







Hunt ID: 5082-GS-CT-3195-ElkMDeer-CO-066-ERH4ORNPOWD-O1C-D2YCO-Trophy Area

This is a FOR TROPHY HUNTERS ONLY **GMU066**, Points required to draw in this Trophy Unit. This is the dream for a trophy hunter. High animal concentration, deer and elk average 3 years older than most Colorado GMU's with cabin lodging with acres and acres of premium ground to hunt.

I recommend hunting elk bull or cow here for at least 1 season before burning your hard-earned trophy deer point in this area. The deer have come back greatly with nice bucks showing up every year but they are not as thick as the elk.

### Guided Hunts

The hunt options are cabin guided meals and lodging with a horse.

Packin guided meals and tent lodging with a horse.

Packin low altitude guided tent meals and lodging with a horse.

### DIY Hunts

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Hunts have a high success rate because the elk pattern very easily. They are locals that are there most of the time and a little preseason scouting by the guided pin points their locations. With little or no hunting pressure except for this outfitter the elk seem to be less leery than lower altitude elk that may be pursued by a large number of hunters each season.

Premium deer and elk areas usually require a guide and we have one if you are interested in a guided trophy deer or elk hunt. We also provide a DIY hunt with cabin lodging. As a general rule you hunt below the cabins for deer and above them for elk but the time of the year is a factor also. GMU066 has been designated a "Quality Deer and Elk GMU (Unit)." The Colorado Parks and Wildlife manages it that way by taking a premium unit and greatly reducing the number of licenses available to hunters, about ½ of what it was previously. There are no Bull over the counter or archery over the counter like most other units. The whole GMU in a managed draw no matter what the weapon of choice is that you feel comfortable with.. The outcome has been a great success because the average deer or elk are about 3 years older than they are in other units.

### DIY Hunt

Because most hunters after this class of animals has the skill and knowledge to be in the top 20% of the hunters hunting today we provide a DIY hunt for them. We are the only one that offers this type of opportunity. Hunt On Your Own!!

We offer hunt on your own hunts for the hunter who prefers to hunt on their own. We have cabins available for such hunters. We have both unmodern and modern cabins available depending on the area you would like to hunt. We pack your meat out and we also try to meet the needs of our hunters by checking in with them throughout the duration of the hunt.

### **Fully Guided Hunt**

In addition we provide a full service hunt that is conducted from our lodge, located at 10,200 feet elevation. The lodge is semi-modern with gas lighting, hot, running water and showers. After a long day of hunting the camp cook will provide you a hearty, plentiful meal. You can relax by the wood stove and then retire to your bed. We provide beds and mattresses for a good nights' sleep. You need to bring your own sleeping bags, washcloths and towels. We recommend you bring any personal items and favorites you may need, for our camp is limited in what we can provide. We do not supply alcohol beverages, soda pop or energy drinks.

Our guides are there for you, they are hardworking and knowledgeable of the area and the animals in these areas.

You will be provided with gentle, mountain raised horses, capable of carrying you to and from your hunting area. There is also the option of hiking to the various parks available for hunting. Most of our hunting areas are in rugged terrain and you can make the most of your hunt by being in good, physical condition.

We recommend applying and drawing for these hunts for it is difficult to obtain landowners vouchers for deer. In addition Landowner Vouchers if needed are available.

Vouchers purchased to get a license and require you to get a state hunting license to hunt they just provide you a way to bypass the draw process and go directly to the head of the line so to speak..

We are also offering moose hunts in our area. These hunts are difficult to draw and there are no vouchers available. We will work hard to provide you with an experience of a lifetime!! We see moose often and they are becoming more abundant each year. Like the deer the drawing of a license is the difficult part, finding a moose is a walk in the park.

Archery/Black Powder Elk:

Hunt on your own:

\$1,495.00 per hunter with a \$750.00 non-refundable deposit in advance for a 5 day hunt / 7 day trip. Our pack fee for packing out deer and elk for the DIY hunter is only and extremely reasonable \$100.00 just get the deer or elk where one of our guides can get to it with a packhorse and we will pack it back to camp.

Black Powder/Archery DIY

Approximate Season dates: Archery- August 31, to- September 29  
September 9, 2013 - September 22, 2013.

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Rifle:

Last two rifle seasons are reserved for hunt on your own hunters

Approximate Hunt dates:

November 2 to November 10, 2013 and  
November 13, 2013 - November 17, 2013.

Non-hunter: Non-hunters can visit for half the amount of a regular hunt.

Rifle Elk: Guided:

Approximate Hunt dates: October 12 to- October 16 October 19, 2013 - October 27, 2013.

\$3,895.00 per hunter with a \$1,925.00 non-refundable deposit in advance for a 5 day hunt / 7 day trip.

**Because of the high quality deer and elk in this GMU it can be a difficult hunt to draw for so we have Vouchers available on a first come first serve basis.**

Discounted Semi Guided Rifle Deer & Elk Hunt

5 full hunting days — up to 10 hunters per 1 or 2 guides —\$1,495.00 each

Archery licenses for elk are either sex, deer are buck only.

To draw an either sex archery elk license required 3 preference points.

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## Deer

DM066O1A	2	4	Archery
DM066O1M	4	8	Muzzleloader
DM066O2R	5	8	2nd Rifle
DM066O3R	9	12	3rd Rifle

## Elk

EE066O1A	0	3	Archery
EM066O1M	4	13	Muzzleloader
EM066O1R	0	2	1st Rifle
EM066O2R	0	0	2nd Rifle
EM066O3R	0	0	3rd Rifle
EM066O4R	0	0	4th Rifle

For the deer trophy hunter I recommend that you hunt here for elk one season to get to know the area then the next year use your points and get your trophy buck.

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Each year, the application deadline is the first Tuesday in April, around April 2 or so usually.

Licenses and refunds are returned in the mail usually by mid-June.

To receive a preference point you must pay a \$40 preference point fee if you have not purchased a annual Colorado hunting or fishing license in the previous year. If you put in for a license and put in for an area requiring 0 points for your second choice you can get a point and hunt. We can help you with the plan B areas. To just buy a point you need to put in for it during the draw.

Deposit is 50% of the hunt price to book a hunt. Balance due 30 days before the hunt. Personal checks accepted. Prices are subject to change without notice. Booking a hunt gets you a contract and locks in the hunt price.

Non-resident Elk license.....	\$ 586.00
Non-resident Youth (12 to 15).....	\$ 110.75
Non-resident Deer license .....	\$ 356.00
Non-resident Youth (12 to 15).....	\$ 110.75



*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:*

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
<i>1<sup>st</sup> week 08/26-09/02</i>	<i>Archery*</i>
<i>2<sup>st</sup> Week 09/03-09/09</i>	<i>Archery</i>
<i>3<sup>rd</sup> week 09/10-09/16</i>	<i>Muzzleloader/Archery</i>
<i>4<sup>th</sup> week 09/17-09/24</i>	<i>Archery*</i>

- *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.*

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

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