FW: ACTION: For RM Consideration – CB20-612497 – District of Invermere

From: Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX

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To: Saigeon, Lyle FLNR:EX <Lyle.Saigeon@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX <Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>, Tedesco, Lisa M FLNR:EX

<Lisa.M.Tedesco@gov.bc.ca>, Snow, Marsha FLNR:EX

<Marsha.Snow@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: December 14, 2020 12:16:30 PM PST

Attachments: image001.jpg

Hello Lyle, this is a controversial permit and I think we should use your signature if that's OK. I have reviewed the draft permit and it looks good. Irene confirmed they want to cull up to 30 deer.

Marsha I updated the hyperlinks and references in the draft permit.

Thanks,

Patrick

From: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene. Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: December 14, 2020 10:16 AM

To: FLNR Fish & Wildlife Permit Clerks Cranbrook FLNR:EX <fw.cbk@gov.bc.ca>; Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX

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Subject: RE: ACTION: For RM Consideration - CB20-612497 - District of Invermere

DOI will be conducting urban deer count this week.

They asked me when the permit would be finalized. Please contact them and let them know or provide me with a time estimate and I will reply to them.

Thank you

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From: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX

Sent: November 26, 2020 1:18 PM

To: FLNR Fish & Wildlife Permit Clerks Cranbrook FLNR:EX <fw.cbk@gov.bc.ca>; Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX

<Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: ACTION: For RM Consideration - CB20-612497 - District of Invermere

HI everyone

I have left a message with DOI as we need to finalize the number of deer on the permit.

Also I would like them to conduct an urban count prior to us finalizing the permit.

Also all any new staff members doing this work require training.

Thanks

Irene

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From: FLNR Fish & Wildlife Permit Clerks Cranbrook FLNR:EX <fw.cbk@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: November 13, 2020 2:33 PM

To: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: ACTION: For RM Consideration – CB20-612497 – District of Invermere

Hello Irene: Could I please have your Regional Manager consideration on this draft Permit.

NOTES:

- I used issued permit CB19-583136 as the base for the draft; compared it to our current blank templates; made any requried revisions; a few grammatical corrections and minor 'tweaks' to some wording;
- I kept the wording to include incidental White-tailed Deer even though the application was only for Mule Deer;

- I need:

- 1) The total number of Mule Deer to be referenced in the permit on page 1;
- 2) Updated website links for Appendix C page 8; Appendix E page 13; Appendix F page 15; Appendix G page 17; none of the existing links worked for me.

Supporting Documents/Info found here: District of Invernere - 2020

- Application
- Draft Permit CB20-612497
- COORS District of Invermere No History
- REPORTS: See Table Below

Permit #	Permit Term	Rpts Req'd	Rpt Info Rcv'd
CB14-140587	Oct 7/14 – Mar 31/17	2014 – 2015	Yes
		2015 – 2016	Yes
		2016 - 2017	No
CB17-281334	Dec 1/17 – Mar 31/18	2017 -2018	No
CB18-405260	Permit Not Issued	n/a	n/a
CB19-583136	Dec 1/19 – Mar 31/20	2019 -2020	Yes

If you require anything further, just let me know.





Marsha Snow - Fish & Wildlife Permit Administrator, Front Counter BC Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Developmen 1902 Theatre Road / Cranbrook BC V1C 7G1

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RE: permit

From: FLNR Fish & Wildlife Permit Clerks Cranbrook FLNR:EX <fw.cbk@gov.bc.ca>
To: Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX <Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca>, Teske, Irene FLNR:EX

<Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: January 13, 2021 10:15:32 AM PST

Attachments: ISSUED: General Wildlife Permit - CB20-612497 (District of Invermere)

Hello All, This issued authorization was sent to the client's email referenced on their application. It was emailed on December 15, 2020. Please refer to attached document.

Regards, Marsha

From: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene. Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: January 13, 2021 10:28 AM

To: Snow, Marsha FLNR:EX <Marsha.Snow@gov.bc.ca>; Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX <Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca>; FLNR Fish

& Wildlife Permit Clerks Cranbrook FLNR:EX <fw.cbk@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: permit

FYI

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From: Kindry Luyendyk < corporateservices@invermere.net>

Sent: January 13, 2021 10:27 AM

To: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: permit

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Hi Irene,

Just checking in again about the permit again. It seems a little later this year, although without the snow cover it wouldn't be great right now anyways.

Kindry Luyendyk Corporate Officer District of Invermere 250-342-9281 x1228

From: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene. Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: December 14, 2020 10:15 AM

To: Kindry Luyendyk < corporateservices@invermere.net >

Subject: RE: permit

Hi Kindry

Will check into permit.

Thank you

Irene

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From: Kindry Luyendyk < corporateservices@invermere.net >

Sent: December 12, 2020 4:11 PM

To: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: permit

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Hi Irene,

We are going to be conducting a deer count this week, but I just realized that we have not received our permit yet. Do you have any information on when we will be hearing?

Kindry Luyendyk Corporate Officer District of Invermere 250-342-9281 x1228

ISSUED: General Wildlife Permit - CB20-612497 (District of Invermere)

From: FLNR Fish & Wildlife Permit Clerks Cranbrook FLNR:EX <fw.cbk@gov.bc.ca>

To: cao@invermere.net

Sent: December 15, 2020 2:14:58 PM PST Attachments: CB20-612497.pdf, image001.jpg

Hello Kindry: Please find your issued General Wildlife Permit; take a moment to read over the terms and conditions

within it.

If you have any questions, just let me know.

Tell us about your experience with FrontCounter BC: Complete an Online Comment Card





Marsha Snow - Fish & Wildlife Permit Administrator, Front Counter BC Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Developmen 1902 Theatre Road / Cranbrook BC V1C 7G1

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WILDLIFE ACT PERMIT CB20-612497

PERMIT HOLDER	District of Invermere
	914 – 8 th Avenue
	Box 339
	Invermere BC V0A 1K0
	ATTENTION: Kindry Luyendyk
	PHONE: 250-342-9281

IS AUTHORIZED UNDER s. 2(c)(iii), 2(p) and 2(w) of the Permit Regulation, B.C. Reg. 253/2000,

ТО	Hunt, trap or kill up to a combined total of 30 Mule Deer (<i>Odocoileus hemionus</i>) or incidental White-tailed Deer (<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>), during the open or closed season, as the regional manager considers it necessary for the proper management of the wildlife resource.
	The right of property in 30 dead Mule Deer (<i>Odocoileus hemionus</i>) or White-tailed Deer (<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>), harvested under this permit, is transferred from the government to the permit holder.
	Possess and distribute up to 30 Mule Deer (<i>Odocoileus hemionus</i>) or White-tailed Deer (<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>) game meat, harvested under this permit, to persons in need of sustenance.

SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING:

DATE OF ISSUE	December 15,	Lyle Saigeon Acting Deputy Regional Manager Recreational Fisheries & Wildlife Programs	PERMIT FEE Exempt HCTF SURCHARGE						
PERIOD OF PERMIT	This permit is only valid from December 15, 2020 to March 31, 2021								
COMPLIANCE	Failure to comply with any term of this permit is an offence under the <i>Wildlife Act</i> , and may result in any or all of prosecution, suspension of the permit, cancellation of the permit, ineligibility for future permits, and denial of future permit requests.								
TERMS OF PERMIT	This permit is only valid within the municipal boundaries of the District of Invermere, British Columbia. The permit holder must comply with the terms in Appendix A.								

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APPENDIX A TERMS OF PERMIT

PERMIT CB20-612497

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. The permit holder must maintain an accurate up to date record of the wildlife hunted, trapped or killed under the permit, which includes the following information:
 - a) the common name of the wildlife;
 - b) the location* where the wildlife was taken;
 - c) the date the wildlife was hunted, trapped or killed;
 - the sex and age class of the wildlife taken;
 - e) fate of wildlife (destroyed or released)

NOTE: A blank reporting form (Appendix D) is attached to this permit for your convenience.

- 2. In addition to the above information, the following is also required to be submitted with the record referred to in paragraph 1:
 - a) the ID number of the deer (number which serves as a unique identifier);
 - b) the health status of the wildlife taken;
 - c) the use of the carcass (First Nations, Food Bank, other or landfill)

NOTE: A blank reporting form (Appendix D) is attached to this permit for your convenience.

- The permit holder must submit the original record referred to in paragraph 1 and 2 to FrontCounter BC, Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development (MFLNRORD) within 21 days after the expiry of the permit. A pdf copy of Appendix D must be forwarded to MFLNRORD Cranbrook Wildlife Regional Biologist.
- 4. The permit holder must produce a copy of the record referred to in paragraph 1 on the demand of an officer.
- 5. The permit holder must keep an accurate up to date record of contact information of each First Nations person or agency and/or Food Bank accepting game meat and the amount (lbs or kg) of game meat distributed to each individual and/or agency and produce this record on demand of an officer.
- 6. The permit holder must prepare and submit an annual summary report to the Cranbrook Wildlife Branch, office outlining results of urban deer population monitoring methods (i.e. annual counts, aggressive deer complaints) and cull and recommendations concerning the operational and logistical details and effectiveness of the cull within 3 months of the expiry of the permit.

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

- 1. The permit holder must comply with all laws applicable to the activities carried out under this permit.
- 2. This permit extends to the permit holder's employees, volunteers or contractors, ONLY when they are engaged in the direct performance of their duties on behalf of the permit holder.
- 3. The permit holder must ensure that each person authorized by this permit, carries a copy of this permit on their person when conducting the activities under this permit.

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^{*}approximate address, nearest street intersection

- 4. The permit holder must ensure that each person undertaking activities authorized by this permit, follows the approved methodology attached in Appendix C.
- 5. The permit holder must ensure that each contractor under this permit holds a valid British Columbia hunting licence.
- 6. The permit holder must not authorize to act under this permit, any person who has been convicted of an offence under the Wildlife Act in the previous 5 years, unless the permit holder first obtains prior written approval from the Regional Manager, Recreational Fisheries and Wildlife Programs, Kootenay-Boundary Region.
- 7. The permit holder must ensure that each person harvesting Mule Deer (Odocoileus hemionus) or White-tailed Deer (Odocoileus virginianus), under the authority of this permit, ensures that game meat deemed unsuitable for human consumption by the permit holder, is disposed of in a landfill specified for this purpose and also must ensure that it is disposed of in a manner that does not endanger humans or the environment.
- 8. The permit holder must ensure that each person authorized to undertake activities under this permit, takes all reasonably necessary steps to ensure that public safety is not jeopardized and fish or wildlife habitat is not damaged by any action taken under authority of this permit.
- 9. The permit holder must ensure that each person authorized to undertake activities under this permit, ensures that the wildlife are treated as humanely as possible during all phases of the project.
- 10. The permit holder must conduct annual urban deer counts within urbanized city limits. The urbanized area must be divided into survey zones. Each zone must be surveyed for deer simultaneously. Counts should occur in the fall to better determine sex and age of deer. Please refer to attached data sheet (Appendix H).

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APPENDIX B ADVISORY

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GENERAL

- > It is the permit holder's responsibility to be aware of all applicable laws and the limits of this permit. For example, this permit does not give the permit holder authority to access or travel though any private land without permission from the landowner.
- The Province is not liable for any illness contracted through wildlife handling. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to inform themselves of possible health hazards, and to ensure that all reasonably necessary safety measures are undertaken.
- If applicable, the permit holder is responsible for renewing his or her own permit. The issuer is not obliged to send a reminder notice.

LEGISLATION

Below is a non-exhaustive list of provisions under the *Wildlife Act* and regulations that are relevant to this permit. It is the permit holder's responsibility to be aware of any provisions under the Act or regulations that may apply to this permit.

Wildlife Act

Property in Wildlife

- 2 (1) Ownership in all wildlife in British Columbia is vested in the government.
 - (2) A person does not acquire a right of property in any wildlife except in accordance with a permit or licence issued under this Act or the *Game Farm Act* or as provided in subsection (3) of this section.
 - (3) A person who lawfully kills wildlife and complies with all applicable provisions of this Act and the regulations acquires the right of property in that wildlife.
 - (4) If a person by accident or for the protection of life or property kills wildlife, that wildlife, despite subsection (3), remains the property of the government.
 - (5) Despite anything in this Act, no right of action lies, and no right of compensation exists, against the government for death, personal injury or property damage caused by
 - (a) wildlife, or
 - (b) an animal that escapes or is released from captivity or is abandoned in British Columbia

Hunting and licences

- 11 (1) A person who hunts wildlife commits an offence unless the person holds all of the following:
 - (a) a hunting licence issued to the person under this Act;
 - (b) any limited entry hunting authorization that is required by regulation;
 - (c) any other licence that is required by regulation;
 - (d) any other permit that is required by regulation.
- 11 (8) A person commits an offence if the person traps fur bearing animals unless he or she holds a trapping licence.

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Import and export of wildlife

- 21 (1) Except as authorized by a permit issued under this Act or under the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora, a person commits an offence if the person
 - a) imports into British Columbia live wildlife, or the egg of a wildlife species, or
 - b) exports out of British Columbia wildlife or parts of them, or the egg of a wildlife species.

Trafficking in wildlife

22 A person who traffics live wildlife or wildlife meat, except as authorized by regulation or a permit, commits an offence.

Possession of wildlife

33 (2) A person commits an offence if the person has dead wildlife or a part of any wildlife in his or her possession except as authorized under a licence or permit or as provided by regulation.

Accidental killing of wildlife

- **75** (1) A person who kills or wounds wildlife, other than prescribed wildlife, either by accident or for the protection of life or property, must promptly report to an officer
 - (a) the killing or wounding, or
 - (b) the location of wildlife.
 - (2) A person who fails to report as required under subsection (1) commits an offence,

Documents not transferable

- **81** Except as authorized by regulation or as otherwise provided under this Act, a licence, permit or limited entry hunting authorization is not transferable, and a person commits an offence if the person
 - (a) allows his or her licence, permit or limited entry hunting authorization to be used by another person, or
 - (b) uses another person's licence, permit or limited entry hunting authorization.

Failure to pay fine

- 85 (1) This section applies if a person
 - (c) fails to pay, within the time required by law, a fine imposed as a result of the person's conviction for an offence under this Act or the *Firearm Act*, and
 - (d) has been served with notice of this section.
 - (2) In the circumstances referred to in subsection (1),
 - (a) the person's right to apply for or obtain a licence, permit or limited entry hunting authorization under this Act is suspended immediately and automatically on the failure to pay the fine,
 - (b) all licences, permits and limited entry hunting authorizations issued to that person under this Act are cancelled immediately and automatically on the failure to pay the fine,
 - (b.1) the person must not apply for employment as an assistant guide,
 - (b.2) the person must not guide as an assistant guide, and
 - (c) the person commits an offence if, before that fine is paid, the person $% \left(x\right) =\left(x\right) +\left(x\right)$
 - (i) applies for, or in any way obtains, a licence, permit or limited entry hunting authorization under this Act,
 - (ii) does anything for which a licence, permit or limited entry hunting authorization under this Act is required,
 - (iii) applies for employment as an assistant guide, or
 - (iv) guides as an assistant guide.

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Proof of identity and authorization

- **97** (1) In this section, "**authorization**" means a licence, permit or limited entry hunting authorization issued under this Act.
 - (2) Subject to subsection (5), a person who is required to hold an authorization must, on the request of an officer,
 - (a) state the person's name and address,
 - (b) produce prescribed photo identification, and
 - (c) demonstrate in accordance with subsection (3) that the person holds the authorization.
 - (3) A person may demonstrate that the person holds an authorization by
 - (a) producing the authorization, or
 - (b) unless the regulations require that the original authorization be produced,
 - (i) producing a legible copy of the authorization, or
 - (ii) if authorized by the regulations, stating a number assigned to the person by the director as an identification number for the person.
 - (4) Subject to subsection (5), a person who would be required to hold a licence or permit issued under this Act were the person not exempt under section 11 (9) or 12 (b) must, on the request of an officer,
 - (a) state the person's name and address, and
 - (b) produce prescribed photo identification.
 - (5) Subsections (2) (b) and (4) (b) do not apply to a person in a prescribed class of persons.
 - (6) A person who contravenes subsection (2) or (4) commits an offence.

Permit Regulation

General offence - failure to comply with permit

8 A person who holds a permit under the Act or the Permit Regulation commits an offence if he or she fails to comply with a term of the permit.

Application of section 33 (2) of the Act

- 15 (1) For the purposes of section 33 (2) of the Act, it is not an offence for a person to possess
 - (g) dead wildlife or wildlife parts under a permit issued under section 2 (p) or (x) if the person has the permit in his or her possession.

Wildlife Act Commercial Activities Regulation

Trafficking prohibited

- 2.09 (1) A person commits an offence by trafficking in dead wildlife or a part of wildlife
 - (4) Subsection (1) does not apply to
- (d) dead wildlife or a part of wildlife respecting which a permit has been issued under section 2 (p), (x) or (y) of the Permit Regulation, B.C. Reg. 253/2000, if the person who has the right of property or possession in the wildlife or part retains the permit as evidence of that right

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Wildlife Act General Regulation

Proof of identity

- 21.01 (1) For the purposes of section 97 (2)(b) and (4)(b) of the Act, the following photo identification is prescribed:
 - (a) valid photo identification issued to a person by any of the following:
 - (i) the government of Canada;
 - (ii) the government of a province or territory, or an agent of the government of a province or territory, in which the person has a current address;
 - (iii) the Nisga'a Lisims Government, if the person is a Nisga'a citizen;
 - (iv) a treaty first nation, if the person is a treaty first nation member of the treaty first nation;
 - (b) in the case of a person who is a non-resident alien, valid photo identification in the form of
 - (i) a passport, or
 - (ii) a driver's licence issued to the person by a foreign jurisdiction in which the person has a current address;
 - (c) in any case, a valid NEXUS card.
 - (2) For the purposes of section 97 (5) of the Act, persons under 16 years of age are prescribed as exempt from the requirement to produce photo identification.



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APPENDIX C APPROVED METHODOLOGY

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The primary objective of the urban deer cull under this permit is to reduce urban mule deer population levels to improve human safety and decrease the number of aggressive deer conflicts and complaints. The removal of white-tailed deer is not the objective of this project as majority of aggressive deer complaints in this community involve mule deer. However it is understood that incidental capture of white-tailed deer may occur. Modified Clover traps must be located in urban areas dominated by mule deer, especially where complaints and conflicts of aggressive deer have occurred.

CAPTURE GUIDELINES

- Wildlife will be captured using modified, baited Clover traps and killed humanely with captive bolt guns. Modified Clover traps, bolt guns and other related equipment are provided by the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development.
- Authorized contractors will be required to complete a 1 2 day training course on correct bolt gun
 and trap use, along with training on inspecting, handling and preparing game carcasses for human
 consumption. Instruction will be provided by the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource
 Operations and Rural Development, Wildlife Veterinarian and staff of Interior Health (refer to
 Appendix E and F)
- Contractors must follow the Standards for the Donation of Game Meat attached in Appendix E and Wildlife Fact Sheet: Meat Spoilage and Proper Field Dressing of Wild Game in Appendix F and Guidelines for the Safe Transportation of Carcasses, Poultry and Meat Products in Appendix E.
- The District of Invermere is to provide planned trap locations to the Kootenay-Boundary Conservation Officer Service (COS) prior to the planned trapping taking place so that COS and possibly the RCMP can provide necessary support, if required;
- Regular communication, at least 2x per week, between municipal and provincial representatives and contractors must be maintained during trapping process to ensure ongoing dialogue on the achievement of goals.

Method of capture:

- Two (2) contractors will quickly collapse each Clover trap with the deer inside and dispatch the animal immediately and humanely with a bolt gun;
- Contractors promptly re-establish the trap from its collapsed state, open the gate and move the deer onto a plastic sled for transfer to a waiting vehicle; deer must not be visible while in the vehicle;
- Killed deer must be bled as soon as possible (within 15 minutes) of using the bolt gun:
- Bleeding method will be instructed by Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development staff prior to trapping process (refer to Appendix E and F);
- Deer must be bled into a container to maintain a clean site and the animal will be transported in a vehicle for dressing and processing as soon as possible;
- Contractors then move onto the next trap location;
- To reduce stress of deer, capture of deer will take place when dark prior to daylight; traps will be locked either open or closed during daylight hours;
- Trap sites will be established on private property with permission from landowner.

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GAME MEAT PROCESSING GUIDELINES:

- Field dressing site and methods must be discussed and approved by MFLNRO staff prior to the start of trapping project (refer to Appendix E and F); field dressing must be done within 1 hour of death.
- Killed deer will be transported to an Interior Health approved cut-and wrap facility with hide on (Appendix G)
- Method of meat processing and /or distribution must be discussed and approved by MFLNRO staff prior to trapping (refer to Appendix E and F); a qualified journeyman meat cutter must be used to process meat.
- Skins and carcass parts will be saved for First Nations use, if requested;
- Heads of adult deer will be saved, appropriately labeled and bagged and transported to Cranbrook MFLNRO for Chronic Wasting Disease sampling;
- Inspection of game meat will take place during field dressing and meat processing to determine human consumption suitability. All carcasses must be processed in a cut-and-wrap facility approved by the Regional Heath Authority in accordance with the Meat Inspection Regulation, Food Premises Regulation and the provincial *Guideline for Cutting and Wrapping of Uninspected Meat and Game in Approved Food Premises* (Appendix G);
- Acceptable game meat will be distributed to First Nations (1st priority) and then to provincially permitted Food Banks;
- Meat not suitable for human consumption will be processed for disposal according to general condition 7 specified in Appendix A.



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- The permit holder MUST maintain an accurate up-to-date record.
- > The permit holder MUST submit the original copy of this report to the FrontCounter BC within 21 days of the permit's expiry or annually as indicated in "Appendix A –

Terms of Permit - Reporting Requirements" of this permit.

> The permit holder must produce a copy of this record on the demand of an officer

ID Number (Unique Identifier)	Species	Date wildlife was taken	Location * where wildlife was taken *(Nearest street intersection)	Sex	Age (Adult or fawn)	Health Status	Fate of wildlife (destroyed or released)	Use of carcass (ie First Nations, Food Bank, other or landfill)
				☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	☐ Good ☐ Poor		
				☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	□ Good □ Poor		
				☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	☐ Good ☐ Poor		
				☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	☐ Good ☐ Poor		
				☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	□ Good □ Poor		
			DD	☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	☐ Good ☐ Poor		
			DK	☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	□ Good □ Poor		
				☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	□ Good □ Poor		
			T	☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	□ Good □ Poor		
			八刀	☐ Male ☐ Female	☐ Adult ☐ Fawn	□ Good □ Poor		

Signature of Permit Holder – District of Invermere	Date

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Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development
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APPENDIX E

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STANDARDS FOR THE DONATION OF GAME MEAT

Introduction

The Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development (MFLNRORD) may permit B.C. communities to cull game animals within their jurisdiction and to donate the meat. These standards apply to situations in which wild ungulates are culled for management purposes and meat is subsequently made available through a donation system.

All meat derived from these culls has been processed by approved facilities and must be donated to individuals or families for their personal consumption only, or to food bank intermediaries.

Background

Economically disadvantaged individuals and families may have challenges in obtaining high quality and nutritious food. Donated food, particularly the high protein and low fat meat obtained from game animals, can greatly increase the diversity and nutritional quality of recipients' diets. As such, the benefits of donating wild game meat to economically disadvantaged individuals and families can outweigh any disadvantages or costs such a program may entail.

Consumers of donated game meat may lack the knowledge necessary to ensure the meat is safe for human consumption. To reduce the risk to human health presented by unsuitable meat, parasites or diseases, donation programs for culled game meat should be delivered by personnel trained and experienced in assessing game meat quality that follow the standards in this document.

Donation of game meat must comply with those sections pertaining to sanitation and food hygiene of the Meat Inspection Regulation and the Food Premises Regulation.

When culled game animal carcasses and meat are made available through a donation system, the following standards apply. These standards do not apply to uninspected meat from domestic farm animals or from game animal carcasses from hunts. The Meat Inspection Regulation applies to all domestic farm animal slaughter, except those intended for personal consumption by the animal's owner, their immediate household and immediate family.

Definitions

Wild ungulates – include deer, elk or moose only. These are also referred to as "game animals" or "game meat" in this document.

Food bank - means a non-profit organization that

- a) operates with the exclusive intent of feeding the hungry, and
- b) receives, holds, packages, repackages or distributes food to be consumed off the premises but does not process food.

Food premises – means any place where food intended for public consumption is sold, offered for sale, supplied, handled, prepared, packaged, displayed, served, processed, stored, transported or dispensed.

Cull – means the hunting or humane killing of game animals as a means of population management or control that is authorized by a permit obtained from the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development.

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Animal – is defined in the Meat Inspection Regulation as "an animal raised for food." This definition does not apply to wild game animals or their meat.

Zoonotic organisms – are organisms carried by animals that can cause disease in humans.

Training program – is a one-day workshop conducted by the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development that provides individuals with the knowledge needed to examine, handle and prepare game carcasses for human consumption, and to understand the risk presented by the contamination of meat and the presence of zoonotic organisms. Individuals will receive a letter of recognition upon completion of the training program.

Standards

- Donated game meat must be from carcasses that are inspected in the field by individuals who have completed the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development training program, and have determined the meat to be fit for human consumption. The training program provides individuals with the knowledge required to inspect, handle and prepare game carcasses for human consumption, and to understand the food safety risks presented by contamination and/or the presence of zoonotic organisms.
- Animals must be killed humanely and exsanguinated (bled) as soon as possible after death. Internal
 organs must be removed as quickly as possible (field dressed) to allow rapid cooling of the carcass.
- To limit carcass contamination, it is recommended that the hide be left intact for transport and that all steps are taken to promote cooling of the carcass. These steps are outlined in the Wildlife Health Fact Sheet: Meat Spoilage and Proper Field Dressing of Wild Game.
- Carcasses must be transported to a cut-and-wrap facility approved by the regional Heath Authority, and received as soon as possible.
- All carcasses must be processed in an approved cut-and-wrap facility in accordance with the Meat Inspection Regulation, Food Premises Regulation and the provincial *Guideline for Cutting and Wrapping* of Uninspected Meat and Game in Approved Food Premises. The operator of the approved cut-and-wrap facility will also inspect the game carcasses to ensure they are not diseased, unwholesome, spoiled or otherwise unfit for human consumption.
- A carcass must be clearly labeled as "Not Government Inspected Not for Resale" or other similar words
 to the satisfaction of an Environmental Health Officer, in accordance with the Guideline for Cutting and
 Wrapping of Uninspected Meat and Game in Approved Food Premises. A carcass may also require
 additional labeling information, including the type of animal, date of cull and harvest area. This should be
 confirmed with your regional Health Authority.
- Game meat must be properly chilled to and held at 4°C (40°F) or colder, or frozen at -18°C (0°F) or colder until pickup by or delivery to the designated recipient.
- Game meat must always be protected from contamination and be handled, prepared, stored and transported in a sanitary manner.
- The transportation and transfer of ownership of game carcasses must comply with all directions detailed within a permit issued by the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development.
- Game meat will not be donated to soup kitchens, charitable organizations or any facility in which
 compliance with the Food Premises Regulation is required. The use of wild game meats is contrary to
 the Food Premises Regulation, which requires that foods come from an "approved source" (meat must
 be slaughtered in a federally or provincially inspected facility).

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Safety Precautions

Live and dead wild game animals can carry organisms including viruses, bacteria and parasites that could cause illness in humans. Precautions to minimize the human health risks to those handling or consuming game meat must be taken at all stages, including:

- Documenting and physically identifying carcasses with abnormalities.
- Using basic personal protective equipment (e.g., gloves and protective clothing) when handling live animals and carcasses.
- Proper handling of carcasses to prevent contamination, especially from gastrointestinal or fecal matter.
- Washing hands and exposed portions of arms thoroughly before and after handling carcasses or meat, and always before eating.
- Ensuring proper food handling and preparation techniques are used. These include:
 - Separate prevent contact between raw meats and ready-to-eat foods
 - Chill keep meat at or below 4 °C (40 °F)
 - Cook make sure all meat is cooked to 74 °C (165 °F)
 - Clean wash hands and equipment after use

Further detail on potential pathogens and specific safety precautions is found in the references below: Diseases You Can Get from Wildlife and Meat Spoilage and Proper Field Dressing of Wild Game – Wildlife Health Fact Sheet.

If you need clarification, please contact your regional Health Authority.

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APPENDIX F

WILDLIFE HEALTH FACT SHEET MEAT SPOILAGE AND PROPER FIELD DRESSING OF WILD GAME

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This fact sheet gives an overview of a condition known as *meat spoilage* or *bone-sour meat* and how to avoid it. This is one of the most common complaints of meat quality by hunters but it is easy to avoid.

The terms above refer to meat from harvested wild game that undergoes bacterial growth after death leading to unpleasant changes in colour, texture and smell that can put human health at risk. Hunting can occur during warmer weather which further predisposes to meat spoilage and more effort is needed to avoid meat wastage and reduce the potential risk to public health. Even under cold weather conditions, larger animals like bison, moose, and elk, can spoil within hours unless the animal is cooled by proper field dressing, including hide removal. Although most hunters are well aware of how to avoid meat spoilage, there are many new hunters in BC and some may not have this basic information.

Hunting is an important part of big game management in BC and reducing waste and maximizing the use of the harvested meat is key to keeping hunting and eating game meat safe. Proper field dressing techniques can almost completely prevent meat spoilage and are easy to do if a few simple rules and principles and some simple equipment are used.

Rules:

- 1. Cool the animal immediately
- 2. Keep it clean
- 3. Keep it dry, well ventilated and cool!

Equipment needed:

- Paper towels for drying
- Rubber/latex gloves for your protection
- Sharp knives for skinning, boning and basic hunting knives
- Saw/hatchet to split and quarter the animal.
- Cheese cloth type bags to cover the animal to keep flies off, for boned meat or quarters
- Ropes and pulleys for hanging the carcass and meat
- · Cover cloth or natural material to exclude birds and small animals
- Bleach, disinfectant to wash up
- · Coolers or ice containers

Basic Field Dressing Techniques:

- 1. Recover your animal after shooting as quickly as possible.
- 2. Go ahead and take photographs but get to work on the animal quickly to ensure good meat quality.
- 3. Cool the carcass/meat <u>as quickly as possible</u>, heat supports the growth of bacteria that are responsible for meat spoilage or decomposition.
 - a. Cool means you need to reduce the temperature from 100 F down to 70 or 80 F as quickly as possible in the first hour and then continue the cooling process.
 - b. The first hour is critical because bacteria grow very well at 90-100 F.
 - c. Hang the carcass from a tree if you can to speed up the cooling process.
- 4. Wear disposable or clean gloves when field dressing.

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- 5. Make sure the animal is bled out, cut the throat to ensure it is complete.
- 6. Make sure any tools, knives, axes or saws you use are clean. Rinse off your tools frequently in a bleach solution while you are gutting, skinning and cutting up your animal.
- 7. Remove the internal organs, they will hold heat for a long time if left inside. Remove the windpipe and esophagus, these parts are key sites for meat spoilage.
- 8. Ensure good ventilation to speed up heat loss. Prop open the body cavity with a small stick to allow air movement.
- 9. Use paper towels to wipe out the carcass and scrape or trim away blood clots or areas of tissue damage from around wounds to avoid contamination.
- 10. Skin the animal as quickly as possible, especially in warm weather.
- 11. Keep exposed meat as dry as you can; moisture increases the chance of bacteria growing.
- 12. Protect the carcass from flies, feces or debris from the environment. The best way to keep flies away is to pack meat in good-quality cloth game bags. Some prefer cotton or canvas bags, while some prefer cheesecloth that will allow air flow. Make sure it fits loosely around the meat.
 - The objective is to keep the meat cool, dry and loosely packed so that it stays cool while transported.
 - b. If you spend the night outdoors, hang the meat in a tree, so that it will stay cool and dry and away from scavengers.
 - c. If the weather is warm, cover loosely with the game bags and include ice containers when you are ready to transport it. Using plastic bags or tarps to wrap a carcass is not advised since they hold heat, allowing bacteria to grow and leading to meat spoilage. Move the meat to a cool site, preferably cold storage or a butcher for cutting, as quickly as possible.

You will not get a replacement licence if your meat was spoiled or became contaminated as a result of improper handling of the meat.

***If you harvest a large ungulate, it should be split down the spine as soon as practical to assist in cooling the thickest part of the animal (this has been an area of spoilage for Roosevelt Elk).

***If a large ungulate must be left overnight in the bush due to unforeseen reasons, the animal should be completely skinned (after gutting) and be kept off the ground (ie. with logs) so air can circulate to aid in cooling the carcass.

There are many resources within the hunting community with further information on methods of field dressing. Just remember the basics, be safe and enjoy your hunt and your memories in the field and in the dining room! Feel free to call with your questions.

Dr. Helen Schwantje, Wildlife Veterinarian

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Wildlife Health website: https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/plants-animals-ecosystems/wildlife-health

Chronic Wasting Disease website: https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/plants-animals-ecosystems/wildlife/wildlife-health/wildlife-diseases/chronic-wasting-disease

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APPENDIX G

GUIDELINE FOR CUTTING AND WRAPPING OF UNINSPECTED MEAT AND GAME IN APPROVED FOOD PREMISES

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INTRODUCTION

The following guideline provides recommendations on the cutting and wrapping of uninspected meat and game in approved food premises (e.g., butcher shops).

Uninspected meat and game is defined as:

- Meat from an animal that was slaughtered by its owner or a third party in an unlicensed facility and is intended for personal consumption by the owner.
- Meat from a Class D or Class E provincially licensed slaughter establishment.
- Game meat that is slaughtered outside of a Class A or Class B licensed slaughter establishment.

This guideline has been developed to ensure that inspected meat in BC is not contaminated.

GUIDELINE

An approved food premises that provides cut-and-wrap services for uninspected meat and/or game should be able to demonstrate compliance with the general sanitation provisions of the Food Premises Regulation. In addition, an approved food premises should also provide evidence that the following criteria have been provided for in order to ensure the safe operation of their facility.

- A carcass presented to the premises should be clean and wholesome, and protected from contamination. Uninspected meat should not be accepted into a premises if it is contaminated or is otherwise unfit for human consumption,
- 2) It is recommended that a carcass is presented to the premises with the hide on in a timely fashion. Leaving the hide on can help to limit carcass contamination during transport.

When a carcass is delivered with the hide on, it is important that the operator of the premises is properly trained or experienced in skinning, splitting and cleaning carcasses. Many operators provide a skinning and splitting service for carcasses with the hide on. This should be confirmed with the premises prior to delivery.

It is also important that the carcass is kept clean and well protected during transport to the premises, in accordance with the sanitary and food hygiene requirements found in the *Guidelines for the Safe Transportation of Carcasses*, *Poultry and Meat Products*,

- Only cut-and-wrap can be done on uninspected meat and game in the premises. Other types of processing are not permitted,
- 4) Uninspected meat and meat product derived from an uninspected carcass must be clearly labeled with the name and contact information of the owner of the carcass or meat and must be identified as "Not Government Inspected - Not for Resale" or other similar words to the satisfaction of an Environmental Health Officer.
- 5) Uninspected meat and meat products should be segregated from inspected meat at all times, including by providing either a separate cooler or a cooler equipped with floor to ceiling screens,

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- 6) Processing of uninspected meat and meat products should not take place at the same time when inspected meat or meat products are being processed,
- 7) All equipment and utensils used in the processing of uninspected meat and meat products should be cleaned, washed and sanitized immediately upon completion of the processing of the uninspected meat, and prior to being used for the processing of inspected meat,
- 8) All animal waste and drainage from the operation of the premises should be disposed of in a sanitary manner. In general, the sanitary and food hygiene outcomes for the disposal of animal waste and drainage found in the *Abattoirs Code of Good Practice Critical Design, Operational and Equipment Guidelines for Licensed Abattoirs* should be followed,
- 9) The operator should supply a written food safety and sanitation plan that demonstrates how the above criteria will be effectively implemented and controlled.

REFERENCES

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APPENDIX H

PERMIT CB20-612497 URBAN COUNT DATA FORM

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Species = W (white tailed deer) or M

(mule deer)

* conduct counts of deer for each survey area simultaneously to reduce double counting in early morning or evening. Notes:

- * 2 or more volunteers per vehicle to observe, count, and fill out datasheet
- * volunteers must be able to identify species of deer (mule deer or white-tailed deer)
- * volunteers must be able to classify deer to male, female, and juvenile
- * provide completed datasheets to Irene Teske

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ID Number (Unique Identifier)	Species	Date wildlife was taken	Location * where wildlife was taken *(Nearest street intersection)	Sex	Age (Adult or fawn)	Health Status	Fate of wildlife (destroyed or released)	Use of carcass (le First Nations, Food Bank, other or landfill)
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Signature of Permit Holder - District of Invermore

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RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

From

Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX^{s.15}

To:

Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene. Teske@gov.bc.ca>, Mathieu, Amelie FLNR:EX

<Amelie.Mathieu@gov.bc.ca>, Chow, Emily FLNR:EX <Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 16, 2021 2:00:16 PM PDT

I can probably help in the afternoon if needed.

From: Chow, Emily FLNR:EX <Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 16, 2021 2:09 PM

To: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX <Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>; Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX <Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca>; Mathieu,

Amelie FLNR:EX < Amelie. Mathieu@gov.bc.ca>

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is it possible to either move sampling to

another day, or that Pat or someone can replace me?!

From: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 14, 2021 10:31 AM

To: Chow, Emily FLNR:EX < Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca>; Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>; Stent, Patrick

FLNR:EX < Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca >

Cc: Mathieu, Amelie FLNR:EX < Amelie.Mathieu@gov.bc.ca >

Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

Thank you team!!!

From: Chow, Emily FLNR:EX < Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 11, 2021 7:36 AM

To: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>; Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>; Stent, Patrick

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Cc: Mathieu, Amelie FLNR:EX < Amelie. Mathieu@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

The 29th is great for me!

From: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene. Teske@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 11, 2021 7:38 AM

To: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca >; Chow, Emily FLNR:EX < Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca >; Stent, Patrick

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Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

How about June 29th? I can take heads out of freezer on June 25th

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From: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 10, 2021 5:13 PM

To: Chow, Emily FLNR:EX < Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca >; Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX < Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca >; Teske, Irene

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Cc: Mathieu, Amelie FLNR:EX < Amelie. Mathieu@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

Thanks everyone. I know you are all are busy, so really appreciate the offers ©

Looks like we may be able to rope in Amelie the week of June 28th. Could Irene and Emily could assist with thawing and data/sample processing that week? The sampling should only take a day.

If that works I'll let you guys determine the best timing.

Thanks again.

Cait

From: Chow, Emily FLNR:EX < Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca >

Sent: June 10, 2021 12:46 PM

To: Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX <Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca>; Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX <Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>; Teske, Irene

FLNR:EX < Irene. Teske@gov.bc.ca >

Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

I'm also fairly busy until the last week of June, but I could help on the week of the 28th. But it would be nice to have Amelie or Pat for a day for a sampling reminder!

From: Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX < Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca >

Sent: June 10, 2021 1:39 PM

To: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>; Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca>; Chow, Emily

FLNR:EX <Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

Hi Cait, the rest of June is super busy for me but I'm hoping things slow down in July. I'm guessing you want these heads done before then.

From: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 10, 2021 1:04 PM

To: Teske, Irene FLNR:EX < Irene.Teske@gov.bc.ca; Stent, Patrick FLNR:EX < Patrick.Stent@gov.bc.ca; Chow, Emily

FLNR:EX < Emily.Chow@gov.bc.ca >

Subject: FW: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

Hi all,

Wondering if you may be able to help with these heads from Invermere? The meat has been donated to the food bank but is being held until we have results. We just can't justify me coming to region for 40 heads, but they should be sampled asap.

Please let me know if you are able to help with sampling and we will support as much as possible from a distance.

Thank you!

Cait

From: Kindry Luyendyk <corporateservices@invermere.net>

Sent: April 30, 2021 2:44 PM

To: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca >

Subject: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

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Hi Cait,

It has been distributed but I have made them aware of the situation and they will hold off until we receive the tests back.

Kindry Luyendyk Corporate Officer District of Invermere 250-342-9281 ext 1228

From: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: Friday, April 30, 2021 3:24 PM

To: Kindry Luyendyk < corporateservices@invermere.net >

Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

Hi Kindry,

Were you able to confirm the status of the deer meat from the Invermere cull? Has it been distributed to the food bank and if so, are they aware that it has not been tested for CWD?

Thanks.

Cait

From: Kindry Luyendyk < corporateservices@invermere.net>

Sent: April 15, 2021 3:50 PM

To: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

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I am working from home right now so can I give you a call around 8am PST tomorrow?

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From: Nelson, Cait FLNR:EX < Cait.Nelson@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: Thursday, April 15, 2021 4:06 PM

To: Kindry Luyendyk < corporateservices@invermere.net > Subject: Permit BC20-612497 | Chronic Wasting Disease Testing

Hi Kindry,

I am with the BC Wildlife Health Program and lead the CWD Program. My colleagues in Cranbrook just advised me that the deer heads from the recent Invermere removal where delivered – to be sampled and tested.

I would like to speak with you regarding the process for testing and meat donations. Can you please let me know when you might be available for a call.

I'm free for the next hour, then again tomorrow morning after 8am (PST).

Thank you.

Cait

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