

Who Needs A Stamp?

Habitat Management & Access Validation

Will automatically be added to the first purchase of any hunting, fishing or trapper license.

Required for everyone age 18 and older for fishing, hunting & trapping anywhere in NM.

Not required in conjunction with any free license or privilege:

Free fishing license for resident seniors 70 and older

Disabled Veteran card issued by NMDOW

Funds from the sale are used to lease access to private lands for public use, provide public access to landlocked public land, and provide improvement, maintenance, development and operation of State Wildlife Commission property for fish and wildlife habitat management.

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Required for fishing, hunting & trapping ONLY on U.S. Forest Service or BLM Lands.

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No license required for fishing or trapping for anyone under 12 (required for hunting).

Funds from the sale of habitat stamps are used to improve wildlife habitat.

Stamp Requirement Notice

Pursuant to Sec. 203. (b) (2) of the Sikes Act [16 U.S.C. 670i] Public Land Management Area Stamps For Hunting, Trapping, And Fishing On Public Lands Subject To Programs:

Notice of the requirement to possess such stamps shall be displayed prominently in all places where State hunting, trapping, or fishing licenses are sold.