# **AP-PN Ranch Block Management Area #16** BMA Rules- See Reverse Page Parking Area A Parking Area B Fergus County Region4 BMA#8 Area of Interest Hunting Districts (Deer, Elk, Lion) Closed Road No Shooting Area Montana State Trust Land Neighboring BMA Parking Area & Map Box Safety Zone (No Trespassing, No Hunting) US Bureau of Land Management Date: 2/5/2024 **FWP Region 4** BLM 100K Map(s): Winifred Possession of this map does not constitute legal access to private land enrolled in the BMA Program. This map may not depict current property ownership outside the BMA. It is every hunter's responsibility to know the land ownership of the area he or she intends to hunt, the hunting regulations, and any land use restrictions that may apply. Check the FWP Hunt Planner for updates: http://fwp.mt.gov/gis/maps/huntPlanner/

**Deer/Elk Hunting District:** 417/426/471 **Antelope Hunting District:** 480/471

Hunting Access Dates: September 1 - January 1 Open ONLY Thursday through Monday and Spring Turkey

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

BMA Type	Acres	County	Ownership
2	20,203	Fergus	Private

## RESTRICTED SPECIES

The following species may be hunted on this BMA with valid licenses during legal hunting seasons unless otherwise restricted\* below:

Restricted Species	Dates Access Allowed	
Elk	PROHIBITED	
White-tailed Deer	Entire Season	
Mule Deer		
Unland Dirda	Entire Season	
Upland Birds	SAGE GROUSE HUNTING PROHIBITED	
Wild Turkey	Entire Season	
Nongame/Predators	PROHIBITED	

## **HOW TO GET THERE**

From Lewistown:

» North on US-191 15.0 mi

North on Winifred Highway
24.0 mi

West on Main St. 0.4 mi

North on MT-236 0.3 mi

» West and North on PN Bridge Rd. to BMA 21.4 mi

#### **PERMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

- 1. Reservations are REQUIRED.
- 2. Reservations can be made ONLY on the Monday prior to the Thursday-Monday period you wish to hunt by calling (406)-422-6087 between 1:00 pm and 4:00 pm. No same day reservations.
- 3. Hunter numbers are limited to 1 party of 1-3 hunters at each of the designated parking spots.
- **4.** An additional **Boat-in Access ONLY** reservation for 1 party of 1-3 hunters is available on open days. Hunters should cite Boat-in Access when making a reservation, and access will be restricted to the Missouri River corridor.
- 5. Hunters are limited to reserving 3 consecutive days.
- 6. Hunters are reminded to cancel reservations if unable to hunt reserved days.

# **SPRING TURKEY:**

1. Spring Turkey reservations can be made ONLY on the Monday prior to the Thursday–Monday period you wish to hunt by calling 406-454 -5862 from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm.

# **ADDITIONAL RULES**

- 1. Hunting is prohibited within 1/4 mile of occupied dwellings. Hunting within safety zones on BMA map is prohibited.
- 2. Walk-in Hunting ONLY; No motorized game retrieval.
- 3. Motorized vehicle use is restricted to designated access routes, public roads, and parking areas as indicated on BMA Map.
- 4. Use of all types of OHV, ATV's or similar vehicles are prohibited.
- 5. E-bikes are prohibited except on designated motorized vehicle
- 6. Do not park vehicles in such a manner as to obstruct traffic. **Do not block gates.**
- 7. Camping, littering, visible latrine pits, and fires are prohibited.
- 8. Hunters using horses and pack stock are required to use certified weed free hay 48 hours prior to entering BMA and while accessing BMA
- 9. Fish & Wildlife Commission-approved hunting regulations apply. Hunters are required to possess the necessary hunting licenses for the species and hunting districts they are hunting.

# STANDARD BLOCK MANAGEMENT PROGRAM RULES:

- Block Management Area Rules do not apply to federal or DNRC lands that are legally accessible (via public roads, watercourses, or other legal means of access) unless specifically authorized by the applicable agency. Please, contact the respective federal and state agencies for more information.
- A cooperator or their designated representative may deny access to an individual "for cause" IAW, ARM rule 12.4.205 (d). An example intoxication, belligerence or violent behavior, violation of BMA rules, muddy/excessively filthy vehicle, etc. Cooperators may also ask FWP to ban an individual(s) for cause. This will be via a formal letter to the individual(s) from FWP and will specify the length of the ban, reasons, and complainant.
- Access during all other times and for any other activity requires landowner permission.



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