

Higgins Ranch

Block Management Area #102

Please do your part to help maintain
public access to this property.
Report violations. 1-800-TIPMONT

Hunting Districts: D/E 315, 390, 393 & 580, Ant 338 & 491

Township/Range: T5N-R7E, T6N-R7E, T5N-R8E & T6N-R8E

Huntable Game: Occasional Elk*, White-tailed Deer, Mule Deer, Antelope, Upland Birds & Waterfowl

Dates BMA is open: Legal Fall Hunting Seasons for Occasional Elk, White-tailed Deer, Mule Deer, Antelope, Upland Birds & Waterfowl. *Elk hunting allowed 9/3/16-1/1/17 only. Refer to current hunting regulations for specific season information.

Maps to have before you go: This BMA Map, available free at Butte, Bozeman & Helena Area FWP offices, **AND** the Gallatin National Forest Map (East Half 2006 or North Map 2012), available for purchase through any Forest Service or Bozeman & Helena Area FWP offices.

Road Use: Vehicle travel permitted only on designated roads. Please refer to the Gallatin National Forest Map (East Half 2006 or North Map 2012) for road use information on all roads outside of block management area boundaries.

How to get there: Ranch headquarters is located at mile marker 44 on Hwy 89 about 1 mile Southeast of Ringling.

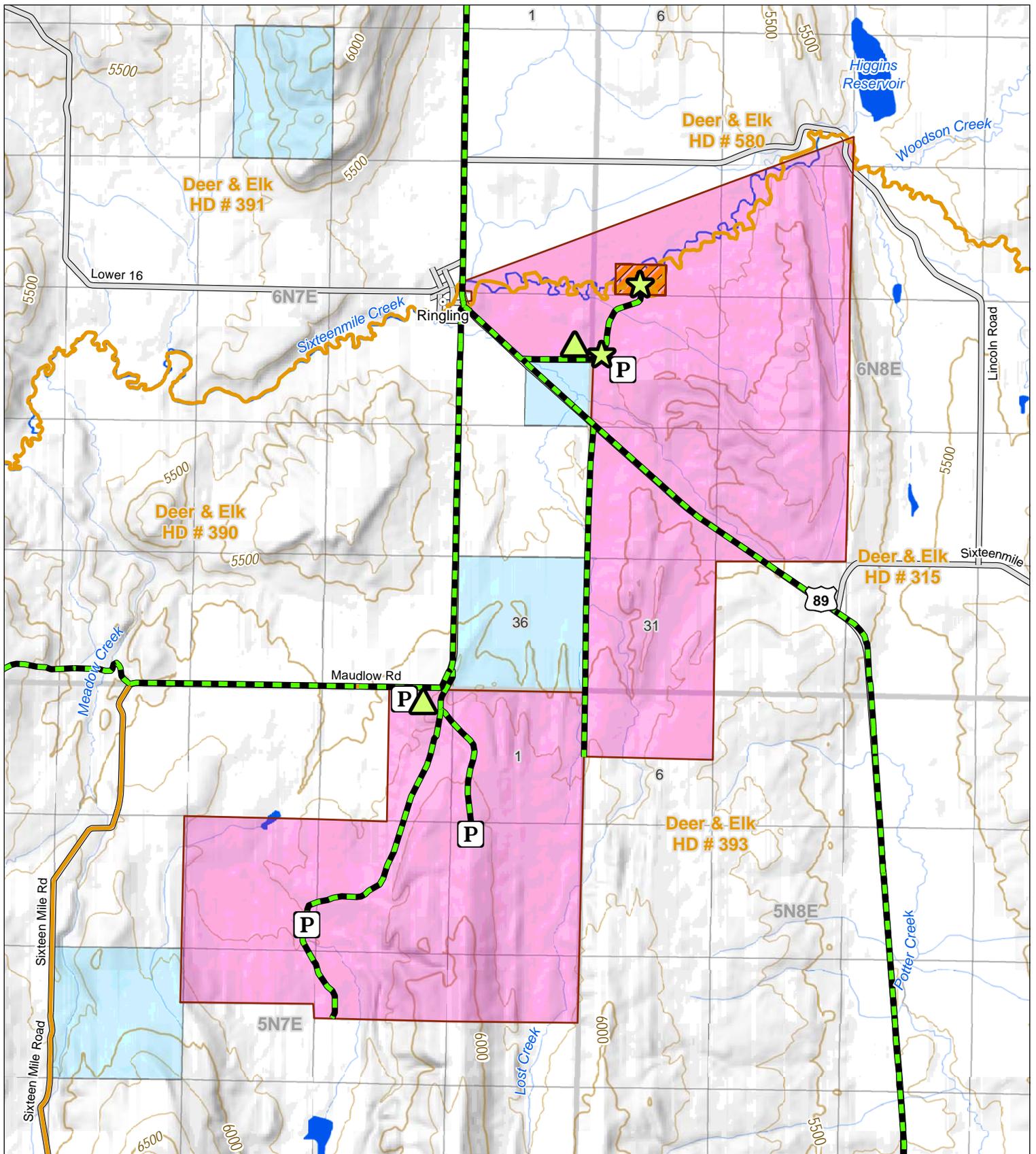
Ranch Rules:

- Every hunter must register at sign-in box each day before they hunt. Signature is permission requirement to hunt this area.
- Permission for Upland Birds can only be obtained by contacting Chris or Nancy at (406) 547-2213 from 6:00-9:00p.m.. Upland Bird hunting will be limited to 3 parties per week. Reservations will be taken only 1 week prior to hunt date.
- Permission for Waterfowl hunting can only be obtained by contacting Chris or Nancy at (406) 547-2213 from 6:00-9:00p.m.. Waterfowl hunting will be limited to 3 parties per week. Reservations will be taken only 1 week prior to hunt date.
- Please park along established roads or at designated parking areas as posted. No off road motor vehicle travel off designated roads. Please ask landowner about specific game retrieval possibilities.
- Please be aware of your surroundings when taking your shot. Please observe "No Shooting Zones". Use caution near livestock. Some pastures may be closed to hunting if livestock is present.
- Special exceptions may be made for handicapped or senior citizens on an individual basis.
- During spring and summer months, the Higgins Ranch will entertain anyone interested in gopher hunting, however, this is not part of the block management program.
- Please leave gates closed.

For more information on the block management program contact Fish, Wildlife & Parks Area Offices in Bozeman (406) 994-4042, Helena (406) 495-3260, or Butte (406) 494-1953.

**HUNTING PRIOR TO OBTAINING LANDOWNER PERMISSION IS A VIOLATION OF
MCA 87-3-304**

Every hunter must have permission. This includes possession of a written permission slip or signing in at a roster box **before** hunting.



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BMA Rules - See Reverse Page

Disclaimer - This map is not intended to depict property ownership outside the Block Management Area. Contact the appropriate land management agency for information on public land ownership and travel guidelines.

Montana Fish Wildlife and Parks Region 3
BLM 100K Map(s): Ringling

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|  | Sign-in Box |  | Hunting Districts (Deer, Elk, Lion) |
|  | Ranch Headquarters |  | State Trust Lands |
|  | Parking Area |  | No Shooting Zone |
|  | Access Roads |  | BMA Boundary |



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