

DRAW RULES

If you are in violation of any of these rules, your application(s) will be rejected and your draw priority will not be increased. If you need assistance, call the draw information line (toll-free) at 1-877-289-0999.

Draws Available for Residents

The following table lists the draws available for Residents, maximum number of hunters per application, the restrictions on applying for these draws, and the number of applications that a Resident may submit. For a definition of "Resident," please refer to page 48.

Draw Code	Type of Special Licence Available	Max # of Hunters per application	Restrictions on Applying for These Draws	Maximum Applications Allowed
29	Non-trophy Sheep	4	None	1 application for each from this list of 9.
17	Camp Wainwright Deer	4		
13	Antlered Mule Deer	4		
14	Antlerless Mule Deer	4		
15	Antlered White-tailed Deer	4		
16	Antlerless White-tailed Deer	4		
32	Merriam's Turkey	4	APPLY IN JUNE 2011	
35	Goat	1	As of 2002, drawn applicants may not reapply in future years.	
39	Bison	1	None	
ANTELOPE RESTRICTIONS				
10	Antelope Archery	4	A Resident may apply for all 3 antelope licences, but he or she may hold only 1.	1 application each from this list of 3.
11	Non-trophy Antelope	4		
12	Trophy Antelope	4		
TROPHY SHEEP RESTRICTIONS				
30	WMU 410 Trophy Sheep	4	A Resident who killed a sheep, except a legal non-trophy sheep, in 2010 may not purchase a Trophy Sheep Licence in 2011. If you apply for a Trophy Sheep Special Licence, except Draw 38, you must use '999' as your only draw choice for 2011. See page 7 for information.	1 application only from this list of 5.
34	WMU 437 Trophy Sheep	2		
36	WMU 408 Trophy Sheep	2		
37	WMU 444/446 Trophy Sheep	2		
38	WMU 438 Trophy Sheep	2		
ELK RESTRICTIONS				
18	Antlered Elk	4	A Resident may only apply for 1 Elk Licence from this list of 4.	1 application only from this list of 4.
19	Antlerless Elk	4		
41	Either Sex Elk	4		
21	WMU 300 Elk	4		
40	WMU 212 Antlerless Elk	4	None	1 application allowed.
MOOSE RESTRICTIONS				
33	Antlered Moose	4	A Resident may only apply for 1 Moose Licence from this list of 3.	1 application only from this list of 3.
27	Antlerless Moose	4		
28	Calf Moose	4		

Draws Available for Non-residents (Canadian)

The following table lists the draws available for Non-residents (Canadian), maximum number of hunters per application, the restrictions on applying for these draws, and the number of applications that a Non-resident (Canadian) may submit. For a definition of “Non-resident” (Canadian) refer to page 48.

A Non-resident (Canadian) must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident), except for the Non-resident Trophy Sheep draw. If successful in obtaining one of these special licences, the Non-resident must be accompanied by a licenced Hunter Host while hunting. A Hunter Host may not charge or accept remuneration for services provided either directly or indirectly. Please refer to the Outfitting and Guiding Requirements on page 53. **NOTE: Non-resident Aliens are not eligible for any draws.**

Draw Code	Type of Special Licence Available	Max # of Hunters per application	Restrictions on Applying for These Draws	Maximum Applications Allowed
12	Trophy Antelope	4	Must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).	1 application for each licence from this list of 6.
31	Trophy Sheep	2 Non-residents	A Non-resident who killed a sheep in 2010 may not apply for or purchase a Trophy Sheep Special Licence in 2011.	
13	Antlered Mule Deer	4	Must apply with a resident (maximum of 1 non-resident per resident).	
15	Antlered White-tailed Deer	4		
18	Antlered Elk	4		
33	Antlered Moose	4		

RULES FOR APPLYING ON A DRAW

- **Deadlines:** Hunters may apply from Wednesday June 1, 2011 to **Thursday June 23, 2011. Draw applications for Merriam’s Turkey must also be made at this time.**
- As with the 1-900 telephone system, an application made online or through the point-of-sale system is entered immediately into the draw database.
- There are certain **restrictions** and **maximums allowed** when applying for some draws. Be sure to review Draws Available on pages 14 and 15.
- **Eligibility: Residents or Non-residents (Canadian) are not eligible to apply on a draw or hold any licences if: i) their hunting privileges are under a licence suspension/cancellation in Alberta (or elsewhere) or: ii) if they fail to pay their fine after being convicted of a provincial hunting or provincial sportfishing offence. At the time of applying for a draw you must be eligible to hold a recreational hunting licence.**
- Each applicant (Resident and Non-resident [Canadian]) must have a ten-digit **Wildlife Identification Number (WIN)** and must be eligible to hold hunting licences. WINs can be purchased online or at any licence issuer.

BOW HUNTERS

A bow hunter must possess a special licence to hunt the following big game animals during the archery only season:

- antelope,
- antlerless and/or antlered moose in WMUs 151, 156 – 160, 163 – 166, 200 – 210, 214 – 246, 250 – 260, 300 – 314, 318 – 336, 348, 357, 400, 402, 429, 507 and 508,
- calf moose in WMUs 359, 360, 521, 522, 523, 526, 527 and
- elk in WMUs 104, 166, 208
- elk and moose in WMU 936.

PARTNER LICENCE

The following Partner Licences are available:

1. A resident holder of an Antlerless Moose Special Licence or a Bison Special Licence has the option of designating one eligible resident hunter (adult or youth) to be a partner on the special licence, thereby allowing the designated hunter to obtain a **Special Antlerless Moose Partner Licence or a Special Bison Partner Licence.**
2. A resident holder of an Antlered Moose Special Licence has the option of designating one eligible hunter, resident (adult or youth) or a non-resident (Canadian) (adult or youth), to be a partner on the special licence, thereby allowing the designated hunter to obtain a **Special Antlered Moose Partner Licence.** To qualify for a Partner Licence in a particular WMU, the non-resident (Canadian) must have been eligible to apply for the special licence in that WMU.

A non-resident (Canadian) holder of an Antlered Moose Special Licence has the option of designating one eligible resident (adult or youth) hunter to be a partner on the special licence, thereby allowing the designated hunter to obtain a **Special Antlered Moose Partner Licence.**

Partner Licence continued

3. Resident hunters successful in drawing a Special Licence in any of the other Draws are allowed to designate one eligible resident youth (12 to 17 years of age) to be a partner on their special licence.

The designated partner need not have applied on the applicable draw and his or her draw priority for the special licence will not be affected. Refer to pages 49-52 regarding licence combinations and restrictions. The designated partner hunts under the authority of the special licence and, while hunting, must be able to directly communicate with the special licence holder (without relying on a cell phone, walkie-talkie or other device) to ensure that both hunters stop hunting once the tag(s) are filled. In essence, the two hunters are hunting as one, and while the use of common electronic communication devices (i.e., walkie-talkies, cell phones, etc.) is not unlawful while hunting, the two hunters (partner and special licence holder) must be able to directly communicate while hunting without the need of using such devices.

If the special licence holder or designated partner kills an animal, the special licence holder must tag the animal(s) with the tag(s) issued with the special licence. The holder of the special licence may hunt without the partner, but the partner may not hunt unless directly accompanied by the special licence holder. If the intended partner is a non-resident, he/she must be accompanied by a licensed Hunter Host while hunting. The cost of the Resident Partner Licence and the Resident Youth Partner Licence is \$12.00 (plus GST). The cost of the Non-resident Partner Licence is \$44.00 (plus GST). Partner Licences may be purchased at any licence issuer or online.

AGE REQUIREMENTS

(Note: The age requirements changed in the 2007 hunting season - 12 and 13 year olds are **no longer** restricted to hunting big game with a bow and arrow).

- A person must be at least 12 years-of-age to hunt under the authority of a recreational licence.
- Before obtaining any licence, all first-time hunters must successfully complete the Alberta Conservation and Hunter Education course.
- Eleven-year-olds may apply in the draws if they meet the above requirements, and the season where the special licence may be used does not close before the applicant is 12 years old.
- All persons under 16 years-of-age must have the written permission of their parent or legal guardian to purchase a recreational hunting licence.
- To hunt with a firearm, a youth hunter (12 to 17 years-of-age) must be accompanied by a parent, legal guardian or by a person 18 years-of-age or older who has written permission of the parent or legal guardian. See Federal Firearms Regulations below for more requirements.

Resident Youth Hunting Licences. Subject to the age limitations and conditions above, a resident 12 to 17 years-of-age may purchase a Resident Youth Wildlife Certificate, including a Game Bird Licence, for \$8.30. The holder of a valid Resident Youth Wildlife Certificate who is not yet 18 years old may also purchase a Youth White-tailed Deer Licence and a Youth Mule Deer Licence, each for \$8.25. **These licences are valid during the seasons that do not require one of the special licences obtained through a draw.** This person may also purchase an Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence (available through a draw) for \$8.00. Partner Licences are also available to resident youths if designated by the holder of any special licence (see Partner Licence on page 15).

WHAT IF I'M A FIRST-TIME HUNTER?

First-time hunters in Alberta may apply for draws provided they comply with the licensing requirements outlined below. Hunters should also be aware of federal regulations pertaining to possession and use of firearms. All hunters must have a Wildlife Identification Number (WIN) as a prerequisite to applying for or purchasing any hunting licence.

Licensing Requirements for First-time Hunters

A first-time hunter is a hunter who

- has not previously held a hunting licence in Alberta or elsewhere, or
- has not, prior to April 1, 2010, met Alberta first-time hunter criteria, or
- has not successfully completed a hunter education course in Alberta or elsewhere.

First-time hunters must pass the Alberta Conservation and Hunter Education course. **Non-resident and non-resident alien** hunters (12 years of age and older) are exempt from the first-time hunter eligibility requirement if they are accompanied by a Hunter Host or a Designated Guide while hunting in Alberta. **Youth first-time hunters** (12 to 17 years-of-age) are further restricted (see Age Requirements, above).

Federal Firearms Regulations

All hunters should be aware of federal laws surrounding the acquisition, possession, transportation and use of weapons and ammunition. For further information contact your local police service or the Canadian Firearms Centre at 1-800-731-4000 or visit the Centre's website at:

<http://www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/cfp-pcaf/index-eng.htm>.

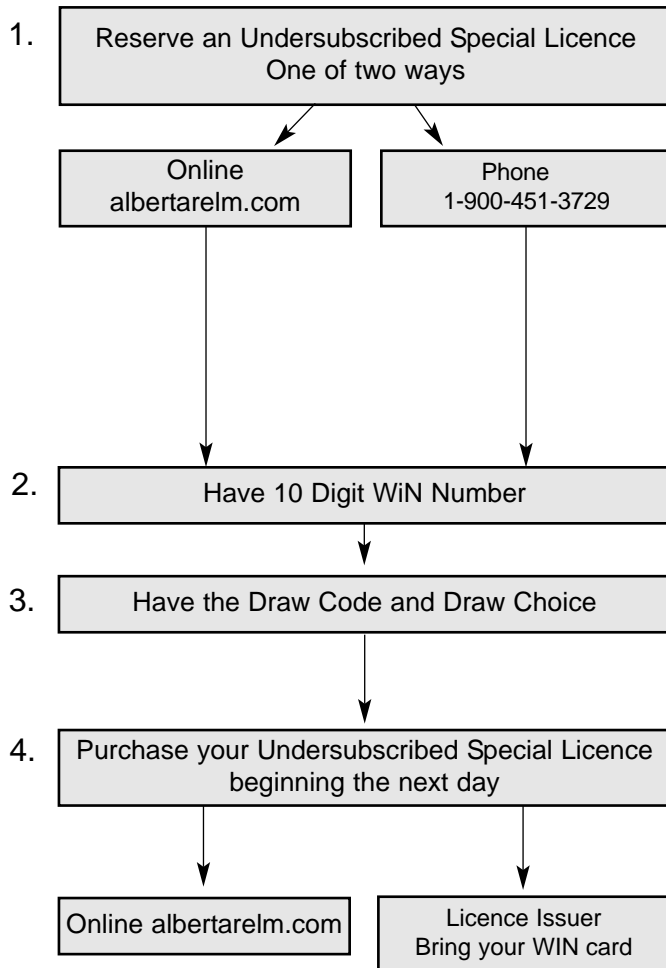
MOBILITY-IMPAIRED HUNTERS

Eligible individuals may apply to obtain a special permit or licence relating to off-highway vehicle use, bow and arrow equipment and using a weapon on a vehicle. Contact a Fish and Wildlife Division district office (page 59) for more information.

UNDERSUBSCRIBED SPECIAL LICENCES

AVAILABLE THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 2011 9:00 A.M. TO DECEMBER 19, 2011 MIDNIGHT
Two options available - Online and 1-900-451-3729

When too few people apply for special licences in some WMUs the undersubscribed special licences are made available for sale to eligible hunters online and by phone. To determine which special licences are available, starting August 16, 2011, you can either 1) call (toll free) 1-877-289-0999, or 2) go online at mywildalberta.com. Both the online and the phone line will be open seven days a week, 24 hours a day until no licences remain available or to December 19, 2011 midnight. The licences are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Licences must first be reserved and then purchased beginning the following day.



1. Reserve an undersubscribed special licence using 1 of 2 options
 - Online: albertarelm.com, see page 9-10.**
 - You will need a credit card and a WIN to purchase the application. See pages 9-10.
 - Cost \$3.04 (plus GST) per application. Charges will appear on your credit card statement as - ALBERTA RELM EDMONTON AB.
 - Under the 'Purchase' menu, click on 'Undersubscribed Application'.
 - Phone: 1-900-451-3729**
 - Cost \$1.25 per minute. Charges will appear on your long distance telephone bill.
 - To avoid delays check with your long distance service provider to ensure you have access to 1-900 numbers.
 - Note: cell phones, blackberry phones, internet based digital phones, phones with 1-900 blocked and calling cards cannot access 1-900 numbers. Many businesses or places of work do not permit 1-900 calls.
2. Need your 10 digit WiN (Wildlife Identification Number). You may reserve a licence of the same kind of special licence for the same WMU for up to 3 other hunters provided you have their WINs.
3. Need Draw Code and Draw Choice
 - 2 digit draw code.
 - 3 digit draw choice.
 - Separate application for each.
4. To purchase your Undersubscribed Special Licence online
 - View online at albertarelm.com the next day to confirm you have been authorized to buy the licence. Click on 'Undersubscribed Applications' under the 'My Info' in the left menu. To purchase your special licence, click on 'Special Licences' under the Purchase menu.
 - To purchase your licence online, you must have a prenumbered 10 digit Government of Alberta paper tag and wire. Online paper tags are available at your local Fish and Wildlife District office or by calling 1-888-944-5494.

Undersubscribed Special Licences can also be purchased at licence issuers.

- To purchase your licence at a licence issuer you must bring your WIN card and provide the issuer with the draw code.

If you have any questions you can call 1-877-289-0999 (toll-free).

- Normal licence restrictions apply regarding licence combinations and eligibility, refer to pages 49 to 52.** For example, if you were drawn for an Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence, you cannot obtain another Antlerless Mule Deer Special Licence through the undersubscribed process.
- A hunter does not have to apply in the draw in order to be eligible to obtain an undersubscribed special licence.
- Draw priorities will not be affected by the acquisition of undersubscribed special licences.
- Some special licences may be issued with more than one tag in specific WMUs.

If you have any questions about your purchase, you can call 1-877-289-0999 (toll-free).

IMPORTANT!!

If you reserve a special licence, your authorization will not be cancelled and it's important that you **buy your special licence!** General licences purchased may be limited if you are authorized to buy specific special licences.