

**Elk Master List  
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## **Region 5**

HDs 515,502,525,540,555,575,580,590 (All R5)

Remove 595-00 Antlerless Elk B License

Remove 900-20 Elk Archery Permit from HD 530, HD 580 south of Sweetgrass Ck., HD 590, HD 511, HD 502, HD 520 south and east of West Fork of Rock Creek, HD570, HD575, HD500.

HD 500 & 570 (new HD 515): Boundary Change – Combine HD 500 and HD 570. New HD will be named HD 515. See boundary changes master list.

Remove 500-20 and 570-20 either-sex elk permits

Add Antlerless opportunity to the general license for Aug 15 to the day before archery season (Only valid on private land) and late season (day after general season to Feb 15).

Add Antlerless Elk B License 005-00 valid during Aug 15 to the day before archery season (Only valid on private land), during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)

Unlimited Antlerless Elk B Licenses 900-00 valid on private land during any open season in HDs 260, 411, 417, 426, 450, 515, 535, 575, 580, 590, 690, 700, 702, 704, and 705.

HD 502:

Add Antlerless Elk B License 005-00 valid from Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (only on private land), during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)

Add antlerless opportunity on the general license from Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (only on private land), during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)

Change General Elk License opportunity from Spike Bull or Antlerless Elk to Antlerless Elk for archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons.

HDs 502, 555: Add Either-Sex permit 502-20 with a license quota of 30 (range 5-50) valid during archery and general seasons.

HDs 502, 535, 555, and 590 and portion of HD701 north of the Yellowstone River, south of Hwy 12, and west of Sumatra-Hysham Rd.: Add archery season only Either-Sex permit 595-21 with an unlimited license quota.

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HD 510, 520 & 560: Boundary change –The northern portion of HD 560 and a portion of 520 will be combined and named HD 525. HD 510 and a portion of 520 will be combined and named 555. The southern portion of HD 560 will be renamed HD 565. See boundary changes master list.

HD 510 & 520 (proposed to be HD 555): Add Antlerless Elk B License 555-00 with a license quota of 30 (range 5-50) valid archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons.  
Remove antlerless elk B license 520-01

HDs 502, 555: Add Either-Sex permit 502-20 with a license quota of 30 (range 5-50) valid during archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons.

HD 511 & 530 (proposed to be HD 535): Boundary Change – Combine HD 511 and HD 530. New HD will be named HD 535. See boundary changes master list.  
Add antlerless opportunity valid on general license from Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (only valid on private land). late season (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Add either sex opportunity on general license valid during archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons on private land only.  
Add Antlerless Elk B License 005-00 valid Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (only valid on private land), during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Increase quota of Antlerless Elk B License 411-00 from 800 to 1200 (range 100-1,200). (Valid in HDs 411 and 535)  
Add Antlerless Elk B License 411-00 valid Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (only valid on private land), during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Add Either-Sex Elk Permit 411-20 valid during archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons on public land only.  
Decrease quota of Either-Sex permit 411-20 from 300 to 150 (range 50-400) valid in HDs 411 and 535 on public land only.

HD 520 & 560 (proposed to be HD 525): Add Either-sex opportunity on general license during archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons.  
Remove antlerless elk B licenses 520-00 and 560-00  
Add antlerless opportunity to the general license for Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (private land only) and late season (day after general season to Feb 15, not valid on National Forest lands)  
Add antlerless Elk B License 005-00 valid from Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (private land only), during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15, not valid on National Forest lands)

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HD 535: Unlimited Antlerless Elk B Licenses 900-00 valid on private land during any open season in HDs 260, 411, 417, 426, 450, 515, 535, 575, 580, 590, 690, 700, 702, 704, and 705.

HD 540: Add Antlerless B License 005-00 valid Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (private land only) during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Remove Antlerless Elk B License 540-00 (current quota 100).  
Add antlerless opportunity on general license valid Aug 15 to day before archery season begins (private land only) and late season (day after general season to Feb 15)

HD 560 (southern portion proposed to be HD 565): Add Either-Sex opportunity on the general license valid during archery season only.  
Add Antlered Bull opportunity on general license valid during the general and muzzleloader seasons.

HD 575: Add Either-Sex opportunity on the general license valid during archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons.  
Add antlerless opportunity on the general license valid Aug 15 to day before archery season begins (private land only) and late season (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Add Antlerless Elk B License 005-00 valid Aug 15 to day before archery season begins (private land only) during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Remove Either-Sex permit 575-20 (current quota of 20).  
Unlimited Antlerless Elk B Licenses 900-00 valid on private land during any open season in HDs 260, 411, 417, 426, 450, 515, 535, 575, 580, 590, 690, 700, 702, 704, and 705.

HD 580: Boundary change- Remove HD 580 portion, south of Sweet Grass Creek. See boundary changes master list.  
Remove antlerless elk B license 580-00  
Remove elk permit 580-20  
Add Antlerless Elk B License 005-00 valid Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (private land only) valid during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Add antlerless opportunity on general license from Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (private land only) and late season (day after general season to Feb 15)  
Add either-sex opportunity on the general license valid during archery, general, and muzzleloader seasons.

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HD 590: Boundary change- Remove HD 590 portions, “north of Yellowstone River” and “south of Yellowstone River.” See boundary changes master list.

Remove either-sex elk permit 590-21

Increase either sex elk permit 590-20 from 250 to 380.

Add antlerless opportunity on general license valid Aug 15 to the day before archery season begins (private land only) and late season (day after general season to Feb 15)

Add antlerless Elk B License 005-00 valid Aug15 to the day before archery season begins (private land only) valid during archery, general, muzzleloader, and late seasons (day after general season to Feb 15).

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