

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

Day: **Monday**
Date: **January 23, 2023**
Time: **5:30 p.m.**
Location: **Community Center Bonanza Room**
851 East William Street, Carson City, Nevada.

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DISCLOSURES: Any member of the advisory board with a conflict of interest on an agenized item or relative to advisory board business should inform the chair of the member's conflict of interest prior to the meeting. Conflicts of interest must also be disclosed at the time a specific agenda item is introduced.

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 (CCABMW). No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda.**

4. **For Possible Action: APPROVAL OF MINUTES – OCTOBER 31, 2022**
5. **For Information Only: UPDATE AND ACTIVITY REPORT ON THE CARSON CITY URBAN WILDLIFE COMMITTEE.**
6. **For Information Only: UPDATE FROM THE CHAIR ON NOVEMBER 4 AND 5, 2022 NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS' MEETING.**
7. **FOR DISCUSSION ONLY: REPORTS – INFORMATIONAL**
The following items are informational and for discussion only. No action may be taken by the Board. Any item requiring Board action will be scheduled on a future Board agenda.
- 7-A. **DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY REPORT** – At its January 27, 2023 meeting, a report will be provided on Nevada Department of Wildlife activities. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.
- 7-B. **LITIGATION REPORT** – At its January 27, 2023 meeting, a Deputy Attorney General will present a litigation report on the Nevada Department of Wildlife litigation. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment on the litigation.
- 7-C. **LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT**- At its January 27, 2023 meeting, a report will be provided on the recent Legislative Committee meeting. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.
- 7-D. **WILDLIFE HERITAGE ACCOUNT REPORT** – At its January 27, 2023 meeting, a report will be provided on the funds available (interest and principal) for expenditure from the Heritage account in the upcoming year and an update on available principal balance. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.
- 7-E. **DRAFT FISCAL YEAR 2024 PREDATION MANAGEMENT PLAN** – At its January 27, 2023 meeting, the draft Fiscal Year 2024 Predation Management Plan will be presented to the Commission for initial review. Following this review, the draft plan will be updated and shared with the State Predatory Animal and Rodent Committee (PARC). All comments from the PARC, County Advisory Boards to Manage Wildlife, and any other interested entity will be compiled and shared with the Wildlife Damage Management Committee (WDMC) for their consideration at their March 2023 meeting. The Commission will receive an update at the March 2023 meeting from the Wildlife Damage Management Committee and may provide additional direction at that time. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.
- 7-F. **WESTERN ASSOCIATION OF FISH AND WILDLIFE AGENCIES MID-WINTER CONFERENCE (WAFWA)**- At its January 27, 2023 meeting, a report will be provided summarizing the events and important news from the conference. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.

- 7-G. HABITAT CONSERVATION FRAMEWORK PRESENTATION-** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, an update will be provided on the status of the Habitat Conservation Framework and associated Sagebrush Habitat and Wildlife Connectivity Plans. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.
- 7-H. AVI KWA' AME NATIONAL MONUMENT REPORT-** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, an update will be provided on the Avi Kwa' Ame (Spirit Mountain) National Monument, near Laughlin. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.
- 7-I. NAVAL AIR STATION (NAS) FALLON RANGE TRAINING COMPLEX-** At its January 2023 meeting, an update will be provided on the passage of legislation expanding the NAS Fallon Range Training Complex. The CCCABMW may desire to offer public comment.
- 8. 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 an 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).
- 8-A. For Possible Action: DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO ELECT A CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR FOR THE CARSON CITY ADVISORY BOARD TO MANAGE WILDLIFE FOR THE 2023 CALENDAR YEAR.**
- 8-B. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO CHANGE THE CARSON CITY ADVISORY BOARD TO MANAGE WILDLIFE MEETING DAY FROM MONDAY AT 5:30PM TO TUESDAY AT 5:30PM.** A recommendation was made to change the meeting day from Monday at 5:30pm to Tuesday at 5:30pm for all future Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife meetings to accommodate the members and public who wish to attend.
- 8-C. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION POLICY 11 – HERITAGE GRANTS – SECOND READING.** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will have a second reading of Commission Policy 11 and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy.
- 8-D. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION POLICY 23 – PREDATION MANAGEMENT – SECOND READING.** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will have a second reading of Commission Policy

23 and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy.

- 8-E. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION POLICY 61 – WATER RIGHTS – THIRD READING.** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will have a third reading of Commission Policy 61, Water Rights, and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy.
- 8-F. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION POLICY 62 – MITIGATION POLICY – SECOND READING.** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will have a second reading of Commission Policy 62 and may make any necessary changes and may decide to repeal, revise, or adopt the policy.
- 8-G. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 500, SUBDIVISION MAP REVIEW.** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will hold a second workshop to consider amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 278 to provide for the Department review of tentative subdivision map(s) and inclusion of recommendations for methods to avoid or minimize impacts to wildlife, mitigation measures, best management practices or required design features, and provide for collection of associated fees to the Department for carrying out such reviews.
- 8-H. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 506, POSSESSION OF GOLDEN EAGLES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.** At its January 27, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will hold a second workshop to consider amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 503 to allow for the possession of a golden eagle under certain circumstances.
- 8-I. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 502, JUNIOR HUNT AND TURKEY PROGRAM.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 502 to limit the number of successfully awarded tags in the junior hunt program. The regulation also removes hard close dates for submitting a turkey harvest return card and allows for junior turkey bonus points to convert to the adult point category once a junior is ineligible to participate in the junior hunt turkey program.

- 8-J. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION GENERAL REGULATION 509, LICENSE AND VESSEL PRODUCT REFUNDS.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve amending Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 502 and 488 to allow the Department authority to provide refunds on licenses and vessel products.
- 8-K. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-04, 2023-2024 AND 2024-2025 BIG GAME SEASONS.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 hunting season and dates for mule deer, pronghorn antelope, elk, bighorn sheep, and mountain goat, including limits, hunting hours, special hunt eligibility, animal sex, physical characteristics, hunt boundary restrictions, and legal weapon requirements, and emergency depredation hunt structure and statewide quota.
- 8-L. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION regulations 23-05, 2023 BLACK BEAR SEASON.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 hunting season dates, open management units, hunting hours, special regulations, animal sex, legal weapon requirements, hunt boundary restrictions, and dates and times for indoctrination courses for black bear.
- 8-M. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-06, 2023-2024 MOUNTAIN LION SEASON AND HARVEST LIMITS.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023-2024 mountain lion hunting season open units, harvest limits by unit group, hunting hours, and special regulations.
- 8-N. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-07, 2023-2024 RESTRICTED NONRESIDENT GUIDED MULE DEER SEASONS AND QUOTAS.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023-2024 hunting seasons and quotas for restricted, nonresident, guided mule deer including hunt boundary restrictions.
- 8-O. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-01, 2023 APPLICATION DEADLINES & DRAW RESULT DATES.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may

take action to approve the 2023 big game, upland, and waterfowl application deadlines and related information.

- 8-P. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-08, 2023 BIG GAME TAG APPLICATION ELIGIBILITY AND TAG LIMITS.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 big game tag application eligibility and tag limits and related information.
- 8-Q. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-09, 2023 DREAM TAG.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 Dream Tag species, seasons, and quota.
- 8-R. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-10, 2024 HERITAGE TAG SEASONS AND QUOTA.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2024 Heritage Tag species, seasons, and quota.
- 8-S. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-11, PARTNERSHIP IN WILDLIFE TAGS.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 Partnership in Wildlife tags hunt species, seasons, and quota.
- 8-T. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NEVADA BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS REGARDING COMMISSION REGULATION 23-12, 2023 SILVER STATE TAGS.** At its January 28, 2023 meeting, the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners will consider and may take action to approve the 2023 Silver State tag species, seasons, and quota.

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

- 9. For Information Only: ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER COMMITMENT(S) TO THE JANUARY 27 AND 28, 2023 MEETING AND MARCH 10 AND 11, 2023 MEETING.**
- 10. For Information Only: FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS.**
- 11. 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 in the agenda as an action item.**

No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda.

12. For Possible Action: ADJOURNMENT

*** PUBLIC COMMENT LIMITATIONS - The Carson City Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife will provide at least two public comment periods in compliance with the minimum requirements of the Open Meeting Law prior to adjournment. Public comment will be limited to three minutes per speaker to facilitate the efficient conduct of a meeting and to provide a reasonable opportunity for comment from all members of the public who wish to speak. Testimony from a person who is directly involved with an item, such as City staff, an applicant, or a party to an administrative hearing or appeal, is not considered public comment and is not subject to the three-minute time limitation. No action may be taken on a matter raised under public comment unless the item has been specifically included on the agenda as an item upon which action may be taken.*

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