



Hunt ID: 5085-G-C-5795- ElkMDeer-CO-020-KE2PAR-P2OE-I2MT-Trophy Hunt

We are the only permitted outfitter in the famous **GMU020** of Roosevelt National Forest. We specialize in trophy elk and mule deer hunts. We have exclusive hunting rights on 2000 acres of private ranch property, along with over 100,000 acres of Roosevelt National Forest, which borders The Famous Rocky Mountain National Park, well known for its large herd of monster elk(a non-huntable area) and also in the elk rich Indian Peaks Wilderness Area.

Archery & Rifle Season

Archery season is roughly four weeks long, during which we offer four separate hunts. All Archery lodge hunts are 5 days long and are 1 guide per 2 hunters. The early Rifle seasons are roughly a month long from the second week of October to the third week of November. During this time we offer four separate hunts. Our Colorado Elk and Mule Deer hunts are fair chase. They are fully guided 1 on 2 during the Archery, Rifle and Muzzleloader seasons.

Specialize in Trophy Elk and Mule Deer Hunts

What makes our area unique and a hunter's paradise is Rocky Mountain National Park which holds one of the largest concentrations of trophy bull Elk in the Rocky Mountain west. The opportunity to take a 300+ B&C Colorado Bull Elk with us is very high.

Flagship High Camp Hunt

This is our fully guided, one on one, 5-day back-country hunt in Indian Peaks Wilderness area. You will be camping at 10,000 feet and hunting some of the most spectacular country and some of the biggest bull elk in **GMU020.** It is not for the faint of heart, this hunt is physically demanding and requires fitness and stamina, however the rewards are great!

- Accommodations
- Luxury Lodge

Your hunt includes home cooked meals, beds, full bathroom, satellite TV, cell phone service. Wi-Fi, and vehicle access. The lodge is located at 9200 feet on approximately 20 acres of private property surrounded by Roosevelt National Forest for "right out the door"; exclusive hunts nestled in the heart of the Colorado Rocky Mountains.

• Drop Camp

For the Colorado Trophy Elk and Mule Deer "do it yourself" hunter, we also have established drop camps in remote areas of Roosevelt National Forest. This area has difficult accessibility. This means fewer hunters in that area. All drop camps are fully equipped with everything needed for groups of 2 to 4 hunters per camp, except for food and personal gear.

Archery season is roughly four weeks long, during which we offer four separate hunts. All Archery lodge hunts are 5 days long and are 1 guide per 2 hunters. This means the outfitter and 1 guide per 2 hunters will be there each day. Four hunters per week is the maximum.

Drop Camp Elk Archery hunts are self-guided, 5 day hunts. We will transport you in/out and pack out all Elk harvested. The maximum of 2-4 hunters per camp makes a great hunting team.

• The Rut (September Archery or Muzzleloader Season)

Archery elk hunting at this time of the year is truly the most exciting. When the rut is in full swing, watching 2 bulls sparing or seeing/hearing a bull elk bugling against the backdrop of Colorado's blue skies and golden Aspen is an unparalleled experience. This unforgettable sound will leave your heart pounding.

Unit GMU020 Trophy Area

Unit **GMU020 & GMU029** are considered trophy Elk units with a very limited number of licenses/tags available for the entire season. This means preferences points will be required, (1 possibly 2) to draw a tag. On the plus side however, this means better opportunities at 300+ B&C Trophy Bull Elk, and far less hunting pressure!!



Archery Season Go in on Sunday and come out on a Saturday (Break between 2 groups) 5 day hunt with 1 day (Saturday) in and 1 day (Sunday) out (season start 8/26) Season Dates are as follows:

Sunday Saturday

3nd week 09/10-09/16 Muzzleloader/Archery

4th week 09/17-09/24 Archery*

• Note: Because season dates and the days of the week don't align perfectly so the First week has a 1 day earlier and the last week has 1 extra day on the end.

1st Season 10/14--18 2nd Season 10/21-29 3rd Season 11/04-12 4th Season 11/15-19

Rifle: All rifle hunts \$5795

Lodge hunts: (Guided 1 on 2) Archery: \$5,795 (\$2,895 Deposit) Rifle/Muzzle: \$5,795 (\$2,895 Deposit

There is an \$800 Buck Deer Trophy Fee for all combination hunts Late season, private land only, 5 day cow elk hunts (Semi-Guided) will also be available: \$2500 (\$1,250 deposit) Call for details and dates

Elk Rifle Hunts / Rifle Season

The early Rifle seasons are roughly a month long from the second week of October to the third week of November. During this time we offer four separate hunts. All Rifle lodge hunts are 5 days long and are 1 guide per 2 hunters (maximum of 4 hunters per season.) In addition to the regular season, we offer one late elk season in early December. This season typically take about 3-4 preference points to draw the license. This special season was added to help cope with an overabundance of elk in adjacent Rocky Mountain National Park and the local community of Estes Park. Rocky Mountain National Park consists of 265,000 acres of non-huntable land since 1915.

Colorado Rockies in the fall

Colorado has some of the most spectacular fall backdrops you will ever experience. Our spectacular area backed up against the Continental Divide, turns golden brown and the warm Chinook winds typically keep conditions bearable throughout the rifle seasons. Expansive meadows and open parks located on our private property draw the elk in from Rocky Mountain National Park and allow for great hunting this time of year.

Unit 20 or GMU020 Trophy Area

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In many years, only 20 rifle licenses/tags were available for each early gun season. This means from as little as 2 and up to 5 preference points are required to draw the tag. On the plus side however this means better opportunities at 300+ bulls and only 20 hunters in a 200 square mile area! All lodge rifle hunts are fully guided (1 guide per 2 hunters) and are fair chase on a 5-day hunt. All game taken will be packed out and delivered to the local processor if desired.

Accommodations / Luxury Mountain Lodge

You will be staying at our comfortable log lodge with all modern amenities. There will be showers, beds, and home cooked meals prepared and waiting for you. Our log lodge is located at 9200 feet above sea level. We also have exclusive hunting on 2000 acres of private ranch property, along with over 100,000 acres or Roosevelt National Forest bordering Rocky Mtn. National Park, (a non- huntable area.) The lodge hunting camp is limited to a maximum of 4 hunters per season.

This outfitter has been a registered outfitter in the State of Colorado since 1988, has outfitted in the San Juan, Roosevelt, Arapahoe, and White River National Forests. Tim has been a packer for the U.S. Government for over 15 years and lives full time in the Estes Park base camp area. With over 700 hunters under his belt and 500+ pack-outs of game, he knows instinctively how to make your hunt a success.

Hunting Lodge Base Camp

Hunts include all food and lodging in the surprising comforts of our 2 story log cabin, which sits at 9200 feet elevation. Comforts include 3 bedrooms, 2 full bath with shower, satellite TV and

vehicle access. Drive right up to our door but start hunting right from the porch! We use solar for electricity and our water source is cool, refreshing Rocky Mountain spring water. The lodge has all the modern amenities. Home cooked and hearty meals are prepared for you twice a day by our ranch cook.

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Or ask us about our "Hunter Loan Program" valid for all hunters booking our hunts you just need credit approval. We realize the hunt of your dreams will not be a reality because you will never be in better physical condition than you are today. Instead of planning the hunt when you can afford it, hunt now while you are physically able. This program is a must for a hunter filling his bucket list!