

2009

EAST RIVER DEER EAST RIVER LANDOWNER DEER REFUGE DEER MUZZLELOADER DEER

This pamphlet is the license application for:

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Resident East River DeerSept. 4
Nonresident East River DeerOct. 23
Resident & Nonresident Refuge DeerSept. 4
Resident Muzzleloader DeerSept. 4
Nonresident Muzzleloader DeerNO DEADLINE

LANDOWNER PERMISSION REQUIRED

Permission is required to hunt private land in South Dakota. Every year GFP receives complaints from hunters who drew a license and couldn't get permission to hunt private land once the season opened. Applicants are reminded that the purchase of a license does not guarantee the opportunity to hunt privately-owned property. This opportunity must be secured by contacting landowners directly and you are encouraged to make these contacts prior to submitting your application.



SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF
GAME, FISH AND PARKS

APPLY BY COMPUTER AT: www.sdgfp.info/

When you are at the GFP home page, click on the link to *Licenses and Reservations* to apply online for "Limited Issue Licenses." Follow the instructions to complete and submit your application. You will be required to provide all the standard application information, and you will submit the fee using your credit card number.

The end result is your big game application is placed directly into the computer file where licenses are drawn and issued, with no additional handling of a paper application. If you are eligible for preference for a season it will be added automatically. As you grow accustomed to filing electronically, we feel you will find it your most convenient option for applying.

In addition, applicants can access the GFP web site to check the status of their application. Follow the link from Licenses and Reservations that takes you to "Apply for Limited Issue Licenses". Enter/Create your username and password combination, log in, and click on "View Submitted Applications."

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Drawing Statistics Now Available: Applicants may access past drawing results online from the GFP home page. Hold your cursor on "Licenses and Reservations," then click on "License Drawing Statistics" and follow the instructions. The same link is available as an option when you sign into the online application system. Drawing information will be available from past seasons and 2009 information will be available when the drawing is complete.

Residency

To apply for a resident license, a person must:

- Have a domicile within South Dakota for at least 90 consecutive days immediately preceding the date of application for, purchasing, or attempting to purchase any hunting, fishing, or trapping license/permit. A domicile is a person's established, fixed, and permanent home to which the person, whenever absent, has the present intention of returning, and
- Make no claim of residency in any other state or foreign country for any purpose, and
- Claim no resident hunting, fishing, or trapping privileges in any other state or foreign country, and
- Prior to any application for any license, transfer to SD the person's driver's license and motor vehicle registrations.

EXCEPTION: The following persons are eligible for resident licenses:

- Any person who previously had a domicile in SD who is absent due to business of the United States or SD, or is serving in the armed forces of the US, or the spouse of an active duty military person;
- Any person who previously had a domicile in SD who is absent due to the person's regular attendance at a post-high school institution as a fulltime student;
- Any person in the active military of the US or that person's spouse who is continuously stationed in SD;
- Any person who is a patient in any war veterans' hospital within SD;
- Any person who is an employee of the veterans' administration or any veterans' hospital in SD;
- Any person residing on restricted military reservations in SD;
- Any person attending regularly a post-high school institution in SD as a full-time student for 30 days or more immediately preceding the application;
- Any foreign exchange student over 16 years of age attending a public or private high school who has resided in the state for 30 days or more preceding the application;
- Any foreign exchange student who is between the ages of 12 and 16 who has completed the Department of Game, Fish and Parks' course of instruction in the safe handling of firearms and has been issued a certificate of competency upon completion of instruction and who has resided in SD for 30 days or more preceding application for a license;
- Any person who is a minor dependent of a resident of SD.

Termination of Residency

A person (other than a person who fits into one of the previous EXCEPTIONS) is deemed to have terminated their South Dakota resident hunting, fishing, and trapping status if the person does any of the following:

- Applies for, purchases, or accepts a resident hunting, fishing, or trapping license issued by another state or foreign country;

- Registers to vote in another state or foreign country;
- Accepts a driver's license issued by another state or foreign country; or
- Moves to any other state or foreign country and makes it the person's domicile or makes any claim of residency for any purpose in the other state or foreign country.

However, a person who has lawfully acquired a resident hunting, fishing, or trapping license and who leaves the state after acquiring the license to take up residency elsewhere may continue to exercise all the privileges granted by the license until the license expires if the person's respective privileges are not revoked or suspended.

Social Security Number

The last four digits of your social security number is required. The Social Security Number information is required from all U.S. residents before this application will be processed [SDCL 25-7A-56.2]. This information will be kept confidential. The information is required to be in compliance with state law on collection of delinquent child support payments.

South Dakota law prohibits the issuance or renewal of any hunting or fishing license if an individual owes \$1,000 or more in past-due child support unless the individual enters into a repayment agreement with the Dept. of Social Services for payment of the delinquent child support [SDCL 25-7A-56; 25-7A-1(28)]. There is a requirement to enter into a repayment agreement with the Dept. of Social Services even if the individual is presently making child support payments, or if child support is being withheld from wages or income. To enter into the required repayment agreement, individuals must contact the Dept. of Social Services - Office of Child Support Enforcement, 700 Governor's Drive - Kneip Building, Pierre SD 57501, or call (605) 773-6456.

Age Eligibility

- Residents and nonresidents must be 12 years old by Dec. 31, 2009 to hunt.
- Residents under age 16 must successfully complete a HuntSAFE course.
- Nonresidents under age 16 must include the certificate number from their hunter safety card, or a current or previous hunting license issued to them from any state.
- Residents and nonresidents who have not completed the HuntSAFE course at the time of application must use a paper application and leave that information blank on the application form. If drawn, their license will be held until the License Office is notified of the HuntSAFE card number once the course has been successfully completed.

Submitting Fees

You must submit the appropriate license fee to cover the cost of each season applied for on this multiple application form. One check may be written to cover the cost of all seasons you apply for on this form. We recommend the fee be sent in the form of a personal check, but a cashier's check, money order or cash will be accepted. Cash is not recommended. A bad check will void the license. Make checks payable to "South Dakota Game, Fish and Parks." Payment for applications submitted online must be made with a valid credit card (Visa or MasterCard). This credit card will not be charged until, and only if you are successful in the drawing.

Application Rules

- Applications not properly filled out will be returned.
- You may submit only one application per season for the first drawing and receive no more than one license. See "Application Deadlines" for rules allowing additional licenses.
- Applicants applying for differently priced licenses as first and second choice must include the higher fee. You will receive a partial refund if you draw the lower-priced license.
- Licenses may not be transferred to another person.

Group Applications

- Applications with matching first and second choices, submitted in the same group, will be treated as a group application. All applicants will either be successful or unsuccessful in the drawings.
- Applications submitted in the same group with first or second choices that do not match will be treated as individual applications in the drawings, not as a group application.
- No more than six applications may be submitted in the same group.
- An incomplete application voids all other applications in the group.
- Applicants with preference points should be aware when applying with applicants with fewer preference points: Doing so gives all applicants the lowest point represented in the group.
- Residents and nonresidents may apply together in the same group. Either all in the group will be drawn together or all will be rejected. Residents must submit the resident fee and nonresidents must submit the nonresident fee. This is valid only in seasons and units where both resident and nonresident licenses are available for a specific drawing. It should be noted that in most instances, residents who apply with nonresidents will have a diminished chance of drawing a first-choice license.

Resident Landowner/Operator Preference

- Half the resident permits for this season are set aside for resident landowner/operators who apply in the first drawing.
- To be eligible for this preference, the person must 1) own or 2) operate at least 160 acres of private land within the unit applied for as first choice.
- Either the owner or operator/lessee of the land may qualify for this preference. However, both may not claim preference for the same 160-acre property.
- Any member of the immediate family residing with the eligible landowner/operator can claim landowner/operator preference.
- Corporate landowner/operators who reside on and actively participate in and direct the daily workings on the farm or ranch may also qualify for landowner/operator preference.
- Absentee corporate landowners do not qualify for such preference.

Submitting Applications

Applications may be submitted online or on the forms provided in this pamphlet (the forms may be photocopied), and may be mailed in the self-addressed envelopes provided or in the applicant's envelope. Proper postage must be affixed to the envelope to ensure delivery.

Mail to:
Game, Fish & Parks License Office
412 West Missouri Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501.

Successful Applicants

Successful applicants for limited licenses are selected at random by computer lottery.

Unsuccessful Applicants

Unsuccessful applicants will receive a refund check from the State of South Dakota if they applied through the mail by paper application. Each member of a group who applied together will receive a separate refund. Members of a group who sent one check will be responsible for reimbursement among themselves. Those who applied online using a credit card will be charged only if they are successful in the drawing. Those unsuccessful will not be charged and there will be no refund required.

Preference Points

Seasons with a limited number of licenses have a point system for applicants who are unsuccessful on their first choice in the drawing. One point is earned each year the applicant is unsuccessful. Preference is valid on first choices in the first drawing only.

Preference points are automatically credited to an application by the computer system. Preference is maintained by the computer system even if you do not apply the following year. Your preference will still be available for the same season for up to five years. Preference cannot be transferred to another person and is only valid for the first drawing in the applicant's first unit-type choice. If you have any questions about your preference, please contact our Information Office.

NOTE: Applicants who draw a first-choice license and subsequently refuse to take the license will lose all accumulated preference and eligibility.

SEASON APPLICATION INFORMATION

The season/unit/type choice designations apply to both resident and nonresident licenses. Use the entire 8-digit number when filling out "season/unit/type" on the application. The first three digits describe the SEASON you are applying for, the second three digits describe the geographic area and in some cases split season dates, and the last two digits describe the animal for which the license is valid.

Please verify the unit information you record on this application correctly represents the season, area and species you are applying for.

The license fee includes a \$5 surcharge established by the South Dakota Legislature. Surcharge monies are divided evenly between programs for wildlife damage management and public hunting land access, programs that benefit both landowners and hunters. State licenses are valid on private, deeded lands within the exterior boundaries of an Indian reservation. Persons applying to hunt on tribal lands should contact the appropriate tribal office concerning tribal lands and licenses.

EAST RIVER DEER

Season Dates: Nov. 21-Dec. 6.

Conversion to Antlerless Tags: The East River Deer season will reopen from Dec. 26-Jan. 3. All unsold and unfilled "any deer" and "any whitetail" licenses will be changed to their respective antlerless tags. This will include tags that are part of 2-tag and 3-tag licenses. The East River Special Buck licenses also convert and are valid for these extended dates as antlerless deer permits. Information on this process will be available on the GFP website or by calling the Pierre information office.

License Eligibility: Residents are eligible for all units, except those who received an East River Special Buck license are not eligible to apply until the third drawing deadline. Nonresidents are eligible to apply for remaining licenses beginning with the third draw.

Individual License Quota: Applicants may have one license from the first or second drawing, up to five East River Deer licenses through the third drawing and an unlimited number after the third drawing as described under the Application Deadline section below. The East River Special Buck license is included in this total.

Significant Changes: Start date now begins the Saturday before Thanksgiving; conversion to antlerless permits and extended antlerless season now opens the Saturday after Christmas; the combined unit of McPherson, Edmunds, Faulk and Spink counties for the extended antlerless season has been eliminated and hunters must have the specific license for each separate county.

Application Deadlines

First Deadline - Residents only: Paper applications must be postmarked no later than Friday, Sept. 4. Apply online by 8:00 a.m. CDT Tuesday, Sept. 8. One application may be submitted per person for this drawing. Results available online by Sept. 21.

Second Deadline - Residents only: Paper applications must be postmarked no later than Friday, Oct. 9. Apply online by 8:00 a.m. CDT Tuesday, Oct. 13. Residents who do not have a license may submit one application. Results available online by Oct. 16.

Third Deadline - Remaining licenses are pooled and both residents and nonresidents are eligible. Paper applications must be postmarked no later than Friday, Oct. 23. Apply online by 8:00 a.m. CDT Tuesday, Oct. 27. Applicants may apply for additional licenses (5 maximum for this season). Results available online by Oct. 30.

Leftover Licenses - After the third drawing, licenses remaining will be issued first-come, first-served. Licenses are available to individuals whether or not they already have a license. An individual may have an unlimited number of licenses for any unit or combination of units. This process will begin on Oct. 30.

Nonresidents Note: All license numbers listed below are "Resident Only."

No licenses are available to nonresidents until the Third Application Drawing period which opens on Oct. 16. Deadline for applying for leftover licenses is Oct. 23. Nonresident license fees are:

- 1-Tag "Any Deer" or "Any Whitetail" license = \$195.
- 1-Tag "Antlerless Deer" or "Antlerless Whitetail" license = \$55.
- 2-Tag "Antlerless Deer + Antlerless Deer" or "Antlerless Whitetail + Antlerless Whitetail" = \$80.
- 2-Tag "Any Deer + Antlerless Deer" or "Any Whitetail + Antlerless Whitetail" = \$245.
- 3-Tag "Any Deer + Antlerless Deer + Antlerless Deer" = \$245
- 3-Tag "Antlerless Deer + Antlerless Deer + Antlerless Deer" = \$80

Season-Unit-Type Choices:

ERD-01A- MINNEHAHA CO. Note: A portion of this unit is restricted to hunting with shotgun (using slugs) and muzzleloader only. The area is east of I-29, south of I-90 and west of Minnehaha Co. Road 109.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 600 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$15)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 400 licenses (\$25)

ERD-03A- BROWN CO., excluding Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 400 licenses (\$35)
- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 1,600 licenses (\$45)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 1,200 licenses (\$25)

ERD-04A- BEADLE CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 700 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$15)
- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$45)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$25)

ERD-05A- CODINGTON CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 500 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 500 licenses (\$15)

ERD-06A- BROOKINGS CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 600 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$15)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$25)

ERD-07A- YANKTON CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 300 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 150 licenses (\$15)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$25)

ERD-08A- DAVISON CO.

- 11:** Valid for one Any Whitetail. 350 licenses (\$35)
- 13:** Valid for one Antlerless Whitetail. 400 licenses (\$15)

ERD-10A- AURORA CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 50 licenses (\$35)
- 13:** Valid for one Antlerless Whitetail. 200 licenses (\$15)
- 18:** Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 275 licenses (\$45)
- 19:** Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 250 licenses (\$25)

ERD-12A- BON HOMME CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 270 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$15)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$25)

ERD-13A- BRULE CO.

- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 550 licenses (\$45)
- 18:** Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 600 licenses (\$45)
- 19:** Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 500 licenses (\$25)

ERD-14A- BUFFALO CO.

- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and Any Antlerless Deer. 150 licenses (\$45)
- 18:** Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 250 licenses (\$45)

ERD-16A- CAMPBELL CO.

- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 20 licenses (\$45)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 50 licenses (\$25)
- 18:** Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 400 licenses (\$45)
- 19:** Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 300 licenses (\$25)

ERD-17A- CHARLES MIX CO., excluding Lake Andes National Wildlife Refuge.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 250 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$15)
- 11:** Valid for one Any Whitetail. 400 licenses (\$35)
- 19:** Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 350 licenses (\$25)

ERD-18A- CLARK CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 300 licenses (\$35)
- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 500 licenses (\$45)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 700 licenses (\$25)

ERD-19A- CLAY CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 350 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$15)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$25)

ERD-22A- DAY CO., excluding Waubay National Wildlife Refuge.

- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 700 licenses (\$15)
- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 600 licenses (\$45)

ERD-23A- DEUEL CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 350 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$15)
- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$45)

ERD-25A- DOUGLAS CO.

- 18:** Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 350 licenses (\$45)
- 19:** Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 250 licenses (\$25)

ERD-26A- EDMUNDS CO.

- 06:** Valid for one Any Deer and TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 800 licenses (\$45)
- 07:** Valid for THREE Any Antlerless Deer. 600 licenses (\$25)

ERD-28A- FAULK CO.

- 06:** Valid for one Any Deer and TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 700 licenses (\$45)
- 07:** Valid for THREE Any Antlerless Deer. 600 licenses (\$25)

ERD-29A- GRANT CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 450 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 450 licenses (\$15)

ERD-32A- HAMLIN CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 400 licenses (\$35)
- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$45)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 350 licenses (\$25)

ERD-33A- HAND CO.

- 08:** Valid for one Any Deer and one Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$45)
- 18:** Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 450 licenses (\$45)
- 19:** Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 500 licenses (\$25)

ERD-34A- HANSON CO.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer. 300 licenses (\$35)
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$15)

ERD-36A- HUGHES CO., excluding Farm Island Recreation Area, LaFramboise Island, and the strip of Corps of Engineer land from the entrance to Farm Island west through the city of Pierre.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 75 resident licenses (\$35)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 125 licenses (\$25)
- 18: Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 175 licenses (\$45)

ERD-37A- HUTCHINSON CO.

- 11: Valid for one Any Whitetail. 250 licenses (\$35)
- 13: Valid for one Antlerless Whitetail. 200 licenses (\$15)
- 19: Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 250 licenses (\$25)

ERD-38A- HYDE CO.

- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 50 licenses (\$45)
- 18: Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 450 licenses (\$45)
- 19: Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 400 licenses (\$25)

ERD-40A- JERAULD CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 50 licenses (\$35)
- 13: Valid for one Antlerless Whitetail. 200 licenses (\$15)
- 18: Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 275 licenses (\$45)
- 19: Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 200 licenses (\$25)

ERD-42A- KINGSBURY CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 900 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$15)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 400 licenses (\$25)

ERD-43A- LAKE CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 200 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$15)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 150 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$25)

ERD-44A- LINCOLN CO., excluding Newton Hills State Park.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 250 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$15)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$25)

ERD-46A- MCCOOK CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 300 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$15)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 150 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$25)

ERD-47A- MCPHERSON CO.

- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 700 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 500 licenses (\$25)

ERD-48A- MARSHALL CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 400 licenses (\$35)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 400 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 400 licenses (\$25)

ERD-51A- MINER CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 250 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$15)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 225 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 350 licenses (\$25)

ERD-52A- MOODY CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 400 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$15)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$25)

ERD-54A- POTTER CO.

- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 150 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$25)
- 18: Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 450 licenses (\$45)
- 19: Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 250 licenses (\$25)

ERD-55A- ROBERTS CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 500 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 500 licenses (\$15)

ERD-56A- SANBORN CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 250 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$15)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$25)

ERD-57A- SPINK CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 300 licenses (\$35)
- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 800 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 400 licenses (\$25)

ERD-59A- SULLY CO. west of US 83.

- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 150 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$25)
- 18: Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 250 licenses (\$45)

ERD-59B- SULLY CO. east of US 83.

- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 350 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 200 licenses (\$25)

ERD-61A- TURNER CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 250 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 250 licenses (\$15)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 400 licenses (\$25)

ERD-62A- UNION CO.

- 01: Valid for one Any Deer. 350 licenses (\$35)
- 03: Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer. 300 licenses (\$15)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 150 licenses (\$25)

ERD-63A- WALWORTH CO.

- 08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer. 50 licenses (\$45)
- 09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer. 100 licenses (\$25)
- 18: Valid for one Any Whitetail and one Antlerless Whitetail. 400 licenses (\$45)
- 19: Valid for TWO Antlerless Whitetail. 300 licenses (\$25)

ERD-ZZ1- Use this unit designation ONLY as first choice in the first drawing if you wish to apply for this season but NOT receive a license. You will be processed as unsuccessful and will receive the additional preference point for the following year. The \$5 nonrefundable fee is required. This unit choice will not be valid in a second or third drawing.

- 99: 0 licenses available (\$5)

Sportsmen Against Hunger

GFP is cooperating with Sportsmen Against Hunger (SAH) to assist in paying most or all fees for commercial processing of antlerless deer and doe/fawn antelope donated to the SAH program for needy families. Some things to remember include:

- Hunters may donate any deer or antelope, however only antlerless deer and doe/fawn antelope are eligible for the processing assistance. The cost of processing buck deer or antelope will be the responsibility of the donor. Deer donated to the SD Sportsmen Against Hunger program must be harvested in SD.
- Processing certificates (available free from participating processors) will be worth \$50 for donated antlerless deer and \$40 for donated doe/fawn antelope. It is anticipated that most processors will accept this amount as full payment for processing donated antlerless deer or doe/fawn antelope.
- A list of participating processors will be available on the GFP website in Sept. Click on the "Sportsmen Against Hunger Program" link under "Get Involved" at www.sdgifp.info.

You can support this program by making tax-deductible financial contributions when you submit your license application.

LANDOWNER EAST RIVER DEER

Landowner Eligibility: Resident landowner/operators who have not been issued an East River Deer license that allows the harvest of a buck may purchase a landowner/operator license to hunt on their own land only. Landowners may purchase one Any Deer license or a license that has one Any Deer plus one Antlerless Deer tag.

Hunting Unit: Applicant's land or land leased for agricultural purposes by the applicant. The land must be within the area open for hunting as described in this application form.

License Requirements:

--To be eligible for this license the person must own or operate at least 160 acres of private land within the area open for hunting.

--Either the owner or operator/lessee of the land may qualify for this license. However, both may not claim the same 160-acre property.

--Any member of the immediate family residing with the eligible landowner/operator may purchase these licenses.

--Corporate landowner/operators who reside on and actively participate in and direct the daily workings on the farm or ranch may also purchase the licenses.

--Absentee corporate landowners do not qualify.

Application Period: Licenses will be issued beginning Sept. 26 through the end of the season.

Season Dates: The same as the regular East River Deer season dates, including the extended antlerless season dates.

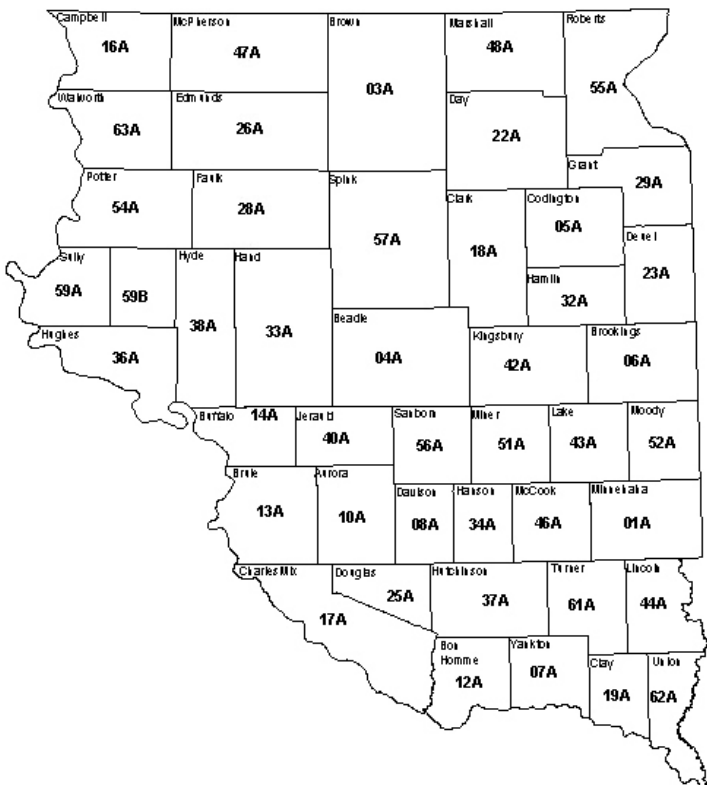
Season-Unit-Type Choices:

LED-ER1- Landowners property located with units open to hunting during the East River Deer season.

01: Valid for one Any Deer. Fee=\$20.

08: Valid for one Any Deer plus one Any Antlerless Deer. Fee=\$25.

EAST RIVER DEER UNIT MAP



REFUGE DEER

License Eligibility: Residents and nonresidents are eligible.

Individual License Quota: Applicants may have one license from the first or second drawing, up to five licenses through the third drawing and an unlimited number after the third drawing as described under the Application Deadline section below.

Antlerless Permits: On Sand Lake Refuge only, all unused or unsold licenses are valid as antlerless permits from Jan. 1-3.

Application Deadlines

First Deadline - Paper applications must be postmarked no later than Friday, Sept. 4. Apply online by 8:00 a.m. CDT Tuesday, Sept. 8. One application may be submitted per person for this drawing. Results available online by Sept. 21.

Second Deadline - Paper applications must be postmarked no later than Friday, Oct. 9. Apply online by 8:00 a.m. CDT Tuesday, Oct. 13. Persons who do not have a license may submit one application. Results available online by Oct. 16.

Third Deadline - Paper applications must be postmarked no later than Friday, Oct. 23. Apply online by 8:00 a.m. CDT Tuesday, Oct. 27. Remaining licenses are pooled. Residents and nonresidents may apply for additional licenses (5 maximum for this season). Results available online by Oct. 30.

Leftover Licenses - After the third drawing, licenses remaining will be issued first-come, first-served to both residents and nonresidents that apply either online or by mailing in a paper application. This process will begin on Oct. 30.

Season-Unit-Type Choices:

SAND LAKE REFUGE

RFD-SL1- Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge, muzzleloader only, Nov. 14-18.

08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer.

40 resident licenses (\$45); 4 nonresident licenses (\$245)

09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer.

10 resident licenses (\$25); 1 nonresident licenses (\$80)

RFD-SL2- Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge, Nov. 19-23.

08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer.

40 resident licenses (\$45); 4 nonresident licenses (\$245)

09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer.

10 resident licenses (\$25); 1 nonresident licenses (\$80)

RFD-SL3- Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge, Nov. 24-29.

08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer.

40 resident licenses (\$45); 4 nonresident licenses (\$245)

09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer.

10 resident licenses (\$25); 1 nonresident licenses (\$80)

RFD-SL4- Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge, Nov. 30-Dec. 6.

08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer.

40 resident licenses (\$45); 4 nonresident licenses (\$245)

09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer.

10 resident licenses (\$25); 1 nonresident licenses (\$80)

RFD-SL5- Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge, Dec. 7-13.

08: Valid for one Any Deer and one Any Antlerless Deer.

40 resident licenses (\$45); 4 nonresident licenses (\$245)

09: Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer.

10 resident licenses (\$25); 1 nonresident licenses (\$80)

LACREEK REFUGE

RFD-LC1- Lacreek National Wildlife Refuge, muzzleloader only, Oct. 21-27.

- 11:** Valid for one Any Whitetail Deer.
15 resident licenses (\$35); 2 nonresident licenses (\$195)
- 13:** Valid for one Antlerless Whitetail Deer.
5 resident licenses (\$15); 1 nonresident license (\$55)

RFD-LC2- Lacreek National Wildlife Refuge, muzzleloader only, Nov. 25-Dec. 1.

- 11:** Valid for one Any Whitetail Deer.
15 resident licenses (\$35); 2 nonresident licenses (\$195)
- 13:** Valid for one Antlerless Whitetail Deer.
5 resident licenses (\$15); 1 nonresident license (\$55)

WAUBAY REFUGE

RFD-WA1- Waubay National Wildlife Refuge and Waubay State Game Refuge, muzzleloader only, Nov. 13-17.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer.
20 resident licenses (\$35); 2 nonresident licenses (\$195)

RFD-WA2- Waubay National Wildlife Refuge and Waubay State Game Refuge, muzzleloader only, Nov. 18-22.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer.
20 resident licenses (\$35); 2 nonresident licenses (\$195)

RFD-WA3- Waubay National Wildlife Refuge and Waubay State Game Refuge, Nov. 23-Dec. 6.

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer.
20 resident licenses (\$35); 2 nonresident licenses (\$195)

RFD-ZZ1- Use this unit designation ONLY as first choice in the first drawing if you wish to apply for this season but NOT receive a license. You will be processed as unsuccessful and will receive the additional preference point for the following year. The \$5 nonrefundable fee is required. This unit choice will not be valid in a second or third drawing.

- 99:** 0 licenses available (\$5)

MUZZLELOADER DEER

Season Dates: Dec. 12 - Jan. 31.

Conversion to Antlerless Tags: From Jan. 1-31 all "any deer" tags convert to "antlerless deer" tags.

License Eligibility: Residents are eligible for a limited pool of "any deer" permits. Nonresidents may apply for only the unlimited pool of "antlerless deer" permits.

Individual License Quota: Applicants may have up to five Muzzleloader Deer licenses as described under the Application Deadline section below.

Special Requirements: Hunters must wear fluorescent orange. Muzzleloading rifles must shoot a .44 caliber or larger bullet. Muzzleloading pistols are not legal. Hunters must use muzzleloader rifles with open or peep sights, and may not use smokeless powder.

NOTE: Sand Lake National Wildlife Refuge, Lacreek National Wildlife Refuge, Lake Andes National Wildlife Refuge, LaFramboise Island Nature Area, Custer State Park, and the Fort Meade Bureau of Land Management South Unit and the signed portion of the North Unit are closed to general muzzleloading deer hunting.

Significant Changes: Applicants may have up to five Muzzleloader Deer licenses as described under the Application Deadline section below.

Application Deadlines

First Deadline - Paper applications must be postmarked not later than Friday, Sept. 4. Apply online by 8:00 a.m. CDT Tuesday, Sept. 8. One application may be submitted per person for this drawing. Results available online by Sept. 21.

Leftover Licenses - After the drawing, licenses for Type 03 and Type 09 licenses will be processed and mailed. Applicants may have a maximum of five licenses for this season.

Season-Unit-Type Choices:

MZD-ST1- Statewide (limit one license of each type for this unit).

- 01:** Valid for one Any Deer.
1,000 resident licenses (\$35)
0 nonresident licenses
- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer.
Unlimited resident licenses (\$15);
Unlimited nonresident licenses (\$55)

MZD-LM1- All areas open to the Muzzleloader Deer season, except Black Hills Fire Protection District, Roberts Co., Grant Co., Codington Co., Lake Co., Moody Co., Minnehaha Co., Turner Co., and Lincoln Co.

- 03:** Valid for one Any Antlerless Deer.
Unlimited resident licenses (\$15)
Unlimited nonresident licenses (\$55)
- 09:** Valid for TWO Any Antlerless Deer.
Unlimited resident licenses (\$25)
Unlimited nonresident licenses (\$80)

MZD-ZZ1- Use this unit designation ONLY as first choice in the first drawing if you wish to apply for this season but NOT receive a license. You will be processed as unsuccessful and will receive the additional preference point for the following year. The \$5 nonrefundable fee is required. This unit choice will not be valid in a second or third drawing.

- 99:** 0 licenses available (\$5)

Examples:

- If you draw the MZD-ST1-01 license you are eligible to purchase up to four additional Muzzleloader Deer licenses. Of those four licenses, only one may be a statewide antlerless license (MZD-ST1-03).
- You may purchase one MZD-ST1-03 license and have four additional licenses from any combination of MZD-LM1-03 and MZD-LM1-09.
- You may purchase five licenses consisting of any combination of MZD-LM1-03 and MZD-LM1-09 licenses.



MZD-LM1 Hunting Unit: All areas open to Muzzleloader Deer season, except Black Hills Fire Protection District, Roberts Co., Grant Co., Codington Co., Lake Co., Moody Co., Minnehaha Co., Turner Co., and Lincoln Co.

■ = MZD-LM1 Hunting Unit

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

CONTACT US:

License Office
412 W. Missouri
Pierre, SD 57501

Phone
605/773-3485
605/773-3393
TTY: 605/773-3381

Office Hours
Monday - Friday
8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

GFP Web Address
www.sdgfp.info/

- 1. Season/Unit/Type Choices:** Fill in your unit-type choice from the choices provided with each season. Check the box next to the season in which you are claiming landowner/operator preference. The second choice, for those seasons that allow a second choice, is optional. You may apply for multiple seasons with this form. For example, you may apply for Black Hills Elk on one line, CSP Elk the next, Prairie Elk the next and Archery Elk on the next. You would only need to fill out one form and provide one check to cover the cost of all applications. Please remember, if you are applying together in the same envelope with other individuals, all unit choices must be identical or the application will be rejected.
- 2. Land Operator Preference:** If you qualify for and want landowner/operator preference, you must provide the legal description of the land that qualifies you. By completing the land descriptions below, you are declaring that you qualify for landowner/operator preference as explained under APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS of this document and are applying for a license using that requirement. Nonresidents do not qualify for landowner/operator preference. Landowner preference applies to first choice only for a specific season.
- 3. Residency:** Check the appropriate box to indicate that you qualify and are applying as a resident, or applying as a nonresident.
- 4. Social Security Number:** Last four digits only. This information is required by state law and applications that do not include the SSN will be rejected. See information under "application requirements." You will also need to use this number to find out your success in the drawing on the GFP website.
- 5. Date of Birth:** Enter your date of birth, month first, followed by day and year. For example, a birth date of March 8, 1971, would be entered 03-08-1971.
- 6. Driver License or Identification Card Number:** If you possess one, please enter your driver's license number, even if it duplicates your Social Security Number. Residents over age 16 without a driver's license must enter your state-issued and expiration-dated South Dakota ID card number. Include the two-letter abbreviation for the state or province your driver's license was issued from. Youth without a driver's license or ID card number, see instruction No. 8.
- 7. Print Name:** Print your complete name, with FIRST NAME first, followed by middle initial and last name. Leave a space between each.
- 8. HuntSAFE Card Number:** This number must be entered for resident youth ages 12-15. Nonresident youth are required to use their hunter safety card number or the number of a current or previous hunting license issued to them from any state. If the hunter safety course has not been taken at the time of application, but will be completed before the hunt, leave this blank. If drawn, the license will be held until the License Office is notified of the HuntSAFE card number after the course has been successfully completed.
- 9. Mailing Address:** Licenses and refunds will be mailed to the address provided on the application. Those returned as "undeliverable" will be held in the License Office until a correct address is provided.
- 10. Height:** measured in feet and inches. **Weight:** registered in pounds.
- 11. Phone Number:** Enter your daytime phone number. This information is kept confidential and is used only for contacting and/or surveying hunters.
- 12. E-mail Address:** This information is optional, but is helpful if there is a need to contact or send updates on information. We request that you fill this out if you have a personal e-mail address.
- 13. Archery Applicant Information:** All big game archery applicants under age 16, all first-time archery applicants, and all archery elk applicants must be able to answer the first question "YES" and provide their National Bowhunter Education certificate number. All other archery hunters must either be able to answer the first question "YES" and provide your certificate number or answer the second question "YES" and provide the state and year when you last were licensed.
- 14. Gender:** Check the appropriate box.
- 15. Mailing List Opt-Out:** Applications are considered "public record" and from time to time the Game, Fish and Parks Commission receives requests from groups and businesses for these names and addresses. If you wish to keep your name from appearing on these lists, you may check this box. You will still be included in official GFP mailings such as season surveys.
- 16. Suspended Privileges:** Any person who has had hunting, fishing or trapping privileges revoked or suspended in any state or country may not purchase a license for or exercise that same privilege in South Dakota during the period of the revocation or suspension.
- 17. Donate To TIPs or SAH:** You may make a donation to the Turn In Poachers (TIPs) or Sportsmen Against Hunger (SAH) programs by checking one of the blanks at the bottom of the application and including an amount greater than the license fee in your payment. Any amount over the license fee will be donated to the selected program when one of the boxes is checked. If neither of the boxes is checked, the overpayment will be refunded. Your contributions are tax deductible.
- 18. Sign Application:** This application must be signed to be valid. A parent or guardian must sign the application for youth under age 16. Applications that are not signed will not be processed for a license.

Review your application form to make certain all required information is completed and accurate. Carefully tear or cut the one page form from this pamphlet, and mail the application to:

Game, Fish & Parks License Office
412 West Missouri
Pierre, SD 57501

BIG GAME APPLICATION FORM



Please follow instructions on the opposite side of this page. Detach and mail this completed page with the appropriate fee.

DO NOT MARK IN THIS BOX For Office Use Only

You may apply for multiple seasons with this form. You must first read the attached information and follow application instructions. Applications with errors will be rejected.

You may find the most convenient method is to apply using the online system offered by GFP at its website: www.sdgifp.info. Click on the link that invites you to apply for limited license seasons and follow the instructions. Your application will be submitted directly into the license lottery system without mail time or further handling. If errors occur, you will be prompted to correct them before proceeding.

Print all information one letter or number per box. Do not tape, staple or paper clip forms and fees.

1 Season/Unit/Type choices (May apply for multiple seasons on this form and make one payment) Check the box(s) where landowner/operator preference applies. Place description below.

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2 Landowner/Operator preference: Land described must be within the first choice unit to qualify for this preference.

Section	Township	Range	County	Description for first landowner/operator preference selection.
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3 Check One: I qualify as a South Dakota resident I am applying as a nonresident

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Mailing Address (Street, Box Number, Rural Route)			
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Height	Weight	Phone Number	
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E-mail Address			

13 Archery applicant information:

I have completed the National Bowhunter Education Foundation course Yes No Certificate Number: _____ OR
 I have previously held a big game archery license in South Dakota, in another state or in a Canadian province: Yes No
 State or province _____ Year _____

14 Gender: M F

15 Check the box to remove your name from non-GFP mailing lists

16 Indicate below if any of your hunting, fishing or trapping privileges are under revocation or suspension in any state or country:

Which privileges are under suspension or revocation: Hunting Fishing Trapping

Which state or country has imposed the revocation or suspension _____

What is the time period of the revocation or suspension _____

I declare these statements to be true and correct and that I meet the qualifications for the license for which I am applying. I declare that for the license privileges I am applying for I am not presently under revocation or suspension in any state or country and understand any false statement or misrepresentation in this application subjects me to criminal prosecution.

17 Donate my overpayment to Sportsmen Against Hunger
 Donate my overpayment to Turn In Poachers

18 _____
 APPLICANT SIGNATURE (parent or guardian if applicant under 16) DATE