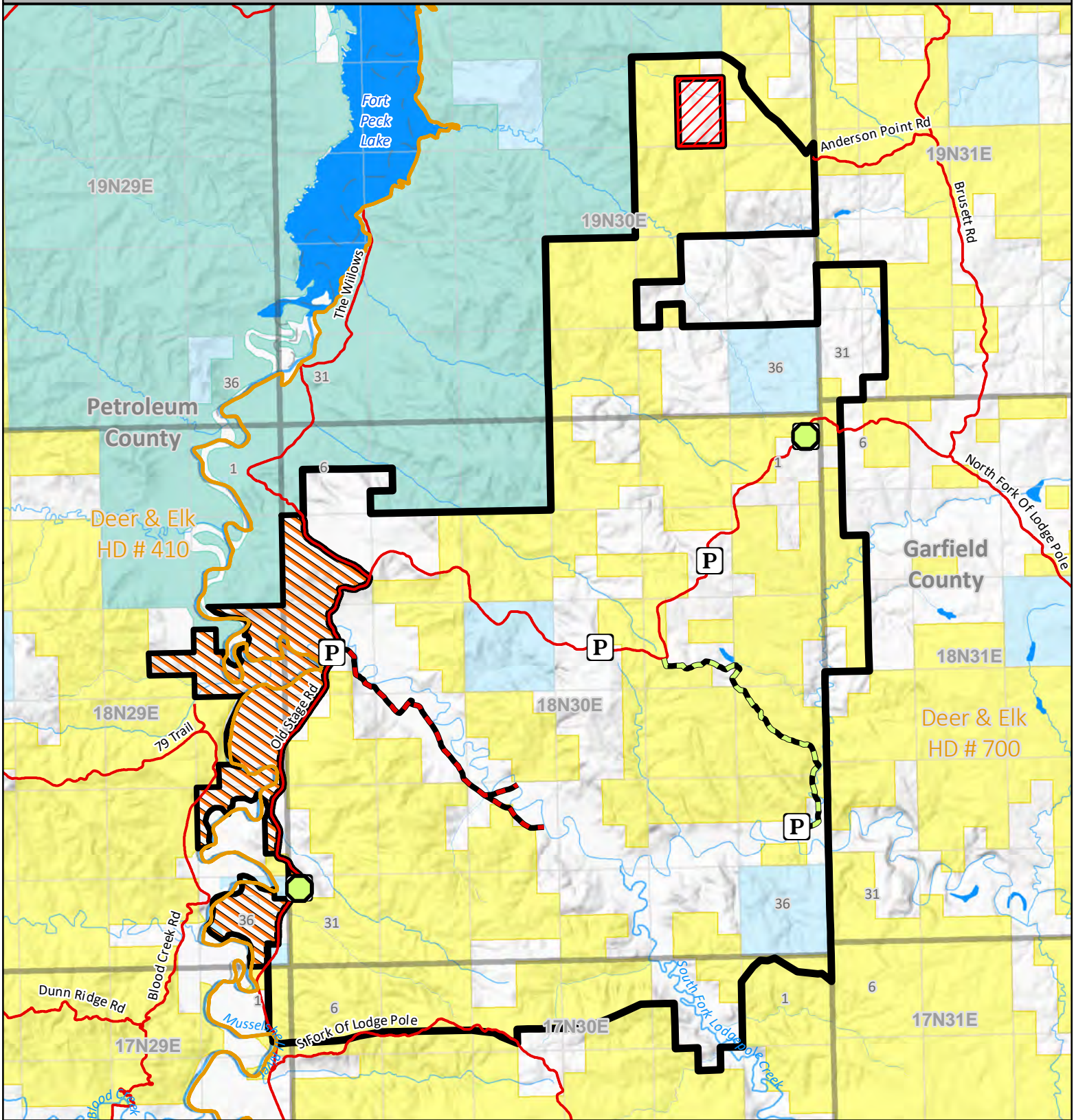
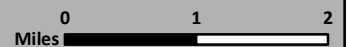


BMA Rules - See Reverse Page



	Parking Area		Safety Zone (No Trespassing, No Hunting)		<b>Date: 9/1/2022</b> <b>FWP Region 7</b> <b>BLM 100K Map(s):</b> <b>Sand Springs</b>	
	Map Box & Parking Area		Closed Road			County Road
	Access Road		US Bureau of Land Management			Charles M. Russell National Wildlife Refuge
	BMA Boundary		Montana State Trust Land			
	Not in BMA (No Trespassing)					

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/>



# APR – 73 RANCH

Deer/Elk/Antelope Hunting District: 700

Hunting Access Dates: August 15 - January 1 \*\*see current hunting regulations for specific dates for each species & season

**Not open for late muzzleloader season hunting.**

**SPECIES RESTRICTION:** No Sage Grouse hunting allowed. No shooting of non-game species/predators.

**PRIMARY HUNTING OPPORTUNITIES:** Mule/Whitetail Deer, Elk, Antelope, Upland Birds, Turkey

## WHERE & HOW TO GAIN ACCESS:

- Reservations cannot be made prior to August 22<sup>nd</sup> (Type 2 BMA). Reservations taken for up to 12 hunters per day.
- Reservations can be made by calling (406) 422-6087 between 9:00 AM and 12:00 PM Wednesdays **ONLY** for the following Thursday – Monday you wish to hunt. Hunters are limited to reserving 3 consecutive days.

## BMA RULES, RESTRICTIONS:

- Rest days are Tuesdays and Wednesdays.**
- Walk-in hunting from designated parking areas. Motorized vehicle use is restricted to designated access roads, public roads and parking areas on BMA map or otherwise posted. All other motorized vehicle use is prohibited.
- Closed road is for non-motorized use only: open to foot, bicycle (non e-bike) and horse travel.
- Do not park vehicles in such a manner as to obstruct traffic or block any gate.
- Use of ATV's/OHV's is prohibited.
- Please watch for livestock and leave all gates as you find them.
- Camping, littering, visible latrine pits, and fires are prohibited.
- Hunters using horses and pack stock are required to use certified weed free hay 72 hours prior to entering BMA and while accessing BMA.
- Commercial filming of hunts is prohibited. It is unlawful to commercially outfit on this BMA.
- Non-lead ammunition is required.
- Unless otherwise noted, BMA is open to any species legal to hunt with a license or permit during a defined season from August 15 – January 1.
- TO ASSURE YOUR FUTURE HUNTING PRIVILEGES ON THIS PROPERTY, PLEASE OBEY THESE RULES AND RESPECT PRIVATE PROPERTY.

HUNTERS, POLICE YOURSELVES & REPORT ANY APPARENT MISCONDUCT OR VIOLATIONS. BE AWARE THAT PRIVATE LANDOWNERS & STAFF HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO DRIVE ANYWHERE WITHIN BMA BUT WILL ALWAYS ATTEMPT TO STAY AWAY FROM AREAS BEING HUNTED UNLESS NEED/SITUATION DEMANDS OTHERWISE.

## STANDARD BLOCK MANAGEMENT PROGRAM RULES:

- The Block Management Area rules do not apply to federal or DNRC lands that are legally accessible (via public roads or 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.
- In accordance with BMP ARM rule 12.4.205 (k) - On BMA's that restrict hunter numbers or require reservations, a hunter may not reserve permission on more than one BMA for the same day(s).**
- Individual or party hunters may not reserve permission to hunt for more than three days, per phone call, per BMA and may not call more than once per day. Individuals from the same hunting party may not each make reservations for consecutive "three-day blocks" in an attempt to book more than three days for that party.**
- Hunter(s) who fail to call at least 24 hours in advance to cancel a reservation may be banned from that BMA.**
- A cooperater 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, and this will be via a formal letter to the individual(s) from FWP, which will specify the length of the ban, reasons, and complainant.
- PUBLIC ACCESS TO THIS PROPERTY FOR HUNTING IS AVAILABLE DURING SPECIFIED DATES ABOVE. FAILURE TO ABIDE BY THESE BMA RULES MAY RESULT A CITATION BEING ISSUED FOR FAILURE TO OBTAIN LANDOWNER'S PERMISSION FOR HUNTING OR EVICTION FROM THE PROPERTY.

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