 103 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 117, then south along Santa Fe FR 117 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 527 (Pipeline road), then east along Santa Fe FR 527 to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then north, east, south and west along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with NM 4 and Santa Fe FR 280, then south along Santa Fe FR 280 to its junction with Santa Fe FT 140, then south along Santa Fe FT 140 to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with Santa Fe FR 266, then south and east along Santa Fe FR 266 to its junction with NM 22, then along NM 22 to its junction with NM 16, then south and east along NM 16 to its junction with I-25, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 84 at Santa Fe, then north along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 west of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 103.

**O. GMU 7:** Beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation and Navajo W Route 9 at section 31, T18N, R13W, then running north along the reservation boundary to the northeastern corner immediately west of Farmington, then east along the San Juan river to its intersection with US 550 at Bloomfield, then southeast along US 550 to its intersection with the west boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then south along the west boundary of the reservation and east along its south boundary to its intersection with US 550, then east and south along US 550 to its intersection with the north boundary of the Pueblo of Jemez reservation south of La Ventana, then west along the north boundary of the reservation and south along its west boundary to its intersection with the San Luis road, then southwest along San Luis road to its intersection with arroyo Chico, then west up arroyo Chico to its junction with Voght draw, then west up Voght draw to its junction with Inditos draw, then west up Inditos draw to its intersection with NM 509, south of Hospah, south along NM 509 to McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road), then southwest along McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road) to its junction with the continental divide (near Borrego pass), then westerly along the continental divide to its intersection with NM 371, then north along NM 371 to its junction with Navajo W Route 9, then northwest along Navajo W Route 9 to its intersection with the boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation at section 31, T18N, R13W.

**P. GMU 8:** Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and I-25 at Albuquerque and running northeast along I-25 to its junction with NM 14, then south along NM 14 to Santa Fe CR 42, then southeast along the county road to its junction with NM 41 at Galisteo, then south along NM 41 to its intersection with I-40 at Moriarty, then west along I-40 to its intersection with I-25.

**Q. GMU 9:** Beginning at Prewitt at the junction of I-40 and NM 412 and running north along NM 412 to NM 122, then east along NM 122 to its intersection with McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road), then north along CR 19-A to its intersection with NM 509, then north along NM 509 to its intersection with Inditos draw, then south and east down Inditos draw to its junction with Voght draw, then east down Voght draw to its junction with arroyo Chico, then east down arroyo Chico to its intersection with the San Luis road, then northeast along the San Luis road to its intersection with the west boundary of the Pueblo of Jemez reservation, then east along the Pueblo of Jemez reservation southern boundary to the boundary of the Pueblo of Zia reservation, then south and east along the Pueblo of Zia reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 west of San Ysidro, then east and southeast along US

550 to its junction with I-25 at Bernalillo, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 6 at Los Lunas, then west and northwest along NM 6 to its junction with I-40, then west along I-40 to Prewitt.

**R. GMU 10:** Beginning at the junction of the north boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation with the Arizona-New Mexico state line and running north along the state line to the boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation at section 35, T17N, R21W, then east along the contiguous southern boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with Navajo W Route 9 at section 31, T18N, R13W, then southeast along Navajo W Route 9 to its junction with NM 371, then east and south along NM 371 to its intersection with the continental divide, then east along the continental divide to its junction with McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road) near Borrego pass, then south along CR 19-A to NM 122, then west along NM 122 to NM 412, then south along NM 412 to its junction with I-40 at Prewitt, then southeast along I-40 to its junction with NM 53 (Ice Caves road) near Grants, then south and west along NM 53 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation, then north along the east boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation and west along its north boundary to its junction with the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**S. GMU 11:** The Pueblo of Zuni reservation.

**T. GMU 12:** Beginning at the intersection of US 60 and the Arizona-New Mexico state line and running north along the state line to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation, then east along the south boundary of the reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 53, then east along NM 53 to its junction with Cibola CR 42, then south along Cibola CR 42 to its junction with NM 117, then east along NM 117 to its junction with Cibola CR 41, then south along Cibola CR 41 to its junction with Catron CR A083, then south along Catron CR A083 to its junction with NM 603, then south along NM 603 to its junction with US 60 at Pie Town, thence west along US 60 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**U. GMU 13:** Beginning at the junction of NM 53 (Ice Caves road) and I-40 west of Grants and running east along I-40 to its junction with NM 6, then southeast along NM 6 to its junction with I-25 at Los Lunas, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 60 at Socorro, then west along US 60 to its junction with NM 12 at Datil, then southwest along NM 12 to its junction with Catron CR B034, then northwest along Catron CR B034 to its junction with Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130), then west and north along Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130) to its junction with Pie Town road (Catron CR A056), then north along Pie Town road (Catron CR A056) to Pie Town, then north along NM 603 to its junction with York Ranch road (Catron CR A083), then north along York Ranch road (Catron CR A083 and Cibola CR 41) to its junction with NM 117, then west along NM 117 to its junction with Back Country Byway (Cibola CR 42), then north along Back Country Byway (Cibola CR 42) to its junction with NM 53, then east and north along NM 53 to its junction with I-40 west of Grants.

**V. GMU 14:** Beginning at the junction of US 60 and I-25 at Bernardo and running north along I-25 to its intersection with I-40 at Albuquerque, then east along I-40 to its intersection with NM 41 at Moriarty, then south along NM 41 to its junction with US 60 at Willard, then west along US 60 to its junction with I-25.

**W. GMU 15:** Beginning at the intersection of the Arizona-New Mexico state line and US 60 and running east along US 60 to its intersection with NM 603 at Pie Town, then south and east along Pie Town road (Catron CR A056) to its junction with Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130), then east along Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130) to its junction with NM 12 south of Datil, then southwest along NM 12 to its junction with US 180 west of Reserve, then northwest along US 180 to its intersection with the Arizona-New Mexico state line, then north along the Arizona-New Mexico state line to its intersection with US 60.

**X. GMU 16:** Beginning at the junction of NM 12 and US 60 at Datil and running east along US 60 to its intersection with NM 52, then southwest along NM 52 to its intersection with NM 163, then southwest along NM 163 to its intersection with the continental divide, then south and southwest along the continental divide to its intersection with the Grant-Sierra county line at Reed's peak, then south along the Grant-Sierra county line to its intersection with Gila FR 152 at Board Gate saddle, then northwest and southwest along Gila FR 152 to its junction with NM 35, then northwest along NM 35 to its junction with Sapillo creek, then west along Sapillo creek to its junction with the Gila river, then northwest along the Gila river to its intersection with Turkey creek, then northwest along Turkey creek to its intersection with Gila FT 158, then northwest along Gila FT 158 through Woodrow canyon to Mogollon creek, then northwest along Mogollon creek to its junction with the west fork of Mogollon creek and Gila FT 224, then northwest along the west fork of Mogollon creek and Gila FT 224 to its junction with Gila FT 182, then north and west on Gila FT 182 to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159) at Sandy point, then west on Bursum road to its junction with US 180 south of Alma, then north on US 180 to its intersection with NM 12, thence northeast along NM 12 to its junction with US 60 at Datil.

**Y. GMU 16A:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of Bursum road (NM 159) and US 180, then north along US 180 to its junction with NM 12, then northeast along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek south of Reserve, then east along Negrito creek to its

junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with Gila FR 94 at Collins park, then south on Gila FR 94 to its junction with Gila FR 28, then southeasterly on Gila FR 28 to its junction with Gila FR 30, then southeasterly on Gila FR 30 to its junction with Snow Lake road (Catron CR 021), then southwesterly on Snow Lake road to its junction with Gila FR 142C west of Cooney prairie, then south on Gila FR 142C to the Gila wilderness boundary, then west along the Gila wilderness boundary to its junction with Snow creek below Snow lake, then south along Snow creek to its junction with Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to its junction with Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to its junction with Gila FT 138, then westerly along Gila FT 138 to its junction with Gila FT 182, then north on Gila FT 182 to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159) at Sandy point, then west along Bursum road (NM 159) to its junction with US 180.

**Z. GMU 16B:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of Gila FR 152 and the Grant-Sierra county line southwest of Board Gate saddle, then north along the Grant-Sierra county line to Reeds peak and the continental divide, thence north along the continental divide to its intersection with Gila FT 42, then west along Gila FT 42 to its junction with Gila FT 40 at Diamond creek, then west along Gila FT 40 and Diamond creek to Gila FR 4069G, then west to Gila FR 225, then southwest along Gila FR 225 to its junction with Gila FR 18, then northwest along Gila FR 18 to its junction with Gila FR 704, then west along Gila FR 704 to Gila FR 4208P, then northwesterly along Gila FR 4208P to Gila FT 772, then northwesterly along Gila FT 772 to Black mountain, then west from Black mountain along Gila FT 23 to Gila FT 812, then north along Gila FT 812 to its intersection with the south fork of Christie canyon and the wilderness boundary, then west along the wilderness boundary to Snow creek, then south along Snow creek to Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to Gila FT 138, then westerly along Gila FT 138 to Gila FT 182, then south and east on Gila FT 182 to its junction with Gila FT 224 at west fork saddle, then south along Gila FT 224 and down the west fork of Mogollon creek to its junction with Mogollon creek, then easterly along Mogollon creek to Gila FT 158 at Woodrow canyon, then southeast along Gila FT 158 to Turkey creek, then south along Turkey creek to the Gila river, then east along the Gila river to Sapillo creek, then east along Sapillo creek to NM 35, then east along NM 35 to its intersection with Gila FR 152, then northeast along Gila FR 152 to its junction with the Sierra-Grant county line southwest of Board Gate saddle.

**AA. GMU 16C:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the road junction of O Bar O Canyon road (Catron CR 072) and Gila FR 30 in Railroad canyon, then northeast along O Bar O Canyon road to its junction with NM 163, then northeast along NM 163 to the continental divide, then south along the continental divide to Gila FT 42, then south along Gila FT 42 to Gila FT 40, then west on Gila FT 40 to Gila FR 4069G, then west to Gila FR 225, then southwest along Gila FR 225 to Gila FR 18, then northwest along Gila FR 18 to Gila FR 704, then west along Gila FR 704 to Gila FR 4208P, then northwesterly along Gila FR 4208P to Gila FT 772, then northwest along Gila FT 772 to Gila FT 23 on Black mountain, then northwest along Gila FT 23 to Gila FT 812, then north along Gila FT 812 to south fork of Christie canyon, then north and west along south fork of Christie canyon to Gila FR 142C, then north along Gila FR 142C to Snow Lake road (Catron CR 021), then northeast along Snow Lake road to its junction with Gila FR 30, then east along Gila FR 30 to its junction with O Bar O Canyon road in Railroad canyon.

**BB. GMU 16D:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at Apache creek and continuing south and west along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435 at Reserve, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek, then east along Negrito creek to its junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with Gila FR 94 at Collins park, then south along Gila FR 94 to its junction with Gila FR 28, then east along Gila FR 28 to junction with Gila FR 30, then southeast along Gila FR 30 to its intersection with Coyote Canyon road (Catron CR 016), then north and west along Coyote Canyon road to its junction with Bursum road (Catron CR 019), then north along Bursum road to its intersection with NM 12, then west on NM 12 to Apache creek.

**CC. GMU 16E:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the intersection of Coyote Canyon road (Catron CR 016) and Gila FR 30, then northwesterly along Coyote Canyon road to its intersection with Bursum road (Catron CR 019), then north on Bursum road to its intersection with NM 12, then east on NM 12 to its intersection with NM 60 at Datil, then east on NM 60 to its intersection with NM 52, then south on NM 52 to its intersection with NM 163, then west on NM 163 to its intersection with O Bar O Canyon road (Catron CR 072), then west on O Bar O Canyon road to its intersection with Gila FR 30, then west on Gila FR 30 to its intersection with Coyote Canyon road.

**DD. GMU 17:** Beginning at the junction of NM 52 and US 60 east of Datil and running east along US 60 to its junction with I-25 at Socorro, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 181, then north along NM 181 to its junction with NM 52 east of Cuchillo, then west along NM 52 to its junction with NM 142, then northwest

along NM 142 to its junction with Alamosa creek at Monticello, then northwest along Alamosa creek through Monticello canyon to its junction with NM 52 south of Dusty, then north along NM 52 to its junction with US 60.

**EE. GMU 18:** Beginning at the junction of US 380 and I-25 at San Antonio and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 60 at Bernardo, then east along US 60 to NM 55 at Mountainair, then south and southeast along NM 55 to its junction with US 54, then south along US 54 to its intersection with the Lincoln-Otero county line, then west along the county line to the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then north along the east boundary and west along the north boundary of White Sands missile range to the northwest corner of the missile range, then due north to US 380, then west along US 380 to its junction with I-25 at San Antonio.

**FF. GMU 19:** Beginning at the intersection of US 70 and the west boundary of the White Sands missile range east of Organ and running north along the west boundary, east along the north boundary, and south along the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then southerly following the eastern boundary of Holloman Air Force base, continuing south along the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then south and east along the eastern boundary of Fort Bliss - Dona Ana Range Camp to its intersection with US 54 south of Orogrande, then south along US 54 to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line, then west along the state line to its intersection with I-10, then northwest along I-10 to its junction with I-25, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 70 at Las Cruces, then east along US 70 to its intersection with the west boundary of the White Sands missile range.

**GG. GMU 20:** Beginning at the junction of US 70 and I-25 at Las Cruces and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 380 at San Antonio, then east along US 380 to a point due north of the northwestern corner of the White Sands missile range, then due south to the northwest corner of the missile range, then south along the west boundary of the missile range to its intersection with US 70 east of Organ, then west along US 70 to its junction with I-25.

**HH. GMU 21:** Beginning at the junction of US 180 and NM 26 north of Deming and running northeast along NM 26 to its junction with NM 27 at Nutt, then northwest along NM 27 to its intersection with the Sierra-Luna county line, then west along the south boundary of Sierra county and north along its west boundary to the junction of the county line and the continental divide, then north along the continental divide to its intersection with NM 163, then northeast along NM 163 to its junction with NM 52, then southeast along NM 52 to its intersection with Alamosa creek south of Dusty, then southeast along Alamosa creek through Monticello canyon to its intersection with NM 142 at Monticello, then southeast along NM 142 to its intersection with NM 52, then southeast along NM 52 to its junction with NM 181, then south along NM 181 to its junction with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 180 at Las Cruces, then west along US 180 to Deming and north along US 180 to its junction with NM 26.

**II. GMU 21A:** That northwest portion of GMU 21 that lies within the Gila national forest boundary.

**JJ. GMU 21B:** That portion of GMU 21 that lies outside the Gila national forest boundary.

**KK. GMU 22:** Beginning at the intersection of the Gila river and US 180 south of Cliff running north along US 180 to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159), then east along Bursum road to its junction with Gila FT 182 at Sandy point, then south along Gila FT 182 to its junction with Gila FT 224 at the west fork saddle, then south on Gila FT 224 down the west fork of Mogollon creek to its junction with the main Mogollon creek, then easterly along Mogollon creek to the junction of Gila FT 158 at Woodrow canyon, then south along Gila FT 158 to main Turkey creek, then south along Turkey creek to its junction at the Gila river, then southwest along the Gila river to its junction with US 180.

**LL. GMU 23:** Beginning at the intersection of US 180 and the Arizona-New Mexico state line west of Luna, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 70, then southeast along US 70 to its junction with US 180 at Deming, thence northwest along US 180 to its junction with the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**MM. GMU 24:** Beginning at the junction of NM 26 and US 180 north of Deming and running northwest along US 180 to its intersection with the Gila river south of Cliff, then northeast along the Gila river to its junction with Sapillo creek, then east along Sapillo creek to NM 35, then east and south on NM 35 to its junction with Gila FR 152, then northeast along Gila FR 152 to its junction with the Grant-Sierra county line southwest of Board Gate saddle, then south along the west boundary of Sierra county and east along its south boundary to its intersection with NM 27, then south along NM 27 to its junction with NM 26, then southwest along NM 26 to its junction with US 180.

**NN. GMU 25:** Beginning at the junction of the United States-Mexico boundary with the west boundary of Luna county and running north along the county line to its intersection with NM 9, then northwest along NM 9 to its intersection with NM 146 (old NM 81) at Hachita, then north along NM 146 (old NM 81) to its junction with I-10, then east and south along I-10 to its junction with US 70, then east along US 70 to its junction with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with I-10, then south along I-10 to its intersection with the Texas-

New Mexico state line, then west and south along the Texas state line to the United States-Mexico boundary, then west along the international boundary to the west boundary of Luna county.

**OO. GMU 26:** Beginning at Paskle gate on the United States-Mexico boundary, near international boundary marker No. 69, then north on the private dirt road from Paskle gate to its intersection with NM 338 approximately 100 yards west of Cloverdale and running north along NM 338 to its intersection with I-10, then north and east along I-10 to its intersection with NM 146 (old NM 81), then south along NM 146 to its intersection with NM 9 at Hachita, then east along NM 9 to its intersection with the west boundary of Luna county, then south along the Luna county line to the United States-Mexico boundary, then south and west along the international boundary to Paskle gate.

**PP. GMU 27:** Beginning at Paskle gate on the United States-Mexico boundary, near international boundary marker No. 69, then north on the private dirt road from Paskle gate to its intersection with NM 338 approximately 100 yards west of Cloverdale, then north along NM 338 to its intersection with I-10, then east along I-10 to its intersection with US 70 at Lordsburg, then northwest along US 70 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with the United States-Mexico boundary, then east along the international boundary to Paskle gate.

**QQ. GMU 28:** The Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation east of US 54, excluding that part of the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest lying within the McGregor range co-use area.

**RR. GMU 29:** Beginning at the junction of the New Mexico-Texas state line and the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation and running northeast along the military reservation boundary to its intersection with NM 506 (Otero CR E038) leading to Pinon, then east, north and east along NM 506 (Otero CR E038) to its intersection with NM 24 at Pinon, then east on NM 24 and Pinon Dunken road approximately three miles to its intersection with Cornucopia Canyon road and NM 506, then running southerly along Cornucopia Canyon road and NM 506 through Cornucopia draw and Crow flats to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line near Dell City, Texas, then west along the state line to the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation.

**SS. GMU 30:** Beginning at the New Mexico-Texas state line near Dell City, Texas, and its intersection with NM 506, then northerly along NM 506 and Cornucopia Canyon road through Crow flats and Cornucopia draw to its junction with Pinon Dunken road east of Pinon, then northeast along Pinon Dunken to its junction with US 82 north of Dunken, then east along US 82 to its intersection with US 285 at Artesia, then south and southeast along US 285 to its junction with US 180 at Carlsbad, then south along US 180 to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line, then west along the state line to its intersection with NM 506.

**TT. GMU 31:** Beginning at the intersection of the New Mexico-Texas state line and US 180, southwest of Carlsbad, and running northeast along US 180 to its junction with US 285 at Carlsbad, then north along US 285 to its intersection with US 82 at Artesia, then east along US 82 to its junction with NM 249 at Maljamar, then north along NM 249 to its junction with NM 172, then north along NM 172 (Tower road) to its junction with US 380 west of Caprock, then east along US 380 to its junction with Button Mesa road, then north along Button Mesa road continuing north along Lea CR T-156, continuing north along Reserve road, continuing north along S Roosevelt road AK to its junction at Elida, then north along NM 330 to its junction with NM 267 west of Floyd, then north along NM 267 to its junction with US 60 east of Melrose, then east along US 60 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south and west along the state line to its intersection with US 180 southwest of Carlsbad.

**UU. GMU 32:** Beginning at the intersection of US 380 and the east boundary of Lincoln county and running north along the east boundary of Lincoln county to the west boundary of De Baca county, then north along the west boundary of De Baca county to its intersection with US 60, then east along US 60 to its junction with NM 267 east of Melrose, then south along NM 267 to its junction with NM 330 west of Floyd, then south along NM 330 to its junction with US 70 at Elida, then southwest along US 70 to its intersection with the Pecos river, then south along the Pecos river to its intersection with Aberdeen road (NM 249) at Hagerman, then west along Aberdeen road (NM 249) to its junction with NM 2, then south along NM 2 to its intersection with US 285 north of Artesia, then south on US 285 to its intersection with US 82 at Artesia, then west along US 82 to its junction with Picacho road (Chaves CR C433) near mile marker 60, then north along Picacho road to its intersection with Felix Canyon road near Flying H, then west along Felix Canyon road to its intersection with Picacho road, then north along Picacho road continuing northerly along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030 and Lincoln CR E028) to its junction with US 380. about a mile west of Picacho, then east along US 380 to its intersection with the east boundary of Lincoln county.

**VV. GMU 33:** Beginning at the intersection of US 82 and US 285 at Artesia and running north along US 285 to its junction with NM 2, then north on NM 2 to its intersection with NM 249 at Hagerman, then east along NM 249 to its intersection with the Pecos river, then north along the Pecos river to its intersection with US 70, then northeast along US 70 to S Roosevelt road AK at Elida, then south along S Roosevelt road AK continuing south



along Reserve road, Button Mesa road and Lea CR T-156, then northwest along US 380 to NM 172 to US 82, then west along US 82 to US 285 at Artesia.

**WW. GMU 34:** Beginning at the junction of Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) and the east boundary of the White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate and running east along Tulie Gate road to its junction with Railroad avenue (Otero CR B-009), then north on Railroad avenue to its intersection with US 54, then running south along US 54 to its intersection with US 70 at Tularosa, then running northeast along US 70 to its intersection with the west boundary of the Mescalero Apache Tribe reservation, then south along the west boundary of the reservation, east along its south boundary, and north along its east boundary to the Lincoln-Chaves county line, then east along the county line approximately two miles to its intersection with Picacho road, then southerly along Picacho road to its intersection with Felix Canyon road, then east along Felix Canyon road to its intersection with Picacho road, then south along Picacho road to its intersection with US 82, then west along US 82 to its junction with NM 24 north of Dunken, then south along Pinon Dunken road (NM 24) to its intersection with Owen Prather highway (NM 506) at Pinon, then west, south and west on Owen Prather highway (NM 506) to the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation, then north and west along the boundary of the Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation to its intersection with the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest, then west and north along the boundary of the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest to its intersection with the north boundary of the Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation, then west and south along the boundary of the Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation to its junction with the east boundary of the Fort Bliss-Dona Ana Range Camp at US 54 south of Orogrande, then north along the east boundary of Fort Bliss-Dona Ana Range Camp, then north along the east boundary of White Sands missile range to Holloman Air Force base, then east and north along the eastern Holloman Air Force base boundary to the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then north along the east boundary of White Sands missile range to its intersection of Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) at Tularosa gate.

**XX. GMU 35:** The Mescalero Apache Tribe reservation.

**YY. GMU 36:** Beginning at the junction of Otero CR B-006 and the east boundary of the White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate and running north along the east boundary to its intersection with the Lincoln-Otero county line, then east along the county line to its intersection with US 54, then north along US 54 to its intersection with US 380 at Carrizozo, then east along US 380 to its junction with Picacho road (Lincoln CR E028), approximately 1 mile west of Picacho, then south along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E028) to its intersection with Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030), then south and west along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030) to its intersection with the Lincoln-Chaves county line, then west along the county line to the east boundary of the Mescalero Apache Tribe reservation, then north along the east boundary of the reservation, west along its north boundary, and south along its west boundary to its intersection with US 70, then west along US 70 to its junction with US 54 at Tularosa, then north along US 54 to its junction with Otero CR B-009, then south along CR B-009 to its junction with Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006), then west along Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) to its junction with the east boundary of White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate.

**ZZ. GMU 37:** Beginning at the intersection of US 380 and US 54 at Carrizozo and running north along US 54 to its junction with NM 462 west of Ancho, then east along NM 462 to its intersection with the Southern Pacific railroad tracks, then north along the railroad tracks to Hasparos canyon, then east down Hasparos canyon to the east boundary of Lincoln county, then south along the east boundary of Lincoln county to its intersection with US 380, then west along US 380 to its intersection with US 54 at Carrizozo.

**AAA. GMU 38:** Beginning at the junction of US 54 and NM 55 and running northwesterly along NM 55 to its junction with US 60 at Mountainair, then east along US 60 to the Guadalupe-De Baca county line, then south along the county line and along the east boundary of Lincoln county to its intersection with Hasparos canyon, then west up Hasparos canyon to the Southern Pacific railroad tracks northeast of Ancho, then south along the railroad tracks to their intersection with NM 462 at Ancho, then west along NM 462 to its junction with US 54, then south along US 54 to its junction with NM 55.

**BBB. GMU 39:** Beginning at the junction of US 60 and NM 41 west of Willard and running north along NM 41 to its intersection with I-40 at Moriarty, then east along I-40 to its junction with US 84 east of Santa Rosa, then southeast along US 84 to its junction with US 60 at Fort Sumner, then west along US 60 to its junction with NM 41 west of Willard.

**CCC. GMU 40:** Beginning at the junction of US 84 and I-40 east of Santa Rosa and running east along I-40 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 84, then west and north along US 84 to its junction with I-40.

**DDD. GMU 41:** Beginning at the junction of I-40 and NM 469 at San Jon and running north along NM 469 to its junction with US 54 south of Logan, then north along US 54 to its intersection with NM 39 north of

Logan, then northwest along NM 39 to its junction with NM 102 east of Mosquero, then east, north and east along NM 102 to its intersection with NM 402 north of Amistad, then north along NM 402 to its intersection with NM 421 north of Stead, then east along NM 421 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with I-40, then west along I-40 to its intersection with NM 469 at San Jon.

**EEE. GMU 42:** Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and the Pecos river at Santa Rosa and running northwest up the Pecos river to its intersection with US 84 at Dilia, then northwest along US 84 to its junction with I-25 at Romeroville, then northeast along I-25 to its intersection with the Mora river at Watrous, then east down the Mora river to the Canadian river, then south down the Canadian river to its intersection with NM 419 south of Sabinoso, then northeast along NM 419 to its junction with NM 39 northwest of Mosquero, then southeast along NM 39 to its intersection with US 54, then south along US 54 to its intersection with NM 469, then south along NM 469 to its intersection with I-40 at San Jon, then west along I-40 to its intersection with the Pecos river.

**FFF. GMU 43:** Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and NM 41 at Moriarty and running north along NM 41 to the junction at Galisteo with Santa Fe CR 42, then west along the county road to the junction with NM 14, then north along NM 14 to its junction with I-25, then northeast along I-25 to Santa Fe and east along I-25 to its junction with US 84 at Romeroville, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with the Pecos river at Dilia, then east and south along the Pecos river to its intersection with I-40 at Santa Rosa, then west along I-40 to its intersection with NM 41.

**GGG. GMU 45:** Beginning at Glorieta on US 84, and running west and north along US 84 to its intersection with NM 68 at Espanola, then northeast along NM 68 to its intersection with NM 75 at Embudo, then east along NM 75 to its intersection with NM 518, then east along NM 518 to its intersection with the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary line near Holman hill, then south along the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary line to its intersection with the Tecolote land grant boundary line, then south along the Tecolote land grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84/I-25, then west along US 84/I-25 to Glorieta.

**HHH. GMU 46:** Beginning at the junction of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound and running northwest along NM 120 to its junction with NM 434, Black lake area, then north on NM 434 to Carson FR 76 to the Carson national forest administrative boundary, then south following the Carson national forest administrative boundary to the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary at Holman hill, then continue south along the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary to the Tecolote land grant boundary, then south along the Tecolote land grant boundary to I-25, then north along I-25 to the junction of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound.

**III. GMU 47:** Beginning at the intersection of the Mora river and I-25 near Watrous and running northeast along I-25 to its junction with US 56 at Springer, then east along US 56 to its junction with NM 39 at Abbott, then south and southeast along NM 39 to its junction with NM 419 southeast of Solano, then southwest along NM 419 to its intersection with the Canadian river, then northwest up the Canadian river to the Mora river, then west up the Mora river to its intersection with I-25.

**JJJ. GMU 48:** Beginning at the intersection of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound, then northwest along NM 120 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Maxwell grant, then east along the south boundary of the Maxwell grant to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its intersection with NM 120 at Wagon Mound.

**KKK. GMU 49:** Beginning on the Rio Grande at Embudo creek and running north along the Rio Grande to its intersection with NM 567 at Taos junction bridge, then east on NM 567 to NM 570, then northeast on NM 570 to its junction with NM 68 immediately south of Ranchos de Taos, then north along NM 68 to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos, then east along the Pueblo of Taos's south boundary to the Taos county line, then south along the Taos county line to its intersection with US 64, then east along US 64 to its junction with NM 434 north of Black lake, then south along NM 434 to the Carson national forest administrative boundary at Carson FR 76, then south along Carson national forest administrative boundary to its intersection with NM 518 at Holman hill, then westerly along NM 518 to its junction with NM 75, then west along NM 75 to NM 68, then south on NM 68 to Embudo creek, then west on Embudo creek to the Rio Grande.

**LLL. GMU 50:** Beginning at the junction of US 84 and NM 554 east of Abiquiu and running north and east along NM 554 to its junction with NM 111, then southeast along NM 111 to its junction with US 285, then north along US 285 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with the Rio Grande, then south along the Rio Grande to its junction with Embudo creek, then east up Embudo creek to NM 68 at Embudo, then southwest along NM 68 to its junction with US 84 at Espanola, then northwest along US 84 to its junction with NM 554.

**MMM. GMU 51:** Beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, running south then west along the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary line to its intersection with the Rio Chama, then south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along

the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84 northwest of Abiquiu, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with NM 554 east of Abiquiu, then north and east along NM 554 to its intersection with NM 111, then south along NM 111 to its intersection with US 285 north of Ojo Caliente, then east and north along US 285 to its intersection with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary.

**NNN. GMU 51A:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, running south then west along the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary line to its junction with US 84, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with NM 554 east of Abiquiu, then north and east along NM 554 to its intersection with NM 111, then south along NM 111 to its intersection with US 285 north of Ojo Caliente, then east and north along US 285 to its intersection with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary.

**OOO. GMU 51B:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then north along US 84 to its junction with the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, then west along the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant to its junction with the Rio Chama.

**PPP. GMU 52:** Beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and running north along the eastern boundary of the grant to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with US 285, then south along US 285 to its junction with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant.

**QQQ. GMU 53:** Beginning at the intersection of NM 567 and the Rio Grande and running north along the Rio Grande to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its junction with NM 522, then south along NM 522 to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then east along the grant boundary to the Taos-Colfax county line, then south along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos, then west along the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos to NM 68, then south along NM 68 to NM 570 immediately south of Ranchos de Taos, then west along NM 570 to its junction with NM 567, then west along NM 567 to its intersection with the Rio Grande.

**RRR. GMU 54:** Beginning at the intersection of the south boundary of the Maxwell grant and NM 434 and running north along NM 434 to its junction with US 64, then north and east along US 64 to its junction with NM 21 west of Cimarron, then south and east along NM 21 to its junction with I-25 south of Springer, then south along I-25 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Maxwell grant, then west along the south boundary of the grant to its intersection with NM 434.

**SSS. GMU 55:** Beginning at the junction of NM 21 and US 64 west of Cimarron and running west and south along US 64 to the Colfax-Taos county line at Palo Flechado pass, then north along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then north and west along the Sangre de Cristo grant's south boundary to NM 522, then north along NM 522 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 21 at Springer, then west and north along NM 21 to its junction with US 64 west of Cimarron.

**TTT. GMU 55A:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of NM 58 and US 64 at Cimarron and running west and south along US 64 to the Colfax-Taos county line at Palo Flechado pass, then north along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then north and west along the Sangre De Cristo grant's south boundary to NM 522, then north along NM 522 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 64, thence southwest along US 64 to its junction with NM 58 at Cimarron.

**UUU. GMU 55B:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of I-25 and US 64 south of Raton, then south and west along US 64 to its junction with NM 21 west of Cimarron, then south and east along NM 21 to its junction with I-25 south of Springer, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 64 south of Raton.

**VVV. GMU 56:** Beginning at the junction of US 56 and I-25 at Springer and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 64 at Raton, then east along US 64 to its junction with US 56 at Clayton, then west along US 56 to its junction with I-25.

**WWW. GMU 57:** Beginning at the junction of US 64 and I-25 at Raton and running north along I-25 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to NM 551, then south along NM 551 to its junction with NM 456, then southwest along NM 456 to its junction with NM 325, then southwest along NM 325 to its junction with US 64, then west along US 64 to its junction with I-25.

**XXX. GMU 58:** Beginning at the junction of US 64 and NM 325 at Capulin and running northeast along NM 325 to its junction with NM 456, then northeast along NM 456 to its junction with NM 551, then north along NM 551 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to the Oklahoma-New Mexico state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 64, then west along US 64 to its junction with NM 325.

**YYY. GMU 59:** Beginning at the intersection of NM 39 and US 56 at Abbott, then east along US 56 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the New Mexico-Texas state line to NM 421 east of Sedan, then west along NM 421 to its intersection with NM 402 north of Stead, then south along NM 402 to its intersection with NM 102 north of Amistad, then west, south and west along NM 102 to its intersection with NM 39 east of Mosquero, then north along NM 39 to its intersection with US 56 at Abbott.  
[19.30.4.8 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.8 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

#### **19.30.4.9 OTHER DESIGNATED AREAS**

**A. GMU 23 (Burro mountain hunt area):** That portion of GMU 23 comprised of the Big Burro mountains portion of the Gila national forest and shall include all private land lying within the national forest boundary.

**B. GMU 24 (Fort Bayard management area):** That portion of GMU 24 beginning at the NW corner of section 22, T17S, R13W south along the west section line of sections 22, 27 and 34 to the north right-of-way fence of US 180, thence easterly along the north right-of-way fence of US 180 through sections 34 and 35 to the east right-of-way fence of the road entering Fort Bayard medical center, thence northwesterly along this east right-of-way fence through sections 35 and 26 for approximately 1 1/4 miles to the forest boundary fence, thence northeasterly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 5/8 mile, thence easterly along the forest boundary fence through sections 26 and 25 for approximately 3/4 mile, thence southerly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 1/2 mile, thence easterly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 5/8 mile to the west right-of-way fence of NM 90, thence northeasterly along the right-of-way fence for about 1/2 mile to the intersection with the forest boundary fence, thence northerly along the forest boundary fence through sections 30, 19, 18 and 7 for about 3 3/4 miles, thence westerly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 1/4 mile to the southeastern corner of the Pear Tree pasture fence, thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the Pear Tree pasture fence for approximately one mile, thence westerly along the northern fenced boundary through sections 1, 2 and 3 of T17S, R13W of the Pear Tree, Castle Knob, Twin Sisters and Enclosure pasture fences for approximately 3 1/2 miles to corner of west section line of section 3, thence southerly along the west section lines of sections 3, 10 and 15 for approximately 2 3/4 miles to the point of origin.

**C. GMU 25 (Florida mountains):** That portion of GMU 25 comprised of the main Florida mountain range and Little Floridas, bounded by I-10 on the north, the Luna-Dona Ana county line on the east, the Mexico-New Mexico boundary line on the south, and NM 11 on the west.

**D. GMU 32 (Roswell hunt area):** That portion of GMU 32 beginning at the intersection of US 285 and NM 557, then east along NM 557 to its junction with NM 2, then north along NM 2 to its junction with NM 249, then east along NM 249 to the Pecos river, then north along the Pecos river to the north section line of section 2 of T9S, R25E, then west along the north township lines of T9S, R25E and T9S, R24E to US 285, then south along US 285 to the northeast corner of section 32 of T9S, R24E, then west along the north section lines of sections 32 and 31 of T9S, R24E, then sections 36, 35, 34, 33, 32 and 31 of T9S, R23E, and then sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of T9S, R22E, then south along the west section lines of section 33 of T9S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T10S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T11S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T12S, R22E, then east along the south section lines of sections 33 and 34 of T12S, R22E to the northwest corner of section 1 of T13S, R22E, then south along the west section lines of sections 1, 12 and 13 of T13S, R22E, then east along the south section lines of section 13 of T13S, R22E, then sections 18, 17, 16, 15, 14 and 13 of T13S, R23E and then section 18 of T13S, R24E to Old YO Crossing road, then south and west along Old YO Crossing road to its junction with NM 13, then east along NM 13 to its junction with US 285, then south along US 285 to its junction with NM 557.

**E. GMU 36 (Fort Stanton hunt area):** That portion of GMU 36 comprised of those lands owned and administered by the bureau of land management within the historic Fort Stanton military reservation.

**F. GMU 53 (Cerro portion):** That portion of GMU 53 beginning at the intersection of NM 522 and NM 378, then north on NM 522 approximately 3.1 miles to its intersection with Taos CR B-041 (Buena Vista road), then west on Taos CR B-041 1 mile to the dirt road on the boundary of townships T30N and T29N, then west on that dirt road 2 miles to its intersection with Taos CR B-048 (Sunshine-Jarosa road), then south on Taos CR B-048

approximately 1.3 miles to its intersection with NM 378, then southeasterly on NM 378 approximately 3.5 miles to its intersection with NM 522.

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#### **History of 19.30.4 NMAC:**

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Regulation No. 482, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 5/31/1967;  
Regulation No. 487, Establishing 1967 Seasons On Javelina And Barbary Sheep, filed 12/15/1967;  
Regulation No. 489, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring of 1968, filed 3/1/1968;  
Regulation No. 491, Establishing Big Game Seasons For 1968 For Jicarilla Reservation, filed 3/1/1968;  
Regulation No. 492, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 6/6/1968;  
Regulation No. 495, Establishing A Season On Bighorn Sheep, filed 10/2/1968;  
Regulation No. 496, Establishing An Elk Season In The Tres Piedras Area, Elk Area P-6, filed 12/11/1968;  
Regulation No. 502, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1969, filed 3/5/1969;  
Regulation No. 503, Establishing 1969 Deer Seasons For Bowhunting Only And Big Game Seasons For The Jicarilla Indian Reservation, filed 3/5/1969;  
Regulation 504, Establishing Seasons on Deer, Bear, Turkey, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 6/4/1969;  
Regulation No. 507, Establishing A Season On Bighorn Sheep, filed 8/26/1969;  
Regulation No. 512, Establishing Turkey Season For The Spring Of 1970, filed 2/20/1970;  
Regulation No. 513, Establishing Deer Season For Bowhunting Only In Sandia State Game Refuge, filed 2/20/1970;  
Regulation No. 514, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/9/1970;  
Regulation No 520, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1971, filed 3/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 522, Establishing 1971 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 523, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 531, Establishing A Season On Javelina, filed 12/17/1971;  
Regulation No. 532, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1972, filed 3/20/1972;  
Regulation No. 534, Establishing 1972 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/20/1972;  
Regulation No. 536, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/26/1972;  
Regulation No. 542, Establishing A Season On Javelina, filed 12/1/1972;  
Regulation No. 545, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1973, filed 2/26/1973;  
Regulation No. 546, Establishing 1973 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 2/26/1973;  
Regulation No. 547, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, And Javelina, filed 5/31/1973;  
Regulation No. 554, Establishing Special Turkey Seasons For The Spring of 1974, filed 3/4/1974;  
Regulation No. 556, Establishing 1974 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/14/1974;  
Regulation No. 558, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex, filed 5/29/1974;  
Regulation No. 565, Establishing Special Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1975, filed 3/24/1975;  
Regulation No. 567, Establishing 1975 Seasons On Deer, Bear, And Turkey On The Jicarilla Apache And Navajo Indian Reservations And On Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/24/1975;  
Regulation No. 568, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 6/25/1975;  
Regulation No. 573, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/23/1976;

Regulation No. 583, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/11/1977;  
Regulation No. 590, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/15/1978;  
Regulation No. 596, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/23/1979;  
Regulation No. 603, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1980 through March 31, 1981, filed 2/22/1980;  
Regulation No. 609, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1981 through March 31, 1982, filed 3/17/1981;  
Regulation No. 614, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1982 through March 31, 1983, filed 3/10/1982;  
Regulation No. 622, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1983 through March 31, 1984, filed 3/9/1983;  
Regulation No. 628, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1984 through March 31, 1985, filed 4/2/1984;  
Regulation No. 634, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1985 Through March 31, 1986, filed 4/18/1985;  
Regulation No. 640, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1986 through March 31, 1987, filed 3/25/1986;  
Regulation No. 645, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1987 through March 31, 1988, filed 2/12/1987;  
Regulation No. 653, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1988 through March 31, 1989, filed 12/18/1987;  
Regulation No. 663, Establishing Opening Spring Turkey For The Period April 1, 1989 through March 31, 1990, filed 3/28/1989;  
Regulation No. 664, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1989 through March 31, 1990, filed 3/20/1989;  
Regulation No. 674, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1990 through March 31, 1991, filed 11/21/1989;  
Regulation No. 683, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1991 through March 31, 1992, filed 2/8/1991;  
Regulation No. 689, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1992 through March 31, 1993, filed 3/4/1992;  
Regulation No. 700, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1993 through March 31, 1995, filed 3/11/1993.

**History of Repealed Material:**

19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Wildlife Management Areas, filed 10/8/2009 – Repealed effective 7/15/2013.

19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Wildlife Management Areas, filed 6/27/2013 – Repealed effective 8/25/2020.

Initial Proposed Rule

**TITLE 19 NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDLIFE**  
**CHAPTER 30 WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION**  
**PART 4 BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS FOR GAME MANAGEMENT UNITS**

**19.30.4.1 ISSUING AGENCY:** New Mexico Department of Game and Fish.  
[19.30.4.1 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.1 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

**19.30.4.2 SCOPE:** Department staff and licensed hunters and trappers.  
[19.30.4.2 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.2 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

**19.30.4.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 17-1-14 and 17-1-26 NMSA 1978 provide that the New Mexico state game commission has the authority to establish rules and regulations that it may deem necessary to carry out the purpose of Chapter 17 NMSA 1978 and all other acts pertaining to protected mammals, birds, and fish.  
[19.30.4.3 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.3 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

**19.30.4.4 DURATION:** Permanent.  
[19.30.4.4 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.4 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

**19.30.4.5 EFFECTIVE DATE:** ~~July 15, 2013~~ August 25, 2020, unless a different date is cited at the end of a section.  
[19.30.4.5 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.5 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

**19.30.4.6 OBJECTIVE:** Establishing boundary descriptions for game management units, ~~game management sub units~~, and other unique designated areas.  
[19.30.4.6 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.6 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

**19.30.4.7 DEFINITIONS:**

**A. "County road" or "CR"** as used herein shall be a numbered road that is designated and managed by New Mexico county governments.

**B. "East" or "E"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction east.

**C. "Forest road" or "FR"** as used herein shall be a numbered road that is under the jurisdiction of and managed by the United States Forest Service.

**D. "Forest trail" or "FT"** as used herein shall be a numbered trail that is under the jurisdiction of and managed by the United States Forest Service.

**AE. "Game management unit" or "GMU"** as used herein, shall be a geographical subdivision of the state used to manage the game species and their hunters.

**B. "Game management sub-unit"** as used herein, shall be a subdivision of the above-described game management units.

**F. "Interstate" or "I-"** as used herein shall be a numbered controlled access highway that is part of the United States Interstate Highway System.

**G. "New Mexico highway" or "NM"** as used herein shall be a numbered highway or route that is part of the New Mexico State Highway System managed by the New Mexico Department of Transportation.

**H. "North" or "N"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction north.

**I. "Range" or "R"** as used herein shall be range designations based on the New Mexico Principal Meridian and Base Line of the United States Public Land Survey System. Ranges are numbered in order east and west from the principal meridian (e.g. R10E is the 10<sup>th</sup> range east of the principle meridian).

**J. "South" or "S"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction south.

**K. "Township" or "T"** as used herein shall be township designations based on the New Mexico Principal Meridian and Base Line of the United States Public Land Survey System. Townships are numbered in order north and south from the base line (e.g. T2N is the second township north of the base line).

**L. "United States highway" or "US"** as used herein shall be a numbered highway that is part of the United States Numbered Highway System coordinated by the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials.

**M. "West" or "W"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction west.

[19.30.4.7 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.7 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

#### 19.30.4.8 GAME MANAGEMENT UNITS:

[ NOTE: Sub-units from section 19.20.4.9 have been moved and inserted in alphanumeric order into this section 19.30.4.8 as GMUs. Revisions to the GMU descriptions from former section 19.20.4.9 are shown in strike through and underline format in this section 19.30.4.8 ]

**A.** **GMU 1:** The Ute ~~m~~Mountain Ute Tribe reservation and Navajo Indian reservations all contiguous portions of the Navajo Nation reservation north and west of and including section 31, T 17 N, R 13 W.

**B.** **GMU 2:** Beginning at the junction of the east boundary of the Ute ~~m~~Mountain Indian Ute Tribe reservation and the Colorado-New Mexico state line and running east along the state line to the western boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation, then south, west and south along the reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550, then northwest along US 550 to its intersection with the San Juan river south of Bloomfield, then west along the San Juan river to the east boundary of the Navajo Indian Nation reservation just west of water flow, then north along the east boundary of the Navajo reservation to its junction with the south boundary of the Ute ~~m~~Mountain Ute Tribe Indian reservation, then east and north along the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation boundary to the Colorado-New Mexico state line.

**AC.** **Sub-unit GMU 2A:** That portion of GMU 2 west of the Los Pinos river (Pine Arm of Navajo reservoir) and north of the San Juan river.

**BD.** **Sub-unit GMU 2B:** That portion of GMU 2 east and north of the following line: from the junction of the New Mexico-Colorado state line and Pine river, then south along the Pine river to its junction with the San Juan river, then south and west along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon), then south and east along the central wash of Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon) to the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation boundary.

**CE.** **Sub-unit GMU 2C:** That portion of GMU 2 south and west of the following line: from the junction of US 550 and the San Juan river at Bloomfield, then east along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon), then south and east along the central wash of Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon) to the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation boundary.

**CF.** **GMU 3:** The Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation.

**DG.** **GMU 4:** Beginning at the junction of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation and the Colorado-New Mexico state line and running east along the state line to the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, then south along the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and west along its south boundary to its junction with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation, then north along the east boundary of the reservation to its junction with the Colorado-New Mexico state line.

**EH.** **GMU 5:** Beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then south along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 northwest of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with NM 595 north of Regina, then west along NM 595 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation, then northerly along the east boundary of the reservation to its junction with the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama.

**DI.** **Sub-unit GMU 5A (Freeman Davis unit):** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the junction of the northwest boundary of the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary and junction with the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation north of Lindrith and following the forest administrative boundary south towards Lindrith, then northeasterly past Llaves, thence southerly to its intersection with NM 96, then west along NM 96 to its junction with NM 595 north of Regina, then west along NM 595 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation, then following the reservation boundary north to its intersection with the northwest corner of the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary.

**EJ.** **Sub-unit GMU 5B:** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then south along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 northwest of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary west of Gallina, then following the forest boundary north then west past Llaves then southwesterly to south of Lindrith, then north along the forest service administrative boundary line to its intersection



with the Jicarilla Apache **Indian Nation** reservation, then east along the **reservation boundary line** to the junction of the reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama.

**EK. GMU 6:** Beginning at the junction of I-25 and US 550 near Bernalillo and running northwest and west along US 550 past San Ysidro to its intersection with the boundary of the **Pueblo of Zia Indian** reservation, then south, west, and north along the **Pueblo of Zia** reservation boundary to the boundary of the **Pueblo of Jemez Indian** reservation, then west, north and east along the **Pueblo of Jemez** reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 near La Ventana, then north and west along US 550 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache **Indian Nation** reservation, then east along the south boundary of the reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 595, then east along NM 595 to its junction with NM 96, then east along NM 96 to its junction with US 84 northwest of Abiquiu, then southeast along US 84 to its junction with I-25 at Santa Fe, then southwest along I-25 to its junction with US 550.

**FL. Sub-unit GMU 6A:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of **interstate I-25** and US 550 at Bernalillo and running northwest and west along US 550 past San Ysidro to its intersection with the boundary of the **Pueblo of Zia Indian** reservation, then south, west, and north along the **Pueblo of Zia** reservation boundary **of to** the **Pueblo of Jemez Indian** reservation, then west, north, and east along **Pueblo of Jemez Indian** reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 near La Ventana, then north and west along US 550 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache **Indian Nation** reservation, then east along the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache **Indian Nation** reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 595, then east along NM 595 to its junction with NM 96, then east along NM 96 to its junction with **forest road ( Santa Fe FR) 103**, then south along **Santa Fe FR 103** to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 117**, then south along **Santa Fe FR 117** to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 527 (Pipeline road)**, then east along **Santa Fe FR 527** to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then south and east along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 280 and NM 4**, then south along **Santa Fe FR 280** to its junction with **forest service trail ( Santa Fe FT) 140**, then south along **Santa Fe FT 140** to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 266**, then south and east along **Santa Fe FR 266 to its junction with NM 22**, then along **NM 22** to its junction with NM 16, then **southeast** along NM 16 to its junction with I-25, then south and west along I-25 to its junction with US 550 at Bernalillo.

**GM. Sub-unit GMU 6B:** That portion of GMU 6 comprised of all lands within the fenced or posted boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve as fenced or posted by the United States forest service.

**HN. Sub-unit GMU 6C:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of NM 96 and **Santa Fe forest road (FR) 103** east of Gallina and running south along **Santa Fe FR 103** to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 117**, then south along **Santa Fe FR 117** to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 527 (Pipeline road)**, then east along **Santa Fe FR 527** to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then north, east, south and west along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with NM 4 and **Santa Fe FR 280**, then south along **Santa Fe FR 280** to its junction with **forest service trail ( Santa Fe FT ) 140**, then south along **Santa Fe FT 140** to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 266**, then south and east along **Santa Fe FR 266 to its junction with NM 22**, then along **NM 22** to its junction with NM 16, then south and east along NM 16 to its junction with **interstate I-25**, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 84 at Santa Fe, then north along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 west of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with **Santa Fe FR 103**.

**GO. GMU 7:** Beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Navajo **Nation** reservation and **Navajo W Route 9 at section 31, T18N, R13W. (the road between Crownpoint and Standing Rock and) then** running north along the reservation boundary to the northeastern corner immediately west of Farmington, then east along the San Juan river to its intersection with US 550 at Bloomfield, then southeast along US 550 to its intersection with the west boundary of the Jicarilla Apache **Indian Nation** reservation, then south along the west boundary of the reservation and east along its south boundary to its intersection with US 550, then east and south along US 550 to its intersection with the north boundary of the **Pueblo of Jemez Indian** reservation south of La Ventana, then west along the north boundary of the reservation and south along its west boundary to its intersection with **BLM road 1103 (the San Luis road, leading from US 550 to Cabezon and Mount Taylor)**, then southwest along **BLM road 1103/San Luis road** to its intersection with arroyo Chico, then west up arroyo Chico to its junction with Voght draw, then west up Voght draw to its junction with Inditos draw, then west up Inditos draw to its intersection with **CR 49 NM 509**, south of Hospah, south **along NM 509 to McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road)**, then southwest along **McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road)** to its junction with the continental divide (near Borrego pass), then westerly along the continental divide to its intersection with NM 371, then north along NM 371 to its junction with **Navajo W Route 9 the Crownpoint Standing Rock road**, then northwest along **Navajo W Route 9 the Crownpoint**

Standing Rock road to its intersection with the east boundary of the Navajo Indian Nation reservation at section 31, T18N, R13W.

**HP.** **GMU 8:** Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and I-25 at Albuquerque and running northeast along I-25 to its junction with NM 14, then south along NM 14 to Santa Fe county road CR 42, then southeast along the county road to its junction with NM 41 at Galisteo, then south along NM 41 to its intersection with I-40 at Moriarty, then west along I-40 to its intersection with I-25.

**IQ.** **GMU 9:** Beginning at Prewitt at the junction of I-40 and CR 19 (the road to Hoshpah) and running north along the CR 19 NM 412 and running north along NM 412 to NM 122, then east along NM 122 to its intersection with McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road), then north along CR 19-A to its intersection with NM 509, then north along NM 509 to its intersection with Inditos draw, then south and east down Inditos draw to its junction with Voght draw, then east down Voght draw to its junction with arroyo Chico, then east down arroyo Chico to its intersection with the BLM road 1103 (the San Luis road, leading from Cabezon to US 550), then northeast along BLM road 1103/ the San Luis road to its intersection with the west boundary of the Pueblo of Jemez Indian reservation, then south and east along the Pueblo of Jemez reservation southern boundary to the boundary of the Pueblo of Zia Indian reservation, then south, east, and north and east along the Pueblo of Zia reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 west of San Ysidro, then east and southeast along US 550 to its junction with I-25 at Bernalillo, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 6 at Los Lunas, then west and northwest along NM 6 to its junction with I-40, then west along I-40 to Prewitt.

**JR.** **GMU 10:** Beginning at the junction of the north boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni Indian reservation with the Arizona-New Mexico state line and running north along the state line to the south boundary of the Navajo Indian Nation reservation at section 35, T17N, R21W, then east along the contiguous southern south boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with Navajo W Route 9 at section 31, T18N, R13W the Standing Rock Crownpoint road, then southeast along the Standing Rock Crownpoint road Navajo W Route 9 to its junction with NM 371, then east and south along NM 371 to its intersection with the continental divide, then east along the continental divide to its junction with CR 19 McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road) (the road running southerly from Hoshpah) near Borrego pass, then south along CR 19-A to NM 122, then west along NM 122 to NM 412, then south along NM 412 to its junction with I-40 at Prewitt, then southeast along I-40 to its junction with NM 53 (Ice Caves road) near Grants, then south and west along NM 53 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation, then north along the east boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation and west along its north boundary to its junction with the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**KS.** **GMU 11:** The Pueblo of Zuni Indian reservation.

**LT.** **GMU 12:** Beginning at the intersection of US 60 and the Arizona-New Mexico state line and running north along the state line to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni Indian reservation, then east along the south boundary of the reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 53, then east along NM 53 to its junction with Cibola county road CR 42, then south along Cibola county road CR 42 to its junction with NM 117, then east along NM 117 to its junction with Cibola county road CR 41, then south along Cibola county road CR 41 to its junction with Catron county road CR A083, then south along Catron county road CR A083 to its junction with NM 603, then south along NM 603 to its junction with US 60 at Pie Town, thence west along US 60 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**MU.** **GMU 13:** Beginning at the junction of NM 53 (Ice Caves road) and I-40 west of Grants and running east along I-40 to its junction with NM 6, then southeast along NM 6 to its junction with I-25 at Los Lunas, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 60 at Socorro, then west along US 60 to its junction with NM 12 at Datil, then southwest along NM 12 to its junction with Catron county road CR B034, then northwest along Catron county road CR B034 to its junction with Catron county road B045 Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130), then west and north along Catron county road B045 Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130) to its junction with Pie Town road (Catron county road CR A056), then north along Pie Town road (Catron county road CR A056) to Pie Town, then north along NM 603 to its junction with York Ranch road (Catron county road CR A083), then north along York Ranch road (Catron county road CR A083 and to its junction with Cibola county road CR 41), then north along Cibola county road 41 to its junction with NM 117, then west along NM 117 to its junction with Back Country Byway (Cibola county road CR 42), then north along Back Country Byway (Cibola county road CR 42) to its junction with NM 53, then east and north along NM 53 to its junction with I-40 west of Grants.

**NV.** **GMU 14:** Beginning at the junction of US 60 and I-25 at Bernardo and running north along I-25 to its intersection with I-40 at Albuquerque, then east along I-40 to its intersection with NM 41 at Moriarty, then south along NM 41 to its junction with US 60 at Willard, then west along US 60 to its junction with I-25.

**OW.** **GMU 15:** Beginning at the intersection of the Arizona-New Mexico state line and US 60 and running east along US 60 to its intersection with NM 603 at Pie Town, then south and east along **Pie Town road (Catron CR A056)** to its junction with **B040, Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130)**, then east along **B040 Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130)** to its junction with NM 12 south of Datil, then southwest along NM 12 to its junction with US 180 west of Reserve, then northwest along US 180 to its intersection with the Arizona-New Mexico state line, then north along the Arizona-New Mexico state line to its intersection with US 60.

**PX.** **GMU 16:** Beginning at the junction of NM 12 and US 60 at Datil and running east along US 60 to its intersection with NM 52, then southwest along NM 52 to its intersection with NM 163/**USFS road 150**, then southwest along NM 163 to its intersection with the continental divide, then south and southwest along the continental divide to its intersection with the Grant-Sierra county line at Reed's peak, then south along the Grant-Sierra county line to its intersection with **USFS Gila FR road 152** at Board Gate saddle, then northwest and southwest along **USFS Gila FR road 152** to its junction with NM 35, then northwest along NM 35 to its junction with Sapillo creek, then west along Sapillo creek to its junction with the Gila river, then northwest along the Gila river to its intersection with Turkey creek, then northwest along Turkey creek to its intersection with **Gila FT forest trail 158**, then northwest along **Gila FT forest trail 158** through Woodrow canyon to Mogollon creek, then northwest along Mogollon creek to its junction with the west fork of Mogollon creek and **Gila FT forest trail 224**, then northwest along the west fork of Mogollon creek and **Gila FT forest trail 224** to its junction with **Gila FT forest trail 182**, then north and west on **Gila FT forest trail 182** to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159/**USFS road 28**) at Sandy point, then west on Bursum road to its junction with US 180 south of Alma, then north on US 180 to its intersection with NM 12, thence northeast along NM 12 to its junction with US 60 at Datil.

**IY.** **Sub-unit GMU 16A:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of Bursum road (NM 159/**USFS road 28**) and US 180, then north along US 180 to its junction with NM 12, then northeast along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek south of Reserve, then east along Negrito creek to its junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with **USFS Gila FR road 94** at Collins park, then south on **USFS Gila FR road 94** to its junction with **USFS Gila FR road 28**, then southeasterly on **USFS Gila FR road 28** to its junction with **USFS Gila FR road 30**, then southeasterly on **USFS Gila FR road 30** to its junction with **USFS road 142 Snow Lake road (Catron CR 021)**, then southwesterly on **USFS road 142 Snow Lake road** to its junction with **USFS Gila FR road 142C** west of Cooney prairie, then south on **USFS Gila FR road 142C** to the Gila wilderness boundary, then west along the Gila wilderness boundary to its junction with Snow creek below Snow lake, then south along Snow creek to its junction with Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to its junction with Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to its junction with **USFS Gila FT trail 138**, then westerly along **USFS Gila FT trail 138** to its junction with **USFS Gila FT trail 182**, then north on **USFS Gila FT trail 182** to its junction with Bursum road (NM159/**USFS road 28**) at Sandy point, then west along Bursum road (NM 159/**USFS road 28**) to its junction with US 180.

**JZ.** **Sub-unit GMU 16B:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of **USFS Gila FR road 152** and the Grant-Sierra county line southwest of Board Gate saddle, then north along the Grant-Sierra county line to Reeds peak and the continental divide, thence north along the continental divide to its intersection with **USFS Gila FT trail 42**, then west along **USFS Gila FT trail 42** to its junction with **USFS Gila FT trail 40** at Diamond creek, then west along **USFS Gila FT trail 40** and Diamond creek to Gila FR 4069G, then west to **USFS Gila FR road 225 (old USFS road 19)**, then southwest along **USFS Gila FR road 225 (old USFS road 19)** to its junction with **USFS Gila FR road 18**, then northwest along **USFS Gila FR road 18** to its junction with **USFS Gila FR road 704**, then west along **USFS Gila FR road 704** to Gila FR 4208P, then northwesterly along **Gila FR 4208P** to **USFS Gila FT trail 772**, then northwesterly along **USFS Gila FT trail 772** to Black mountain, then west from Black mountain along **Gila FT 23 to Gila FT 812**, then north along **USFS Gila FT trail 812** to its intersection with the south fork of Christie canyon and the wilderness boundary, then west along the wilderness boundary to Snow creek, then south along Snow creek to Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to **USFS Gila FT trail 138**, then westerly along **USFS Gila FT trail 138** to **USFS Gila FT trail 182**, then south and east on **USFS Gila FT trail 182** to its junction with **USFS Gila FT trail 224** at west fork saddle, then south along **USFS Gila FT trail 224** and down the west fork of Mogollon creek to its junction with Mogollon creek, then easterly along Mogollon creek to **USFS Gila FT trail 158** at Woodrow canyon, then southeast along **USFS Gila FT trail 158** to Turkey creek, then south along Turkey creek to the Gila river, then east along the Gila river to Sapillo creek, then east along Sapillo creek to NM 35, then east along NM 35 to its intersection with **USFS Gila FR road 152**, then northeast along **USFS Gila FR road 152** to its junction with the Sierra-Grant county line southwest of Board Gate saddle.

**KAA.** **Sub-unit GMU 16C:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the road junction of **USFS road 150 O Bar O Canyon road (Catron CR 072)** and **USFS Gila FR road 30** in Railroad canyon, then northeast along **USFS**

road 150 O Bar O Canyon road to its junction with NM 163/USFS road 150, then northeast along NM 163 to the continental divide, then south along the continental divide to USFS Gila FT trail 42, then south along USFS Gila FT trail 42 to USFS Gila FT trail 40, then west on USFS Gila FT trail 40 to and across USFS road 150 to Gila FR 4069G, then west to USFS Gila FR road 225 (old USFS road 19), then southwest along USFS Gila FR road 225 (old USFS road 19) to USFS Gila FR road 18, then northwest along USFS Gila FR road 18 to USFS Gila FR road 704, then west along USFS Gila FR road 704 to Gila FR 4208P, then northwesterly along Gila FR 4208P to USFS Gila FT trail 772, then northwest along USFS Gila FT trail 772 to USFS Gila FT trail 812 23 on Black mountain, then northwest along Gila FT 23 to Gila FT 812, then north along USFS Gila FT trail 812 to south fork of Christie canyon, then north and west along south fork of Christie canyon to USFS Gila FR road 142C, then north along USFS Gila FR road 142C to USFS road 142, Snow Lake road (Catron CR 021) then northeast along USFS road 142 Snow Lake road to its junction with USFS Gila FR road 30, then east along USFS Gila FR road 30 to its junction with USFS road 150 O Bar O Canyon road in Railroad canyon.

**LBB. Sub-unit GMU 16D:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at Apache creek and continuing south and west along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435 at Reserve, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek, then east along Negrito creek to its junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with SFS Gila FR road 94 at Collins park, then south along USFS Gila FR road 94 to its junction with NM Gila FR 28, then east along NM Gila FR 28 to junction with USFS Gila FR road 30, then southeast along USFS Gila FR road 30 to its intersection with USFS road 554 Coyote Canyon road (Catron CR 016), then north and west along USFS road 554 Coyote Canyon road to its junction with USFS road 28 Bursum road (Catron CR 019), then north along USFS road 28 Bursum road to its intersection with NM 12, then west on NM 12 to Apache creek.

**MCC. Sub-unit GMU 16E:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the intersection of USFS road 554 Coyote Canyon road (Catron CR 016) and USFS Gila FR road 30, proceed then northwesterly along USFS road 554 Coyote Canyon road to its intersection with USFS road 28 Bursum road (Catron CR 019), then north on USFS road 28 Bursum road to its intersection with NM 12, then east on NM 12 to its intersection with NM 60 at Datil, then east on NM 60 to its intersection with NM 52, then south on NM 52 to its intersection with NM 163, then west on NM 163 to its intersection with USFS road 150 O Bar O Canyon road (Catron CR 072), then west on USFS road 150 O Bar O Canyon road to its intersection with USFS Gila FR road 30, then west on USFS Gila FR road 30 to its intersection with USFS road 554 Coyote Canyon road.

**ODD. GMU 17:** Beginning at the junction of NM 52 and US 60 east of Datil and running east along US 60 to its junction with I-25 at Socorro, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 181, then north along NM 181 to its junction with NM 52 east of Cuchillo, then west along NM 52 to its junction with NM 142, then northwest along NM 142 to its junction with Alamosa creek at Monticello, then northwest along Alamosa creek through Monticello canyon to its junction with NM 52 south of Dusty, then north along NM 52 to its junction with US 60.

**REE. GMU 18:** Beginning at the junction of US 380 and I-25 at San Antonio and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 60 at Bernardo, then east along US 60 to NM 55 at Mountainair, then south and southeast along NM 55 to its junction with US 54, then south along US 54 to its intersection with the Lincoln-Otero county line, then west along the county line to the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then north along the east boundary and west along the north boundary of White Sands missile range to the northwest corner of the missile range, then due north to US 380, then west along US 380 to its junction with I-25 at San Antonio.

**SFF. GMU 19:** Beginning at the intersection of US 70 and the west boundary of the White Sands missile range east of Organ and running north along the west boundary, east along the north boundary, and south along the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then southerly following the eastern boundary of Holloman Air Force base, continuing south along the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then south and east along the eastern boundary of Fort Bliss - Dona Ana Range Camp to its intersection with US 54 south of Orogrande, then south along US 54 to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line, then west along the state line to its intersection with I-10, then northwest along I-10 to its junction with I-25, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 70 at Las Cruces, then east along US 70 to its intersection with the west boundary of the White Sands missile range.

**TGG. GMU 20:** Beginning at the junction of US 70 and I-25 at Las Cruces and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 380 at San Antonio, then east along US 380 to a point due north of the northwestern corner of the White Sands missile range, then due south to the northwestern corner of the missile range, then south along the west boundary of the missile range to its intersection with US 70 east of Organ, then west along US 70 to its junction with I-25.

**UHH. GMU 21:** Beginning at the junction of US 180 and NM 26 north of Deming and running northeast along NM 26 to its junction with NM 27 at Nutt, then northwest along NM 27 to its intersection with the

Sierra-Luna county line, then west along the south boundary of Sierra county and north along its west boundary to the junction of the county line and the continental divide, then north along the continental divide to its intersection with NM 163, then northeast along NM 163 to its junction with NM 52, then southeast along NM 52 to its intersection with Alamosa creek south of Dusty, then southeast along Alamosa creek through Monticello canyon to its intersection with NM 142 at Monticello, then southeast along NM 142 to its intersection with NM 52, then southeast along NM 52 to its junction with NM 181, then south along NM 181 to its junction with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 180 at Las Cruces, then west along US 180 to Deming and north along US 180 to its junction with NM 26.

**NII. Sub-unit GMU 21A:** That northwest portion of GMU 21 that lies within the Gila national forest boundary.

**QJJ. Sub-unit GMU 21B:** That portion of GMU 21 that lies outside the Gila national forest boundary.

**VKK. GMU 22:** Beginning at the intersection of the Gila river and US 180 south of Cliff running north along US 180 to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159/~~USFS road 28~~), then east along Bursum road to its junction with ~~Gila FT forest trail~~ 182 at Sandy point, then south along ~~Gila FT forest trail~~ 182 to its junction with ~~Gila FT forest trail~~ 224 at the west fork saddle, then south on ~~Gila FT forest trail~~ 224 down the west fork of Mogollon creek to its junction with the main Mogollon creek, then easterly along Mogollon creek to the junction of ~~Gila FT forest trail~~ 158 at Woodrow canyon, then south along ~~Gila FT forest trail~~ 158 to main Turkey creek, then south along Turkey creek to its junction at the Gila river, then southwest along the Gila river to its junction with US 180.

**WLL. GMU 23:** Beginning at the intersection of US 180 and the Arizona-New Mexico state line west of Luna, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 70, then southeast along US 70 to its junction with US 180 at Deming, then northwest along US 180 to its junction with the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**XMM. GMU 24:** Beginning at the junction of NM 26 and US 180 north of Deming and running northwest along US 180 to its intersection with the Gila river south of Cliff, then northeast along the Gila river to its junction with Sapillo creek, then east along Sapillo creek to NM 35, then east and south on NM 35 to its junction with ~~USFS Gila FR road~~ 152, then northeast along ~~USFS Gila FR road~~ 152 to its junction with the Grant-Sierra county line southwest of Board ~~g~~Gate saddle, then south along the west boundary of Sierra county and east along its south boundary to its intersection with NM 27, then south along NM 27 to its junction with NM 26, then southwest along NM 26 to its junction with US 180.

**YNN. GMU 25:** Beginning at the junction of the United States-Mexico boundary with the west boundary of Luna county and running north along the county line to its intersection with NM 9, then northwest along NM 9 to its intersection with NM 146 (old NM 81) at Hachita, then north along NM 146 (old NM 81) to its junction with I-10, then east and south along I-10 to its junction with US 70, then east along US 70 to its junction with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with I-10, then south along I-10 to its intersection with the Texas-New Mexico state line, then west and south along the Texas state line to the United States-Mexico boundary, then west along the international boundary to the west boundary of Luna county.

**ZOO. GMU 26:** Beginning at Paskle gate on the United States-Mexico boundary, near international boundary marker No. 69, then north on the private dirt road from Paskle gate to its intersection with NM 338 approximately 100 yards west of Cloverdale and running north along NM 338 to its intersection with I-10, then north and east along I-10 to its intersection with NM 146 (old NM 81), then south along NM 146 (~~old NM 81~~) to its intersection with NM 9 at Hachita, then east along NM 9 to its intersection with the west boundary of Luna county, then south along the Luna county line to the United States-Mexico boundary, then south and west along the international boundary to Paskle gate.

**AAPP. GMU 27:** Beginning at Paskle gate on the United States-Mexico boundary, near international boundary marker No. 69, then north on the private dirt road from Paskle gate to its intersection with NM 338 approximately 100 yards west of Cloverdale, then north along NM 338 to its intersection with I-10, then east along I-10 to its intersection with US 70 at Lordsburg, then northwest along US 70 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with the United States-Mexico boundary, then east along the international boundary to Paskle gate.

**BBQQ. GMU 28:** The Fort Bliss ~~McGregor Range Camp~~ military reservation east of US 54, excluding that part of the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest lying within the McGregor range co-use area.

**CCRR. GMU 29:** Beginning at the junction of the New Mexico-Texas state line and the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation and running northeast along the military reservation boundary to its intersection with NM 506/~~Otero CR E038~~ leading to Pinon, then east, north and east along NM 506/~~Otero CR E038~~ to its intersection with NM 24 at Pinon, then east on NM 24 and ~~Pinon Dunken road~~ approximately three miles to its intersection with ~~Cornucopia Canyon road and~~ NM 506/~~CR E038~~, then running south~~erly~~, east, south and southwest along ~~Cornucopia Canyon road and~~ NM 506/~~CR E038~~ through Cornucopia draw and Crow flats to its

intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line near Dell City, Texas, then west along the state line to the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation.

**DBSS. GMU 30:** Beginning at the New Mexico-Texas state line near Dell City, Texas, and its intersection with NM 506/~~CR E038~~, then ~~northeast, north, west and northerly~~ along NM 506 ~~and Cornucopia Canyon road /CR-E038~~ through Crow flats and Cornucopia draw to its junction with ~~Pinon Dunken road NM-24~~ east of Pinon, then northeast along ~~Pinon Dunken road NM-24~~ to its junction with US 82 north of Dunken, then east along US 82 to its intersection with US 285 at Artesia, then south and southeast along US 285 to its junction with US 180 at Carlsbad, then south along US 180 to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line, then west along the state line to its intersection with NM 506/~~CR E038~~.

**EETI. GMU 31:** Beginning at the intersection of the New Mexico-Texas state line and US 180, southwest of Carlsbad, and running northeast along US 180 to its junction with US 285 at Carlsbad, then north along US 285 to its intersection with US 82 at Artesia, then east along US 82 to its junction with NM 249 at Maljamar, then north along NM 249 to its junction with NM 172, then north along NM 172 (~~Tower road~~) to its junction with US 380 west of Caprock, ~~then east along US 380 to its junction with Button Mesa road,~~ then north along Button Mesa road/~~continuing north along Lea county road CR T-156, continuing north along Reserve road/CR-156, LeDoux road, then to Reserve road/CR-156, continuing north along S Roosevelt road AK, NM-330/RR-AK,~~ to its junction at Elida, then north along NM 330 to its junction with NM 267 west of Floyd, then north along NM 267 to its junction with US 60 east of Melrose, then east along US 60 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south and west along the state line to its intersection with US 180, southwest of Carlsbad.

**FFUU. GMU 32:** Beginning at the intersection of US 380 and the east boundary of Lincoln county and running north along the east boundary of Lincoln county to the west boundary of De Baca county, then north along the west boundary of De Baca county to its intersection with US 60, then east along US 60 to its junction with NM 267 east of Melrose, then south along NM 267 to its junction with NM 330 west of Floyd, then south along NM 330 to its junction with US 70 at Elida, then southwest along US 70 to its intersection with the Pecos river, then south along the Pecos river to its intersection with ~~Aberdeen road (NM 249)~~ at Hagerman, then west along ~~Aberdeen road (NM 249)~~ to its junction with NM 2, then south along NM 2 to its intersection with US 285, north of Artesia, then south on US 285 to its intersection with US 82 at Artesia, then west along US 82 to its junction with ~~Picacho road (Chaves county road CR C433, )~~ near mile marker 60, then north along ~~Picacho road CR-C433~~ to its intersection with ~~Felix Canyon road CR-C437,~~ near Flying H, then west along ~~Felix Canyon road CR-C437~~ to its intersection with ~~Picacho road CR-C434,~~ then north along ~~Picacho road CR-C434~~ to its intersection with ~~continuing northerly along Picacho road (Lincoln county road CR E030 and Lincoln CR E028), then north and northeast along CR E030 to its intersection with CR E028, then north along CR E028~~ to its junction with US 380 about a mile west of Picacho, then east along US 380 to its intersection with the east boundary of Lincoln county.

**GGVV. GMU 33:** Beginning at the intersection of US 82 and US 285 at Artesia and running north along US 285 to its junction with NM 2, then north on NM 2 to its intersection with NM 249 at Hagerman, then east along NM 249 to its intersection with the Pecos river, then north along the Pecos river to its intersection with US 70, then northeast along US 70 to ~~NM-330/RR-AK, S Roosevelt road AK~~ at Elida, then south along ~~S Roosevelt road AK, NM-330/RR-AK, Reserve road/CR-156, LeDoux road,~~ then ~~to continuing south along Reserve road/CR-156, Button Mesa road/ and Lea county road CR T-156,~~ then northwest along US 380 to ~~and~~ NM 172 to US 82, then west along US 82 to US 285 at Artesia.

**HHWW. GMU 34:** Beginning at the junction of ~~Tulie Gate road (Otero county road B006 CR B-006)~~ and the east boundary of the White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate and running east along ~~CR-B006 Tulie Gate road~~ to its junction with ~~Railroad avenue (Otero CR B-009)~~, then north on ~~Railroad avenue CR-B009~~ to its intersection with US 54, then running south along US 54 to its intersection with US 70 at Tularosa, then running northeast along US 70 to its intersection with the west boundary of the Mescalero Apache ~~Indian Tribe~~ reservation, then south along the west boundary of the reservation, east along its south boundary, and north along its east boundary to the Lincoln-Chaves county line, then east along the county line approximately two miles to its intersection with ~~Picacho road CR-C434,~~ then southerly along ~~Picacho road CR-C434~~ to its intersection with ~~Felix Canyon road CR-C437,~~ then east along ~~Felix Canyon road CR-C437~~ to its intersection with ~~Picacho road CR-C433,~~ then south along ~~Picacho road CR-C433~~ to its intersection with US 82, then west along US 82 to its junction with NM 24 north of Dunken, then south along ~~Pinon Dunken road (NM 24)~~ to its intersection with ~~Owen Prather highway (NM 506/CR-E038 )~~ at Pinon, then west, south, and west on ~~Owen Prather highway (NM 506/CR-E038)~~ to the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation, then north and west along the boundary of the Fort Bliss-~~McGregor Range Camp~~ military reservation to its intersection with the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest, then west and north along the boundary of the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest to its intersection with the north boundary of the Fort Bliss-~~McGregor Range Camp~~ military reservation, then west ~~and~~

south along the boundary of the Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation to US 54 south of Valmont, then south along US 54 to its junction with the east boundary of the Fort Bliss-Dona Ana Range Camp at US 54 White Sands missile range south of Orogrande, then north along the east boundary of Fort Bliss-Dona Ana Range Camp, then north along the east boundary of White Sands missile range to Holloman Air Force base, then east and north along the eastern Holloman Air Force base boundary to the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then north along the east boundary of White Sands missile range to its intersection of Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) CR B006 at Tularosa gate.

**HXX.** GMU 35: The Mescalero Apache Indian Tribe reservation.

**JYY.** GMU 36: Beginning at the junction of Otero county road B006 CR B-006 and the east boundary of the White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate and running north along the east boundary to its intersection with the Lincoln-Otero county line, then east along the county line to its intersection with US 54, then north along US 54 to its intersection with US 380 at Carrizozo, then east along US 380 to its junction with Picacho road (Lincoln CR E028), approximately 1 mile west of Picacho, then south along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E028) to its intersection with Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030), then south and west along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030) to its intersection with the Lincoln-Chaves county line, then west along the county line to the east boundary of the Mescalero Apache Indian Tribe reservation, then north along the east boundary of the reservation, west along its north boundary, and south along its west boundary to its intersection with US 70, then west along US 70 to its junction with US 54 at Tularosa, then north along US 54 to its junction with Otero CR B-009, then south along CR B-009 to its junction with Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) CR B006, then west along Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) to its junction with the east boundary of White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate.

**KKZZ.** GMU 37: Beginning at the intersection of US 380 and US 54 at Carrizozo and running north along US 54 to its junction with NM 462 west of Ancho, then east along NM 462 to its intersection with the Southern Pacific railroad tracks, then north along the railroad tracks to Hasparos canyon, then east down Hasparos canyon to the east boundary of Lincoln county, then south along the east boundary of Lincoln county to its intersection with US 380, then west along US 380 to its intersection with US 54 at Carrizozo.

**LLAAA.** GMU 38: Beginning at the junction of US 54 and NM 55 and running northwesterly along NM 55 to its junction with US 60 at Mountainair, then east along US 60 to the Guadalupe-De Baca county line, then south along the county line and along the east boundary of Lincoln county to its intersection with Hasparos canyon, then west up Hasparos canyon to the Southern Pacific railroad tracks northeast of Ancho, then south along the railroad tracks to their intersection with NM 462 at Ancho, then west along NM 462 to its junction with US 54, then south along US 54 to its junction with NM 55.

**MMBBB.** GMU 39: Beginning at the junction of US 60 and NM 41 west of Willard and running north along NM 41 to its intersection with I-40 at Moriarty, then east along I-40 to its junction with US 84 east of Santa Rosa, then southeast along US 84 to its junction with US 60 at Fort Sumner, then west along US 60 to its junction with NM 41 west of Willard.

**NNCCC.** GMU 40: Beginning at the junction of US 84 and I-40 east of Santa Rosa and running east along I-40 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 84, then west and north along US 84 to its junction with I-40.

**OODDD.** GMU 41: Beginning at the junction of I-40 and NM 469 at San Jon and running north along NM 469 to its junction with US 54 south of Logan, then north along US 54 to its intersection with NM 39 north of Logan, then northwest along NM 39 to its junction with NM 102 east of Mosquero, then east, north and east along NM 102 to its intersection with NM 402 north of Amistad, then north along NM 402 to its intersection with NM 421 north of Stead, then east along NM 421 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with I-40, then west along I-40 to its intersection with NM 469 at San Jon.

**PPEEE.** GMU 42: Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and the Pecos river at Santa Rosa and running northwest up the Pecos river to its intersection with US 84 at Dilia, then northwest along US 84 to its junction with I-25 at Romeroville, then northeast along I-25 to its intersection with the Mora river at Watrous, then east down the Mora river to the Canadian river, then south down the Canadian river to its intersection with NM 419 south of Sabinoso, then northeast along NM 419 to its junction with NM 39 northwest of Mosquero, then southeast along NM 39 to its intersection with US 54, then south along US 54 to its intersection with NM 469, then south along NM 469 to its intersection with I-40 at San Jon, then west along I-40 to its intersection with the Pecos river.

**QQFFF.** GMU 43: Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and NM 41 at Moriarty and running north along NM 41 to the junction at Galisteo with Santa Fe county road CR 42, then west along the county road to the junction with NM 14, then north along NM 14 to its junction with I-25, then northeast along I-25 to Santa Fe and east along I-25 to its junction with US 84 at Romeroville, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with the Pecos river at

Dilia, then east and south along the Pecos river to its intersection with I-40 at Santa Rosa, then west along I-40 to its intersection with NM 41.

**RRGGG.** **GMU 45:** Beginning at Glorieta on US 84, and running west and north along US 84 to its intersection with NM 68 at Espanola, then northeast along NM 68 to its intersection with NM 75 at Embudo, then east along NM 75 to its intersection with NM 518, then east along NM 518 to its intersection with the Santa Fe national forest **administrative** boundary line near Holman hill, then south along the Santa Fe national forest **administrative** boundary line to its intersection with the Tecolote land grant boundary line, then south along the Tecolote land grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84/I-25, then west along US 84/I-25 to Glorieta.

**SSHHH.** **GMU 46:** Beginning at the junction of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound and running northwest along NM 120 to its junction with NM 434, Black lake area, then north on NM 434 to Carson **national forest road FR 76 and to the Carson national forest administrative** boundary, then south following the Carson national forest **administrative** boundary to the Santa Fe national forest **administrative** boundary at Holman hill, then continue south along the Santa Fe national forest **administrative** boundary to the Tecolote land grant boundary, then south along the Tecolote land grant boundary to I-25, then north along I-25 to the junction of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound.

**TTTTT.** **GMU 47:** Beginning at the intersection of the Mora river and I-25 near Watrous and running northeast along I-25 to its junction with US 56 at Springer, then east along US 56 to its junction with NM 39 at Abbott, then south and southeast along NM 39 to its junction with NM 419 southeast of Solano, then southwest along NM 419 to its intersection with the Canadian river, then northwest up the Canadian river to the Mora river, then west up the Mora river to its intersection with I-25.

**UUJJJ.** **GMU 48:** Beginning at the intersection of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound, then northwest along NM 120 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Maxwell grant, then east along the south boundary of the Maxwell grant to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its intersection with NM 120 at Wagon Mound.

**VVKKK.** **GMU 49:** Beginning on the Rio Grande at Embudo creek and running north along the Rio Grande to its intersection with NM 567 at Taos junction bridge, then east on NM 567 to NM 570, then northeast on NM 570 to its junction with NM 68 immediately south of Ranchos de Taos, then north along NM 68 to the south boundary of the **Pueblo of Taos pueblo lands**, then east along the **pueblo's Pueblo of Taos's** south boundary to the Taos county line, then south along the Taos county line to its intersection with US 64, then east along US 64 to its junction with NM 434 north of Black lake, then south along NM 434 to the Carson national forest **administrative** boundary at **Carson FR forest road 76**, then south along Carson national forest **administrative** boundary to **its** intersection **of with** NM 518 at Holman hill, then westerly along NM 518 to its junction with NM 75, then west along NM 75 to NM 68, then south on NM 68 to Embudo creek; **and then** west on Embudo creek to the Rio Grande.

**WWLLL.** **GMU 50:** Beginning at the junction of US 84 and NM 554 east of Abiquiu and running north and east along NM 554 to its junction with NM 111, then southeast along NM 111 to its junction with US 285, then north along US 285 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with the Rio Grande, then south along the Rio Grande to its junction with Embudo creek, then east up Embudo creek to NM 68 at Embudo, then southwest along NM 68 to its junction with US 84 at Espanola, then northwest along US 84 to its junction with NM 554.

**XXMMM.** **GMU 51:** Beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, running south then west along the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary line to its intersection with the Rio Chama, then south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84 northwest of Abiquiu, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with NM 554 east of Abiquiu, then north and east along NM 554 to its intersection with NM 111, then south along NM 111 to its intersection with US 285 north of Ojo Caliente, then east and north along US 285 to its intersection with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary.

**PNNN.** **Sub-unit GMU 51A:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, running south then west along the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary line to its junction with US 84, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with NM 554 east of Abiquiu, then north and east along NM 554 to its intersection with NM 111, then south along NM 111 to its intersection with US 285 north of Ojo Caliente, then east and north along US 285 to its intersection with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary.

**QOOO.** **Sub-unit GMU 51B:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache **Indian Nation** reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then north along US 84 to its



junction with the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, then west along the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant to its junction with the Rio Chama.

**YYPPP. GMU 52:** Beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and running north along the eastern boundary of the grant to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with US 285, then south along US 285 to its junction with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant.

**ZZQQQ. GMU 53:** Beginning at the intersection of NM 567 and the Rio Grande and running north along the Rio Grande to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its junction with NM 522, then south along NM 522 to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then east along the grant boundary to the Taos-Colfax county line, then south along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos pueblo, then west along the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos pueblo to NM 68, then south along NM 68 to NM 570 immediately south of Ranchos de Taos, then west along NM 570 to its junction with NM 567, then west along NM 567 to its intersection with the Rio Grande river.

**AAARRR. GMU 54:** Beginning at the intersection of the south boundary of the Maxwell grant and NM 434 and running north along NM 434 to its junction with US 64, then north and east along US 64 to its junction with NM 21 west of Cimarron, then south and east along NM 21 to its junction with I-25 south of Springer, then south along I-25 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Maxwell grant, then west along the south boundary of the grant to its intersection with NM 434.

**BBBSS. GMU 55:** Beginning at the junction of NM 21 and US 64 west of Cimarron and running west and south along US 64 to the Colfax-Taos county line at Palo Flechado pass, then north along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then north and west along the Sangre de Cristo grant's south boundary to NM 522, then north along NM 522 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 21 at Springer, then west and north along NM 21 to its junction with US 64 west of Cimarron.

**RTTT. Sub-unit GMU 55A:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of NM 58 and US 64 at Cimarron and running west and south along US 64 to the Colfax-Taos county line at Palo Flechado pass, then north along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then north and west along the Sangre de Cristo grant's south boundary to NM 522, then north along NM 522 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 64, thence southwest along US 64 to its junction with NM 58 at Cimarron.

**SUUU. Sub-unit GMU 55B:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of I-25 and US 64 south of Raton, then south and west along US 64 to its junction with NM 21 west of Cimarron, then south and east along NM 21 to its junction with I-25 south of Springer, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 64 south of Raton.

**CCCVVV. GMU 56:** Beginning at the junction of US 56 and I-25 at Springer and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 64 at Raton, then east along US 64 to its junction with US 56 at Clayton, then west along US 56 to its junction with I-25.

**DDDWVV. GMU 57:** Beginning at the junction of US 64 and I-25 at Raton and running north along I-25 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to NM 551, then south along NM 551 to its junction with NM 456, then southwest along NM 456 to its junction with NM 325, then southwest along NM 325 to its junction with US 64, then west along US 64 to its junction with I-25.

**EEEXXX. GMU 58:** Beginning at the junction of US 64 and NM 325 at Capulin and running northeast along NM 325 to its junction with NM 456, then northeast along NM 456 to its junction with NM 551, then north along NM 551 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to the Oklahoma-New Mexico state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 64, then west along US 64 to its junction with NM 325.

**FFFYYY. GMU 59:** Beginning at the intersection of NM 39 and US 56 at Abbott, then east along US 56 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the New Mexico-Texas state line to NM 421 east of Sedan, then west along NM 421 to its intersection with NM 402 north of Stead, then south along NM 402 to its intersection with NM 102 north of Amistad, then west, south, and west along NM 102 to its intersection with NM 39 east of Mosquero, then north along NM 39 to its intersection with US 56 at Abbott.

[19.30.4.8 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.8 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

#### **19.30.4.9 GAME MANAGEMENT SUB-UNITS:**

**A. Sub-unit 2A:** That portion of GMU 2 west of the Los Pinos river (Pine Arm of Navajo reservoir) and north of the San Juan river.

**B. Sub-unit 2B:** That portion of GMU 2 east and north of the following line: from the junction of the New Mexico/Colorado state line and Pine river, then south along the Pine river to its junction with the San Juan river, then south and west along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Cereza canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Cereza canyon to the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation boundary.

**C. Sub-unit 2C:** That portion of GMU 2 south and west of the following line: from the junction of US 550 and the San Juan river at Bloomfield, then east along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Cereza canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Cereza canyon to the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation boundary.

**D. Sub-unit 5A (Freeman Davis unit):** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the junction of the northwest boundary of the Santa Fe national forest and junction with the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation north of Lindrith and following the forest boundary south towards Lindrith, then northeasterly past Llaves: thence southerly to its intersection with NM 96, then west along NM 96 to its junction with NM 595 north of Regina, then west along NM 595 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation, then following the reservation boundary north to its intersection with the northwest corner of the Santa Fe national forest boundary.

**E. Sub-unit 5B:** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then south along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 northwest of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with the Santa Fe national forest boundary west of Gallina, then following the boundary north then west past Llaves then southwesterly to south of Lindrith then north along the forest service boundary line to its intersection with the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation, then east along the boundary line to the junction of the reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama.

**F. Sub-unit 6A:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of interstate 25 and US 550 at Bernalillo and running northwest and west along US 550 past San Ysidro to its intersection with the boundary of the Zia Indian reservation, then south, west, and north along the Zia reservation boundary of the Jemez Indian reservation, then west, north, and east along Jemez Indian reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 near La Ventana, then north and west along US 550 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation, then east along the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 595, then east along NM 595 to its junction with NM 96, then east along NM 96 to its junction with forest road (FR) 103, then south along FR 103 to its junction with FR 117, then south along FR 117 to its junction with FR 527 (Pipeline road), then east along FR 527 to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then south and east along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with FR 280 and NM 4, then south along FR 280 to its junction with forest service trail (FT) 140, then south along FT 140 to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with FR 266, then south and east along FR 266 to its junction with NM 16, then along NM 16 to its junction with I-25, then south and west along I 25 to its junction with US 550 at Bernalillo.

**G. Sub-unit 6B:** That portion of GMU 6 comprised of all lands within the fenced or posted boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve as fenced or posted by the United States forest service.

**H. Sub-unit 6C:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of NM 96 and forest road (FR) 103 east of Gallina and running south along FR 103 to its junction with FR 117, then south along FR 117 to its junction with FR 527 (Pipeline road), then east along FR 527 to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then north, east, south and west along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with NM 4 and FR 280, then south along FR 280 to its junction with forest service trail (FT) 140, then south along FT 140 to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with FR 266, then south and east along FR 266 to its junction with NM 16, then south and east along NM 16 to its junction with interstate I 25, then north along I 25 to its junction with US 84 at Santa Fe, then north along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 west of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with FR 103.

**I. Sub-unit 16A:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of Bursum road (NM 159/USFS road 28) and US 180, then north along US 180 to its junction with NM 12, then northeast along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek south of Reserve, then east along Negrito creek to its junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with USFS road 94 at Collins park, then south on USFS road 94 to its junction with USFS road 28, then southeasterly on USFS road 28 to its junction with USFS road 30, then southeasterly on USFS road 30 to its junction with USFS road 142, then southwesterly on USFS road 142 to its junction with USFS road 142C west of

Cooney prairie, then south on USFS road 142C to the Gila wilderness boundary, then west along the Gila wilderness boundary to its junction with Snow creek below Snow lake, then south along Snow creek to its junction with Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to its junction with Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to its junction with USFS trail 138, then westerly along USFS trail 138 to its junction with USFS trail 182, then north on USFS trail 182 to its junction with Bursum road (NM159/USFS road 28) at Sandy point, then west along Bursum road (NM 159/USFS road 28) to its junction with US 180.

**J. Sub-unit 16B:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of USFS road 152 and the Grant Sierra county line southwest of Board Gate saddle, then north along the Grant Sierra county line to Reeds peak and the continental divide, thence north along the continental divide to its intersection with USFS trail 42, then west along USFS trail 42 to its junction with USFS trail 40 at Diamond creek, then west along USFS trail 40 and Diamond creek to USFS road 225 (old USFS road 19), then southwest along USFS road 225 (old USFS road 19) to its junction with USFS road 18, then northwest along USFS road 18 to its junction with USFS road 704, then west along USFS road 704 to USFS trail 772, then northwesterly along USFS trail 772 to Black mountain, then west from Black mountain along USFS trail 812 to its intersection with the south fork of Christie canyon and the wilderness boundary, then west along the wilderness boundary to Snow creek, then south along Snow creek to Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to USFS trail 138, then westerly along USFS trail 138 to USFS trail 182, then south and east on USFS trail 182 to its junction with USFS trail 224 at west fork saddle, then south along USFS trail 224 and down the west fork of Mogollon creek to its junction with Mogollon creek, then easterly along Mogollon creek to USFS trail 158 at Woodrow canyon, then southeast along USFS trail 158 to Turkey creek, then south along Turkey creek to the Gila river, then east along the Gila river to Sapiillo creek, then east along Sapiillo creek to NM 35, then east along NM 35 to its intersection with USFS road 152, then northeast along USFS road 152 to its junction with the Sierra Grant county line southwest of Board Gate saddle.

**K. Sub-unit 16C:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the road junction of USFS road 150 and USFS road 30 in Railroad canyon, then northeast along USFS road 150 to its junction with NM 163/USFS road 150, then northeast along NM 163 to the continental divide, then south along the continental divide to USFS trail 42, then south along USFS trail 42 to USFS trail 40, then west on USFS trail 40 to and across USFS road 150 to USFS road 225 (old USFS road 19), then southwest along USFS road 225 (old USFS road 19) to USFS road 18, then northwest along USFS road 18 to USFS road 704, then west along USFS road 704 to USFS trail 772, then northwest along USFS trail 772 to USFS trail 812 on Black mountain, then northwest along USFS trail 812 to south fork of Christie canyon, then north and west along south fork of Christie canyon to USFS road 142C, then north along USFS road 142C to USFS road 142, then northeast along USFS road 142 to its junction with USFS road 30, then east along USFS road 30 to its junction with USFS road 150 in Railroad canyon.

**L. Sub-unit 16D:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at Apache creek and continuing south and west along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435 at Reserve, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek, then east along Negrito creek to its junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with SFS road 94 at Collins park, then south along USFS road 94 to its junction with NM 28, then east along NM 28 to junction with USFS 30, then southeast along USFS road 30 to its intersection with USFS road 551, then north and west along USFS road 551 to its junction with USFS road 28, then north along USFS road 28 to its intersection with NM 12, then west on NM 12 to Apache creek.

**M. Sub-unit 16E:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the intersection of USFS road 551 and USFS road 30, proceed northwesterly along USFS road 551 to its intersection with USFS road 28, then north on USFS road 28 to its intersection with NM 12, then east on NM 12 to its intersection with NM 60 at Datil, then east on NM 60 to its intersection with NM 52, then south on NM 52 to its intersection with NM 163, then west on NM 163 to its intersection with USFS road 150, then west on USFS road 150 to its intersection with USFS road 30, then west on USFS road 30 to its intersection with USFS road 551.

**N. Sub-unit 21A:** That northwest portion of GMU 21 that lies within the Gila national forest boundary.

**O. Sub-unit 21B:** That portion of GMU 21 that lies outside the Gila national forest boundary.

**P. Sub-unit 51A:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, running south then west along the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary line to its junction with US 84, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with NM 554 east of Abiquiu, then north and east along NM 554 to its intersection with NM 111, then south along NM 111 to its intersection with US 285 north of Ojo Caliente, then east and north along US 285 to its intersection with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary.

**Q. Sub-unit 51B:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Indian reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running

south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then north along US 84 to its junction with the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, then west along the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant to its junction with the Rio Chama.

**R. Sub-unit 55A:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of NM 58 and US 64 at Cimarron and running west and south along US 64 to the Colfax-Taos county line at Palo Flechado pass; then north along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant; then north and west along the Sangre De Cristo grant's south boundary to NM 522 then north along NM 522 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line; then east along the state line to its intersection with I-25; then south along I-25 to its junction with US 64 thence southwest along US 64 to its junction with NM 58 at Cimarron.

**S. Sub-unit 55B:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of I-25 and US 64 south of Raton, then south and west along US 64 to its junction with NM 21 west of Cimarron, then south and east along NM 21 to its junction with I-25 south of Springer, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 64 south of Raton. [19.30.4.9 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.9 NMAC, 7/15/2013]

#### 19.30.4.109 OTHER DESIGNATED AREAS

**A. GMU 9 (Laguna Indian reservation portion):** That portion of GMU 9 comprising all tribal trust lands designated as the Laguna Indian reservation.

**B. GMU 13 (Acoma Indian reservation portion):** That portion of GMU 13 comprising all tribal trust lands designated as the Acoma Indian reservation.

**C. GMU 19 (Organ mountain hunt area):** That portion of GMU 19 beginning at the intersection of I-25 and US 70, then south along I-25 to its intersection with I-10, then south along I-10 to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line, then east along the New Mexico-Texas state line to its intersection with Ft. Bliss military reservation boundary, then northeast, then west and then north along the Ft. Bliss military reservation boundary to its junction with the White Sands missile range boundary, then north, west and north along the White Sands missile range boundary to its intersection with US 70, then west along US 70 to its junction with I-25.

**D. GMU 19 (White Sands missile range hunt area):** Those portions of White Sands missile range as documented on maps and descriptions made available by the department.

**EA. GMU 23 (Burro Mountain hunt area):** That portion of GMU 23 comprised of the Big Burro Mountains portion of the Gila national forest and shall include all private land lying within the national forest boundary.

**FB. GMU 24 (Fort Bayard special management area):** That portion of GMU 24 beginning at the NW corner of section 22, T-17S, R-13W; south along the west section line of sections 22, 27 and 34 to the north right-of-way fence of U.S. highway 180; thence easterly along the north right-of-way fence of U.S. highway 180 through sections 34 and 35 to the east right-of-way fence of the road entering Fort Bayard medical center; thence northwesterly along this east right-of-way fence through sections 35 and 26 for approximately 1 1/4 miles to the forest boundary fence; thence northeasterly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 5/8 mile; thence easterly along the forest boundary fence through sections 26 and 25 for approximately 3/4 mile; thence southerly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 1/2 mile; thence easterly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 5/8 mile to the west right-of-way fence of state road NM 90; thence northeasterly along the right-of-way fence for about 1/2 mile to the intersection with the forest boundary fence; thence northerly along the forest boundary fence through sections 30, 19, 18; and 7 for about 3 3/4 miles; thence westerly along the forest boundary fence for approximately 1/4 mile to the southeastern corner of the pPear tTree pasture fence; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the pPear tTree pasture fence for approximately one mile; thence westerly along the northern fenced boundary through sections 1, 2; and 3 of T-17 S, R-13 W of the Pear Tree, Castle Knob, Twin Sisters; and Enclosure pasture fences for approximately 3 1/2 miles to corner of west section line of Ssection 3; thence southerly along the west sections lines of Ssections 3, 10; and 15 for approximately 2 3/4 miles to the point of origin.

**GC. GMU 25 (Florida mountains):** That portion of GMU 25 comprised of the main Florida Mountain range and Little Floridas, bounded by Interstate I-10 on the north, the Luna-Dona Ana county line on the east, the Mexico-New Mexico boundary line on the south, and NM highway 11 on the west.

**H. GMU 26 (Big Hatchet special management area):** That portion of GMU 26 bounded by a line starting at the Hatchet ranch headquarters and following a road in a southeast direction through sections 14, 13 and 24, of T. 30 S., R. 15 W., and sections 19, 30, 29, 32, 33 and 34 of T. 30 S., R. 14 W., and sections 3, 2, 1, 12 and 13 of T. 31 S., R. 14 W.; thence south through sections 13, 24, 25, 36 and 35 of T. 31 S., R. 14 W.; thence sections 2, 11, 14, 23 and 26 of T. 32 S., R. 14 W.; thence west through sections 27, 28, 29, 30 and 19 of T. 32 S., R. 14 W.;

and sections 24, 23, 22, 21, 20, 17 and 18 of T. 32 S., R. 15 W., and section 13 of T. 32 S., R. 16 W.; thence south along the section line between sections 13 and 14, and sections 23 and 24, of T. 32 S., R. 16 W. to the intersection of the road to the Humble Oil and Refining Company test well no. 1; thence northwest along the road through sections 23 and 14; thence west along the section line between sections 10 and 15; thence north along the fence line and section line between sections 9 and 10 and sections 3 and 4 of T. 32 S., R. 16 W.; thence east approximately one-half mile along the section line of section 3, T. 32 S., R. 16 W., and section 34 of T. 31 S., R. 16 W.; thence north along a road and fence line through sections 34, 27, 22 and 15 to the intersection of the road to Romney well; thence west along the Romney well road through sections 10 and 9 to state road 81; thence north along state road 81 through sections 9 and 4 of T. 31 S., R. 16 W., and sections 33, 34, 27 and 22, thence east along the section line between sections 22, and 15; thence east approximately one-half mile between the section line between sections 23 and 14; thence north one-half mile between the section line between sections 23 and 14; thence north one-half mile to the northwest corner of the SW1/4 of the NE1/4 of section 14; thence northeast along the fence to the section line between sections 14 and 13; thence north along the fence and section line between sections 14 and 13, 11, and 12; thence east along the fence line through section 12 to the intersection of the road to the Hatchet farm; thence southeast along the road through section 12 of T. 30 S., R. 16 W., and sections 7, 8, 17, 16, 15, 22, 23 and thence north through sections 23 and 14 of T. 30 S., R. 15 W. to the Hatchet ranch headquarters and the point of beginning.

**I. GMU 28 (McGregor range portion):** Those portions of GMU 28 located on the Fort Bliss military reservation, as follows:

(1) Public hunt area: That portion of the Fort Bliss military reservation lying north of NM 506 excluding that part of the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest lying within the McGregor range co-use area.

(2) Military only area: That portion of the Fort Bliss military reservation lying south of NM 506 as defined and restricted by Fort Bliss McGregor range personnel.

**J. GMU 32 (Fort Sumner hunt area):** That portion of GMU 32 beginning at the intersection of NM state highway 20 and US highway 60, then running south along NM state highway 20 to its junction with Tumbleweed road, then south along Tumbleweed road to its junction with Lone Wolf road, then east along Lone Wolf road to the southwest corner of section 16 of T1N, R26E, then east along the south section lines of sections 16 and 15 of T1N, R26E to the Pecos river, then north along the Pecos river to the southern section line of section 36 of T2N, R26E, then east along the southern section line of section 36 of T2N, R26E to James Spring road, then north and west along James Spring road to the southeast corner of section 26 of T2N, R26E, then north along the east section lines of sections 26, 23, 14, 11 and 2 of T2N, R26E, and sections 35 and 26 of T3N, R26E to US highway 60, then west along US highway 60 to its junction with NM state highway 20.

**KD. GMU 32 (Roswell hunt area):** That portion of GMU 32 beginning at the intersection of US highway 285 and NM state highway 557, then east along NM state highway 557 to its junction with NM state highway 2, then north along NM state highway 2 to its junction with NM state highway 249, then east along NM state highway 249 to the Pecos river, then north along the Pecos river to the north section line of section 2 of T9S, R25E, then west along the north township lines of T9S, R25E and T9S, R24E to US highway 285, then south along US highway 285 to the northeast corner of section 32 of T9S, R24E, then west along the north section lines of sections 32 and 31 of T9S, R24E, then sections 36, 35, 34, 33, 32 and 31 of T9S, R23E, and then sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of T9S, R22E, then south along the west section lines of section 33 of T9S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T10S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T11S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T12S, R22E, then east along the south section lines of sections 33 and 34 of T12S, R22E to the northwest corner of section 1 of T13S, R22E, then south along the west section lines of sections 1, 12, and 13 of T13S, R22E, then east along the south section lines of section 13 of T13S, R22E, then sections 18, 17, 16, 15, 14 and 13 of T13S, R23E and then section 18 of T13S, R24E to Old YO Crossing road, then south and west along Old YO Crossing road to its junction with NM state highway 13, then east along NM state highway 13 to its junction with US highway 285, then south along US highway 285 to its junction with NM state highway 557.

**LE. GMU 36 (Fort Stanton hunt area):** That portion of GMU 36 comprised of those lands owned and administered by the bureau of land management within the historic Fort Stanton military reservation.

**M. GMU 49 (Taos valley overlook):** That portion of GMU 49 comprised of those lands owned and administered by the bureau of land management, bounded by the Rio Grande on the west, U. S. Highway 68 on the east, and the Arroyo Hondo canyon on the south.

**NE. GMU 53 (Cerro portion):** That portion of GMU 53 beginning at the intersection of NM 522 and NM 378, then north on NM 522 approximately 3.1 miles to its intersection with Taos CR B-041 (Buena Vista road), then west on Taos CR B-041 1 mile to the dirt road on the boundary of townships T30N and T29N, then west on that dirt road 2 miles to its intersection with Taos CR B-048 (Sunshine-Jarosa road), then south on Taos CR B-048

approximately 1.3 miles to its intersection with NM 378, then southeasterly on NM 378 approximately 3.5 miles to its intersection with NM 522.

**O. ~~GMU 55 (Valle Vidal area):~~** That portion of GMU 55 comprised of the Valle Vidal unit of the Carson national forest and the Greenwood area of the Vermejo Park Ranch, Inc.

**P. ~~GMU 57 (Sugarite canyon state park):~~** That portion of GMU 57 comprised of the Sugarite canyon property owned by the city of Raton and administered by the state parks division of the New Mexico energy, minerals and natural resources department.

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#### **History of 19.30.4 NMAC:**

**Pre-NMAC History:** The material in this part was derived from that previously filed with the State Records Center and Archives:

Regulation No. 482, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 5/31/1967;  
Regulation No. 487, Establishing 1967 Seasons On Javelina And Barbary Sheep, filed 12/15/1967;  
Regulation No. 489, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring of 1968, filed 3/1/1968;  
Regulation No. 491, Establishing Big Game Seasons For 1968 For Jicarilla Reservation, filed 3/1/1968;  
Regulation No. 492, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 6/6/1968;  
Regulation No. 495, Establishing A Season On Bighorn Sheep, filed 10/2/1968;  
Regulation No. 496, Establishing An Elk Season In The Tres Piedras Area, Elk Area P-6, filed 12/11/1968;  
Regulation No. 502, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1969, filed 3/5/1969;  
Regulation No. 503, Establishing 1969 Deer Seasons For Bowhunting Only And Big Game Seasons For The Jicarilla Indian Reservation, filed 3/5/1969;  
Regulation 504, Establishing Seasons on Deer, Bear, Turkey, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 6/4/1969;  
Regulation No. 507, Establishing A Season On Bighorn Sheep, filed 8/26/1969;  
Regulation No. 512, Establishing Turkey Season For The Spring Of 1970, filed 2/20/1970;  
Regulation No. 513, Establishing Deer Season For Bowhunting Only In Sandia State Game Refuge, filed 2/20/1970;  
Regulation No. 514, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/9/1970;  
Regulation No 520, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1971, filed 3/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 522, Establishing 1971 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 523, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 531, Establishing A Season On Javelina, filed 12/17/1971;  
Regulation No. 532, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1972, filed 3/20/1972;  
Regulation No. 534, Establishing 1972 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/20/1972;  
Regulation No. 536, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/26/1972;  
Regulation No. 542, Establishing A Season On Javelina, filed 12/1/1972;  
Regulation No. 545, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1973, filed 2/26/1973;  
Regulation No. 546, Establishing 1973 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 2/26/1973;  
Regulation No. 547, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, And Javelina, filed 5/31/1973;  
Regulation No. 554, Establishing Special Turkey Seasons For The Spring of 1974, filed 3/4/1974;  
Regulation No. 556, Establishing 1974 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/14/1974;  
Regulation No. 558, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex, filed 5/29/1974;  
Regulation No. 565, Establishing Special Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1975, filed 3/24/1975;  
Regulation No. 567, Establishing 1975 Seasons On Deer, Bear, And Turkey On The Jicarilla Apache And Navajo Indian Reservations And On Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/24/1975;

Regulation No. 568, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 6/25/1975;  
Regulation No. 573, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/23/1976;  
Regulation No. 583, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/11/1977;  
Regulation No. 590, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/15/1978;  
Regulation No. 596, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/23/1979;  
Regulation No. 603, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1980 through March 31, 1981, filed 2/22/1980;  
Regulation No. 609, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1981 through March 31, 1982, filed 3/17/1981;  
Regulation No. 614, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1982 through March 31, 1983, filed 3/10/1982;  
Regulation No. 622, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1983 through March 31, 1984, filed 3/9/1983;  
Regulation No. 628, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1984 through March 31, 1985, filed 4/2/1984;  
Regulation No. 634, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1985 Through March 31, 1986, filed 4/18/1985;  
Regulation No. 640, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1986 through March 31, 1987, filed 3/25/1986;  
Regulation No. 645, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1987 through March 31, 1988, filed 2/12/1987;  
Regulation No. 653, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1988 through March 31, 1989, filed 12/18/1987;  
Regulation No. 663, Establishing Opening Spring Turkey For The Period April 1, 1989 through March 31, 1990, filed 3/28/1989;  
Regulation No. 664, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1989 through March 31, 1990, filed 3/20/1989;  
Regulation No. 674, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1990 through March 31, 1991, filed 11/21/1989;  
Regulation No. 683, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1991 through March 31, 1992, filed 2/8/1991;  
Regulation No. 689, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1992 through March 31, 1993, filed 3/4/1992;  
Regulation No. 700, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1993 through March 31, 1995, filed 3/11/1993.

**History of Repealed Material:**

19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Wildlife Management Areas, filed 10/8/2009 – Repealed effective 7/15/2013.

19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Wildlife Management Areas, filed 6/27/2013 – Repealed effective 8/25/2020.

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**TITLE 19 NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDLIFE**  
**CHAPTER 30 WILDLIFE ADMINISTRATION**  
**PART 4 BOUNDARY DESCRIPTIONS FOR GAME MANAGEMENT UNITS**

**19.30.4.1 ISSUING AGENCY:** New Mexico department of game and fish.  
[19.30.4.1 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.1 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.2 SCOPE:** Department staff and licensed hunters and trappers.  
[19.30.4.2 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.2 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.3 STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 17-1-14 and 17-1-26 NMSA 1978 provide that the New Mexico state game commission has the authority to establish rules and regulations that it may deem necessary to carry out the purpose of Chapter 17 NMSA 1978 and all other acts pertaining to protected mammals, birds and fish.  
[19.30.4.3 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.3 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.4 DURATION:** Permanent.  
[19.30.4.4 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.4 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.5 EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 25, 2020, unless a different date is cited at the end of a section.  
[19.30.4.5 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.5 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.6 OBJECTIVE:** Establishing boundary descriptions for game management units and other designated areas.  
[19.30.4.6 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.6 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.7 DEFINITIONS:**

**A. "County road" or "CR"** as used herein shall be a numbered road that is designated and managed by New Mexico county governments.

**B. "East" or "E"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction east.

**C. "Forest road" or "FR"** as used herein shall be a numbered road that is under the jurisdiction of and managed by the United States Forest Service.

**D. "Forest trail" or "FT"** as used herein shall be a numbered trail that is under the jurisdiction of and managed by the United States Forest Service.

**E. "Game management unit" or "GMU"** as used herein, shall be a geographical subdivision of the state used to manage game species.

**F. "Interstate" or "I-"** as used herein shall be a numbered controlled access highway that is part of the United States Interstate Highway System.

**G. "New Mexico highway" or "NM"** as used herein shall be a numbered highway or route that is part of the New Mexico State Highway System managed by the New Mexico Department of Transportation.

**H. "North" or "N"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction north.

**I. "Range" or "R"** as used herein shall be range designations based on the New Mexico Principal Meridian and Base Line of the United States Public Land Survey System. Ranges are numbered in order east and west from the principal meridian (e.g. R10E is the 10<sup>th</sup> range east of the principle meridian).

**J. "South" or "S"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction south.

**K. "Township" or "T"** as used herein shall be township designations based on the New Mexico Principal Meridian and Base Line of the United States Public Land Survey System. Townships are numbered in order north and south from the base line (e.g. T2N is the second township north of the base line).

**L. "United States highway" or "US"** as used herein shall be a numbered highway that is part of the United States Numbered Highway System coordinated by the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials.

**M. "West" or "W"** as used herein shall be the cardinal direction west.

[19.30.4.7 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.7 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**19.30.4.8 GAME MANAGEMENT UNITS:**

**A. GMU 1:** The Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation and all contiguous portions of the Navajo Nation reservation north and west of and including section 31, T 17 N, R 13 W.



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**B. GMU 2:** Beginning at the junction of the east boundary of the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation and the Colorado-New Mexico state line and running east along the state line to the western boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then south, west and south along the reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550, then northwest along US 550 to its intersection with the San Juan river, then west along the San Juan river to the east boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation, then north along the east boundary of the Navajo reservation to its junction with the south boundary of the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation, then east and north along the Ute Mountain Ute Tribe reservation boundary to the Colorado-New Mexico state line.

**C. GMU 2A:** That portion of GMU 2 west of the Los Pinos river (Pine Arm of Navajo reservoir) and north of the San Juan river.

**D. GMU 2B:** That portion of GMU 2 east and north of the following line: from the junction of the New Mexico-Colorado state line and Pine river, then south along the Pine river to its junction with the San Juan river, then south and west along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon), then south and east along the central wash of Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon) to the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation boundary.

**E. GMU 2C:** That portion of GMU 2 south and west of the following line: from the junction of US 550 and the San Juan river at Bloomfield, then east along the San Juan river to its junction with Largo canyon, then south and east along the central wash of Largo canyon to its junction with Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon), then south and east along the central wash of Carrizo canyon (Cereza canyon) to the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation boundary.

**F. GMU 3:** The Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation.

**G. GMU 4:** Beginning at the junction of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation and the Colorado-New Mexico state line and running east along the state line to the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, then south along the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and west along its south boundary to its junction with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then north along the east boundary of the reservation to its junction with the Colorado-New Mexico state line.

**H. GMU 5:** Beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then south along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 northwest of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with NM 595 north of Regina, then west along NM 595 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then northerly along the east boundary of the reservation to its junction with the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama.

**I. GMU 5A:** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the junction of the northwest boundary of the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary with the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation north of Lindrith and following the forest administrative boundary south towards Lindrith, then northeasterly past Llaves, thence southerly to its intersection with NM 96, then west along NM 96 to its junction with NM 595 north of Regina, then west along NM 595 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then following the reservation boundary north to its intersection with the northwest corner of the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary.

**J. GMU 5B:** That portion of GMU 5 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then south along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 northwest of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary west of Gallina, then following the forest boundary north then west past Llaves then southwesterly to south of Lindrith, then north along the forest service administrative boundary line to its intersection with the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then east along the reservation boundary to the junction of the reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama.

**K. GMU 6:** Beginning at the junction of I-25 and US 550 near Bernalillo and running northwest and west along US 550 past San Ysidro to its intersection with the boundary of the Pueblo of Zia reservation, then south, west and north along the Pueblo of Zia reservation boundary to the boundary of the Pueblo of Jemez reservation, then west, north and east along the Pueblo of Jemez reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 near La Ventana, then north and west along US 550 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then east along the south boundary of the reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 595, then east along NM 595 to its junction with NM 96, then east along NM 96 to its junction with US 84

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northwest of Abiquiu, then southeast along US 84 to its junction with I-25 at Santa Fe, then southwest along I-25 to its junction with US 550.

**L. GMU 6A:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of I-25 and US 550 at Bernalillo and running northwest and west along US 550 past San Ysidro to its intersection with the boundary of the Pueblo of Zia reservation, then south, west and north along the Pueblo of Zia reservation boundary to the Pueblo of Jemez reservation, then west, north and east along Pueblo of Jemez reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 near La Ventana, then north and west along US 550 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then east along the south boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 595, then east along NM 595 to its junction with NM 96, then east along NM 96 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 103, then south along Santa Fe FR 103 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 117, then south along Santa Fe FR 117 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 527 (Pipeline road), then east along Santa Fe FR 527 to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then south and east along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with Santa Fe FR 280 and NM 4, then south along Santa Fe FR 280 to its junction with Santa Fe FT 140, then south along Santa Fe FT 140 to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with Santa Fe FR 266, then south and east along Santa Fe FR 266 to its junction with NM 22, then along NM 22 to its junction with NM 16, then southeast along NM 16 to its junction with I-25, then south and west along I-25 to its junction with US 550 at Bernalillo.

**M. GMU 6B:** That portion of GMU 6 comprised of all lands within the fenced or posted boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve as fenced or posted by the United States forest service.

**N. GMU 6C:** That portion of GMU 6 starting at the junction of NM 96 and Santa Fe FR 103 east of Gallina and running south along Santa Fe FR 103 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 117, then south along Santa Fe FR 117 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 527 (Pipeline road), then east along Santa Fe FR 527 to its junction with the west boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve, then north, east, south and west along the boundary of the Valles Caldera national preserve to its junction with NM 4 and Santa Fe FR 280, then south along Santa Fe FR 280 to its junction with Santa Fe FT 140, then south along Santa Fe FT 140 to Peralta creek, then south and east along Peralta creek to its junction with Santa Fe FR 266, then south and east along Santa Fe FR 266 to its junction with NM 22, then along NM 22 to its junction with NM 16, then south and east along NM 16 to its junction with I-25, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 84 at Santa Fe, then north along US 84 to its junction with NM 96 west of Abiquiu, then west along NM 96 to its junction with Santa Fe FR 103.

**O. GMU 7:** Beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation and Navajo W Route 9 at section 31, T18N, R13W, then running north along the reservation boundary to the northeastern corner immediately west of Farmington, then east along the San Juan river to its intersection with US 550 at Bloomfield, then southeast along US 550 to its intersection with the west boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, then south along the west boundary of the reservation and east along its south boundary to its intersection with US 550, then east and south along US 550 to its intersection with the north boundary of the Pueblo of Jemez reservation south of La Ventana, then west along the north boundary of the reservation and south along its west boundary to its intersection with the San Luis road, then southwest along San Luis road to its intersection with arroyo Chico, then west up arroyo Chico to its junction with Voght draw, then west up Voght draw to its junction with Inditos draw, then west up Inditos draw to its intersection with NM 509, south of Hospah, south along NM 509 to McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road), then southwest along McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road) to its junction with the continental divide (near Borrego pass), then westerly along the continental divide to its intersection with NM 371, then north along NM 371 to its junction with Navajo W Route 9, then northwest along Navajo W Route 9 to its intersection with the boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation at section 31, T18N, R13W.

**P. GMU 8:** Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and I-25 at Albuquerque and running northeast along I-25 to its junction with NM 14, then south along NM 14 to Santa Fe CR 42, then southeast along the county road to its junction with NM 41 at Galisteo, then south along NM 41 to its intersection with I-40 at Moriarty, then west along I-40 to its intersection with I-25.

**Q. GMU 9:** Beginning at Prewitt at the junction of I-40 and NM 412 and running north along NM 412 to NM 122, then east along NM 122 to its intersection with McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road), then north along CR 19-A to its intersection with NM 509, then north along NM 509 to its intersection with Inditos draw, then south and east down Inditos draw to its junction with Voght draw, then east down Voght draw to its junction with arroyo Chico, then east down arroyo Chico to its intersection with the San Luis road, then northeast along the San Luis road to its intersection with the west boundary of the Pueblo of Jemez reservation, then east along the Pueblo of Jemez reservation southern boundary to the boundary of the Pueblo of Zia reservation, then south and east along the Pueblo of Zia reservation boundary to its intersection with US 550 west of San Ysidro, then east and southeast along US

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550 to its junction with I-25 at Bernalillo, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 6 at Los Lunas, then west and northwest along NM 6 to its junction with I-40, then west along I-40 to Prewitt.

**R. GMU 10:** Beginning at the junction of the north boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation with the Arizona-New Mexico state line and running north along the state line to the boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation at section 35, T17N, R21W, then east along the contiguous southern boundary of the Navajo Nation reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with Navajo W Route 9 at section 31, T18N, R13W, then southeast along Navajo W Route 9 to its junction with NM 371, then east and south along NM 371 to its intersection with the continental divide, then east along the continental divide to its junction with McKinley CR 19-A (Prewitt road) near Borrego pass, then south along CR 19-A to NM 122, then west along NM 122 to NM 412, then south along NM 412 to its junction with I-40 at Prewitt, then southeast along I-40 to its junction with NM 53 (Ice Caves road) near Grants, then south and west along NM 53 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation, then north along the east boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation and west along its north boundary to its junction with the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**S. GMU 11:** The Pueblo of Zuni reservation.

**T. GMU 12:** Beginning at the intersection of US 60 and the Arizona-New Mexico state line and running north along the state line to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Zuni reservation, then east along the south boundary of the reservation and north along its east boundary to its intersection with NM 53, then east along NM 53 to its junction with Cibola CR 42, then south along Cibola CR 42 to its junction with NM 117, then east along NM 117 to its junction with Cibola CR 41, then south along Cibola CR 41 to its junction with Catron CR A083, then south along Catron CR A083 to its junction with NM 603, then south along NM 603 to its junction with US 60 at Pie Town, thence west along US 60 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**U. GMU 13:** Beginning at the junction of NM 53 (Ice Caves road) and I-40 west of Grants and running east along I-40 to its junction with NM 6, then southeast along NM 6 to its junction with I-25 at Los Lunas, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 60 at Socorro, then west along US 60 to its junction with NM 12 at Datil, then southwest along NM 12 to its junction with Catron CR B034, then northwest along Catron CR B034 to its junction with Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130), then west and north along Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130) to its junction with Pie Town road (Catron CR A056), then north along Pie Town road (Catron CR A056) to Pie Town, then north along NM 603 to its junction with York Ranch road (Catron CR A083), then north along York Ranch road (Catron CR A083 and Cibola CR 41) to its junction with NM 117, then west along NM 117 to its junction with Back Country Byway (Cibola CR 42), then north along Back Country Byway (Cibola CR 42) to its junction with NM 53, then east and north along NM 53 to its junction with I-40 west of Grants.

**V. GMU 14:** Beginning at the junction of US 60 and I-25 at Bernardo and running north along I-25 to its intersection with I-40 at Albuquerque, then east along I-40 to its intersection with NM 41 at Moriarty, then south along NM 41 to its junction with US 60 at Willard, then west along US 60 to its junction with I-25.

**W. GMU 15:** Beginning at the intersection of the Arizona-New Mexico state line and US 60 and running east along US 60 to its intersection with NM 603 at Pie Town, then south and east along Pie Town road (Catron CR A056) to its junction with Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130), then east along Greens Gap road (Catron CR A130) to its junction with NM 12 south of Datil, then southwest along NM 12 to its junction with US 180 west of Reserve, then northwest along US 180 to its intersection with the Arizona-New Mexico state line, then north along the Arizona-New Mexico state line to its intersection with US 60.

**X. GMU 16:** Beginning at the junction of NM 12 and US 60 at Datil and running east along US 60 to its intersection with NM 52, then southwest along NM 52 to its intersection with NM 163, then southwest along NM 163 to its intersection with the continental divide, then south and southwest along the continental divide to its intersection with the Grant-Sierra county line at Reed's peak, then south along the Grant-Sierra county line to its intersection with Gila FR 152 at Board Gate saddle, then northwest and southwest along Gila FR 152 to its junction with NM 35, then northwest along NM 35 to its junction with Sapillo creek, then west along Sapillo creek to its junction with the Gila river, then northwest along the Gila river to its intersection with Turkey creek, then northwest along Turkey creek to its intersection with Gila FT 158, then northwest along Gila FT 158 through Woodrow canyon to Mogollon creek, then northwest along Mogollon creek to its junction with the west fork of Mogollon creek and Gila FT 224, then northwest along the west fork of Mogollon creek and Gila FT 224 to its junction with Gila FT 182, then north and west on Gila FT 182 to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159) at Sandy point, then west on Bursum road to its junction with US 180 south of Alma, then north on US 180 to its intersection with NM 12, thence northeast along NM 12 to its junction with US 60 at Datil.

**Y. GMU 16A:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of Bursum road (NM 159) and US 180, then north along US 180 to its junction with NM 12, then northeast along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek south of Reserve, then east along Negrito creek to its

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junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with Gila FR 94 at Collins park, then south on Gila FR 94 to its junction with Gila FR 28, then southeasterly on Gila FR 28 to its junction with Gila FR 30, then southeasterly on Gila FR 30 to its junction with Snow Lake road (Catron CR 021), then southwesterly on Snow Lake road to its junction with Gila FR 142C west of Cooney prairie, then south on Gila FR 142C to the Gila wilderness boundary, then west along the Gila wilderness boundary to its junction with Snow creek below Snow lake, then south along Snow creek to its junction with Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to its junction with Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to its junction with Gila FT 138, then westerly along Gila FT 138 to its junction with Gila FT 182, then north on Gila FT 182 to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159) at Sandy point, then west along Bursum road (NM 159) to its junction with US 180.

**Z. GMU 16B:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the junction of Gila FR 152 and the Grant-Sierra county line southwest of Board Gate saddle, then north along the Grant-Sierra county line to Reeds peak and the continental divide, thence north along the continental divide to its intersection with Gila FT 42, then west along Gila FT 42 to its junction with Gila FT 40 at Diamond creek, then west along Gila FT 40 and Diamond creek to Gila FR 4069G, then west to Gila FR 225, then southwest along Gila FR 225 to its junction with Gila FR 18, then northwest along Gila FR 18 to its junction with Gila FR 704, then west along Gila FR 704 to Gila FR 4208P, then northwesterly along Gila FR 4208P to Gila FT 772, then northwesterly along Gila FT 772 to Black mountain, then west from Black mountain along Gila FT 23 to Gila FT 812, then north along Gila FT 812 to its intersection with the south fork of Christie canyon and the wilderness boundary, then west along the wilderness boundary to Snow creek, then south along Snow creek to Gilita creek, then west along Gilita creek to Willow creek, then west along Willow creek to Gila FT 138, then westerly along Gila FT 138 to Gila FT 182, then south and east on Gila FT 182 to its junction with Gila FT 224 at west fork saddle, then south along Gila FT 224 and down the west fork of Mogollon creek to its junction with Mogollon creek, then easterly along Mogollon creek to Gila FT 158 at Woodrow canyon, then southeast along Gila FT 158 to Turkey creek, then south along Turkey creek to the Gila river, then east along the Gila river to Sapillo creek, then east along Sapillo creek to NM 35, then east along NM 35 to its intersection with Gila FR 152, then northeast along Gila FR 152 to its junction with the Sierra-Grant county line southwest of Board Gate saddle.

**AA. GMU 16C:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the road junction of O Bar O Canyon road (Catron CR 072) and Gila FR 30 in Railroad canyon, then northeast along O Bar O Canyon road to its junction with NM 163, then northeast along NM 163 to the continental divide, then south along the continental divide to Gila FT 42, then south along Gila FT 42 to Gila FT 40, then west on Gila FT 40 to Gila FR 4069G, then west to Gila FR 225, then southwest along Gila FR 225 to Gila FR 18, then northwest along Gila FR 18 to Gila FR 704, then west along Gila FR 704 to Gila FR 4208P, then northwesterly along Gila FR 4208P to Gila FT 772, then northwest along Gila FT 772 to Gila FT 23 on Black mountain, then northwest along Gila FT 23 to Gila FT 812, then north along Gila FT 812 to south fork of Christie canyon, then north and west along south fork of Christie canyon to Gila FR 142C, then north along Gila FR 142C to Snow Lake road (Catron CR 021), then northeast along Snow Lake road to its junction with Gila FR 30, then east along Gila FR 30 to its junction with O Bar O Canyon road in Railroad canyon.

**BB. GMU 16D:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at Apache creek and continuing south and west along NM 12 to its junction with NM 435 at Reserve, then south along NM 435 to its junction with Negrito creek, then east along Negrito creek to its junction with the north fork of Negrito creek, then east along the north fork of Negrito creek to its junction with Gila FR 94 at Collins park, then south along Gila FR 94 to its junction with Gila FR 28, then east along Gila FR 28 to junction with Gila FR 30, then southeast along Gila FR 30 to its intersection with Coyote Canyon road (Catron CR 016), then north and west along Coyote Canyon road to its junction with Bursum road (Catron CR 019), then north along Bursum road to its intersection with NM 12, then west on NM 12 to Apache creek.

**CC. GMU 16E:** That portion of GMU 16 beginning at the intersection of Coyote Canyon road (Catron CR 016) and Gila FR 30, then northwesterly along Coyote Canyon road to its intersection with Bursum road (Catron CR 019), then north on Bursum road to its intersection with NM 12, then east on NM 12 to its intersection with NM 60 at Datil, then east on NM 60 to its intersection with NM 52, then south on NM 52 to its intersection with NM 163, then west on NM 163 to its intersection with O Bar O Canyon road (Catron CR 072), then west on O Bar O Canyon road to its intersection with Gila FR 30, then west on Gila FR 30 to its intersection with Coyote Canyon road.

**DD. GMU 17:** Beginning at the junction of NM 52 and US 60 east of Datil and running east along US 60 to its junction with I-25 at Socorro, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 181, then north along NM 181 to its junction with NM 52 east of Cuchillo, then west along NM 52 to its junction with NM 142, then northwest

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along NM 142 to its junction with Alamosa creek at Monticello, then northwest along Alamosa creek through Monticello canyon to its junction with NM 52 south of Dusty, then north along NM 52 to its junction with US 60.

**EE. GMU 18:** Beginning at the junction of US 380 and I-25 at San Antonio and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 60 at Bernardo, then east along US 60 to NM 55 at Mountainair, then south and southeast along NM 55 to its junction with US 54, then south along US 54 to its intersection with the Lincoln-Otero county line, then west along the county line to the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then north along the east boundary and west along the north boundary of White Sands missile range to the northwest corner of the missile range, then due north to US 380, then west along US 380 to its junction with I-25 at San Antonio.

**FF. GMU 19:** Beginning at the intersection of US 70 and the west boundary of the White Sands missile range east of Organ and running north along the west boundary, east along the north boundary, and south along the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then southerly following the eastern boundary of Holloman Air Force base, continuing south along the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then south and east along the eastern boundary of Fort Bliss - Dona Ana Range Camp to its intersection with US 54 south of Orogrande, then south along US 54 to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line, then west along the state line to its intersection with I-10, then northwest along I-10 to its junction with I-25, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 70 at Las Cruces, then east along US 70 to its intersection with the west boundary of the White Sands missile range.

**GG. GMU 20:** Beginning at the junction of US 70 and I-25 at Las Cruces and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 380 at San Antonio, then east along US 380 to a point due north of the northwestern corner of the White Sands missile range, then due south to the northwest corner of the missile range, then south along the west boundary of the missile range to its intersection with US 70 east of Organ, then west along US 70 to its junction with I-25.

**HH. GMU 21:** Beginning at the junction of US 180 and NM 26 north of Deming and running northeast along NM 26 to its junction with NM 27 at Nutt, then northwest along NM 27 to its intersection with the Sierra-Luna county line, then west along the south boundary of Sierra county and north along its west boundary to the junction of the county line and the continental divide, then north along the continental divide to its intersection with NM 163, then northeast along NM 163 to its junction with NM 52, then southeast along NM 52 to its intersection with Alamosa creek south of Dusty, then southeast along Alamosa creek through Monticello canyon to its intersection with NM 142 at Monticello, then southeast along NM 142 to its intersection with NM 52, then southeast along NM 52 to its junction with NM 181, then south along NM 181 to its junction with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 180 at Las Cruces, then west along US 180 to Deming and north along US 180 to its junction with NM 26.

**II. GMU 21A:** That northwest portion of GMU 21 that lies within the Gila national forest boundary.

**JJ. GMU 21B:** That portion of GMU 21 that lies outside the Gila national forest boundary.

**KK. GMU 22:** Beginning at the intersection of the Gila river and US 180 south of Cliff running north along US 180 to its junction with Bursum road (NM 159), then east along Bursum road to its junction with Gila FT 182 at Sandy point, then south along Gila FT 182 to its junction with Gila FT 224 at the west fork saddle, then south on Gila FT 224 down the west fork of Mogollon creek to its junction with the main Mogollon creek, then easterly along Mogollon creek to the junction of Gila FT 158 at Woodrow canyon, then south along Gila FT 158 to main Turkey creek, then south along Turkey creek to its junction at the Gila river, then southwest along the Gila river to its junction with US 180.

**LL. GMU 23:** Beginning at the intersection of US 180 and the Arizona-New Mexico state line west of Luna, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 70, then southeast along US 70 to its junction with US 180 at Deming, thence northwest along US 180 to its junction with the Arizona-New Mexico state line.

**MM. GMU 24:** Beginning at the junction of NM 26 and US 180 north of Deming and running northwest along US 180 to its intersection with the Gila river south of Cliff, then northeast along the Gila river to its junction with Sapillo creek, then east along Sapillo creek to NM 35, then east and south on NM 35 to its junction with Gila FR 152, then northeast along Gila FR 152 to its junction with the Grant-Sierra county line southwest of Board Gate saddle, then south along the west boundary of Sierra county and east along its south boundary to its intersection with NM 27, then south along NM 27 to its junction with NM 26, then southwest along NM 26 to its junction with US 180.

**NN. GMU 25:** Beginning at the junction of the United States-Mexico boundary with the west boundary of Luna county and running north along the county line to its intersection with NM 9, then northwest along NM 9 to its intersection with NM 146 (old NM 81) at Hachita, then north along NM 146 (old NM 81) to its junction with I-10, then east and south along I-10 to its junction with US 70, then east along US 70 to its junction with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with I-10, then south along I-10 to its intersection with the Texas-

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New Mexico state line, then west and south along the Texas state line to the United States-Mexico boundary, then west along the international boundary to the west boundary of Luna county.

**OO. GMU 26:** Beginning at Paskle gate on the United States-Mexico boundary, near international boundary marker No. 69, then north on the private dirt road from Paskle gate to its intersection with NM 338 approximately 100 yards west of Cloverdale and running north along NM 338 to its intersection with I-10, then north and east along I-10 to its intersection with NM 146 (old NM 81), then south along NM 146 to its intersection with NM 9 at Hachita, then east along NM 9 to its intersection with the west boundary of Luna county, then south along the Luna county line to the United States-Mexico boundary, then south and west along the international boundary to Paskle gate.

**PP. GMU 27:** Beginning at Paskle gate on the United States-Mexico boundary, near international boundary marker No. 69, then north on the private dirt road from Paskle gate to its intersection with NM 338 approximately 100 yards west of Cloverdale, then north along NM 338 to its intersection with I-10, then east along I-10 to its intersection with US 70 at Lordsburg, then northwest along US 70 to the Arizona-New Mexico state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with the United States-Mexico boundary, then east along the international boundary to Paskle gate.

**QQ. GMU 28:** The Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation east of US 54, excluding that part of the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest lying within the McGregor range co-use area.

**RR. GMU 29:** Beginning at the junction of the New Mexico-Texas state line and the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation and running northeast along the military reservation boundary to its intersection with NM 506 (Otero CR E038) leading to Pinon, then east, north and east along NM 506 (Otero CR E038) to its intersection with NM 24 at Pinon, then east on NM 24 and Pinon Dunken road approximately three miles to its intersection with Cornucopia Canyon road and NM 506, then running southerly along Cornucopia Canyon road and NM 506 through Cornucopia draw and Crow flats to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line near Dell City, Texas, then west along the state line to the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation.

**SS. GMU 30:** Beginning at the New Mexico-Texas state line near Dell City, Texas, and its intersection with NM 506, then northerly along NM 506 and Cornucopia Canyon road through Crow flats and Cornucopia draw to its junction with Pinon Dunken road east of Pinon, then northeast along Pinon Dunken to its junction with US 82 north of Dunken, then east along US 82 to its intersection with US 285 at Artesia, then south and southeast along US 285 to its junction with US 180 at Carlsbad, then south along US 180 to its intersection with the New Mexico-Texas state line, then west along the state line to its intersection with NM 506.

**TT. GMU 31:** Beginning at the intersection of the New Mexico-Texas state line and US 180, southwest of Carlsbad, and running northeast along US 180 to its junction with US 285 at Carlsbad, then north along US 285 to its intersection with US 82 at Artesia, then east along US 82 to its junction with NM 249 at Maljamar, then north along NM 249 to its junction with NM 172, then north along NM 172 (Tower road) to its junction with US 380 west of Caprock, then east along US 380 to its junction with Button Mesa road, then north along Button Mesa road continuing north along Lea CR T-156, continuing north along Reserve road, continuing north along S Roosevelt road AK to its junction at Elida, then north along NM 330 to its junction with NM 267 west of Floyd, then north along NM 267 to its junction with US 60 east of Melrose, then east along US 60 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south and west along the state line to its intersection with US 180 southwest of Carlsbad.

**UU. GMU 32:** Beginning at the intersection of US 380 and the east boundary of Lincoln county and running north along the east boundary of Lincoln county to the west boundary of De Baca county, then north along the west boundary of De Baca county to its intersection with US 60, then east along US 60 to its junction with NM 267 east of Melrose, then south along NM 267 to its junction with NM 330 west of Floyd, then south along NM 330 to its junction with US 70 at Elida, then southwest along US 70 to its intersection with the Pecos river, then south along the Pecos river to its intersection with Aberdeen road (NM 249) at Hagerman, then west along Aberdeen road (NM 249) to its junction with NM 2, then south along NM 2 to its intersection with US 285 north of Artesia, then south on US 285 to its intersection with US 82 at Artesia, then west along US 82 to its junction with Picacho road (Chaves CR C433) near mile marker 60, then north along Picacho road to its intersection with Felix Canyon road near Flying H, then west along Felix Canyon road to its intersection with Picacho road, then north along Picacho road continuing northerly along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030 and Lincoln CR E028) to its junction with US 380. about a mile west of Picacho, then east along US 380 to its intersection with the east boundary of Lincoln county.

**VV. GMU 33:** Beginning at the intersection of US 82 and US 285 at Artesia and running north along US 285 to its junction with NM 2, then north on NM 2 to its intersection with NM 249 at Hagerman, then east along NM 249 to its intersection with the Pecos river, then north along the Pecos river to its intersection with US 70, then northeast along US 70 to S Roosevelt road AK at Elida, then south along S Roosevelt road AK continuing south

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along Reserve road, Button Mesa road and Lea CR T-156, then northwest along US 380 to NM 172 to US 82, then west along US 82 to US 285 at Artesia.

**WW. GMU 34:** Beginning at the junction of Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) and the east boundary of the White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate and running east along Tulie Gate road to its junction with Railroad avenue (Otero CR B-009), then north on Railroad avenue to its intersection with US 54, then running south along US 54 to its intersection with US 70 at Tularosa, then running northeast along US 70 to its intersection with the west boundary of the Mescalero Apache Tribe reservation, then south along the west boundary of the reservation, east along its south boundary, and north along its east boundary to the Lincoln-Chaves county line, then east along the county line approximately two miles to its intersection with Picacho road, then southerly along Picacho road to its intersection with Felix Canyon road, then east along Felix Canyon road to its intersection with Picacho road, then south along Picacho road to its intersection with US 82, then west along US 82 to its junction with NM 24 north of Dunken, then south along Pinon Dunken road (NM 24) to its intersection with Owen Prather highway (NM 506) at Pinon, then west, south and west on Owen Prather highway (NM 506) to the east boundary of the Fort Bliss military reservation, then north and west along the boundary of the Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation to its intersection with the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest, then west and north along the boundary of the Sacramento division of the Lincoln national forest to its intersection with the north boundary of the Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation, then west and south along the boundary of the Fort Bliss-McGregor Range Camp military reservation to its junction with the east boundary of the Fort Bliss-Dona Ana Range Camp at US 54 south of Orogrande, then north along the east boundary of Fort Bliss-Dona Ana Range Camp, then north along the east boundary of White Sands missile range to Holloman Air Force base, then east and north along the eastern Holloman Air Force base boundary to the east boundary of White Sands missile range, then north along the east boundary of White Sands missile range to its intersection of Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) at Tularosa gate.

**XX. GMU 35:** The Mescalero Apache Tribe reservation.

**YY. GMU 36:** Beginning at the junction of Otero CR B-006 and the east boundary of the White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate and running north along the east boundary to its intersection with the Lincoln-Otero county line, then east along the county line to its intersection with US 54, then north along US 54 to its intersection with US 380 at Carrizozo, then east along US 380 to its junction with Picacho road (Lincoln CR E028), approximately 1 mile west of Picacho, then south along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E028) to its intersection with Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030), then south and west along Picacho road (Lincoln CR E030) to its intersection with the Lincoln-Chaves county line, then west along the county line to the east boundary of the Mescalero Apache Tribe reservation, then north along the east boundary of the reservation, west along its north boundary, and south along its west boundary to its intersection with US 70, then west along US 70 to its junction with US 54 at Tularosa, then north along US 54 to its junction with Otero CR B-009, then south along CR B-009 to its junction with Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006), then west along Tulie Gate road (Otero CR B-006) to its junction with the east boundary of White Sands missile range at Tularosa gate.

**ZZ. GMU 37:** Beginning at the intersection of US 380 and US 54 at Carrizozo and running north along US 54 to its junction with NM 462 west of Ancho, then east along NM 462 to its intersection with the Southern Pacific railroad tracks, then north along the railroad tracks to Hasparos canyon, then east down Hasparos canyon to the east boundary of Lincoln county, then south along the east boundary of Lincoln county to its intersection with US 380, then west along US 380 to its intersection with US 54 at Carrizozo.

**AAA. GMU 38:** Beginning at the junction of US 54 and NM 55 and running northwesterly along NM 55 to its junction with US 60 at Mountainair, then east along US 60 to the Guadalupe-De Baca county line, then south along the county line and along the east boundary of Lincoln county to its intersection with Hasparos canyon, then west up Hasparos canyon to the Southern Pacific railroad tracks northeast of Ancho, then south along the railroad tracks to their intersection with NM 462 at Ancho, then west along NM 462 to its junction with US 54, then south along US 54 to its junction with NM 55.

**BBB. GMU 39:** Beginning at the junction of US 60 and NM 41 west of Willard and running north along NM 41 to its intersection with I-40 at Moriarty, then east along I-40 to its junction with US 84 east of Santa Rosa, then southeast along US 84 to its junction with US 60 at Fort Sumner, then west along US 60 to its junction with NM 41 west of Willard.

**CCC. GMU 40:** Beginning at the junction of US 84 and I-40 east of Santa Rosa and running east along I-40 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 84, then west and north along US 84 to its junction with I-40.

**DDD. GMU 41:** Beginning at the junction of I-40 and NM 469 at San Jon and running north along NM 469 to its junction with US 54 south of Logan, then north along US 54 to its intersection with NM 39 north of

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Logan, then northwest along NM 39 to its junction with NM 102 east of Mosquero, then east, north and east along NM 102 to its intersection with NM 402 north of Amistad, then north along NM 402 to its intersection with NM 421 north of Stead, then east along NM 421 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with I-40, then west along I-40 to its intersection with NM 469 at San Jon.

**EEE. GMU 42:** Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and the Pecos river at Santa Rosa and running northwest up the Pecos river to its intersection with US 84 at Dilia, then northwest along US 84 to its junction with I-25 at Romeroville, then northeast along I-25 to its intersection with the Mora river at Watrous, then east down the Mora river to the Canadian river, then south down the Canadian river to its intersection with NM 419 south of Sabinoso, then northeast along NM 419 to its junction with NM 39 northwest of Mosquero, then southeast along NM 39 to its intersection with US 54, then south along US 54 to its intersection with NM 469, then south along NM 469 to its intersection with I-40 at San Jon, then west along I-40 to its intersection with the Pecos river.

**FFF. GMU 43:** Beginning at the intersection of I-40 and NM 41 at Moriarty and running north along NM 41 to the junction at Galisteo with Santa Fe CR 42, then west along the county road to the junction with NM 14, then north along NM 14 to its junction with I-25, then northeast along I-25 to Santa Fe and east along I-25 to its junction with US 84 at Romeroville, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with the Pecos river at Dilia, then east and south along the Pecos river to its intersection with I-40 at Santa Rosa, then west along I-40 to its intersection with NM 41.

**GGG. GMU 45:** Beginning at Glorieta on US 84, and running west and north along US 84 to its intersection with NM 68 at Espanola, then northeast along NM 68 to its intersection with NM 75 at Embudo, then east along NM 75 to its intersection with NM 518, then east along NM 518 to its intersection with the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary line near Holman hill, then south along the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary line to its intersection with the Tecolote land grant boundary line, then south along the Tecolote land grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84/I-25, then west along US 84/I-25 to Glorieta.

**HHH. GMU 46:** Beginning at the junction of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound and running northwest along NM 120 to its junction with NM 434, Black lake area, then north on NM 434 to Carson FR 76 to the Carson national forest administrative boundary, then south following the Carson national forest administrative boundary to the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary at Holman hill, then continue south along the Santa Fe national forest administrative boundary to the Tecolote land grant boundary, then south along the Tecolote land grant boundary to I-25, then north along I-25 to the junction of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound.

**III. GMU 47:** Beginning at the intersection of the Mora river and I-25 near Watrous and running northeast along I-25 to its junction with US 56 at Springer, then east along US 56 to its junction with NM 39 at Abbott, then south and southeast along NM 39 to its junction with NM 419 southeast of Solano, then southwest along NM 419 to its intersection with the Canadian river, then northwest up the Canadian river to the Mora river, then west up the Mora river to its intersection with I-25.

**JJJ. GMU 48:** Beginning at the intersection of I-25 and NM 120 at Wagon Mound, then northwest along NM 120 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Maxwell grant, then east along the south boundary of the Maxwell grant to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its intersection with NM 120 at Wagon Mound.

**KKK. GMU 49:** Beginning on the Rio Grande at Embudo creek and running north along the Rio Grande to its intersection with NM 567 at Taos junction bridge, then east on NM 567 to NM 570, then northeast on NM 570 to its junction with NM 68 immediately south of Ranchos de Taos, then north along NM 68 to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos, then east along the Pueblo of Taos's south boundary to the Taos county line, then south along the Taos county line to its intersection with US 64, then east along US 64 to its junction with NM 434 north of Black lake, then south along NM 434 to the Carson national forest administrative boundary at Carson FR 76, then south along Carson national forest administrative boundary to its intersection with NM 518 at Holman hill, then westerly along NM 518 to its junction with NM 75, then west along NM 75 to NM 68, then south on NM 68 to Embudo creek, then west on Embudo creek to the Rio Grande.

**LLL. GMU 50:** Beginning at the junction of US 84 and NM 554 east of Abiquiu and running north and east along NM 554 to its junction with NM 111, then southeast along NM 111 to its junction with US 285, then north along US 285 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with the Rio Grande, then south along the Rio Grande to its junction with Embudo creek, then east up Embudo creek to NM 68 at Embudo, then southwest along NM 68 to its junction with US 84 at Espanola, then northwest along US 84 to its junction with NM 554.

**MMM. GMU 51:** Beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, running south then west along the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary line to its intersection with the Rio Chama, then south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along



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the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84 northwest of Abiquiu, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with NM 554 east of Abiquiu, then north and east along NM 554 to its intersection with NM 111, then south along NM 111 to its intersection with US 285 north of Ojo Caliente, then east and north along US 285 to its intersection with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary.

**NNN. GMU 51A:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the eastern boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, running south then west along the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary line to its junction with US 84, then southeast along US 84 to its intersection with NM 554 east of Abiquiu, then north and east along NM 554 to its intersection with NM 111, then south along NM 111 to its intersection with US 285 north of Ojo Caliente, then east and north along US 285 to its intersection with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the Tierra Amarilla grant boundary.

**OOO. GMU 51B:** That portion of GMU 51 beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Nation reservation, the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and the Rio Chama, running south along the Rio Chama to its intersection with the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line, then northeast along the Piedra Lumbre grant boundary line to its intersection with US 84, then north along US 84 to its junction with the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant, then west along the south boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant to its junction with the Rio Chama.

**PPP. GMU 52:** Beginning at the intersection of US 64 and the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant and running north along the eastern boundary of the grant to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with US 285, then south along US 285 to its junction with US 64 at Tres Piedras, then west along US 64 to its intersection with the east boundary of the Tierra Amarilla grant.

**QQQ. GMU 53:** Beginning at the intersection of NM 567 and the Rio Grande and running north along the Rio Grande to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its junction with NM 522, then south along NM 522 to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then east along the grant boundary to the Taos-Colfax county line, then south along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos, then west along the south boundary of the Pueblo of Taos to NM 68, then south along NM 68 to NM 570 immediately south of Ranchos de Taos, then west along NM 570 to its junction with NM 567, then west along NM 567 to its intersection with the Rio Grande.

**RRR. GMU 54:** Beginning at the intersection of the south boundary of the Maxwell grant and NM 434 and running north along NM 434 to its junction with US 64, then north and east along US 64 to its junction with NM 21 west of Cimarron, then south and east along NM 21 to its junction with I-25 south of Springer, then south along I-25 to its intersection with the south boundary of the Maxwell grant, then west along the south boundary of the grant to its intersection with NM 434.

**SSS. GMU 55:** Beginning at the junction of NM 21 and US 64 west of Cimarron and running west and south along US 64 to the Colfax-Taos county line at Palo Flechado pass, then north along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then north and west along the Sangre de Cristo grant's south boundary to NM 522, then north along NM 522 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with NM 21 at Springer, then west and north along NM 21 to its junction with US 64 west of Cimarron.

**TTT. GMU 55A:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of NM 58 and US 64 at Cimarron and running west and south along US 64 to the Colfax-Taos county line at Palo Flechado pass, then north along the Colfax county line to the south boundary of the Sangre de Cristo grant, then north and west along the Sangre De Cristo grant's south boundary to NM 522, then north along NM 522 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to its intersection with I-25, then south along I-25 to its junction with US 64, thence southwest along US 64 to its junction with NM 58 at Cimarron.

**UUU. GMU 55B:** That portion of GMU 55 beginning at the junction of I-25 and US 64 south of Raton, then south and west along US 64 to its junction with NM 21 west of Cimarron, then south and east along NM 21 to its junction with I-25 south of Springer, then north along I-25 to its junction with US 64 south of Raton.

**VVV. GMU 56:** Beginning at the junction of US 56 and I-25 at Springer and running north along I-25 to its junction with US 64 at Raton, then east along US 64 to its junction with US 56 at Clayton, then west along US 56 to its junction with I-25.

**WWW. GMU 57:** Beginning at the junction of US 64 and I-25 at Raton and running north along I-25 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to NM 551, then south along NM 551 to its junction with NM 456, then southwest along NM 456 to its junction with NM 325, then southwest along NM 325 to its junction with US 64, then west along US 64 to its junction with I-25.

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**XXX. GMU 58:** Beginning at the junction of US 64 and NM 325 at Capulin and running northeast along NM 325 to its junction with NM 456, then northeast along NM 456 to its junction with NM 551, then north along NM 551 to the Colorado-New Mexico state line, then east along the state line to the Oklahoma-New Mexico state line, then south along the state line to its intersection with US 64, then west along US 64 to its junction with NM 325.

**YYY. GMU 59:** Beginning at the intersection of NM 39 and US 56 at Abbott, then east along US 56 to the New Mexico-Texas state line, then south along the New Mexico-Texas state line to NM 421 east of Sedan, then west along NM 421 to its intersection with NM 402 north of Stead, then south along NM 402 to its intersection with NM 102 north of Amistad, then west, south and west along NM 102 to its intersection with NM 39 east of Mosquero, then north along NM 39 to its intersection with US 56 at Abbott.  
[19.30.4.8 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.8 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

#### 19.30.4.9 OTHER DESIGNATED AREAS

**A. GMU 23 (Burro mountain hunt area):** That portion of GMU 23 comprised of the Big Burro mountains portion of the Gila national forest and shall include all private land lying within the national forest boundary.

**B. GMU 24 (Fort Bayard management area):** That portion of GMU 24 beginning at the NW corner of section 22, T17S, R13W south along the west section line of sections 22, 27 and 34 to the north right-of-way fence of US 180, thence easterly along the north right-of-way fence of US 180 through sections 34 and 35 to the east right-of-way fence of the road entering Fort Bayard medical center, thence northwesterly along this east right-of-way fence through sections 35 and 26 for approximately one and one-quarter miles to the forest boundary fence, thence northeasterly along the forest boundary fence for approximately five-eighths mile, thence easterly along the forest boundary fence through sections 26 and 25 for approximately three-quarters mile, thence southerly along the forest boundary fence for approximately one-half mile, thence easterly along the forest boundary fence for approximately five-eighths mile to the west right-of-way fence of NM 90, thence northeasterly along the right-of-way fence for about one-half mile to the intersection with the forest boundary fence, thence northerly along the forest boundary fence through sections 30, 19, 18 and 7 for about three and three-quarters miles, thence westerly along the forest boundary fence for approximately one-quarter mile to the southeastern corner of the Pear Tree pasture fence, thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the Pear Tree pasture fence for approximately one mile, thence westerly along the northern fenced boundary through sections 1, 2 and 3 of T17S, R13W of the Pear Tree, Castle Knob, Twin Sisters and Enclosure pasture fences for approximately three and a half miles to the corner of west section line of section 3, thence southerly along the west section lines of sections 3, 10 and 15 for approximately two and three-quarters miles to the point of origin.

**C. GMU 25 (Florida mountains):** That portion of GMU 25 comprised of the main Florida mountain range and Little Floridas, bounded by I-10 on the north, the Luna-Dona Ana county line on the east, the Mexico-New Mexico boundary line on the south, and NM 11 on the west.

**D. GMU 32 (Roswell hunt area):** That portion of GMU 32 beginning at the intersection of US 285 and NM 557, then east along NM 557 to its junction with NM 2, then north along NM 2 to its junction with NM 249, then east along NM 249 to the Pecos river, then north along the Pecos river to the north section line of section 2 of T9S, R25E, then west along the north township lines of T9S, R25E and T9S, R24E to US 285, then south along US 285 to the northeast corner of section 32 of T9S, R24E, then west along the north section lines of sections 32 and 31 of T9S, R24E, then sections 36, 35, 34, 33, 32 and 31 of T9S, R23E, and then sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of T9S, R22E, then south along the west section lines of section 33 of T9S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T10S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T11S, R22E, then sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 33 of T12S, R22E, then east along the south section lines of sections 33 and 34 of T12S, R22E to the northwest corner of section 1 of T13S, R22E, then south along the west section lines of sections 1, 12 and 13 of T13S, R22E, then east along the south section lines of section 13 of T13S, R22E, then sections 18, 17, 16, 15, 14 and 13 of T13S, R23E and then section 18 of T13S, R24E to Old YO Crossing road, then south and west along Old YO Crossing road to its junction with NM 13, then east along NM 13 to its junction with US 285, then south along US 285 to its junction with NM 557.

**E. GMU 36 (Fort Stanton hunt area):** That portion of GMU 36 comprised of those lands owned and administered by the bureau of land management within the historic Fort Stanton military reservation.

**F. GMU 53 (Cerro portion):** That portion of GMU 53 beginning at the intersection of NM 522 and NM 378, then north on NM 522 approximately three point one miles to its intersection with Taos CR B-041 (Buena Vista road), then west on Taos CR B-041 1 mile to the dirt road on the boundary of townships T30N and T29N, then west on that dirt road two miles to its intersection with Taos CR B-048 (Sunshine-Jarosa road), then south on Taos

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CR B-048 approximately one point three miles to its intersection with NM 378, then southeasterly on NM 378 approximately three point five miles to its intersection with NM 522.  
[19.30.4.10 NMAC - Rp, 19.30.4.9 NMAC, 8/25/2020]

**History of 19.30.4 NMAC:**

**Pre-NMAC History:** The material in this part was derived from that previously filed with the State Records Center and Archives:

Regulation No. 482, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 5/31/1967;  
Regulation No. 487, Establishing 1967 Seasons On Javelina And Barbary Sheep, filed 12/15/1967;  
Regulation No. 489, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring of 1968, filed 3/1/1968;  
Regulation No. 491, Establishing Big Game Seasons For 1968 For Jicarilla Reservation, filed 3/1/1968;  
Regulation No. 492, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 6/6/1968;  
Regulation No. 495, Establishing A Season On Bighorn Sheep, filed 10/2/1968;  
Regulation No. 496, Establishing An Elk Season In The Tres Piedras Area, Elk Area P-6, filed 12/11/1968;  
Regulation No. 502, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1969, filed 3/5/1969;  
Regulation No. 503, Establishing 1969 Deer Seasons For Bowhunting Only And Big Game Seasons For The Jicarilla Indian Reservation, filed 3/5/1969;  
Regulation 504, Establishing Seasons on Deer, Bear, Turkey, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, And Barbary Sheep, filed 6/4/1969;  
Regulation No. 507, Establishing A Season On Bighorn Sheep, filed 8/26/1969;  
Regulation No. 512, Establishing Turkey Season For The Spring Of 1970, filed 2/20/1970;  
Regulation No. 513, Establishing Deer Season For Bowhunting Only In Sandia State Game Refuge, filed 2/20/1970;  
Regulation No. 514, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, Elk, Antelope, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/9/1970;  
Regulation No 520, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1971, filed 3/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 522, Establishing 1971 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 523, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/9/1971;  
Regulation No. 531, Establishing A Season On Javelina, filed 12/17/1971;  
Regulation No. 532, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1972, filed 3/20/1972;  
Regulation No. 534, Establishing 1972 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/20/1972;  
Regulation No. 536, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, filed 6/26/1972;  
Regulation No. 542, Establishing A Season On Javelina, filed 12/1/1972;  
Regulation No. 545, Establishing Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1973, filed 2/26/1973;  
Regulation No. 546, Establishing 1973 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 2/26/1973;  
Regulation No. 547, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep And Bighorn Sheep, And Javelina, filed 5/31/1973;  
Regulation No. 554, Establishing Special Turkey Seasons For The Spring of 1974, filed 3/4/1974;  
Regulation No. 556, Establishing 1974 Seasons On Deer, Bear, Turkey, And Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/14/1974;  
Regulation No. 558, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex, filed 5/29/1974;  
Regulation No. 565, Establishing Special Turkey Seasons For The Spring Of 1975, filed 3/24/1975;  
Regulation No. 567, Establishing 1975 Seasons On Deer, Bear, And Turkey On The Jicarilla Apache And Navajo Indian Reservations And On Elk On The Jicarilla Apache Indian Reservation, filed 3/24/1975;  
Regulation No. 568, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Chickaree And Tassel-Eared Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 6/25/1975;  
Regulation No. 573, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Dusky Grouse, Tassel-Eared And Chickaree Squirrel, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/23/1976;

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Regulation No. 583, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/11/1977;  
Regulation No. 590, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/15/1978;  
Regulation No. 596, Establishing Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex, filed 2/23/1979;  
Regulation No. 603, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1980 through March 31, 1981, filed 2/22/1980;  
Regulation No. 609, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1981 through March 31, 1982, filed 3/17/1981;  
Regulation No. 614, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1982 through March 31, 1983, filed 3/10/1982;  
Regulation No. 622, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1983 through March 31, 1984, filed 3/9/1983;  
Regulation No. 628, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1984 through March 31, 1985, filed 4/2/1984;  
Regulation No. 634, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1985 Through March 31, 1986, filed 4/18/1985;  
Regulation No. 640, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1986 through March 31, 1987, filed 3/25/1986;  
Regulation No. 645, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1987 through March 31, 1988, filed 2/12/1987;  
Regulation No. 653, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1988 through March 31, 1989, filed 12/18/1987;  
Regulation No. 663, Establishing Opening Spring Turkey For The Period April 1, 1989 through March 31, 1990, filed 3/28/1989;  
Regulation No. 664, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1989 through March 31, 1990, filed 3/20/1989;  
Regulation No. 674, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1990 through March 31, 1991, filed 11/21/1989;  
Regulation No. 683, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1991 through March 31, 1992, filed 2/8/1991;  
Regulation No. 689, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1992 through March 31, 1993, filed 3/4/1992;  
Regulation No. 700, Establishing Open Seasons On Deer, Turkey, Bear, Cougar, Elk, Antelope, Barbary Sheep, Bighorn Sheep, Javelina, Oryx, And Ibex For The Period April 1, 1993 through March 31, 1995, filed 3/11/1993.

**History of Repealed Material:**

19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Wildlife Management Areas, filed 10/8/2009 – Repealed effective 7/15/2013.

19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Wildlife Management Areas, filed 6/27/2013 – Repealed effective 8/25/2020.

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The rulemaking was undertaken to modify the Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units 19.30.4 NMAC, which will become effective August 25, 2020.

Changes pertain to including areas that were inadvertently not included in any Game Management Unit (GMU), assigning areas to only one GMU that were inadvertently assigned to two GMUs, and modifying GMU assignment of certain areas and/or boundary descriptions to align with implementation on the ground. Minor changes such as modifying descriptions so that they correspond to features on the ground, using correct feature names, and including additional clarifying language, were also made.

There have been no changes between the published proposed rule and the final rule. All public comment that was submitted was considered. The resulting rule was based on what was best for the resource and overall hunter satisfaction. To view information regarding this rulemaking, please visit [www.wildlife.state.nm.us/commission/meeting-agendas/](http://www.wildlife.state.nm.us/commission/meeting-agendas/) and click on the Hearing Archive tab.

#### Issuing authority (If delegated, authority letter must be on file with ALD):

Name:

Michael B. Sloane

Check if authority has been delegated

Title:

Director, New Mexico Department of Game and Fish

Signature: (BLACK ink only)

*Michael B. Sloane*

Date signed:

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The rulemaking was undertaken to adopt a new Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units 19.30.4 NMAC, which will become effective August 25, 2020, and to repeal the current rule which is a permanent rule.

#### Issuing authority (If delegated, authority letter must be on file with ALD):

##### Name:

Michael B. Sloane

Check if authority has been delegated

##### Title:

Director, New Mexico Department of Game and Fish

##### Signature: (BLACK ink only)

*Michael B. Sloane*

Date signed:


August 13, 2020



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The State Game Commission at its 8/13/2020 meeting, repealed its rule 19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units, filed 6/27/2013, and replaced it with 19.30.4 NMAC, Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units, adopted on 8/13/2020 and becomes effective 8/25/2020.

Exhibit #3



**Boundary  
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Game Management  
Units  
19.30.4 NMAC**

**August 13, 2020**

**New Mexico State Game Commission Meeting  
Virtual Meeting**

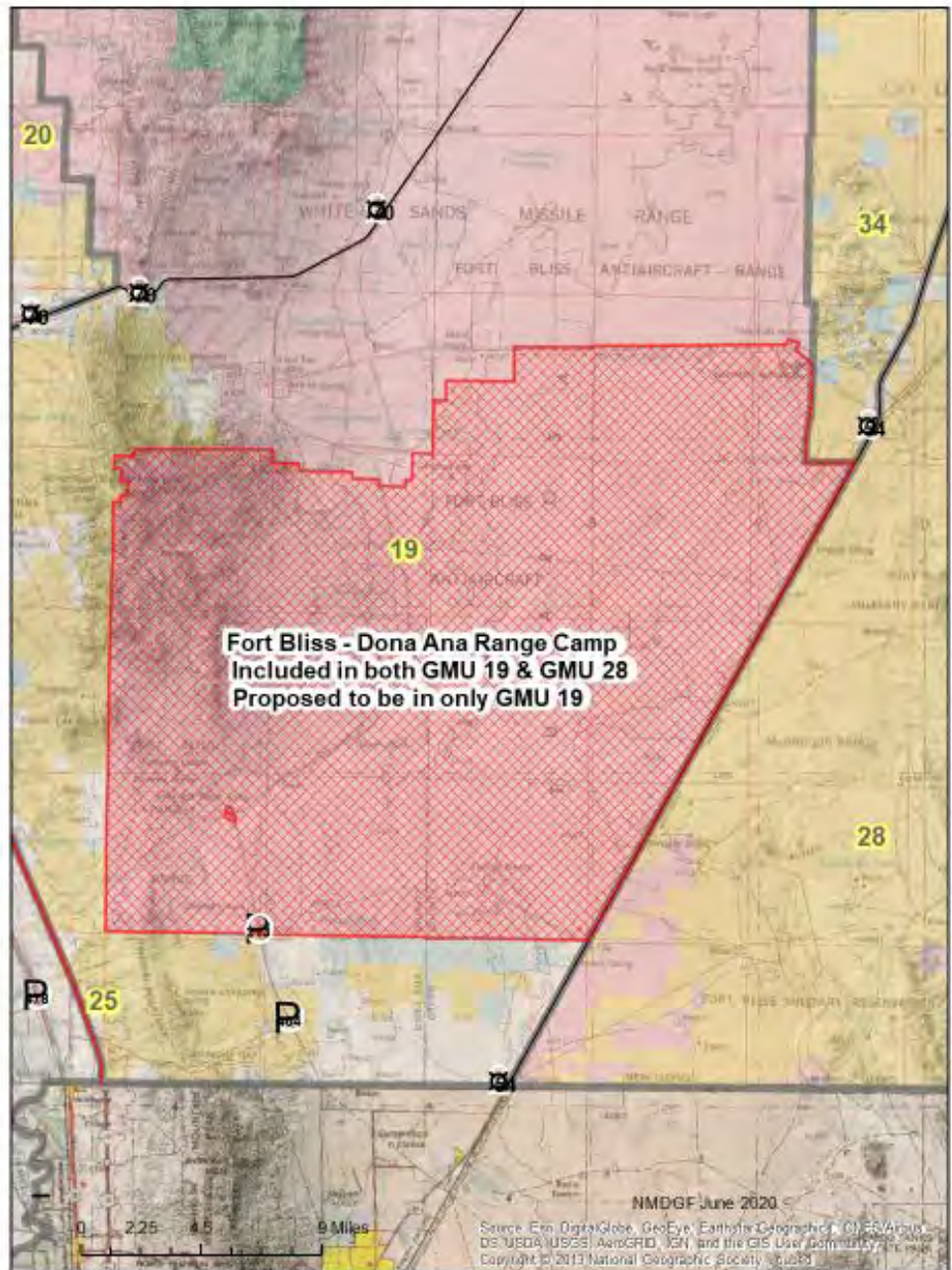


**Amend:  
Boundary Descriptions  
19.30.4 NMAC**

- **Neighboring GMUs that overlap each other**
- **Neighboring GMUs that leave a gap between them**
- **Proposed area reassignment**

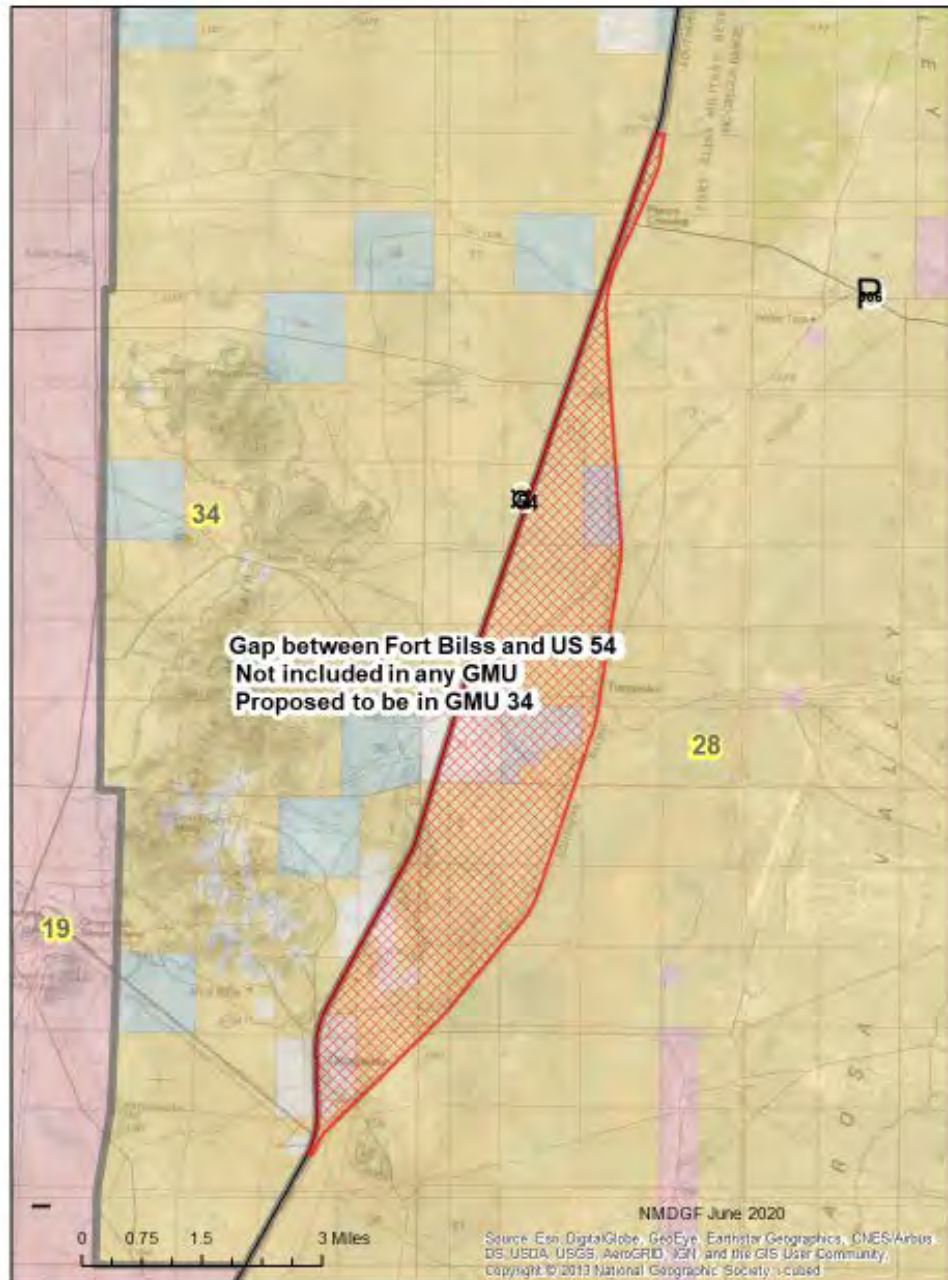


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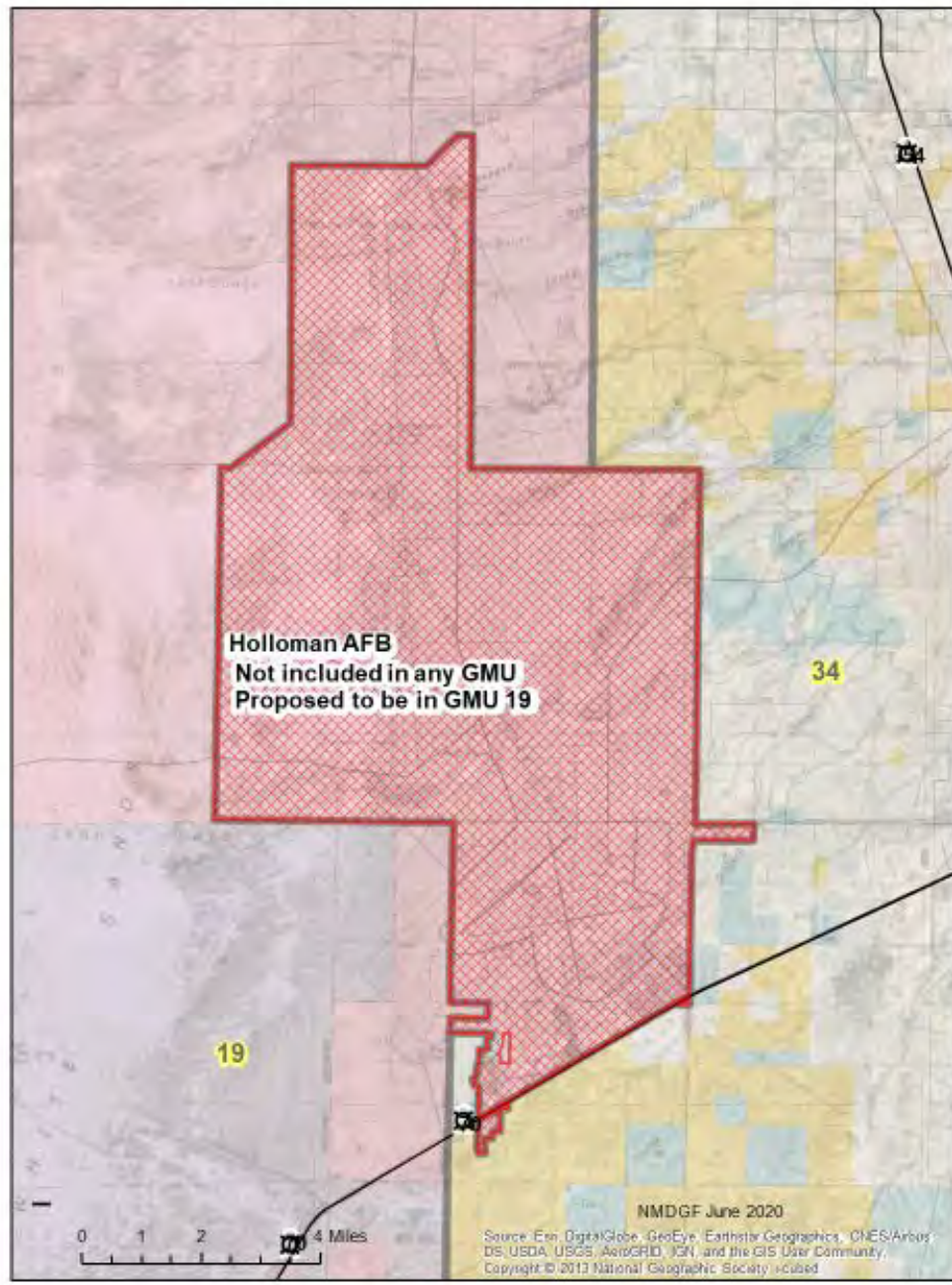


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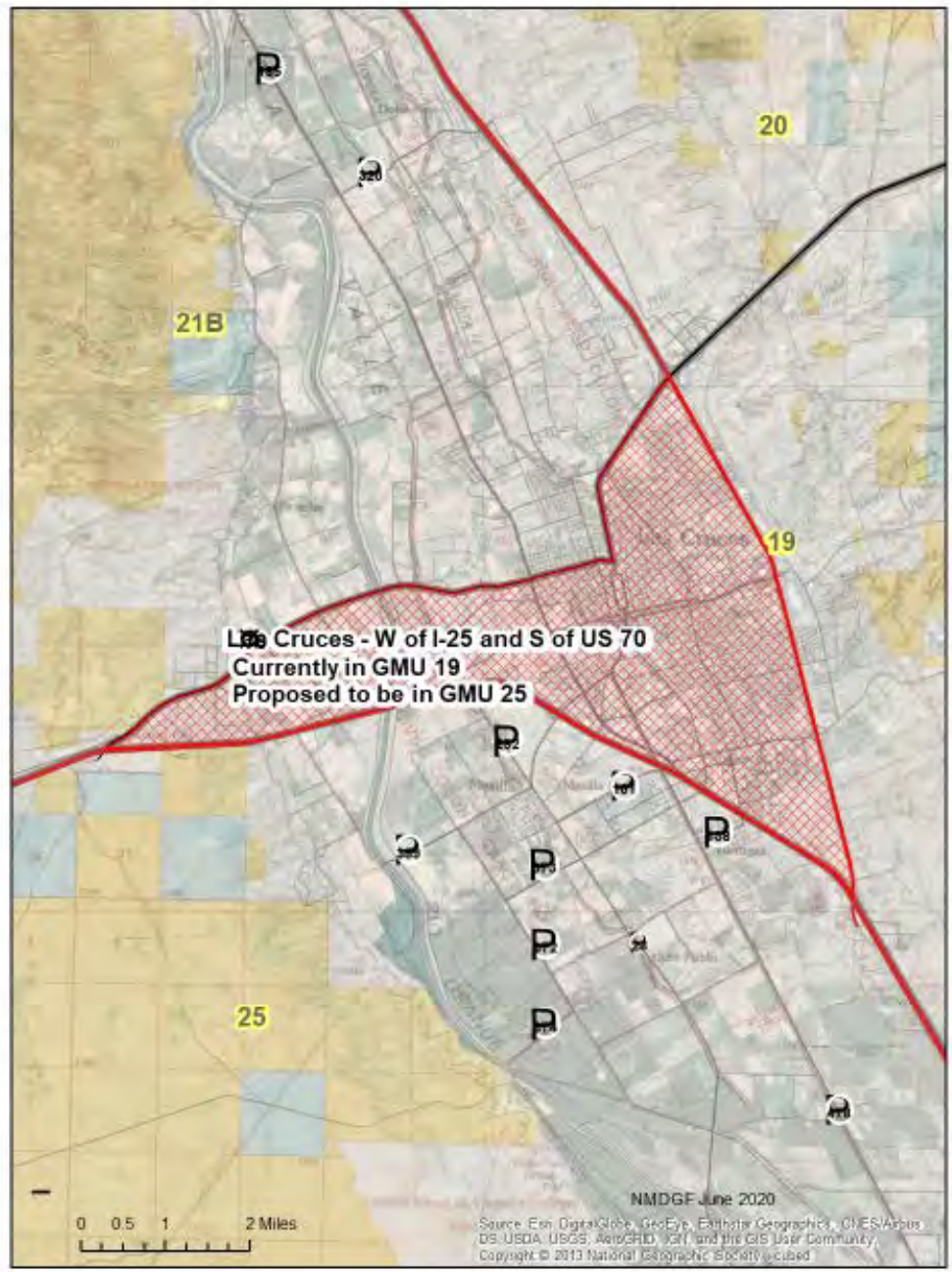


**Neighboring  
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# Proposed area reassignment





## **Amend: Boundary Descriptions 19.30.4 NMAC**

- **Modify boundary descriptions such that they:**
  - **correspond to actual features**
  - **cite correct/commonly used feature names**
  - **include sufficient detail for a complete boundary description**
  - **reflect updated changes on the ground**



**QUESTIONS?**

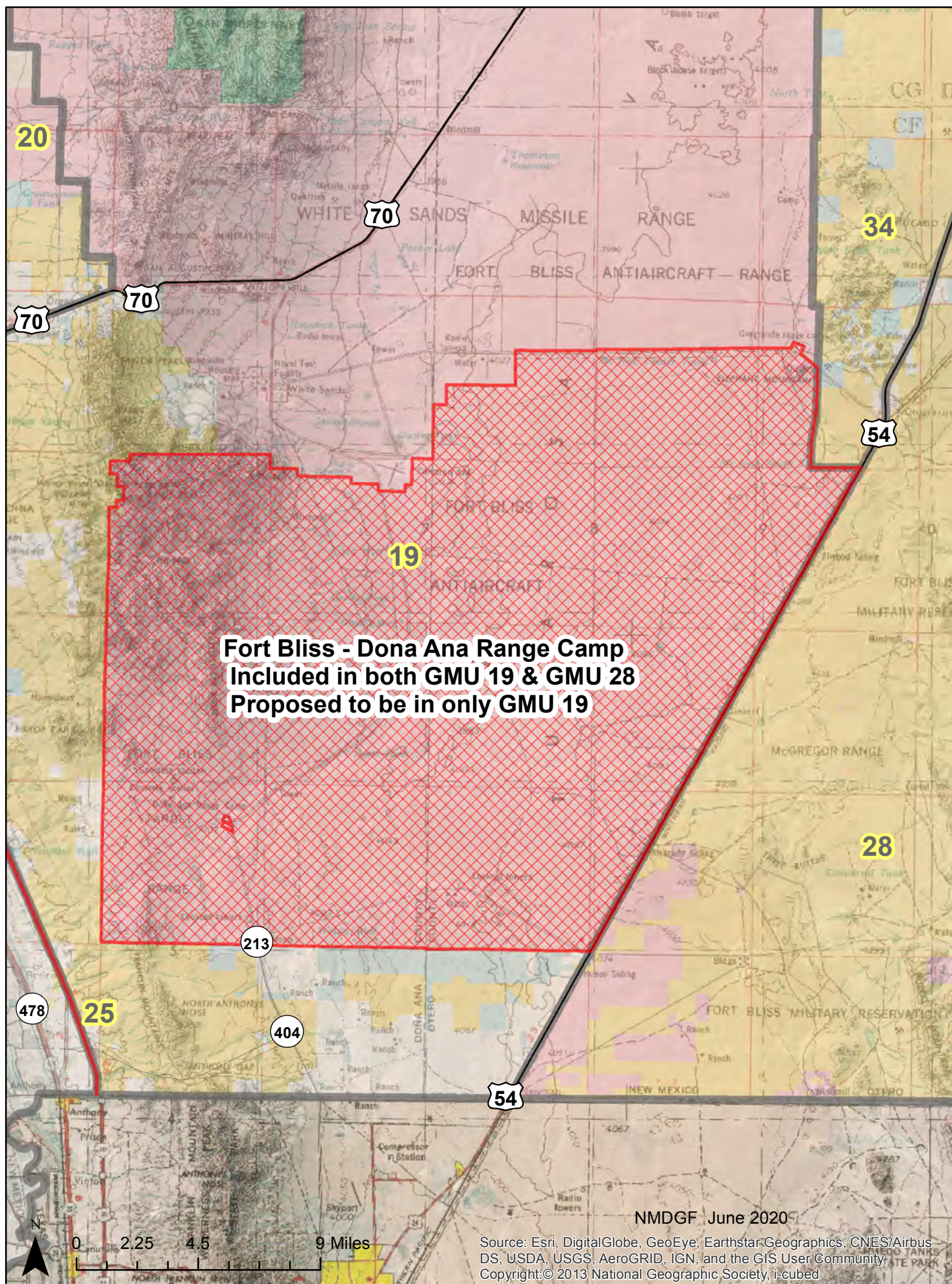
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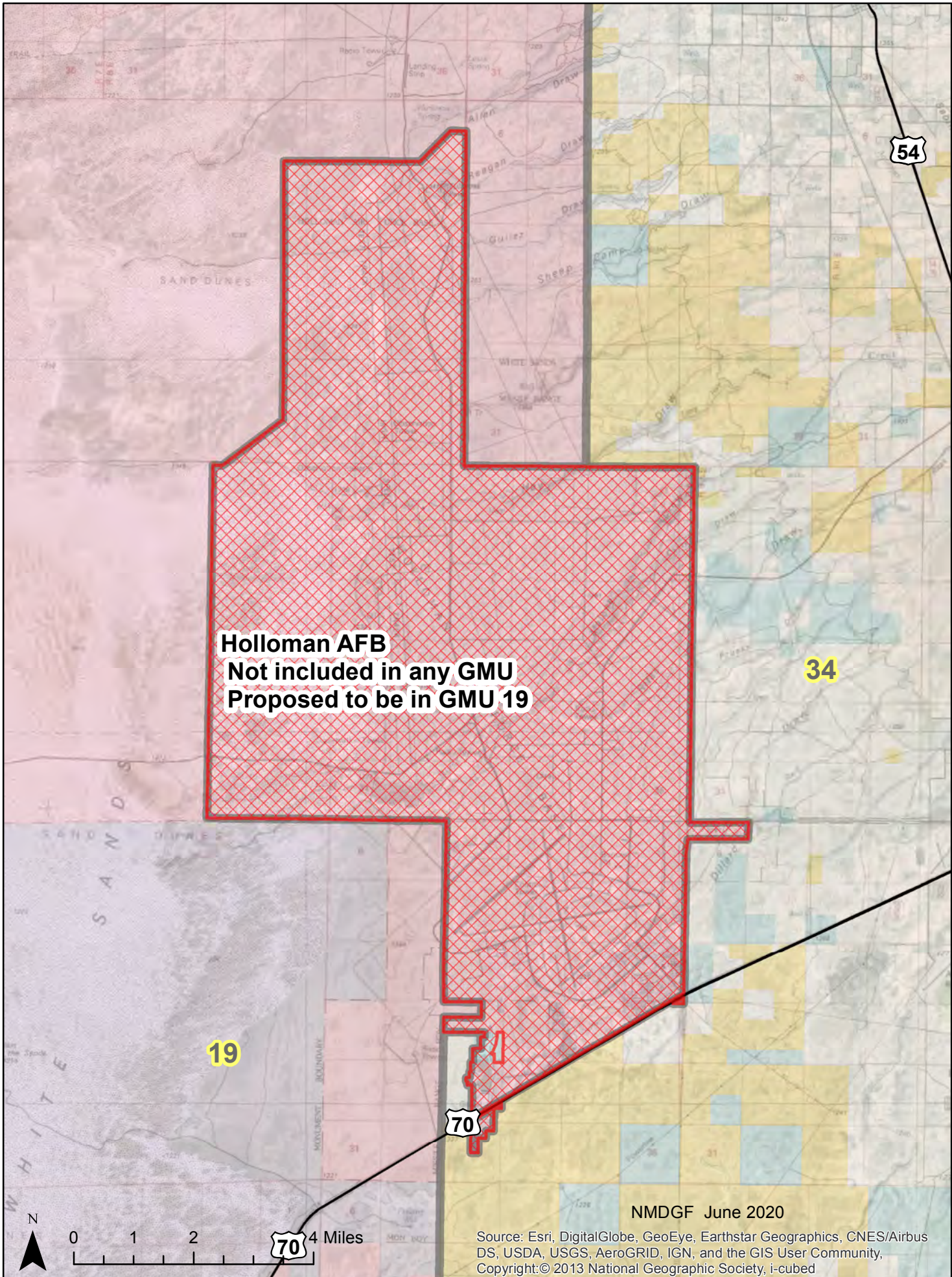
The New Mexico Department of Game and Fish proposes making minor changes to the Boundary rule to make several corrections and to provide clarifications. These proposed changes include:

- making corrections to neighboring GMUs that overlap each other: Fort Bliss-Dona Ana Range Camp is currently included in both GMUs 19 and 28. We propose to include it only in GMU 19;
- making corrections to neighboring GMUs that leave a gap between them: area between Fort Bliss and US 54 is not included in any GMU. We propose to include it in GMU 34. Holloman Air Force Base is not included in any GMU. We propose to include it in GMU 19; and
- reassigning an area to a different GMU based on land features: Las Cruces west of I-25 and south of US 70 is currently in GMU 19. We propose to move it to GMU 25.

It also includes modifying boundary descriptions such that they:

- correspond to actual features;
- cite correct/commonly used feature names; and
- include sufficient detail for a complete boundary description; and reflect updated changes on the ground.





**Holloman AFB  
Not included in any GMU  
Proposed to be in GMU 19**

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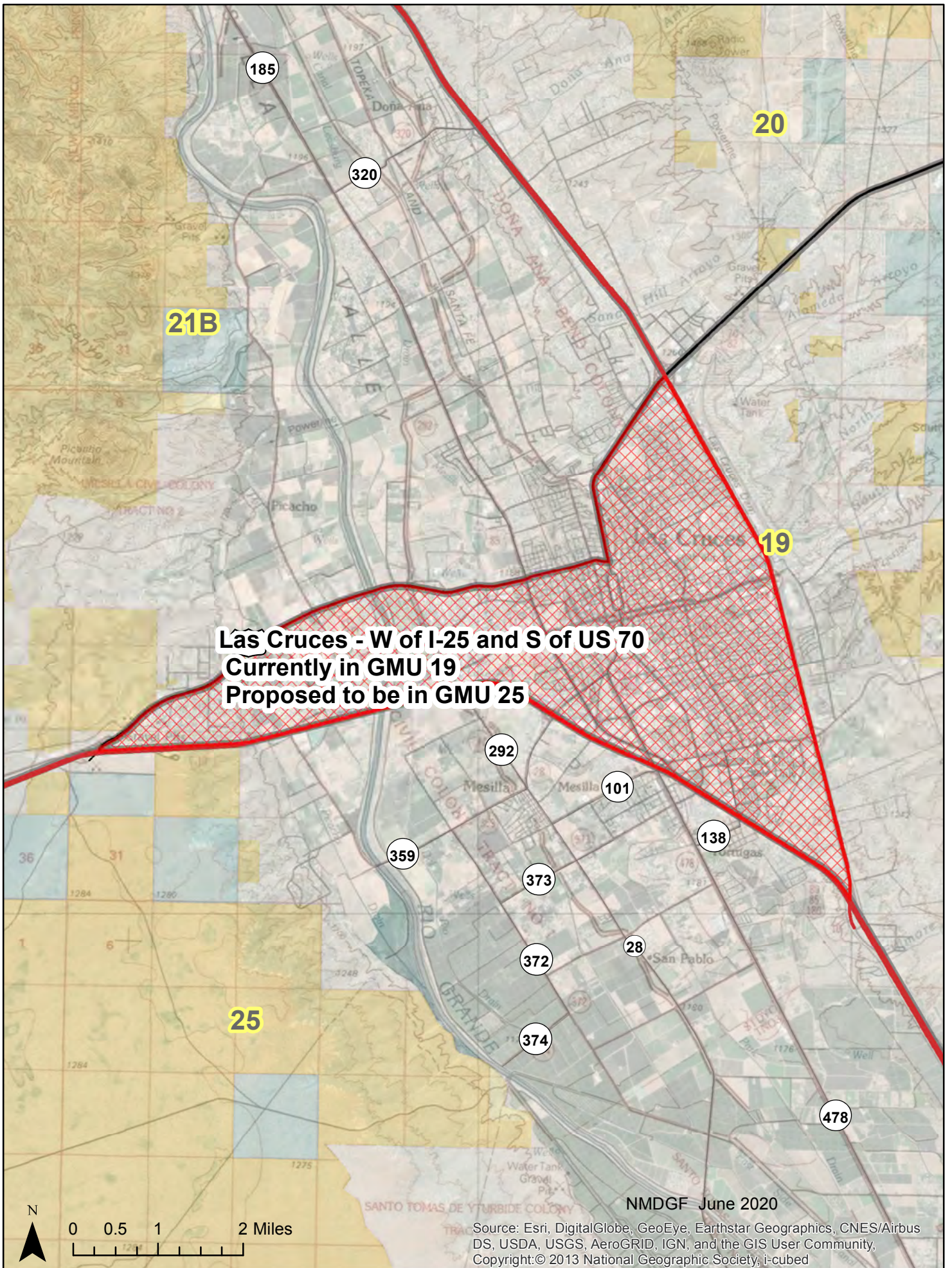
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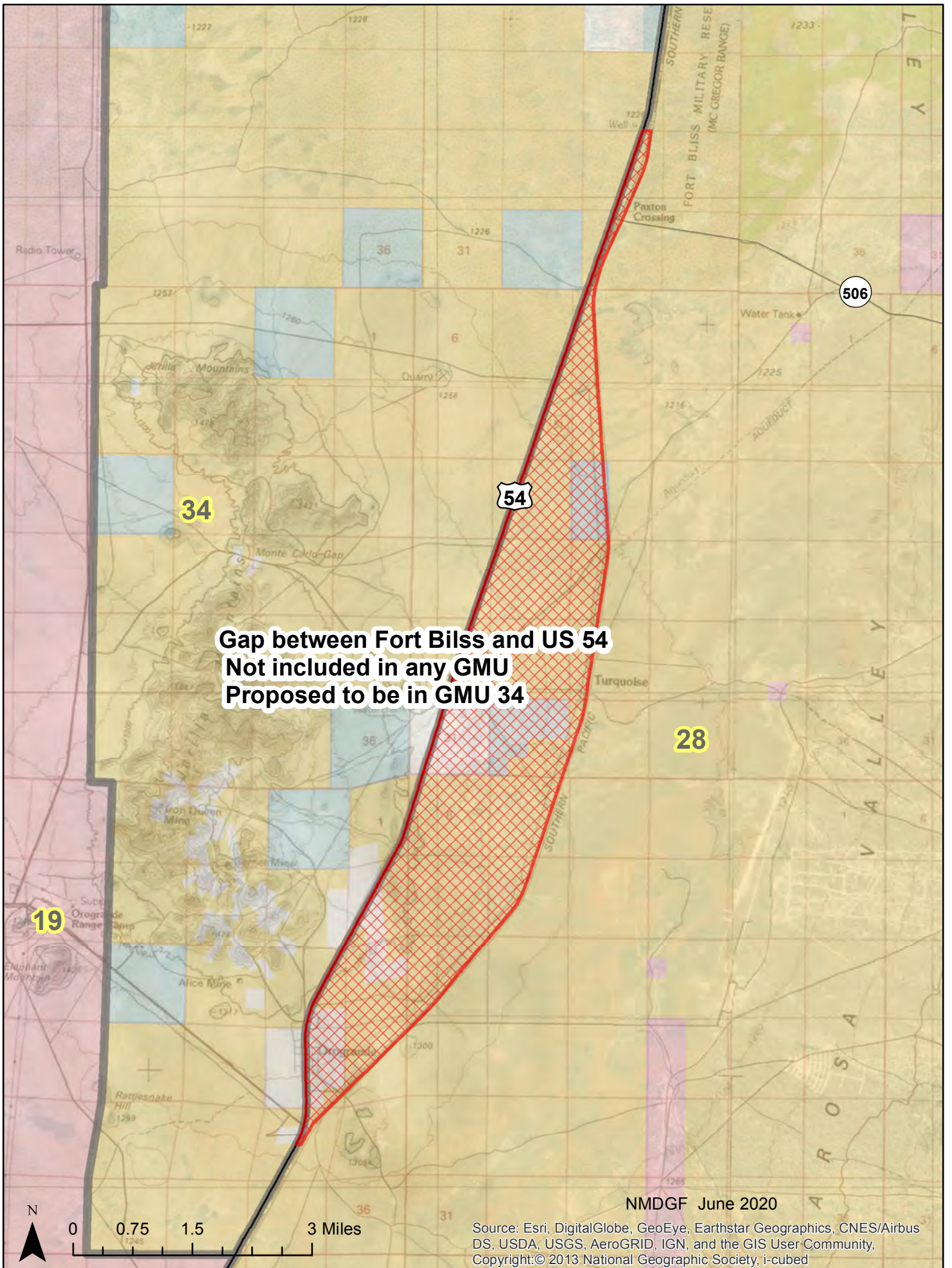
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**Las Cruces - W of I-25 and S of US 70**  
**Currently in GMU 19**  
**Proposed to be in GMU 25**

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## Exhibit #6

**From:** [dsheft82@pvtn.net](mailto:dsheft82@pvtn.net)  
**To:** [DGF-Boundary-Rule](#)  
**Subject:** [EXT] Unit 28/34 boundary  
**Date:** Tuesday, July 14, 2020 4:11:08 PM

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I would like to comment on the proposed boundary rule regarding changes in game management unit boundaries. The so called Grapevine Canyon area in the southwest corner of the Sacramento Ranger District of the Lincoln National Forest is currently identified as being part of GMU 34. This area is identified as a "buffer zone" for military activities in the hunting proclamation with a military permit required for access. This area is not a buffer zone as the areas controlled by the BLM and USFS are in units 18 and 13 for example which do not require military permits or permission to access. This area instead is part of the McGregor Range Military Withdrawal and as such falls under the same DOD jurisdiction and requirements as the BLM withdrawn lands in unit 28. This portion of the Lincoln National Forest should be logically included in GMU 28 and not 34. There are currently numerous trespass incursions by hunters hunting unit 34 into this area without military permits or permission. According to Fort Bliss authorities this area is active training unit 33 and hunters entering it could potentially be at risk if they have not coordinated with Fort Bliss authorities. I recommend that the boundary between units 34 and 28 be redrawn to show this area as part of GMU 28 within the McGregor Range military withdrawal unit.

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Exhibit #7

New Mexico State Game Commission Meeting - August 13, 2020  
Registration/Sign-In Sheet

First	Last	Email	Address	City	State	Zip	Phone	Organization	Title	Wish to Speak	Questions & Comments
Craig	Sanchez	craig.sanchez@state.nm.us	7816 Alamo Rd NW	Albuquerque	NM	87120	(505) 379-8340	New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Assistant Chief of Education	No	
Jessica	Fisher	jessica.fisher@state.nm.us	1 Wildlife Way	Santa Fe	NM	87507	(505) 659-8320	New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Shooting Program Coordinator	No	
Virginia	Davis	ginnydavis111@aimg.com			NM	87043				No	
Peter	Guhl	peterguhl@hotmail.com	3709 Woodlark Rd	Clovis	NM	88101				No	
Jennifer	Morgan	jennifer.morgan@state.nm.us	7816 Alamo Rd NW	Albuquerque	NM	87120	(505) 263-8581	New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Hunter Education Program Manager	No	
Roselyn	Washington	Roselyn.Washington@state.nm.us	7816 Alamo Rd NW	Albuquerque	NM	87120		New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Hunter Education/OHV Financial Specialist	No	
Tristanna	Bickford	tristanna.bickford@state.nm.us	1 Wildlife Way	Santa Fe	NM	87507	(505) 476-8026	New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Communications Director	No	
Dustin	Berg	Globalberg@aol.com						GO Unlimited		Yes	
Ruben	Ruybal	rruybal1@comcast.net	501 57th St SW	Albuquerque	NM	87121	(505) 314-4194			Yes	Now that we've received Federal Funding. Will we work on the worst roads in New Mexico.
Megan	Otero	megan.otero@state.nm.us	7816 Alamo Rd NW	Albuquerque	NM	87120		New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Hunter Education Program Assistant Coordinator	No	
Kaitlyn	Nafziger	Kaitlyn.Nafziger@usda.gov	822 Walnut St.	Clayton	NM	88415		Bird Conservancy of the Rockies/NRCS	Private Lands Wildlife Biologist	No	
Ray	Trejo	Ray@nmwildlife.org								Maybe	
Mark	Mattaini	mamattaini@gmail.com	PO Box 1045 (24 Old Bridge Road)	Paguate	NM	87040	(312) 480-0252	Backcountry Hunters and Anglers	Life member, but not speaking for BHA	Yes	Implementation of Great American Outdoors Act
Kent	Elverum	knelverum@hotmail.com	32 Palomas Cir Rd	Williamsburg	NM	87942	575-644-4115		Retired	No	
Kerrie	Romero	kerriecoxromero@gmail.com	51 Bogan Rd	Stanley	NM	87056	(505) 440-5258	New Mexico Council of Outfitters and Guides	Executive Director	Maybe	
Jeff	Young	canyoung5@uno.com	25 Dalton Trail	Sandia Park	NM	87047	(505) 281-3495			Yes	
Ben	Neary	Ben@nmwildlife.org			NM		(505) 999-7592	New Mexico Wildlife Federation	Conservation Director	Yes	
John	Crenshaw	jndcrens@aol.com	1923 Hopi Road	Santa Fe	NM	87505	(505) 577-7510	New Mexico Wildlife Federation	NMWF Board of Directors	Yes	Specifically during the general public comments section.
James	Pitman	james.pitman@state.nm.us	1 Wildlife Way	Santa Fe	NM	87507	(505) 221-7791	New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Assistant Chief of Information	No	
Brandon	Hunt	bhunt_85@yahoo.com								No	
Ross	Morgan	ross.morgan@state.nm.us	7816 Alamo Rd NW	Albuquerque	NM	87120	(505) 379-5017	New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Northwest Region Public Information Officer	No	
Samantha	Ferguson	samantha.ferguson@state.nm.us	1 Wildlife Way	Santa Fe	NM	87507	(505) 476-8172	New Mexico Department of Game and Fish	Environmental Compliance Specialist	No	
Joel	Gay	jgay588@gmail.com						Backcountry Hunters and Anglers		Yes	
Andre	Miller	andre.miller@westernresources.org								No	
Teresa	Seamster	ctc.seamster@gmail.com	104 Vaquero Rd.	Santa Fe	NM	87508	(505) 466-8964	Sierra Club	Conservation chair, Northern NM	No	Listening to WCA report
Steve	Chavez	chavez.steve@gmail.com								Maybe	If I have any I will let you know



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NEW MEXICO STATE GAME COMMISSION

DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND FISH

August 13, 2020

Held as a

ZOOM TELECONFERENCE

PRESENT:

- MICHAEL SLOANE, Director
- SHARON SALAZAR HICKEY, Chairwoman
- ROBERTA SALAZAR-HENRY, Vice-Chairwoman
- JIMMY BATES, Commissioner
- TIRZIO LOPEZ, Commissioner
- GAIL CRAMER, Commissioner
- DAVID SOULES, Commissioner
- JEREMY VESBACH, Commissioner

1           THE CHAIRPERSON: Wow, good morning, everyone. Today  
2 is Thursday, August 13th, 2020, and I want to welcome all  
3 of you to today's New Mexico State Game Commission meeting  
4 with the New Mexico Department of Game and Fish.

5           It's just very wonderful to be in this Land of  
6 Enchantment, in New Mexico. I think we would have been in  
7 Chama, New Mexico. At our last session we would have been  
8 in Santa Fe, New Mexico, and previous to that, we would  
9 have been in Silver City. So many wonderful places, but we  
10 all are very grateful for what we have in the ability to  
11 Zoom with you today, to continue our obligation and our  
12 responsibility to these meetings and to the public, to our  
13 Commission, and to our Department. So welcome again,  
14 everyone.

15           To get started, we have an agenda that was posted on  
16 the New Mexico Department of Game and Fish website. We  
17 have an agenda that has a start time of 8:30 to 3:30. Some  
18 of us have had some technical difficulties this morning,  
19 and so thank you for your patience. It's now 8:41.

20           So rather than go over the rules that are provided in  
21 the written agenda that are on our website, let me say that  
22 this meeting is called to order.

23           So with that said, Director Michael Sloane, can you  
24 please take the roll call.

25           DIRECTOR SLOANE: Yes, ma'am.

1 Commissioner Vesbach?

2 COMMISSIONER VESBACH: I'm here.

3 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Soules?

4 COMMISSIONER SOULES: Here.

5 DIRECTOR SLOANE: I think that was a here.

6 Commissioner Lopez? Commissioner Lopez?

7 MALE SPEAKER: He's on mute.

8 COMMISSIONER LOPEZ: Here. Sorry. I was on mute.

9 DIRECTOR SLOANE: All right. Commissioner Cramer?

10 COMMISSIONER CRAMER: Here.

11 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Bates?

12 COMMISSIONER BATES: Here.

13 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Vice-chair Salazar-Henry?

14 THE VICE-CHAIRPERSON: Present.

15 DIRECTOR SLOANE: And Chair Salazar Hickey?

16 THE CHAIRPERSON: Here.

17 DIRECTOR SLOANE: We have a quorum.

18 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, Director. That was very  
19 good.

20 And again, let me remind everyone that because this is  
21 a Zoom and we are on record, we do have some very important  
22 agenda items. So that if we are unable to hear a word or a  
23 gesture that is on -- being recorded on this Zoom -- thank  
24 you, Mr. Lance Cherry, for the wonderful effort that you're  
25 doing in providing this streaming -- I would like someone

1 like the Department of New Mexico Game and Fish to ensure  
2 that the nods or motions are recorded and they are provided  
3 in the transcript.

4 So let us move on to Agenda Item No. 3.

5 (End of first requested portion at 8:43:08 a.m.)

6 THE CHAIRPERSON: Okay. So moving right along, we are  
7 at 9:24 and we are at Agenda Item No. 6. I would like to  
8 open the hearing. This hearing will please come to order.

9 My name is Sharon Salazar Hickey, chair to the New  
10 Mexico State Game Commission. I will be serving as the  
11 hearing officer, and I will be advised by the Commission's  
12 counsel from the office of attorney general, Valerie Joe.

13 The purpose of this hearing is for consideration of  
14 final adoption of the following proposed rule by the  
15 Commission: The hearing item is for the Commission to  
16 receive public comment on the New Mexico or the new  
17 Migratory Game Bird Rule, Title 19, Chapter 31, Part 6, of  
18 the New Mexico Administrative Code. This rule will become  
19 effective on September 1st, 2020.

20 These hearings are being conducted in accordance with  
21 the provision -- provisions of the Game and Fish Act and  
22 the State Rules Act.

23 These hearings are being audiotaped and video  
24 recorded. Anyone interested in a copy of the audiotape or  
25 video recording should contacts Tristanna Bickford, with

1 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Cramer?

2 COMMISSIONER CRAMER: Yes, sir.

3 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Bates?

4 COMMISSIONER BATES: Yes.

5 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Vice-chair Salazar-Henry?

6 THE VICE-CHAIRPERSON: Yes.

7 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Chair Salazar Hickey?

8 THE CHAIRPERSON: Yes.

9 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Motion passes unanimously.

10 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thanks you, Director Sloane.

11 So moving right along, it's 9:45. We are 15 minutes  
12 behind schedule. We are on Agenda Item Number 7, rule  
13 making hearing on repealing and replacing the boundary  
14 descriptions for Game Management Units Rule 19.30.4, NMAC.  
15 This, too, is an action item.

16 So with that said, it is my responsibility to protect  
17 the record in making sure that only one person speaks at a  
18 time, and I'm going to remind everyone that, for the  
19 record, if there are gestures made, it would be helpful to  
20 have a "yes" for a nod or a statement of "no" if you shake  
21 your head.

22 Please remember that we are on record.

23 I will ask that you identify yourself for the record  
24 each time you speak and do -- I don't want to have any kind  
25 of argument at the presentation.

1           So that said, today, again, is Thursday, August 13th,  
2           2020. It is 9:45 a.m. I'm opening the hearing. This  
3           hearing will please come to order.

4           My name is Sharon Salazar Hickey. I am the chair to  
5           the New Mexico State Game Commission. I will be serving as  
6           the hearing officer and be advised by our New Mexico State  
7           Game Commissioners Council from the office of the attorney  
8           general, Valerie Joe.

9           The purpose of this hearing is for the consideration  
10          of final adoption of the following proposed rule by the  
11          Commission: The hearing item is for the Commission to  
12          receive public comment on repealing and replacing the  
13          boundary descriptions for Game Management Units Rule, Title  
14          19, Chapter 30, Part 4, of the New Mexico Administrative  
15          Code. This rule will become effective on August 25th,  
16          2020. These hearings are being conducted in accordance  
17          with the provisions of the Game and Fish Act and the State  
18          Rules Act of New Mexico.

19          These hearings are being audiotaped and video  
20          recorded. Anyone interested in a copy of the audiotape or  
21          video recording should contact Tristanna Bickford with the  
22          New Mexico Department of Game and Fish.

23          Public notice of this hearing was advertised in the  
24          New Mexico Register, the New Mexico Sunshine Portal, and on  
25          our New Mexico Department of Game and Fish website. Copies

1 of the proposed new rules have been available on the  
2 Department's website.

3 Those wishing to comment here today must have  
4 registered to submit public comments on the Zoom webinar  
5 platform.

6 These rule hearings will be conducted in the following  
7 manner: Staff from the New Mexico Department of Game and  
8 Fish will present pre-filed exhibits. Exhibits admitted  
9 into evidence are available for review by the public on the  
10 Department's website. After all exhibits are entered, we  
11 will proceed to the presentation of the proposed rule,  
12 after which testimony will be taken from the audience.

13 Participants are asked to raise their hand in the Zoom  
14 webinar platform and wait until they are called upon to  
15 speak. In order to ensure that the hearing is accurately  
16 recorded, only one person at a time shall be allowed to  
17 speak. Any person recorded to speak is asked to do two  
18 things: First, identify yourself by name and who you are  
19 affiliated with for the record each time you are  
20 recognized. And two, speak loudly and clearly to  
21 accurately record your comments. After a person has  
22 offered comment, they will stand for questions from me, the  
23 hearing officer, and the audience may also ask questions of  
24 anyone offering comments after being recognized by me.

25 These hearings are not subject to judicial rules of

1 evidence. However, in the interests of efficiency, I have  
2 reserved the right to limit any testimony deemed  
3 irrelevant, redundant, or unduly repetitious.

4 Our New Mexico State Game Commission may discuss the  
5 proposed new rules after the public comment portion of the  
6 hearing. Final Commission action, including adoption of  
7 the rules, may occur after the conclusion of the  
8 presentation and public comment period of each hearing.

9 So with that said, in the preliminary matters of  
10 hearing item number 8-A, informational rule making hearing  
11 on repealing and replacing the boundary description for  
12 Game Management Units Rule 19.30.4, NMAC -- Director  
13 Sloane, is it hearing item 8-A or hearing item 7-A?

14 DIRECTOR SLOANE: 7-A.

15 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, sir. I just caught  
16 myself. So let me repeat for the record and clarify.

17 In the preliminary matters of Hearing Item Number 7-A,  
18 informational rule hearing -- rule making hearing on  
19 repealing and replacing the boundary description for Game  
20 Management Units Rule 19.30.4, NMAC, this hearing is now  
21 open.

22 Are there any exhibits for proposed new Rule 19.30.4  
23 for the record?

24 MR. LILEY: Madam Chair, I'd like to enter six  
25 exhibits into the record.



1           Exhibit 1 is the notice of the rule making that was  
2 posted online.

3           Exhibit 2 is the initial proposed rule that we had  
4 also posted on the Department's website.

5           Exhibit 3 is the copy of the presentation that I'll be  
6 giving you all today.

7           Exhibit 4 is the summary of the proposed changes.  
8 That was also posted online.

9           Exhibit 5 is the technical information that we used to  
10 develop the rule.

11           And Exhibit 6 is the one public comment that we  
12 received to date.

13           THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, Stewart.

14           These exhibits are admitted into the record.

15           Stewart, can you please introduce the proposed new  
16 rule for 19.30.4, please?

17           MR. LILEY: Madam Chair -- yes, Madam Chair.

18           As I stated at the last Commission meeting, and I just  
19 want to reiterate here, these changes are -- yes, they will  
20 become effective next week or, excuse me, on the 25th, but  
21 these changes do not affect the current hunting structure  
22 of people that have licenses or any of the species rules.  
23 These are clarifying changes that were made either because  
24 of road names that were incorrect or boundaries that really  
25 didn't have definitive boundaries, that we need to ensure

1           there was more clarity for the public to understand.

2           We also are fixing some where we had neighboring GMUs  
3           that overlapped each other in terms of -- in two different  
4           distinct GMUs, or they left a gap between them because of  
5           different road names, et cetera. And then there is some  
6           proposed area reassignment. Again, this won't affect  
7           hunting because it's within a city limit.

8           So the biggest thing I wanted to reiterate before we  
9           get into this, none of this would come up in terms of  
10          affecting licensees that already have hunts going on this  
11          season or even next season.

12          If we go into bigger boundary rule changes for game  
13          management or species management, that's when we'd likely  
14          do it with a four-year rule cycle which will start in two  
15          years. So if we have bigger -- want to reassign or redraw  
16          game management boundaries to better distribute hunters or  
17          species management, we do that during the four-year rule  
18          cycle. This is just clarification correction.

19          So with that, I'll get going with some of this. Here  
20          I'll get the kind of bigger issues.

21          This is on Fort Bliss and Dona Ana Range Camp. It was  
22          included in both 19 and 28, just the way it was proposed --  
23          written in rule. Our proposal is just to include that  
24          hashed area in part of GMU 19. There was again specific  
25          language that was in the rule that talked about Dona Ana

1 Range Camp in both 28 and 19, or proposed in 19.

2 Another one was a GMU that left two gaps between -- or  
3 a gap between GMU 34 and 28, and it was because of it was  
4 not defined on the correct road boundaries, so this would  
5 close the gap, and then the proposed enclosure would put  
6 that portion in the GMU (indiscernible). That's the way  
7 it's been hunted, but it's just clarifying again the  
8 language in the rule.

9 Next one is -- this is a piece of property that's  
10 Holloman Air Force Base-specific, so it's where their  
11 barracks are, et cetera. Probably never will be hunted,  
12 but it's not included in any legal description of any GMUs  
13 right now. So this would just put it into a legal  
14 description in the GMU and proposed to be put in GMU 19.

15 And then the last kind of bigger change is this -- the  
16 actual city of Las Cruces created this weird triangle in  
17 part of GMU 19. Again, it's within the city limits, it's  
18 in the main part of where Las Cruces is. We're just  
19 proposing using I-25 as the eastern boundary and putting  
20 the rest of that in GMU 25. So again, it's just making it  
21 easy, won't affect (indiscernible).

22 And then we also have some changes throughout that  
23 rule that correspond to actual features on the ground. For  
24 example, there are some where it was labeled Forest Road,  
25 let's say 2, but really Forest Road 2 is no longer there

1 and it's a county road now. So those are what we're doing  
2 is clarifying some of that.

3 And then citing the commonly used features or names  
4 that's changed through time as the counties go up and  
5 update road maps and records, and then just enough  
6 sufficient detail so there's a complete boundary  
7 description so it's very easy to understand where that  
8 boundary is when you look into the -- the legal  
9 description, and reflecting any changes that we have had on  
10 the ground. Again, if a road was decommissioned or a new  
11 road was put in, just to clarify exactly what those  
12 boundaries are.

13 And with that, I would stand for any questions you all  
14 might have.

15 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, Stewart.

16 Would anyone like to comment on the new rule, Title  
17 19, Chapter 30, Part 4? If so, please identify yourself  
18 for the record.

19 COMMISSIONER SOULES: Chair?

20 THE CHAIRPERSON: Yes, Commissioner?

21 COMMISSIONER SOULES: Yes. I received an e-mail from  
22 a resident over in -- near Mayhill, who was asking about  
23 the boundaries of the co-use area with Fort Bliss and Game  
24 Management Unit 34, and I had a little communication with  
25 Chief Liley about that. And he pointed out, as he did at

1 the start of his presentation today, that making a change  
2 there might very well change the number of big game units  
3 that we would -- big game allocation that we would want  
4 allocated in that unit, and so now wasn't an appropriate  
5 time to make that change.

6 But Chief Liley, if you could just comment on where  
7 that area is and the overlapping boundary there, to make  
8 that clear for the public, and that -- we would take that  
9 up at a later date instead of now, since I know there's  
10 already been an inquiry about it.

11 MR. LILEY: Yes. Madam Chair, Commissioner Soules,  
12 it's not necessarily an overlapping boundary. It's an  
13 authority issue. So Grapevine Canyon, or Training Area 33,  
14 is controlled by Fort Bliss Military Range. Fort Bliss has  
15 the ability to close that portion of that area down. It's  
16 in GMU 34. The majority of Fort Bliss is in 28, but this  
17 is a specific training area that requires a permit before  
18 entry into it from Fort Bliss Military, because it is a  
19 training area by the military.

20 So still, it has always been part of GMU 34 and the  
21 permitting requirement has always been by 34. We've worked  
22 in cooperation with Fort Bliss. We got clarity from Fort  
23 Bliss as well to ensure that, yes, hunters still can hunt  
24 that, including our Barbary sheep hunters, which is where  
25 the concern came from, as long as they first secure a

1 permit from Fort Bliss to enter that restricted military  
2 area.

3 So it's still part of GMU 34 and will continue. Our  
4 proposal is to continue, especially in this. And then we  
5 will re-look at it, if it makes more sense when the species  
6 rules come open, to move that into GMU 28, which is  
7 majority Fort Bliss. Right now our recommendation would  
8 probably be no, because it's more elk in that Grapevine in  
9 the upper end. It's Forest Service land. It has a lot of  
10 implications for E-PLUS, and also the allocations on public  
11 versus private and the draw, et cetera. So again, it's  
12 just an area that hunters have to get a permit permission  
13 from Fort Bliss prior to entry.

14 THE CHAIRPERSON: Does that answer your concern,  
15 Commissioner, or question?

16 COMMISSIONER SOULES: Yes. Thank you very much.

17 THE CHAIRPERSON: Very good. Thank you.

18 So Mr. Cherry, is there anyone -- I cannot see any  
19 hands on the chat Zoom webinar. Do we have any comment?

20 MR. CHERRY: Madam Chair, we have no hands raised at  
21 this point.

22 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, sir.

23 Are there any exhibits from the public or from others  
24 that need to be entered into the record at this time?

25 MR. CHERRY: Madam Chair, I have not received any.

1 THE CHAIRPERSON: Perfect. Well, then let's proceed  
2 to closing the hearing.

3 Those that are registered and participated in this  
4 hearing will be included in the attendance sheet. At this  
5 time, the attendance sheet shall be marked and admitted as  
6 Exhibit Number -- Director Sloane, that would be?

7 DIRECTOR SLOANE: 7.

8 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, sir.

9 The comments submitted and testimony heard during this  
10 rule hearing will be reviewed by the Commission and  
11 discussed during the open session of today's meeting. The  
12 Commission will vote on the proposed rule at that time.

13 I would like to thank everyone present for their  
14 participation today.

15 Let the record show that this rule making hearing was  
16 adjourned at 10:00 am, today, Thursday, August 13th, 2020.

17 That said, I believe, Director Sloane, we can proceed  
18 with the motion from one of the commissioners. Is that  
19 correct?

20 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Yes.

21 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you.

22 Do I have a motion from one of the commissioners?

23 COMMISSIONER BATES: Madam Chair?

24 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, Commissioner Bates.

25 COMMISSIONER BATES: So moved, that it could prove

1 resilient in overseeing the boundary disputes  
2 (indiscernible) rule 19.30.4 (indiscernible) and allowing  
3 staff to make minor changes as necessary to ensure proper  
4 (indiscernible).

5 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, Commissioner.

6 Do I have a second?

7 THE VICE-CHAIRPERSON: Second.

8 THE CHAIRPERSON: I'm sorry, who was the second from?

9 COMMISSIONER LOPEZ: Roberta.

10 THE VICE-CHAIRPERSON: Me.

11 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you, Vice-Chair. Thank you,  
12 Commissioner Lopez.

13 So I believe that the motion was made by Commissioner  
14 Bates and the second was by -- by Vice-Chair.

15 So Director Sloane, we are ready to move to a vote.

16 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Vesbach?

17 COMMISSIONER VESBACH: Yes.

18 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Soules?

19 COMMISSIONER SOULES: Yes.

20 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Lopez?

21 COMMISSIONER LOPEZ: Yes.

22 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Cramer?

23 COMMISSIONER CRAMER: Yes.

24 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Commissioner Bates?

25 COMMISSIONER BATES: Yes.



1 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Vice-Chair Salazar-Henry?

2 THE VICE-CHAIRPERSON: Yes.

3 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Chair Salazar Hickey?

4 THE CHAIRPERSON: Yes.

5 DIRECTOR SLOANE: Motion passes unanimously.

6 THE CHAIRPERSON: Thank you. Thank you, thank you,

7 thank you.

8 (End of requested portion of audio)

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I, Amy Katz, certify that the foregoing transcript is a true and accurate record of the proceedings.



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**New Mexico State Game Commission New Mexico**  
**Department of Game and Fish**  
**Virtual Meeting Notes**  
**August 13, 2020**

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 1: Meeting Called to Order** 08:39:52 AM (00:01:33)

Called to order by Chairwoman Salazar Hickey at 8:39 a.m.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 2: Roll Call** 08:41:36 AM (00:03:17)

All present: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 3: Approval of Agenda** 08:43:08 AM (00:04:49)

**Motion by:** Commissioner Vesbach moved to approve the agenda amending agenda item number eight to change the word general public comment to agenda items and to remove agenda item 14b.

**Seconded by:** Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 4: Consent Agenda** 08:43:32 AM (00:08:12)

**A. Approval of Minutes of June 25, 2020, Virtual meeting**

**B. Approval of License Revocations**

**C. Approval of Global Opportunities Unlimited as a non-profit to receive donated licenses**

**D. Approval of Department's Asset Disposal Request**

**Motion by:** Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry moved to approve consent items A, C and D as written and remove item B for further Commission discussion and action.

**Seconded by:** Commissioner Vesbach.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**Motion by:** Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry moved to approve consent items 4B for all accept for five individuals for review at the next commission meeting.

**Seconded by:** Commissioner Vesbach.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Approve: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach. Disapprove: Commissioner Cramer.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 5: Director's Report (Discussion)** 09:24:30 AM (00:46:11)

Director Michael Sloane presented on the Department's accomplishments that included:

- The Department stocked 15,000 Gila Trout into Whitewater creek, the culmination of a considerable effort from the Department to restore over 20 miles of occupied habitat for the native Gila trout and an additional Gila Trout fishery.
- Several employees and commissioners attended the WAFWA 2020 meeting.
  - o Hosting the 2021 meetings in New Mexico.

- With the increasingly popular New Mexico Trout Challenge, the Department is prepared to launch the New Mexico Bass Challenge this fall.
- The Department and Commission extend our condolences to our colleagues in Texas who lost their lives conducting a bighorn sheep survey.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 6: Rule Making Hearing on the new Migratory Game Bird Rule for the 2020-2021 Hunting Season** 09:24:30 AM (00:46:11)

Stewart Liley presented the Department's final proposed changes to the Migratory Game Bird Rule (19.31.6 NMAC) based on public comment, the latest information from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), recent survey information, and management goals. Season selections and bag limits are determined in conjunction with the USFWS working through the Central and Pacific Flyway Councils. The proposed amendments focus on:

- Duck Season in the north zone of the Central Flyway running from October 10, 2020 to January 13, 2021.
- Duck Season in the south zone of the Central Flyway running from October 28, 2020 to January 31, 2021.
- Duck Season in the Pacific Flyway running from October 19, 2020 to January 31, 2021.
- Northern pintail bag limit to remain at 1 per USFWS regulatory framework.
- Move youth crane hunt to November 21, 2020.
- The number of sandhill crane permits issued will remain the same. Based on allocation, permits will be redistributed between existing hunts.

**Motion by:** Commissioner Lopez moved to repeal and replace 19.31.6 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.

**Seconded by:** Commissioner Cramer.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 7: Rule Hearing on Repealing and replacing the Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units Rule** 09:44:24 AM (01:06:04)

Stewart Liley presented the Department's proposed changes to the Boundary Descriptions for Game Management Units Rule (19.30.4 NMAC). Proposed changes include:

- Areas that were inadvertently not included in any Game Management Unit (GMU),
- Assigning areas to only one GMU that were inadvertently assigned to two GMUs,
- Modifying GMU assignment of certain areas and/or boundary descriptions to align with implementation on the ground. Other proposed minor changes include modifying boundary descriptions so that they correspond to features on the ground, using correct feature names and including additional clarifying language.

**Motion by:** Commissioner Bates moved to repeal and replace 19.30.4 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.

**Seconded by:** Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 8: General Public Comments** 10:02:18 AM (01:23:51)

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 9: Availability of Director's Draft of the Biennial Review of WCA Species (Discussion)** 10:45:56 AM (01:57:31)

Matt Wunder requested that the Commission approve the Draft 2020 Biennial Review of state listed threatened or endangered species and open a 14-day public comment period pursuant to the Wildlife Conservation Act (17-2-40 NMSA 1978).

**Motion by:** Commissioner Cramer moved to authorize the Department to initiate the opening of a 28-day comment period on the Director's Draft 2020 Biennial Review of state listed threatened or endangered species to commence upon the publication of a legal notice of the comment period.

**Seconded by:** Commissioner Bates.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 10: Initiation of Public Land User Stamp Rule (Discussion)** 11:25:32 AM (02:37:07)

Stewart Liley presented the Department's initial perspectives on changes to the Habitat Stamp Program rule (19.34.6 NMAC) based on public comment and coordination with the federal partners from the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and United States Forest Service (USFS). Proposed changes will include reducing the number of appointed Citizen Advisory Committees (CAC) and removing redundancies in the planning process.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 11: Subsequent Presentation of the Hunter Education Rule (Discussion)** 12:39:31 PM (02:37:07)

Lance Cherry presented the Department's proposed changes to the Hunter Education Rule 19.36.3 NMAC to allow first-time youth hunters, eight years of age and older, the ability to hunt small game, turkey, javelina, deer and pronghorn antelope for two license years in the Department's Mentored-Youth Hunting (MY) Program. The proposed age rollback would more effectively align with the minimum age requirement of 10 for online hunter education certification. It would also allow hunting opportunities for pronghorn antelope.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 12: Approval of Department's Fiscal Year 2022 Budget** 01:44:05 PM (04:35:33)

Paul Varela presented the Departments proposed Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Operating Budget Request for Commission review, approval and certification for submission by the statutory deadline of September 1, 2020.

**Motion by:** Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry moved to approve the Department's Fiscal Year 2022 Operating Budget as presented.

**Seconded by:** Commissioner Bates.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 13: Initiation of Importation of Live Non-Domestic Animals, Birds and Fish Rule (Discussion)** 02:01:55 PM (04:53:23)

Kirk Patten presented an overview of proposed amendments to the Importation of Live Non-Domestic Animals, Birds and Fish Rule (19.35.7 NMAC). This presentation will serve to open the rule for Game Commission consideration of amendments. Proposals include:

- Removing the requirement for Game Commission review for any permit application for the importation of carnivores into New Mexico.
- Removing the requirement for fish hatchery renovation or depopulation upon a positive finding of Bacterial Kidney Disease.
- Clarifying language for whirling disease testing at different fish ages.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 13: Closed Executive Session** 02:28:30 PM (05:19:58)

**Motion by:** Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry moved to adjourn into Executive Session closed to the public pursuant to Section 10-15-1(H)(8) NMSA 1978, to discuss property acquisition.

**Seconded by:** Commissioner Bates.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 14: Return from Executive Session** 04:32:32 PM (05:26:43)

**Motion by:** Commissioner Lopez moved to adjourn.

**Seconded by:** Commissioner Bates.

**Approved:** Roll call vote – Unanimously: Chairwoman Salazar Hickey, Vice-chairwoman Salazar-Henry, Commissioner Bates, Commissioner Cramer, Commissioner Lopez, Commissioner Soules and Commissioner Vesbach.

**AGENDA ITEM NO. 15: Adjourn at** 4:36:14 PM (05:30:24)