

Moose Specific Information

Definitions

- Antlered Bull - any moose having an antler or antlers of at least four inches in length measured from the top of the skull.
- Antlerless - a female or juvenile male with an antler or antlers less than four inches in length measured from the top of the skull. FWP suggests hunters not take a moose with a calf at side.
- Either sex - any moose.

Licenses and General Information

- An applicant who receives a moose license is not eligible to apply for or receive another license for moose for the next succeeding 7 years (see reference chart).
- License holders may legally take one moose subject to all specifications on the license issued.
- Hunters harvesting a moose must leave evidence of sex naturally attached to the carcass.

7 Year Wait	
Year License Drawn	Year May Reapply
2006	2014
2007	2015
2008	2016
2009	2017
2010	2018
2011	2019
2012	2020

SuperTag Lottery for Moose



- Resident and nonresident hunters can buy an unlimited number of \$5 chances to win a Montana hunting license for antelope, bighorn sheep, bison, deer, elk, moose, mountain goat and/or mountain lion.
- An individual may be successful in winning one or a combination of these SuperTags per year.
- Each SuperTag license allows one to hunt in any Montana hunting district valid for that species.
- The moose, bighorn sheep and mountain goat 7-year waiting period does not apply to SuperTags.
- Chances are sold electronically at all FWP License Providers or via the Internet.
- Proceeds from the sale of SuperTag chances will enhance public hunting access and boost FWP enforcement efforts.
- For more information visit FWP's website at fwp.mt.gov.

Moose License Auction

- Legislation authorizes the Fish, Wildlife & Parks Commission to provide for the auction of a one moose license each year. This license authorizes the hunter to take an antlered bull moose in any open district of his/her choice. This license is not a part of the seasons proposed, and if this license holder is successful, the moose will not be counted against the district quota. This license holder may hunt only in areas open to moose hunting.
- The auction is held annually during the winter by a conservation organization that is preselected by the FWP Commission.
- Hunting is authorized for the next hunting season, not the current year's hunting season.
- Money raised through the license auction is used for management of moose.

Moose HD Regulations

Residents are eligible to apply for any of the following licenses. Nonresidents are restricted to certain districts. Nonresidents are limited to, but not guaranteed 10 percent of a region's quota. **Districts where nonresidents may apply are listed on the moose, bighorn sheep and mountain goat nonresident application, but may change when final quotas are set in July.**

--- HD 100 West Yaak ---

- 100-20: 12 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 101 Purcell ---

- 101-20: 12 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 102 Eureka ---

- 102-20: 14 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 103 Ten Lakes ---

- 103-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 104 West Cabinet Mountains ---

- 104-20: 5 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 105 East Cabinet Mountains ---

- 105-20: 20 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 106 Fisher River ---

NOTE: Libby Big Game Archery Only Hunting Area is restricted to ArchEquip Only. See "Area Closed or Limited to Hunting Methods to Big Game."

- 106-20: 12 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 110 North Fork ---

- 110-20: 12 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 111 Tally Lake ---

- 111-20: 10 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 112 Blacktail ---

- 112-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 121 West Clark Fork ---

- 121-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 122 Thompson River ---

- 122-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 125 Black Peak ---

- 125-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 126 CC Divide ---

- 126-20: 1 license.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 130 Swan ---

- CLOSED.

--- HD 140 Lower South Fork ---

- 140-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 141 Middle Fork ---

- 141-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 - Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 150 Upper South Fork ---

- 150-20: 1 license.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 210 Lower Rock Creek-Schwartz Creek ---

- 210-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 211 Upper Rock Creek ---

- 211-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 212 Flint Creek Range ---

- 212-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 214 Mill Creek-Georgetown Lake ---

- 214-20: 1 license.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 215 East Deer Lodge ---

- 215-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 220 South Superior ---

- 220-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 230 Lolo-Fish Creek ---

- 230-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 240 West Bitterroot ---

- 240-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 250 West Fork Bitterroot ---

- 250-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 261 East Bitterroot ---

- 261-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 270 East Fork Bitterroot ---

- 270-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 280 North Blackfoot ---

- 280-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 285 Lower Blackfoot ---

- 285-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 291 East Garnet Range ---

- 291-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 292 West Garnet ---

- 292-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 293 Upper Blackfoot ---

- 293-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 300 Medicine Lodge-Lima Peaks ---

- 300-10: 7 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

- 300-20: 8 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 301 Horse Prairie ---

- 301-10: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

- 301-20: 5 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 302 East Big Hole ---

- 302-10: 1 license.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

- 302-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 303 Crazy Mountains ---

Note: Boundary change.

- 303-10: 1 license.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

- 303-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 304 Portal Creek ---

- 304-20: 4 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 306 Porcupine-Buffalo Horn ---

- 310-20: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 307 Sage Creek ---

- 310-20: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 308 West Fork - Hellroaring ---

- 308-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 309 Cabin Creek ---

- 309-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 310 Taylor Fork ---

- 310-20: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 311 Hyalite-Squaw Creek ---

- 311-20: 5 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 312 Bridger ---

- 312-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 313 Spanish Peaks ---

- 313-20: 5 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 314 Upper Yellowstone-West ---

- 314-20: 2 licenses. Beattie Gulch portion of HD 314 as posted, subject to closure to all hunting on 24-hour notice.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 315 Bear Canyon-Trail Creek ---

- 315-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 316 Hellroaring-Cottonwood (CLOSED) ---

– CLOSED.

--- HD 317 Buffalo Fork (CLOSED) ---

– CLOSED.

--- HD 318 Slough Creek (CLOSED) ---

– CLOSED.

--- HD 319 Fleecer ---

- 319-20: 2 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 320 Tobacco Roots ---

- 320-10: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

- 320-20: 3 licenses.
• Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 321 Fishtrap ---

– CLOSED.

--- HD 322 Upper Stillwater ---

The Cooke City Moose Closure area shall be closed to the hunting of moose.

322-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 323 South Big Hole ---

323-10: 5 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

323-20: 6 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 324 Wise River-Grasshop ---

324-00: 1 license. Only valid in Grasshopper Drainage portion of HD.

- Nov 15 - Dec 15 – Either-sex Moose.

324-10: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

324-20: 6 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 325 Seymour-Deep Creek ---

325-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 326 North Fork Big Hole ---

326-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 327 Ruby Creek-Yank Swamp ---

327-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 328 Eagle Creek-Bear Creek ---

– CLOSED.

--- HD 329 Upper Yellowstone East ---

329-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 330 Gravelly ---

330-10: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

330-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 331 Ruby ---

331-10: 5 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

331-20: 8 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 332 Blacktail ---

332-10: 5 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

332-20: 8 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 333 Centennial ---

333-10: 1 license.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

333-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 334 Red Rock-Odell ---

334-10: 6 licenses.

- Nov 15 - Dec 15 – Antlerless Moose.

334-20: 5 licenses. Red Rock Lakes NWR closed to Moose hunting until Oct. 15.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 335 Helena-South ---

335-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 340 Highlands ---

340-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 341 High Rye ---

341-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 350 Whitetail- Bull Mountains ---

350-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 360 East Madison ---

360-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 361 East Hebgen ---

361-20: 5 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 362 West Hebgen ---

362-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 380 Radersburg ---

380-10: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlerless Moose.

380-20: 5 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 382 Butte-Basin ---

382-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 390 West Big Belt Mountains ---

390-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 415 Summit-North Fork Birch Creek ---

415-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 494 East Big Belt-West Little Belt Mountains ---

494-00: 6 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Either-sex Moose.

--- HD 496 East Little Belt-Castles-Snowy Mountains ---

496-00: 4 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Either-sex Moose.

--- HD 513 Fishtail-Fiddler Creek-Stillwater ---

513-20: 3 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 514 Rock Creek ---

514-20: 4 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 515 Clarks Fork ---

– CLOSED.

--- HD 516 Boulder ---

516-20: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Antlered Bull Moose.

--- HD 600 Hi-Line ---

NOTE: Moose may be difficult to find.

600-00: 2 licenses.

- Sept 15 - Dec 01 – Either-sex Moose.