

Pronghorn

A carefully managed big game species, Alberta is home to some of the biggest pronghorn in North America.

Over the years, many Alberta pronghorn antelope have ranked high in the Boone & Crockett and Pope &

Young record books, including a 90-inch buck taken in the last 10 years and 10 more that scored over 85. Our outfitters employ a range of hunting

strategies, including spot-and-stalk, decoying, and blinds at water holes. Bowhunters of pronghorn in Alberta find the greatest success decoying, which is a thrilling and highly interactive method of hunting, and an attractive strategy to those hoping to avoid long hot sits over waterholes.



Hunters can expect to see very large numbers of pronghorn on any given day, among other game. Since Alberta's pronghorn inhabit many of our best-known whitetail and mule deer areas, presenting an excellent opportunity for combination hunts, depending on your timing and outfitter of choice.



In some Wildlife Management Units (WMUs), the pronghorn season is a very limited window of opportunity; with this Minister's Special Licence (MSL), not only you can start earlier and hunt later than other pronghorn hunters, but you can also hunt any management unit in which a pronghorn season exists with any weapon, for a full 365 days.

LICENCE CONDITIONS

The holder of this Trophy Antelope Minister's Special Licence (MSL) is authorized to hunt one Trophy Antelope, in accordance with all provisions of the Wildlife Act and Wildlife Regulation unless exempted in the conditions below.

This special licence is valid from August 25, 2025, to August 24, 2026, in any Wildlife Management Unit (WMU) where an antelope hunting season is identified in the current Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations.

- This licence may be held by hunters of any residency status, however, a licence holder who is not an Alberta resident must enter into a contract with the holder of a valid Outfitter Permit and be accompanied by a designated guide in accordance with the Wildlife Regulation.
- This licence does not authorize hunting in any location where hunting is prohibited as outlined in the Wildlife Regulation and the current Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations.
- This licence does not authorize hunting on Sunday in WMUs where the Sunday hunting of big game is prohibited.
- While hunting under the authority of this licence the hunter may use any legal weapon as defined in the Wildlife Regulation. A crossbow licence or bow hunting permit must be obtained by the MSL licence holder should they choose to hunt with these weapons. Please note that the use of rifles during archery seasons should be undertaken with extreme

caution and consideration as archery hunters may be using decoys to hunt several big game species. Please be considerate of other hunters to avoid conflicts and ensure safe hunting for all.

- A hunter is required to hold a Wildlife Certificate before hunting and, when hunting with a bow, must hold a bow hunting permit. This approval does not exempt the MSL holder from the need to follow weapons use restrictions governed by other applicable legislation and regulations, including municipal bylaws.
- This licence opportunity may not be designated to a hunter or licence holder via fee or remuneration (may not be sold or exchanged for value).

NOTE

10% will be deducted from the final bid price of this special licence, which will be dedicated to the Western Hunting and Conservation Expo. If the winner of this item refuses to pay the premiums required, the licence shall be offered to the next highest bidder for the last price they bid.

