

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 7 Year Wait 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
2011	2019
2012	2020
2013	2021
2014	2022
2015	2023
2016	2024
2017	2025

Moose License Auction

- Legislation authorizes the Fish & Wildlife Commission to provide for the auction of one moose license each year. This license authorizes the hunter to take an antlered bull moose in any open district of his/her choice. If this license holder is successful, the moose will not be counted against the district quota. License holders 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 F&W Commission.
- Money raised through the license auction is used for management of moose.

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:

<http://fwp.mt.gov>.

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.**

-- 100 West Yaak --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
100-50: 12 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 101 Purcell --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
101-50: 12 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 102 Eureka --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
102-50: 8 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 103 Ten Lakes --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
103-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 104 West Cabinet Mountains --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
104-50: 5 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 105 East Cabinet Mountains --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
105-50: 20 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 106 Fisher River --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20): Libby Big Game Archery Only Hunting Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
106-50: 12 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 110 North Fork --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
110-50: 12 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 111 Tally Lake --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20): Flathead Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
111-50: 10 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 112 Blacktail --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20): Flathead Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
112-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 121 West Clark Fork --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
121-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 122 Thompson River --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
122-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 125 Black Peak --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
125-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 126 CC Divide --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
126-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 140 Lower South Fork --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.
140-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 141 Middle Fork --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):BNSF right-of-way from Marias Pass to the Java Creek Bridge

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

141-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 150 Upper South Fork --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

150-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 210 Lower Rock Creek-Schwartz Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

210-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 211 Upper Rock Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

211-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 212 Flint Creek Range --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Grant Kohrs Ranch near Deer Lodge; Prison Ranch Archery Only Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

212-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 214 Mill Creek-Georgetown Lake --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

214-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 215 East Deer Lodge --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

215-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 220 South Superior --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

220-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 230 Lolo-Fish Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

230-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 240 West Bitterroot --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Lee Metcalf Refuge

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

240-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 250 West Fork Bitterroot --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

250-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 261 East Bitterroot --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Lee Metcalf Refuge

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

261-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 270 East Fork Bitterroot --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

270-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

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-- 280 North Blackfoot --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

280-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 285 Lower Blackfoot --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Seeley Lake Game Preserve is closed to all hunting

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

285-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 291 East Garnet Range --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

291-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 292 West Garnet --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):East Ovando Archery-only Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

292-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 293 Upper Blackfoot --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Lincoln Closed Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

293-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 300 Medicine Lodge-Lima Peaks --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

300-00: 7 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

300-50: 8 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 301 Horse Prairie --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

301-00: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

301-50: 5 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 302 East Big Hole --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

302-00: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

302-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 303 Crazy Mountains --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

303-00: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

303-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 304 Portal Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

311-50: 5 licenses. Valid in HD 304 and 311

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 306 Porcupine-Buffalo Horn --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Gallatin Special Management Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

310-50: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310.

Gallatin Special Management Area closed to moose hunting.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 307 Sage Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

310-50: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310.

Gallatin Special Management Area closed to moose hunting.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 308 West Fork - Hellroaring --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

398-50: 5 licenses. Valid in HD 308, 313, or 360

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 309 Cabin Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

309-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 310 Taylor Fork --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

310-50: 1 license. Valid in HD 306, 307, or 310.

Gallatin Special Management Area closed to moose hunting.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 311 Hyalite-Squaw Creek --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Gallatin Valley Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

311-50: 5 licenses. Valid in HD 304 and 311

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 312 Bridger --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Gallatin Valley Weapons Restriction Area; Yellowstone River Islands restricted to ArchEquip Only

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

312-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 313 Spanish Peaks --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Gallatin Valley Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

398-50: 5 licenses. Valid in HD 308, 313, or 360

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 314 Upper Yellowstone-West --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Beattie Gulch: Subject to closure of all hunting with 24 hours notice

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

314-50: 2 licenses. Beattie Gulch portion of HD 314 as posted, subject to closure to all hunting on 24-hour notice.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 315 Bear Canyon-Trail Creek --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Gallatin Valley Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

315-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 319 Fleecer --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

319-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 320 Tobacco Roots --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

320-00: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

320-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 322 Upper Stillwater --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Cooke City Moose Closure Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

322-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 323 South Big Hole --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

323-00: 7 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Dec 15 - Antlerless Moose.

323-50: 12 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Dec 15 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 324 Wise River-Grasshop --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Poindexter Slough FAS south of Dillon

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

324-00: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

324-20: 1 license. Only valid in Grasshopper Drainage portion of HD.

- Nov 15 - Dec 15 - Either-sex Moose.

324-50: 6 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 325 Seymour-Deep Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

325-50: 6 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 326 North Fork Big Hole --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

326-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 327 Ruby Creek-Yank Swamp --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

327-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 329 Upper Yellowstone East --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

329-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 330 Gravelly --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

330-00: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

330-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 331 Ruby --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

331-00: 5 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

331-50: 8 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 332 Blacktail --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Poindexter Slough FAS south of Dillon

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

332-00: 5 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

332-50: 8 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 333 Centennial --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

333-00: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

333-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 334 Red Rock-Odell --

NOTE: Red Rock Lakes NWR - Area Map and Rules available at 406-276-3536

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

334-00: 6 licenses.

- Nov 15 - Dec 15 - Antlerless Moose.

334-50: 5 licenses. Red Rock Lakes NWR closed to Moose hunting until Oct. 15

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 335 Helena-South --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

335-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 340 Highlands --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

340-50: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 341 High Rye --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

341-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 343 Helena-North --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

343-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 350 Whitetail- Bull Mountains --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

350-50: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 360 East Madison --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Ennis Airport Weapons Restriction Area; Jeffers Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

360-50: 5 licenses. Valid in HD 308, 313, or 360

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 361 East Hebgen --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

361-50: 4 licenses. Valid in HD 361 or HD 362

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 362 West Hebgen --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

362-50: 4 licenses. Valid in HD 361 or HD 362

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 380 Radersburg --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Muskrat Valley Weapons Restriction Area (Restricted to archery, shotgun, traditional handgun or muzzleloader); Townsend Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

380-00: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlerless Moose.

380-50: 5 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 382 Butte-Basin --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

382-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 390 West Big Belt Mountains --

Check Restricted Area Legal Description (p 18-20):Townsend Weapons Restriction Area

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

390-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 401 Sweetgrass Hills --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

401-20: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Either-sex Moose.

-- 415 Summit-North Fork Birch Creek --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

415-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 441 Rocky Mountain Front --

Note: Boundary change

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

441-20: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Either-sex Moose.

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

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

494-20: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Either-sex Moose.

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

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

496-20: 4 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Either-sex Moose.

-- 513 Fishtail-Fiddler Creek-Stillwater --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

513-50: 1 license.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 514 Rock Creek --

NOTE: See chronic wasting disease Transport Restriction Zone for moose taken in hunting district 514 (p. 11).

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

514-50: 6 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 516 Boulder --

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

516-50: 2 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Antlered Bull Moose.

-- 600 Hi-Line --

NOTE: Moose may be difficult to find.

Moose License. Drawing only. Apply by May 1.

600-20: 3 licenses.

- Sep 15 - Nov 25 - Either-sex Moose.