

PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING OF THE
CARSON CITY ADVISORY BOARD TO MANAGE WILDLIFE

Day: **Tuesday**
Date: **August 11, 2020**
Time: **4:30 p.m.**
Location: **Community Center Bonanza Room, 851 East William Street, Carson City, Nevada.**

NOTICE TO PUBLIC: The State of Nevada and Carson City are currently in a declared State of Emergency in response to the global pandemic caused by the coronavirus (COVID-19) infectious disease outbreak. In accordance with the Governor's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006, which has suspend the provisions of NRS 241.020 requiring the designation of a physical location for meetings of public bodies where members of the public are permitted to attend and participate, public meetings of Carson City will NOT have a physical location open to the public until such time this Directive is removed.

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AGENDA MANAGEMENT NOTICE: Items on the agenda may be taken out of order; the public body may combine two or more agenda items for consideration; and the public body may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time.

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER, DETERMINATION OF QUORUM**
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- 3. PUBLIC COMMENT**** - The public is invited, at this time, to comment on and discuss any topic that is relevant to or within the authority of the Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda.
- 4. For Possible Action: APPROVAL OF MINUTES – June 23, 2020**
- 5. For Information Only: UPDATE AND ACTIVITY REPORT ON THE CARSON CITY URBAN WILDLIFE COMMITTEE.**
- 6. For Information Only: UPDATE FROM THE CHAIR ON THE JUNE 26 AND 27 NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS MEETING.**

7. CONSENT AGENDA: The items listed under the consent agenda are considered routine and may be acted upon by the Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife with one action and without extensive hearing. A member of the advisory board may request an item be pulled for separate discussion and action, but the advisory board chair retains discretion in deciding whether to pull an item from the consent agenda. (For additional information on the items to be considered within this action item, please visit the Nevada Department of Wildlife website at: http://www.ndow.org/Public_Meetings/Com/Agenda/ under agenda and corresponding support material).

7-A. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 493, NAC 488 SIMPLIFICATION.

At its August 14, 2020 meeting the Commission will review the Regulation Simplification Committee's recommendations regarding language updates and simplification of the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 488 relating to watercrafts.

7-B. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 490, PARTY BONUS POINTS AND FIRST COME FIRST SERVE, LCB FILE NO. 103-19.

At its August 14, 2020 meeting the Commission will consider adopting a regulation relating to amending Chapter 502 of the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC). This regulation would allow children under 12 to purchase a bonus point if they turn 12 before the first day of the last season for that species. The regulation also addresses bonus points for sportsmen who apply as a party. Lastly, the regulation would allow a first-come-first-serve opportunity for returned tags that miss the 14-day deadline.

7-C. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 491, NOTIFICATION OF DRAW RESULTS, LCB FILE NO.

R-058-20. At its August 14, 2020 meeting the Commission will consider adopting a regulation amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) NAC 502.4208 relating to providing notification of draw results to clients who have opted out of having their results made public.

7-D. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 492, THERMAL IMAGING OPTICS, LCB FILE NO R035-20.

At its August 14, 2020 meeting, the Commission will consider adopting a regulation amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 503 and NAC 503.1485 relating to wildlife; prohibiting the use of certain night-vision equipment and devices for locating, hunting, and taking game mammals and game birds; revising the definition of “trail camera or similar device”; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

****** END OF CONSENT AGENDA ******

8. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING UPDATE ON THE FALLON NAVAL RANGE AND TRAINING CENTER AND NEVADA TEST AND TRAINING RANGE. At its August 14, 2020 meeting the Commission will provide an update regarding the legislative environmental impact status and timelines for Commission consideration of congressional correspondence relative to wildlife impacts.

9. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING MULE DEER ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM. At its August 14, 2020 meeting, a presentation on the Nevada Mule Deer Enhancement program will be given and the Commission will consider recommendations and may choose to provide direction to the Department on the Nevada Mule Deer Enhancement Program.

10. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING BIG GAME SEASON SETTING. At its August 14, 2020 meeting, a presentation will be given demonstrating the need for the Game Division to begin working with the County Advisory Boards to recommend changes to Big Game Seasons. Big Game seasons will be set in January 2021 for the 2021-22 and 2022-23 seasons. Starting the process now may reduce the time spent discussing changes to the proposed seasons during the January Wildlife Commission Meeting.

11. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING CHANGING THE NOVEMBER MEETING DATE. Discussion and possible action regarding a proposed change of the November 3, 2020 meeting to Wednesday, November 4, 2020, due to the election.

12. For Information Only: ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER COMMITMENT(S) TO THE SEPTEMBER 25 AND 26 COMMISSION MEETING IN LAS VEGAS.

13. For Information Only: FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

14. PUBLIC COMMENT** - The public is invited, at this time, to comment on and discuss any matter that is relevant to or within the authority of the Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife, including any matter that is not specifically included on the agenda as an action item. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda.

15. For Possible Action: ADJOURNMENT

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