### ELK MOUNTAIN HUNTER MANAGEMENT AREA

Open November 1, 2023 till January 31, 2024 for the take of Antledess Elk in hunt area 125 during elk specific seasons as published in the 2023 Game and Fish Commission Regulations

### **GENERAL RULES:**

- Each hunter must possess a valid permission slip while in the field.
- Each hunter must display a valid vehicle pass in the window.
- Foot or horseback access is allowed.
- Use certified weed free hay for your horses while on the ranches.
- Leave gates as you find them.
- Non-hunting, non-permitted persons may accompany a permitted hunter with a valid. permission slip and do not possess a firearm.
- No camping and campfires.
- GPS/Mapping Service is highly recommended when accessing this property.
- No littering—carry out everything you bring in.

### **RESTRICTIONS**

- No take of ANY OTHER SPECIES (including predators) or any other activities (including collecting antlers) without landowner permission.
- Preseason scouting is not allowed.
- Access within closed areas (see map) is not allowed.
- Driving on closed roads or behind closed area gates is not allowed.
- Use or construction of blinds or tree stands are prohibited.
- Any commercial activity, including outfitting or guiding is not allowed.
- Do not shoot in the direction of livestock, windmills, roads, stock tanks or buildings.
- Do not damage range improvements or harass livestock.
- Camping on State Trust lands is not allowed.
- No travel through HMA for the take of wildlife not listed on permission slip.
- ORVs or snowmobiles are **not allowed** for pursuing wounded animals.
- Park in designated parking areas only.

# **Elk Mountain HMA SPECIFIC RULES:**

- One permission slip will allow a hunter with multiple valid, unused **area 125** elk licenses in their possession to take multiple elk during their permitted access period.
- Hunters may not apply for more than one access period at time.
- Unsuccessful hunters may only apply for alternating hunt periods.
- Elk Mountain HMA has **limited** permission slips, only valid for one-week periods.
- Access only during dates specified on permission slip for current year.
- Drive on **designated** roads only, abide by all signs and posted areas.
- <u>For game retrieval only</u>, Type 1 ORV's may travel off of established roads and behind road-closed signs, if such travel does no damage to the resources of the rangeland.

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### **AFTER HARVEST**

Please fill out carcass coupon and landowner coupon. If harvested on deeded land, please deposit the landowner coupon in any coupon box on the HMA or mail to the appropriate landowner.

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• CWD samples: Hunters are reminded the Department is collecting CWD samples from deer and elk.

# **DEFINITIONS:**

- <u>TAKE</u>: Means hunt, pursue, catch, capture, shoot, fish, seine, trap, kill, or posses, or attempt to hunt, pursue, catch, capture, shoot, fish, seine, trap, kill or possess.
- Established road: means any road or trail that has been graded or constructed to carry motor vehicles or on which repeated motor vehicle traffic has created well defined tracks.
- <u>Designated road</u>: means only established roads that are marked with a white arrow sign as open to motor vehicles. Roads not marked with a white arrow sign are **closed** to motor vehicles.
- Wet or muddy road: all roads are closed when conditions are wet or muddy.



\*REPORT any wildlife violation by calling 1-877-WGFD-TIP (877-943-3847)\*

