2022 Statewide Deer Permits

Additional Bag Limit Restrictions

Antlerless Mule Deer Harvest Restrictions

- Pine Ridge Unit: No harvest of antlerless mule deer on state or federal public lands.
- Upper Platte Unit: No harvest of antlerless mule deer on all federal and state-owned lands open to public hunting and The Nature Conservancy, Carter Canyon (PRBE), Montz Point (PRBE) and Bead Mountain (PRBE) areas open to public hunting north of NE Hwy. 88 within the Upper Platte Unit.
- Crescent Lake National Wildlife Refuge: Closed to harvest of antlerless mule deer.

Landowner permission required to hunt on private land. Public land restrictions may apply, State Parks, USFWS Refuges and other public lands may require access permits or have additional restrictions, contact managing office for details.

National Wildlife Refuges:

- Fort Niobrara Wildlife Refuge: Archery and Muzzleloader deer hunting allowed. A special access permit is required for muzzleloader hunting during the November Firearm season and the December Muzzleloader season. Applications period for lottery drawing is Aug. 15.-Sept. 15. Contact the Refuge for details at 402-376-3789.
- DeSoto Bend National Wildlife Refuge: Access permit required from DeSoto Bend NWR. Contact refuge at 712-388-4803 for 712-388-4800 for details.

Statutory Refuges:

- Garden County Refuge: Those portions of Garden County within 110 yards of the banks of the North Platte River are open to archery deer hunting from Sept. 1 - Oct. 31 with landowner permission, except: 1) that portion within the Clear Creek Refuge portion of the Clear Creek WMA west of the Garden County line is open to deer hunting during all established deer seasons from Sept. 1 through the Sunday before Thanksgiving. Landowner permission is required.
- Dodge-Saunders County Refuge: Open to all deer hunting. Landowner permission is required.
- Boyd-Holt County Refuge: Open to all deer hunting. Landowner permission is required.
- Lincoln County Refuge: Open to all deer hunting. Landowner permission is required.