

Meeting Date: March 24, 2022

Agenda Item No. 8

Agenda Item: Deer and Elk Status Update

Bureau Chief Approval: JR

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Background:

Staff will present a statewide overview of the status of deer and elk populations in relation to deer population management unit objectives and elk management zone objectives. The Fish and Game Commission will also be briefed on mule deer and elk survival monitoring, mule deer herd composition survey results, harvest results, and upcoming aerial surveys.

Statutory Authority and/or Policy Issues:

N/A

Public Involvement Process:

There is no public involvement process, however the data contained in the update will be available to the public after the presentation.

Justification:

Information will aid Commissioners as they respond to requests, recommendations, or other input from the public.

Staff Recommendation:

None. This agenda item is for Commission information.

Action Requested:

None.