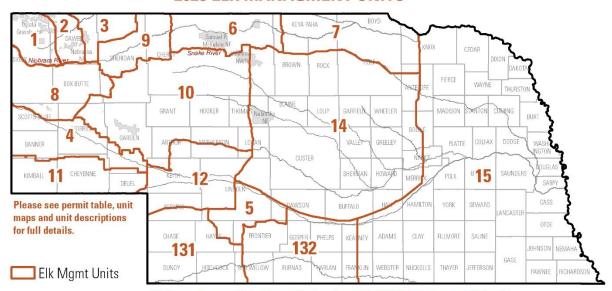
2025 Landowner Elk Management Zones

The Elk Management Unit boundaries changed in 2023. Please reference the map below and find the Unit to view eligible lands included in the landowner zone. Lands are listed by legal description.

2025 ELK MANAGMENT UNITS



All elk permits are valid for the unit they are issued in AND Unit 15 in eastern Nebraska.

Unit 1 – The following lands in Dawes and Sioux counties, except that any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T34N R57W: Sec. 21, 28, 36

T33N R57W: Sec. 1-4, 10-13, 14-16, 22-23, 25-26, 35-36

T33N R56W: Sec. 6-8, 17-19; W1/2 of Sec. 28-29, W1/2 of Sec. 33

T33N R54W: Sec. 12-14, 24-25, 36

T33N R53W: Sec. 18, 32; S ½ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 19 and S ½ of the SW ¼, W ½ of the SE ¼, NE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 20 and N ½ of the NE ¼, SW ¼ of the NE ¼, NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 30. SW¼ of Sec. 33.

T33N R52W: Sec. 15-17, 20-22

T32N R57W: Sec. 1-2, 11-12; SE¼ of Sec. 9, SW¼ of Sec. 10, N½ of Sec. 14

T32N R56W: Sec. 5-18, 23-25, 36

T32N R55W: Sec. 1-3, 7-36

T32N R54W: Sec. 1-36

T32N R53W: Sec. 1-24, 28-31

T32N R52W: Sec. 5-8, 15-22

T31N R55W: W1/2 of Sec. 1, N1/2 of Sec. 2, Sec. 24

T31N R54W: Sec. 1, 3-5, 7, 9, 12, 16-19, 31-35; N½ of Sec. 10 and that portion of Sec. 13 north of U.S. Hwy. 20, N½ Sec. 20, 21-22, NE¼ of Sec. 25

T31N R53W: Sec. 6-7, 20, 28-31; E½ of Sec. 19, and that part of Sec. 18 north of U.S. Hwy. 20

T31N R52W: Sec. 32-33

T30N R54W: Sec. 1-9, 11, 16-18, 19-23, 25; E½ of Sec. 26, N½ of Sec. 27, N½ of Sec. 28, N½ of N½ of Sec. 29

T30N R53W: Sec. 1-4, 7-8, 10-12, 15, 17-23, 25-26, 34-35; N½ of Sec. 9, S½ of Sec. 14, W½ of Sec. 24, E½ of Sec. 28

T30N R52W: Sec. 4-5, 31-32; NE½ of Sec. 27, NW¼ of Sec. 26, portions of the S½ of Sec. 23 and the N½ of Sec. 26 that lies west of U.S. Hwy. 2/71, W½ of Sec. 33

T29N R52W: E½ of Sec. 14, and parts of Sec. 1 that are east of NE Hwy. 2/71

T29N R53W: Sec. 12

Unit 2 – The following lands in Dawes county, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T30N R52W: Sec. 1, 12-13, 24 and those parts of Sec. 2, 11, 14, 23, 25- 26 and 36 east of NE Hwy. 2. T29N R52W: Sec. 3, 4, 9, 15, 23, and that part of Sec. 1 that lies east of NE Hwy. 2. T31N R51W: Sec. 13-17, 20-29, 32-36 T30N R51W: Sec. 1-36 T29N R51W: Sec. 1-5, 8-15, 17, 26-27, and those parts of Sec. 6 and 7 that lie east of NE Hwy. 2 T31N R50W: Sec. 1-136 T30N R50W: Sec. 1-11, 14-22, 27-34 T29N R50W: Sec. 3-7, 14, 22 T32N R49W: Sec. 9-16, 21-23, 26-28, 31-35, and those parts of Sec. 24, 25, and 36 west of U.S. Hwy. 385 T31N R49W: Sec. 1-24, 28-35, and those parts of Sec. 26 and 27 north of Table Road T30N R49W: Sec. 4-6 T31N R48W: Sec. 18-20, and those parts of Sec. 6-8 and 17 west of U.S. Hwy. 385

Unit 3 – The following lands in Dawes and Sheridan counties, except that any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T35N R47W: Sec. 25, 33-36 T35N R46W: Sec. 20, 21, 26, 28-33, 35; N½ of Sec. 27 T35N R44W: Sec. 25-26, 32-35; E½ of Sec. 27, T35N R43W: Sec. 20-23, 26-34 T34N R47W: Sec. 1-3, 10-12, 21, 27-28, 34-35 T34N R46W: Sec. 1-2, 5-9, 11-18, 20, W ½ of Sec. 21, 23-26, W ½ of Sec. 28, E ½ 29, 31-36 T34N R45W: Sec. 2, 7-11, 13-24, 25, 27-33 T34N R44W: Sec. 1-4, 9-31, 34-36; NE¼ and S½ of Sec. 5, NE¼ and the S½ of Sec. 8, W½ of Sec. 32, E½ of Sec. 33 T34N R43W: Sec. 3-8, 18, 30 T33N R48W: Sec. 35-36 T33N R47W: Sec. 1-4, 12-13, 21-36 T33N R46W: Sec. 1-2, 5-35; S½ of Sec. 4 T33N R45W: Sec. 1, 4-10, 12, 14, 17-20, 23, 25-34; S½ of Sec. 3, N½ of Sec. 13, E½ of Sec. 15, NE¼ of Sec. 22, E½ of Sec. 24 T33N R44W: Sec. 1-3, 6-9, 11-14, 16-20, 22, 23, 30-31 T32N R48W: Sec. 1-3, 9-14, 22-26, 30-33, 36 T32N R47W: Sec. 1-32 T32N R46W: Sec. 2-11, 15, 17-20, 29-30 T31N R48W: Sec. 1-3, 5, 10-12, 15; all of Sec. 6 east of U.S. Hwy. 385, N½ of Sec. 13, W½ of Sec. 16, those parts of Sec. 17 that lie east of U.S. Hwy. 385 T31N R47W: Sec. 5-7; 11, S½ of Sec. 18, 29, 28, E½ of Sec. 29, 31-36, S½ of Sec. 14, NW¼ and the N½ of the NE1/4 of Sec. 27 T30N R48W: Sec. 9-12, 15, 23 T30N R47W: Sec. 7-8 T29N R47W: Sec. 10, 15, 22

Unit 4 – The following lands in Banner, Cheyenne, Morrill, Garden and Scotts Bluff counties, except that any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone:

T21N R57W: Sec. 33-35 T20N R57W: Sec. 4-5, 8-9, 34; 35 T20N R56W: Sec. 9-10, 13-17, 20-29, 33-36; SE ¼ of Sec. 19 T20N R55W: Sec. 22; E½ of Sec. 21, W½ of Sec. 23, 30 T19N R57W: N½ of Sec. 1, NE¼ of Sec. 2 T19N R56W: Sec. 4-6, 16-17

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T19N R54W: Sec. 6-7
T19N R48W: Sec. 13; S½ of Sec. 11, S½ of Sec. 12, 35-36
T18N R57W: Sec. 1, 18-20, 24; W1/2 of Sec. 17
T18N R56W: Sec. 16, 19, 24, 25
T18N R55W: Sec. S ½ 17, 20, 21, 29, 30
T18N R54W: Sec. 8-9, 13-15, 17-24, 27-29
T18N R53W: Sec. 13-29, 32-36
T18N R52W: Sec. 1, 10, 12-36
T18N R51W: Sec. 15-21, 28-33; S1/2 of Sec. 9
T18N R49W: Sec. 14, 15, 22, 23
T18N R48W: Sec. 1-3, 11, 22, 26-27, 33; NE¼ and S½ of Sec. 9, N½ of Sec. 15, W½ of Sec. 23
T18N R47W: Sec. 30-31
T17N R57W: Sec. 10, 22, 24-25; S½ and NW1/4 of Sec. 3, W½ of 14, N½ of Sec. 15
T17N R53W: Sec. 1-6, 8-17
T17N R52W: Sec. 1-12, 14-18, 22; N 1/2 Sec. 23, 27
T17N R51W: Sec. 4-10
T17N R50W: Sec. 26
T17N R48W: Sec. 1-3, 11-13, N1/2 of Sec. 14
T17N R47W: Sec. 7-8, 15, 16, 22, 28
T17N R45W: Sec. 8, 15,16,24 and those portions of Sec. 9 south of NE Hwy. 26, portions of section 10 south
   of NE Hwy. 26, portions of Sec. 13 south of NE Hwy 26 and portions of Sec. 14 south of Hwy 26.
T17N R44W: Sec. 30, 32, 33 and Sec. 19 south of NE Hwy 26.
T16N R47W: Sec. 22, 28
T16N R44W: Sec. 18, 19, 26
T16N R43W: Sec. 3,7, 10-11, 14-18, 22-23, 25-27, 34-36; Sec. 14 south of U.S. Hwy. 26
T16N R42W: Sec. 29-32; SW1/4 of Sec. 28
T15N R43W: Sec. 1
T15N R42W: Sec. 5-6, N½ of Sec. 7, 8
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Unit 5 – The following lands in Dawson, Frontier, Hayes and Lincoln counties, except that any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone:

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T13N R26W Sec. 5
T12N R30W: Sec. 24-25, 35-36
T12N R29W: Sec. 9-16, 21-29, 32-36
T12N R28W: Sec. 17-21, 26-36
T11N R30W: Sec. 1-2, 11-15, 24-25, 36
T11N R29W: Sec. 1-5, 8-36
T11N R28W: Sec. 1-36
T11N R27W: Sec. 36
T10N R31W Sec. 33,34,36
T10N R29W: Sec. 1-6, 9-17, 21-29, 32-36
T10N R28W: Sec. 1-36
T10N R27W: Sec. 1-2, 10, 11, 14, 15, 23-35
T10N R26W: Sec. 5-6 8, 15-17, 22-27, 34-36
T10N R25W: Sec. 16, 19-20, 29-31, 34
T9N R31W: Sec. 1-4, 10-14, 21-28, 35-36
T9N R30W: Sec. 1, 12-13
T9N R29W: Sec. 1-7, 8-18, 20-27, 34-36
T9N R28W: Sec. 3-10, 15-22, 27-34
T9N R27W: Sec. 3-4, 6-10, 17-22, 25-26, 28-29, 35-36
T9N R26W: Sec. 1-3
T9N R25W: Sec. 2-3. 9
T8N R31W: Sec. 1-4, 10-15, 22-26, 35-36
T8N R30W: Sec. 5-8, 15-22, 25-26, 29 36
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T8N R29W: Sec. 2, 11 T7N R31W: Sec. 1

T7N R30W: Sec. 2-6, 8-16

Unit 6 – The following lands in Cherry and Keya Paha counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T34N R35W: Sec. 35-36 T34N R34W: Sec. 31-32 T34N R32W: Sec. 13-36 T34N R31W: Sec. 14-23, 25-36 T34N R26W: Sec. 1-6; 8-16, 21-24; N½ of Sec. 7 T34N R25W: Sec. 2-11, 14-21, 23-26, 28, 33-35; N½ & SE¼ of Sec. 22, E½ of Sec. 27, 28, and Sec. 29 west of Sparks River Road and north of the Niobrara River T34N R24W: Sec. 33-34 T34N R30W: Sec. 26-35 T33N R35W: Sec. 1-2, 11-12 T33N R34W: Sec. 4-10, 13-25 T33N R33W: Sec. 19-21, 25-36 T33N R32W: Sec. 1-36 T33N R31W: Sec. 1-36 T33N R25W: Sec. 1, 2 T33N R24W: Sec. 3-4, 9-10, 15 T33N R30W: Sec. 2-11, 14-23, 26-35 T32N R31W: those portions of Sec. 1-6 north of Samuel R. McKelvie National Forest T32N R30W: those portions of Sec. 6 north of Samuel R. McKelvie National Forest

Unit 7 – The following lands in Keya Paha, Brown and Boyd counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T35N R12W: Sec. 22-27, 35-36 T35N R11W: Sec. 19-36 T35N R10W: Sec. 19-21, 28-34 T34N R11W: Sec. 1-2, 12-13 T34N R10W: Sec. 3-11, 14-18 T33N R23W: Sec. 13-14, 23-26, 35-36 T33N R22W: Sec. 18-19, 28-34 T33N R20W: Sec. 26, 34-35 T33N R19W: Sec. 14, 19, 21-23, 30-34 T33N R18W: Sec. 28-29, 32-33 T33N R17W: Sec. 28, 33 North of Niobrara River T32N R23W: Sec. 1-2 North of Niobrara River T32N R22W: Sec. 4-6 all North of Niobrara River, 26-28, 34-35 T32N R20W: Sec. 1-3, 10-15, 20-24 north of the Niobrara River T32N R19W: Sec. 1-22 T32N R18W: Sec. 5-8, 14, 23-25 T32N R17W: Sec. 30, 31 T31N R23W: Sec. 1, 12 T31N R22W: Sec. 3, 10 T30N R21W: Sec. 3, 10-11, 15

Unit 8 – The following lands in Box Butte, Morrill and Sioux counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T28N R52W: Sec. 25-26, 35
T28N R51W: Sec. 30-31
T28N R48W: Sec. 33-34
T27N R52W: Sec. 1-2, 10-11, 36
T27N R51W: Sec. 6, 30-31
T27 R50: Sec. 2, 3, 10
T27N R49W: Sec 11,12
T26N R52W: Sec. 1-4, 11-12
T26N R51W: Sec. 6-7
T25N R50W: Sec. 22, 27
T24N R51W: Sec. S½ 31
T23N R51W: Sec. 5-8, 17-18

Unit 9 – The following lands in Sheridan and Cherry counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T31N R46W: Sec. S½ of Sec. 10, 32, 35
T31N R42W: Sec 2,11,14, 23
T30N R46W: Sec.1-3, 11-12, 24-25
T30N R45W: Sec. 7, 16-18, 19-21, 29-30
T30N R44W: Sec. S½ of 26, 27-28, 31-34; N½ of Sec. 35
T30N R43W: Sec. 15-19, 22, 30-33
T29N R46W: Sec. 20, 29
T29N R44W: Sec 1-4,9,10
T29N R43W: Sec. 3-5
T28N R45W: Sec. 22-23

Unit 10 – The following lands in Cherry county, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T27N R37W: Sec. 9

T27N R36W: Sec. 17, 20, 23-24, 25-27

T26N R37W: Sec. 12-13 T26N R36W: Sec. 4-6, 12-14 T26N R35W: Sec. 8-10, 14, 32-36

T25N R37W: Sec. 1-2,12

Unit 11 – The following lands in Banner, Kimball and Cheyenne counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T17N R56W: Sec. 32-33 T16N R57W: Sec. 17-18 T16N R56W: Sec. 6, 34 T16N R52W: Sec. 4, 11 T16N R51W: Sec. 4-5

T14N R53W: Sec. 11, W1/2 of Sec. 15, N1/2 of Sec. 22

Unit 12 – The following lands in Lincoln, Perkins and Keith counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T13N R37W: Sec. 13, 25, 28, 35, 36 T13N R36W: Sec. 10, 23, 28-29, 30-33

T13N R35W Sec. 22, 27

T13N R34W: Sec. 2-4, 7-10, 15-18

T12N R38W: Sec. 11-12 T12N R37W: Sec. 1-4, 9-24 T12N R36W: Sec. 1, 4, 15, 31 T12N R35W: Sec. 12-13 T12N R34W: Sec. 10-11 T12N R33W: Sec. 7-8, 17-20 T11N R36W: Sec. 6

Unit 131 – The following lands in Dundy counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T3N R40W: Sec. 36

T2N R36W: Sec. 23, 26, 27, 32

Unit 132 – The following lands in Gosper, Dawson, Furnas and Frontier counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T9N R22W: Sec. 24,36 T8N R22W: Sec. 1,2,12

T8N R21W: Sec. 6,8-10,15-17

T7N R22W: Sec. 9,10,15,22,23,26,28,34,35

T6N R25W: Sec. 13, 23-26, 35

T6N R24W: Sec. 11, 14, 17-22, 25, 29-34 T6N R23W: Sec. 17, 20-21, 25, 30-33

T5N R24W: Sec. 3-5, 9

T5N R23W: Sec. 2-5, 8, 10-12

T3N R25W: Sec. 10, 14-16, 21-27, 35-36

T3N R24W: Sec. 30-31 T3N R18W: Sec. 33-35 T2N R18W: Sec. 2, 11

Unit 14 – The following lands in Garfield, Nance, Boone and Custer counties, except any lands owned by the Forest Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, or the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission shall not be included in the zone.

T22N R15W: Sec. 10-15, 21-24, 34 T21N R15W: Sec. 3,4, 8,9,10, 17 T20N R17W: Sec. 17, 20-22, 29, 32 T18N R7W: Sec. 26,27,34-36

T17N R7W: Sec. 20,27,34-T17N R7W: Sec. 3,11,14 T17N R6W: Sec. 3,6-10

Unit 15 – There are no lands included in the Landowner Elk Zone for Unit 15. With no permits allocated specifically for Unit 15, there is no need for a Landowner Elk Zone at this present time.