The Overland Trail Hunter Management Area is open **August 15 – September 30** to hunt antelope only, in Hunt Area 50, during the antelope season as published in the current Game & Fish Commission Regulations and with the following limitations:

- **Hunting species not listed or other activities such as preseason scouting and antler hunting are prohibited.**
  - Remember, future hunting opportunities depend on compliance with all ranch rules as well as Game and Fish laws and regulations.

- **Each hunter must have a permission slip and a vehicle pass** to the specific hunter management area and species they are hunting. **Anyone without Department permission shall be subject to trespass charges.**
  - Non-hunting/non-permitted persons may accompany a permitted hunter as long as they do not possess a bow or firearm.
  - One permission slip allows a hunter with multiple unused Area 50 pronghorn licenses in their possession to hunt multiple pronghorn during their permitted access period.
  - **You may only receive either an Overland Trail OR a Pass Creek Basin HMA permission slip. DO NOT APPLY FOR BOTH, regardless of the number of licenses held.**

- **Antelope Hunting Access** (Area 50)
  - **Archery & Muzzleloader Seasons:**
    - Twenty-five (25) permission slips are available for August 15 – September 15 and will be given out through random draw. *(Apply online July 8 – August 5. Results available online August 7.)*
  - **Regular (Rifle) Season**
    - Thirty-five (35) permission slips are available for September 16 – 30 and will be given out through random draw. *(Apply online July 8 – August 5. Results available online August 7.)*
    - Unlimited numbers of permission slips are available for September 23 – 30.

- Hunting is by foot or horseback ONLY.
  - **Motorized travel is allowed on established roads ONLY.** When roads are wet or muddy, motorized access is limited to highways and county roads only.

- Portable blinds may be used on a daily basis. Blinds must have the owner’s name and contact information affixed and the blind shall not be left in the field overnight.

- No overnight camping or campfires are allowed.

- Do not litter, it is against the law. No dogs allowed on the hunter management area.

- Do not shoot in the direction of livestock, buildings, roads, windmills, stock tanks, or any object other than the animal you are hunting.

- Do not damage fences, range improvements, or harass livestock. Livestock has the right of way.

- **Report any wildlife violations by calling 1-877-WGFD-TIP (1-877-943-3847).**

- If you harvest an animal on deeded land, deposit the landowner coupon in the drop box or mail to:

  Elk Mountain Consulting LLC
  PO Box 36
  Elk Mountain, WY 82324
The Hunter Management Program, as part of the Wyoming Game and Fish Department’s Access Yes Program, manages hunters on large sections of private lands and, by doing so, preserves hunting opportunities for hunters. A Hunter Management Area (HMA) may refer solely to private lands or a combination of private, state trust, and federal lands within ranch boundaries.

The Overland Trail HMA is located approximately 45 miles northwest of Laramie on property belonging to the Elk Mountain Ranch. As part of the Hunter Management Area agreement, a unique set of Ranch Rules is created cooperatively with the landowner. It is the hunters’ responsibility to know, understand and comply with all Ranch Rules and Game and Fish Commission Regulations. Hunters agree to comply with these rules in order to access the Hunter Management Area. Failure to comply will likely result in fines and/or termination of access privileges.

**ONLY CERTAIN ESTABLISHED ROADS are open to motorized travel on this HMA. Established roads** are defined as “a road or trail which has been graded or constructed to carry motorized vehicular traffic or on which repeated motorized vehicular traffic has created well-defined tracks.”

**Hunters:** Don’t let the illegal riders and gate-busters degrade big game habitat and steal our hunting opportunities.

- Report all illegal off-road abuse!

Contact your game warden or local law enforcement

1-877-WGFD-TIP
(1-877-943-3847)

- Photograph or copy license plate, ORV sticker or VIN
- Photograph vehicle, tracks or other evidence, with identifiable landmarks
- GPS or map location of violation
- Record: When, where, who, and what you saw

Backcountry Hunters & Anglers offers REWARDS for information leading to conviction of anyone abusing public hunting and fishing areas.

Learn more at [www.backcountryhunters.org](http://www.backcountryhunters.org)

Please remember to place your landowner coupon in an HMA drop box or mail it to the landowner soon after your harvest!

The Wyoming Game & Fish Department commends these landowners for their contributions to habitat, sound wildlife management, and hunter access. Hunters should abide by the ranch rules and respect the landowner and the land for continued access opportunities. **Remember, we are guests on their property.**