

Moose Regulations

INFORMATION FOR ALL MOOSE HUNTERS

Licence fees are found on page 12.

Firearms

Big game, including moose, may only be hunted with a firearm (this includes bows). When hunting moose you may only use or carry a firearm of the type (rifle, shotgun, bow or muzzle-loader) permitted for hunting moose at that time in that WMU. For example, when hunting moose during a bow-only season, you may use or carry only bow hunting equipment. You may not carry a rifle or shotgun for hunting other species.

Specifications on the firearms, bows, bolts and arrows that are permitted when hunting moose are found on page 22.

Party Hunting for Moose

Party hunting for moose is permitted during the open season for moose **under a set of specific conditions listed on page 23.**

Sealing and Transporting Moose

The moose validation tag, in the case of resident hunters, must be affixed to the recipient's game seal before hunting begins. In the case of non-resident hunters, the validation tag must be affixed to the moose hunting licence.

If you have killed a moose while hunting alone, you must **immediately** after the kill and at the kill site, securely **attach the game seal to the animal in the manner described on the seal. The seal must remain attached while transporting the carcass.**

If party hunting for moose, the member whose game seal is to be used and whose licence has been validated for the type of moose (bull, cow, or in WMUs 48, 55A, 55B and 57, bull, cow, or calf) that was killed, must immediately after the kill and at the kill site, **securely attach the game seal to the animal in the manner described on the seal.**

A person who seals a moose must notch out the month, date and time of kill on the game seal.

Only the hunter whose game seal is to be used is allowed to attach the game seal to the moose. It is illegal to transfer a game seal in order to seal a moose.

If you are transporting part of a moose, you must know, and be prepared to state if requested to do so by a conservation officer:

- The name of the hunter who sealed the animal



- The hunting licence and validation tag number under which the animal was claimed
- The WMU in which it was taken

Import, Export and Shipping

See General Regulations, page 28, for information on Import, Export and Shipping.

Note on White Coloured Moose: The Fish and Wildlife Conservation Act, 1997 prohibits the hunting of moose that are over 50 per cent white coloured in Wildlife Management Units 30 and 31, an area near Timmins, Chapleau and Foleyet. This regulation does not affect the availability of moose validation tags for resident and non-resident hunters.

INFORMATION FOR ONTARIO RESIDENTS WISHING TO HUNT MOOSE

Who can hunt moose in Ontario?

A resident of Ontario may hunt moose under certain conditions if he or she is in possession of a valid hunting version Outdoors Card **and** a current moose hunting licence tag (sticker that goes on the back of the Outdoors Card) **and** can meet one of the following criteria:

- The hunter has a game seal and validation tag for a cow or a bull **OR**
- If hunting for calf in WMU 48, 55A, 55B or 57 the hunter has a game seal and validation tag for a calf in the specific WMU being hunted **OR**
- The hunter has a game seal and is hunting calf moose in a WMU other than 48, 55A, 55B or 57 (or WMU 65; see note following) **OR**
- The hunter is party hunting (see the section on party hunting on page 23) with someone who has a game seal and validation tag.

Note: WMU 65 has a hunt with controlled hunter numbers. For more information on the controlled hunt in WMU 65 call the Kemptville District Office at (613) 258-8204.

To receive a validation tag to hunt for an adult moose (or to hunt for a calf moose in WMUs 48, 55A, 55B or 57), the resident hunter must purchase a moose licence and apply to the moose validation tag draw.

Tags are issued through a computerized draw. The validation tag authorizes the holder to hunt only the type of moose described on the validation tag in the WMU specified.

No refund of licence fees is granted to a moose draw applicant who is unsuccessful in the draw for a validation tag.

Residents of Ontario who are going to be a guest of a qualified tourist outfitter at the time of the hunt may be able to get an adult moose validation tag through the outfitter. The tag is valid only if you are a registered guest and actually accommodated by the tourist establishment. This may be on a Crown land site if authorized for occupancy by the Ministry of Natural Resources, or at a camp operated by the outfitter.

What is a moose validation tag?

A validation tag allows the tag holder or a member of the hunter's party hunting with the tag holder, to harvest an adult moose (or a calf moose in WMUs 48, 55A, 55B or 57) under certain specified conditions. The conditions state the WMU to which the tag applies; the season (either the gun season or the bow season); the type of moose (bull, cow, calf); and any firearm restrictions (rifle, shotgun, bow, muzzle-loader) which may apply to the hunter. Moose validation tags obtained through tourist outfitters include additional information.

The number of validation tags available in a WMU is related to the number of moose that can be sustainably harvested. Because the number of Ontario residents wishing to hunt moose is greater than the number of validation tags available, validation tags are allocated through computerized draws (see page 37).

Ontario resident hunters wishing to apply to the draw have two options:

- Call the toll-free automated telephone application system to purchase a moose licence and apply to the draw (see page 40) **OR**
- Fill out and mail the Resident's Application for a Moose Validation Tag that is attached to the paper moose licence purchased from a licence issuer.

The deadline by which a telephone application must be made is 11:55 p.m. (ET) on June 1, 2009. If you plan to apply by telephone, do not leave your call until the day of the deadline! If you wait until the last day and cannot get through because the lines are busy, you will not be able to enter the draw. The earlier in the application period you apply, the easier it will be to connect to the system on your first try. The deadline by which a carefully and completely filled out paper application must be received at a ServiceOntario Centre is 5:00 p.m. on June 1, 2009.

How may a resident of Ontario may apply to the regular draw for a validation tag to hunt moose?

There are two ways in which an Ontario resident hunter can apply to the draw for a moose validation tag:

- As a member of a group **OR**
- As an individual hunter

In order to apply to the draw, the hunter must have a valid hunting version Outdoors Card and must have purchased a moose licence.

A hunter who fails to get an adult moose validation tag through the draw process and still wishes to hunt an adult moose may party hunt with the holder of an adult moose validation tag. Another option is to hunt with an outfitter who has moose validation tags available for guests and who is accommodating the resident hunter as a registered guest.

If the hunter fails to get a calf validation tag in WMUs 48, 55A, 55B or 57 through the draw process, other options are to hunt for a calf in any other WMU with an open season for moose (except WMU 65), party hunt with the holder of an adult or calf moose validation tag or, hunt with an outfitter who has adult moose validation tags available for guests and who is accommodating the resident hunter as a registered guest.

NOTE: A hunter cannot have more than one moose validation tag at the time of the hunt.

What are the benefits of applying as a group?

If you party hunt, it is usually better to apply as part of a group. The maximum group size is 15 hunters.

Applying in a group increases every hunter's chances of obtaining a moose validation tag for their party. Group applications allow tags to be spread out more evenly among hunting parties.

If your group is too small to meet the Guaranteed Group Size (see page 47) or the Hunter:Tag Ratio, all members of your group will have, at the very least, the same chance they would have had if they all applied to the draw as individuals and they will not be negatively affected by applying in a group.

Applying in a group provides your party with the best chance of getting one validation tag while keeping as many hunters as possible in Pool 1 for the next year.

If you applied in a group and the validation tag holder is unable to go hunting, the tag can be transferred to the ministry-designated (group member gone the longest without a tag) alternate within the group's applicants. Individual applicants are never permitted to transfer their validation tag to another person.

The membership of the group in which you applied for a moose validation tag does not necessarily have to be identical to the membership of your hunting party at the time of the hunt.

How do I know what “pool” I am in for validation tag application purposes?

All applicants to the draw for a moose validation tag are in either Pool 1 (also called the preferred pool) or Pool 2 (also called the non-preferred pool). Knowing what pool you (and members of your group) are in is important information because only Pool 1 hunters are counted when determining the size of your group.

You are in Pool 1 if you:

- Applied on time for the draw in 2008, and were unsuccessful in getting a tag **OR**
- Were successful in the draw and transferred the tag to the group alternate, unless you did this in two consecutive years **OR**
- Were successful in the draw for a calf tag in WMU 48, 55A, 55B or 57.

Simply purchasing a moose licence last year does not qualify you for Pool 1 this year.

You are in Pool 2 if you:

- Received an adult moose validation tag in the 2008 draw **OR**
- Received an adult moose validation tag through a transfer in 2008 **OR**
- Did not apply to the draw in 2008 **OR**
- Gave up your tag in a transfer in both 2007 and 2008.

How do I stay in Pool 1 for next year if I know I cannot hunt this year?

Some hunters who are eligible for Pool 1 know they will not be able to participate in the moose hunt this year, but want to ensure they are in Pool 1 next year. There are two ways to ensure you maintain Pool status and do not get a tag this year. You must apply for the draw, to retain your Pool 1 status for the next year’s draw and must also do one of the following:

- Submit a paper draw application and apply for WMU 99Z (this is not a real WMU so you will not be issued a tag) **OR**
- Submit a paper draw application and leave your choice of WMU and firearm (gun or bow) blank.

What is the Guaranteed Group Size method of applying to the draw?

In some WMUs, an adult moose validation tag will be guaranteed to a group of hunters when the number of Pool 1 hunters in the group meets a pre-determined size. This is known as the Guaranteed Group Size (see page 47).

The actual size of the group required varies:

- From WMU to WMU
- According to the sex of moose preferred
- In some WMUs according to the firearm preferred by the group (gun or bow).

Remember, only Pool 1 hunters in the group are counted when determining the group size.

If you have enough Pool 1 hunters in your group to meet the Guaranteed Group Size in the WMU, sex and season (gun or bow) choice for the type of validation tag your party wants, you should apply to the draw as one group. Be sure to apply for the guaranteed tag (WMU, bull/cow and season) as your first choice if it is your preference. If applying by telephone, keep a record of the Group Reference Number (group leaders only) or the Authorization Number (group members and individual applicants) provided to you during the phone call. If applying by paper, keep a record of your Group Application Number (printed in red on the back of the Group Application Envelope).

We want to party hunt, but our group is smaller than the Guaranteed Group Size. How should we apply?

If you hunt in a party it usually makes sense to apply as a group.

Even if you do not have enough Pool 1 members to guarantee a validation tag – or if there is no Guaranteed Group Size for your WMU – by applying as a group you will be in the draw at two tag allocation steps: the Large Group Allocation and the Random Allocation. If your party members were to apply as individuals, they would only be eligible for the Random Allocation portion of the draw – missing their chance at the tags allocated to groups meeting the Hunter: Tag Ratio in the Large Group Allocation step of the draw.

All hunters in group applications will have at least the same chance to receive a validation tag that they would have if they applied as individual applicants.

REVIEWING ONTARIO’S MOOSE TAG DRAW SYSTEM

As part of the review of Ontario’s Moose Program, the Ministry of Natural Resources engaged the public for their input on the Resident Moose Tag Draw System. Public outreach sessions were held at 26 locations across the province

during February, March and April 2009, to discuss possible improvements to the existing system. More information is available at ontario.ca/moosereview.



Moose Hunter Questionnaire Survey Results

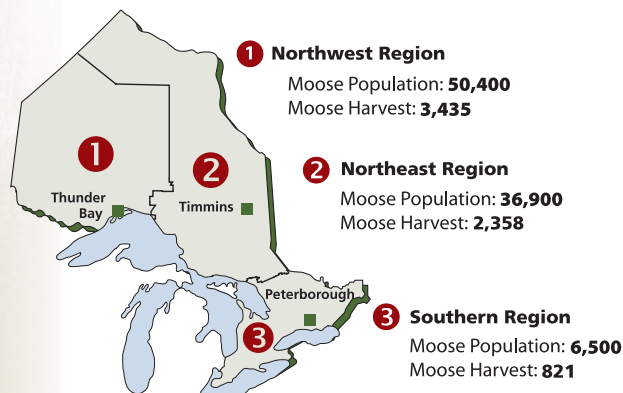
Every year, a sample of moose hunters is asked to return a hunter assessment survey. These surveys provide valuable information used by the Ministry of Natural Resources to manage moose populations. Your field experience is important to us – please tell us about it by completing and returning your survey as soon as your hunt is over.



Here are some things we learned from resident moose hunters in the 2008 survey:

- About 88,000 resident hunters hunted for moose.
- An estimated 6,614 moose were harvested by residents (3,428 bulls, 1,293 cows and 1,893 calves).

Ontario's moose population in huntable areas averages about 94,000 moose. An additional 15,000 moose live in remote and protected areas.



Do individual hunters have a chance for a validation tag?

Big game in Ontario has traditionally been hunted by groups of hunters for social, cultural and practical reasons. Ontario's moose tag allocation system is designed to allow this traditional harvest method to continue, and permit the greatest number of hunters to benefit.

While it makes sense to apply as part of a group if you hunt in a party, individuals may also apply for a validation tag. Individual hunters are eligible for a validation tag in the Random Allocation step of the draw.

Hunting parties that apply as individuals and receive more validation tags than the party wants are not permitted to return tags.

ATTENTION MOOSE HUNTERS

If you harvest a moose wearing an ear-tag or collar, this animal may have been chemically immobilized in the past using veterinary drugs. Health Canada has established recommended guidelines for consumption of such animals. Please call the phone number on the ear-tag or collar for specific information on whether Health Canada would recommend that the meat of your animal be consumed.

What should I know about bow hunting for moose?

In WMUs 48, 55A, 55B and 57, hunters who wish to hunt moose during the bows-only season must have a calf, cow or bull validation tag issued for the bows-only season or party hunt with someone who has such a validation tag. All validation tags issued for the bows-only season become invalid at the end of the bows-only season.

Hunters without an adult validation tag may hunt for calves with a bow during the bows-only season provided they comply with all other legal requirements for bow hunting. The exceptions to this are WMUs 48, 55A, 55B and 57, where a calf validation tag is required, and WMU 65.

If you have not harvested an adult moose during the bows-only season, you may still hunt for a calf (except in WMUs 48, 55A, 55B, 57 and 65) using any legally allowed firearm during the regular gun hunt.

Northern Resident Moose Validation Tag Draw

In 2009, five per cent of the adult moose validation tags in Wildlife Management Units (WMUs) north of the French and Mattawa rivers will be held back from the regular moose validation tag draw and used as the quota for a second draw specifically for residents of northern Ontario.

The Northern Resident Moose Validation Tag Draw is intended to provide residents of northern Ontario with an additional opportunity for a validation tag.

The allocation of these Northern Resident validation tags will take place as follows:

- The regular moose draw will be run to distribute 95 per cent of the annual quota to all resident applicants through draws as described on page 37.
- Once the regular draw is complete, each northern resident moose hunter who applied to a WMU north of the French and Mattawa rivers (WMUs 1-42) and was unsuccessful (or who was a member of a group that was unsuccessful) in the 2009 draw and was also unsuccessful in the previous two annual draws (2007 and 2008), will automatically be entered into a separate draw for the remaining five per cent of the quota in the first choice WMU applied to in the regular draw. Successful Northern draw hunters will be notified by mail and asked to verify their residency to claim the validation tag.

Northern resident moose hunters are defined as those individuals with a permanent address in the territorial districts of Kenora, Rainy River, Thunder Bay, Cochrane, Algoma, Sudbury, Timiskaming, Nipissing, Parry Sound, Manitoulin and the City of Greater Sudbury at the time of their application.



Calf Validation Tag and Hunter Reporting Requirements in WMUs 48, 55A, 55B and 57

Starting in 2004, the ministry established a calf validation tag requirement for hunting calf moose in WMUs 48, 55A, 55B and 57. This was done to address the declining moose population in eastern Ontario, and to respond to the recommendations of a public consultation group called the Eastern Ontario Moose Management Round Table.

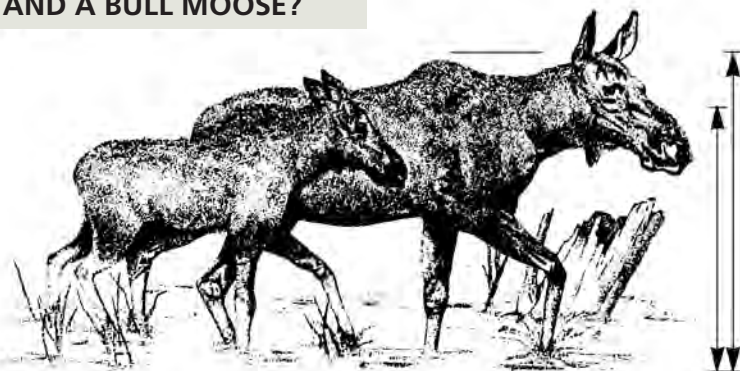
The moose hunting rules for these WMUs include calf tag allocation and enhanced hunter registration and reporting.

HOW DO YOU DEFINE A CALF, A COW AND A BULL MOOSE?

A calf is a moose that is less than one year old at the time of the hunt.

A cow is a female moose that is at least one year old at the time of the hunt.

A bull is a male moose that is at least one year old at the time of the hunt.



Short face

Calf moose appear to have a small nose and a "short face."

Seldom alone

Calf moose are seldom alone.

Body proportions

Calf moose appear to have more leg than body and their hindquarters appear slender.

Shoulder Height

Shoulder height of cow moose is six feet (2 m) and of calf moose is four feet (1.3 m).

Understanding the Moose Validation Tag Draw

It is to each hunter's advantage to understand how moose validation tags are allocated.

Though the process is often referred to as a draw, there are four steps in the draw process:

- The Guaranteed Group Allocation
- The Large Group Allocation
- The Random Draw Allocation
- The Northern Resident Draw

Some units have both a gun season quota and a bow season quota. In these units, separate draws are run for bull gun, bull bow, cow gun, and cow bow validation tags.

These WMUs are: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7B, 8, 9A, 9B, 11A, 12A, 12B, 13, 14, 15A, 15B, 18A, 19, 21A, 21B, 22, 23, 24, 29 and 38. When hunters apply to the draw in these WMUs, they must select the corresponding Hunt Code if applying by telephone. If applying by paper application, they must check the Special Bow Season Preference box on the application if they want a bow season validation tag. WMUs 7A and 18B each have a combined bow/muzzle-loader quota.

Other units have both a bow season and a gun season for moose, but only one tag quota for bulls and one tag quota for cows. In this group of WMUs are: 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 39, 40, 41, and 42. When hunters apply to the draw in these WMUs, they must select the corresponding Hunt Code if applying by telephone. If applying by paper application, they must check the Special Bow Season Preference box on the application if they want a bow season validation tag. Like other bow season validation tags, these tags are only valid during the bow-only season.

Step One: Guaranteed Group Allocation

In step one, each group meeting the Guaranteed Group Size requirement (valid applications from a group with enough Pool 1 hunters to meet or exceed the Pool 1, Choice 1 Guaranteed Group Size, see page 47) and who make this their first choice, is allocated one tag for the unit, type of moose (bull, cow, calf) and type of firearm selected by the group. The validation tag is assigned to a Pool 1 member of the group who has gone the longest number of years without receiving a validation tag, and another Pool 1 hunter is designated as the alternate. All the members of these "guaranteed groups" are then removed from the draw.

Step Two: Large Group Allocation

Next, the Large Group Allocation of validation tags is performed.

At this step, the computer calculates the number of applicants left in the draw after step one and compares it to the number of validation tags still available. The ratio is

called the Hunter:Tag Ratio. Each group whose number of Pool 1 applicants is equal to or greater than the Hunter:Tag Ratio is issued one validation tag. The tag is assigned to a Pool 1 member of the group who has gone the longest number of years without receiving a validation tag, and another Pool 1 hunter is designated as the alternate. (Example: If at the Large Group Allocation stage there are 600 hunters left, and 104 tags available, the Hunter:Tag Ratio is 5.7. All groups with six or more Pool 1 hunters will be issued a tag.) All members of these successful "large groups" are then removed from the draw.

Step Three: Random Draw Allocation

Next, the draw proceeds to the Random Draw Allocation.

The random draw step is actually many draws performed in the allocation of tags. The computer allocates tags to both groups and individuals in the following sequence:

- Pool 1, Choice 1 (P1C1)
- Pool 1, Choice 2 (P1C2)
- Pool 2, Choice 1 (P2C1)
- Pool 2, Choice 2 (P2C2)

At this step, all remaining Pool 1 applicants (all individuals and every member of the remaining groups) who have this WMU and type of moose (bull, cow, calf) as their first choice, are eligible to receive one of the remaining tags in a random draw. If a validation tag is allocated to a member of a group at this stage, the rest of the group members are removed from the draw. If there are still validation tags available, the Large Group Allocation and the Random Draw Allocation are repeated for Pool 1, Choice 2 hunters, then Pool 2, Choice 1 and Pool 2, Choice 2.

In most WMUs, only hunters in Pool 1, Choice 1 will have a chance to receive a validation tag. The Guaranteed Group Allocation is performed only for Pool 1, Choice 1 applicants.

Step Four: Northern Resident Draw

In northern Ontario WMUs (1-42), there is an additional draw in the distribution of validation tags called the Northern Resident Moose Validation Tag Draw. Five per cent of the adult validation tag quota is held back from the regular draw quota for Northern residents who were unsuccessful (or who were a member of a group that was unsuccessful) in the current year's draw and the previous two draws.

How to Maximize Your Chances of Success in the Moose Tag Draw

Review the open season dates table (page 46), the moose quota table (page 48) and, if you are hunting in a group, the Guaranteed Group Size table (page 47). Using this information, determine your first and second choices of WMU, type of animal (bull, cow or, in the case of WMUs 48, 55A, 55B or 57, bull, cow or calf) and firearm type. If hunting in a group, contact all group members and decide whether you will all apply by telephone, or if you will all apply by paper application. (All group members must use the same method.) Choose one method only – you will be disqualified if more than one application is submitted in your name.

Applying by Telephone

Use the telephone application system to purchase a moose licence and apply to the draw, in one call. Do not use the telephone application system if you have already purchased a paper moose licence.

There are numerous benefits to applying to the draw by telephone, including:

- User-friendly system
- Limits data entry errors
- Confirmation number is automatically supplied
- Postage fees eliminated

Note: You must use a Touch-Tone™ telephone when applying. Cellular, cordless and radio telephones are not recommended with this system.

If your Outdoors Card has expired, you must renew it before you use the telephone application system. The quickest, most convenient ways to renew are:

- With a call to the toll-free, automated Outdoors Card renewal line at **1-800-288-1155**, or
- At ontario.ca/outdoorscard.

Once you have successfully completed your renewal by either method, you may proceed immediately to the telephone application system for the moose draw.

For more information on Outdoors Card renewal options, see page 15.

If your Outdoors Card is valid but you have moved since you received it, contact the Outdoors Card Centre at 1-800-387-7011 or ontario.ca/outdoorscard and provide your current address. This will ensure that you receive your licence (and validation tag if you are successful in the draw).

To purchase a moose licence and apply to the draw, you will need your Outdoors Card number and a VISA, MasterCard or American Express credit card. If you are a Group Leader or an Individual Applicant, you must identify your 2009 Hunt Code from the table found on pages 42 and 43 of this summary. If you are a Group Member, you will need the Group Reference Number provided by your Group Leader.

Completing the appropriate worksheet before you call is strongly recommended. (Worksheets are found on pages 40-41 of this summary.) The charge to your credit card will be \$45.50 (includes GST).

If you are applying as a member of a group, decide with your group **before you call** who will be the Group Leader and who will be the Group Members. Then, ensure that all Group Members are told the Group Reference Number (which is provided to the Group Leader) so they can successfully complete their call.

The deadline for applying to the moose draw by telephone is **11:55 p.m., (ET) June 1, 2009**.

Remember, do not apply by telephone if you have already purchased a paper licence or submitted a paper application.

Applying by Paper Application

You must be in possession of a valid hunting version Outdoors Card to purchase a moose licence, and you must have a moose licence in order to apply to the draw with a paper application. If your Outdoors Card has expired, renewing it is the first step in this process. To review your Outdoors Card renewal options, see page 15.

A paper application for the moose draw comes attached to the moose licence. Ensure that the Outdoors Card number imprinted on your application for the moose draw is legible. If any portion of the imprinted number is not clear, write it neatly in the space provided at the top of the application.

Fill out the application form carefully and completely.

Write in a valid WMU and check off a valid type of moose (bull, cow or – for WMUs 48, 55A, 55B and 57 only – bull, cow or calf). If you do not select a WMU and a type of moose, your application will be rejected. If there is a bow season in your WMU as well as a gun season, and you wish to apply for the bow hunt, select the box labelled “Special Bow Season Preference.”

You are not required to indicate a second choice on your application if you do not have a second choice.

If you are applying for a Guaranteed Group Size validation tag, be aware of the pool status of each applicant in your group. Only Pool 1 hunters are counted toward the Guaranteed Group Size. Including Pool 2 applicants in your group won't hurt your chances, but it won't help them either.

If you are applying in a group, keep a record of your Group Application Number (found on the outside of the Group Application Envelope provided by the MNR). This number must appear on the application of each person in the group.

The group leader should complete the outside of the Group Application Envelope before mailing. **The information you**

write on the envelope overrides any information contained on the paper applications inside the envelope. To ensure you are following the current application procedures, please use the most recent group application envelope.

Fifteen is the maximum group size for a draw application. Do not include more than 15 applications in the Group Application Envelope. **If you are applying for a bow tag, remember to check the appropriate box on the outside of the Group Application Envelope.**

Submit your paper draw application well before the **5:00 p.m., June 1, 2009**, deadline. Remember that the deadline is the date and time by which your application has to be in ServiceOntario/MNR hands. **This deadline is NOT a "post-marked by" date.** Whether an application is delivered by courier, registered mail or through the regular or government mail, please allow at least five working days for its delivery. **All applications that are not received by 5:00 p.m., June 1, 2009, cannot be entered into the draw.**

Remember, do not purchase a paper licence or submit a paper application if you have already applied to the draw by telephone.

Points to Remember When Applying to the Draw

- Submit only one application in your name.
- Your Outdoors Card must be valid.
- The application must be complete.
- The writing must be legible.
- Your application must be received by the deadline.
- Your hunting licence privileges cannot be under suspension.

The responsibility for entering a valid application rests with the hunter. If you have any questions about applying to the moose draw, contact the Outdoors Card Centre at 1-800-387-7011.

Draw Results Telephone Line

Using the Draw Results Telephone Line at 1-800-288-1155 is the quickest, easiest way to find out if you were successful in the moose validation tag draw. This automated line runs 24 hours a day, seven days a week, from August 1 until December 31. Hunters will need their 15-digit Outdoors Card number to access their draw record. Unsuccessful applicants can also receive information regarding surplus tags during this call.

The Mailing of Validation Tags

Only draw applicants successful in the regular draw, and those hunters who used the telephone application system to purchase their moose licence, will be notified by mail. If you have called the Draw Results Telephone Line and you were successful in the regular draw but have not received your validation tag by September 1 (or if you purchased your licence by telephone, and you have not received your licence), contact the Outdoors Card Centre at 1-800-387-7011. You

can get a duplicate validation tag and/or licence through a ServiceOntario Centre only after signing a declaration and verifying your address information. There may be a charge for this service. After the season starts, duplicate tags will be issued only at the discretion of the ministry.

Draw applicants successful in the Northern Resident Draw will be required to complete an Application to Receive an Adult Moose Validation Tag from the Northern Resident Draw. This application must be returned to a ServiceOntario Centre or mailed to the address indicated. The recipient will then be mailed the northern resident validation tag.

Everything You Wanted to Know about Moose Validation Tag Transfers

- Hunters who apply to the draw as individuals are never permitted to transfer validation tags to other hunters.
- Groups are permitted one transfer only. The transfer is granted only to the alternate tag transfer recipient in your group. The alternate is the Pool 1 member of the group who has gone the second longest number of consecutive years without receiving a validation tag. Once the original validation tag recipient transfers the tag to the alternate, the tag cannot be transferred back to the original recipient or to anyone else.
- The transfer of a validation tag from the original recipient to the designated alternate is granted by a ServiceOntario Centre provided a valid transfer application is submitted, the original tag is returned to ServiceOntario at the time of the request, and the moose season has not yet opened. The fee for transferring a tag is \$9.75.
- To determine who the designated alternate validation tag transfer recipient is for your group, look at the lower half of your validation tag. Inside the brackets ({ }) it will show the moose licence number of another Pool 1 member in your group. This moose licence number belongs to your group's designated alternate tag transfer recipient.
- Validation tags can be transferred to a Pool 2 hunter only if the tag is for a WMU where a Pool 2 hunter actually had a chance to receive a tag in the draw.
- After the season opens, a validation tag can only be transferred if the current tag holder is medically unfit to participate in the hunt, as proven by a doctor's certificate.
- Hunters who receive adult validation tags through a transfer will be placed in Pool 2 the following year. Most hunters who have transferred tags to another group member will be placed in Pool 1 in the following year's draw. However, hunters who have transferred validation tags in two consecutive seasons will be placed in Pool 2 for the following year's draw. This means that if a hunter transferred a tag last year (2008), and if successful this year (2009) wants to transfer again, he/she will be placed in Pool 2 for the 2010 draw. This change was made as a result of an increasing number of hunters repeatedly transferring validation tags.

2009 Telephone Application System for the Moose Validation Tag Draw

INSTRUCTION SHEET

What type of applicant are you?

To use the telephone application system, applicants must decide how they will be applying to the draw before calling. **When applying for a tag as a group, all hunters in the group must purchase their moose licence and apply to the draw using the same method – either everyone applies by telephone or everyone applies by paper.**

The telephone application system recognizes three types of applicants:

- **Group Leader**
- **Group Member**
- **Individual Applicant**

If you hunt in a party, it is to your members' advantage to apply as a group rather than as individuals. **The maximum number of hunters that can apply to the draw as one group is 15 (14 plus the leader).** When applying as part of a group, hunters will have to decide who the Group Leader is and who the Group Members are, before calling.

Group Leader

The Group Leader must be the first member of the group to apply through the telephone application system. The Group Leader is the only member of a group who enters the Hunt Code representing the group's choice of WMU, type of moose, and firearm (see the table of valid Hunt Codes on pages 42 and 43). The Group Leader is then provided with a Group Reference Number to identify the group and its choices. The Group Leader must give the Group Reference Number to the Group Members so they may add their names to the group's application when they phone in.

Group Member

Each Group Member must obtain the Group Reference Number from the Group Leader before calling to enter the draw. Only your Group Leader can give you the Group Reference Number. During the call each Group Member will be asked for the Group Reference Number so the group can be identified and linked together for their application to the draw. Each Group Member will be given an Authorization Number. The authorization number confirms that the hunter has been successfully entered into the moose draw.

Individual Applicant

Individuals must enter the Hunt Code representing their choice of WMU, type of moose, and firearm (see the table of valid Hunt Codes on pages 42 and 43). Each individual applicant will be given an Authorization Number to confirm that the hunter has been successfully entered into the moose draw.

All applicants are encouraged to record the information they will need on the appropriate worksheet (page 40 or 41), before they call.

Please Note: Hunt Codes may differ from year to year; be sure to use the 2009 Hunt Codes Table when applying to the 2009 moose validation tag draw.

If you have a concern about the Pool Status that is voiced back to you at the end of your telephone application you may call (705) 755-1436 during business hours Monday to Friday.

GROUP LEADER

The instructions and worksheet provided below will assist you with the telephone application process. **Fill in the worksheet spaces before you call**, and keep the worksheet in front of you during the call so you can record your Group Reference Number. **Before the call** you need to record your Outdoors Card Number, choice(s) of Hunt Code, and credit card number and expiry date. Hunt Codes are found in the 2009 Moose Draw Hunt Codes Table on pages 42 and 43.

STEP 1 Contact the members of your group (maximum group size is 14 plus the leader) to ensure they know you are the Group Leader.

STEP 2 Call **1-800-288-1155** between **April 22 and June 1, 2009**. This telephone line operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 11:55 p.m. (ET), June 1. (We recommend that you call early in the application period. Do not wait until the last day.) When the system prompts you, choose the Moose Draw option.

STEP 3 At the prompt, choose the option to apply as part of a group, and at the next prompt, choose the Group Leader option.

STEP 4 After the prompt, enter your 15-digit (hunting version) Outdoors Card Number.

Your Outdoors Card Number is:

7 0 8 1 5 8

STEP 5 After the prompt, enter your first choice Hunt Code, and second choice Hunt Code (if you have one).

PLEASE NOTE: The responsibility for correctly entering the Hunt Code(s) rests solely with the applicant. Listen to your choice(s) carefully before confirming them.

| | WMU | Type | Firearm | Hunt Code |
|----------------------|-----|------|---------|-----------|
| First Choice | | | | |
| Second Choice | | | | |

STEP 6 Enter your VISA, MasterCard, or American Express number:

STEP 7 Enter the 4-digit expiry date from your credit card.

expiry date: /
month year

STEP 8 Stay on the line while the system authorizes your credit card number, and provides you with a 7-digit Group Reference Number. Record this number in the space below.

Group Reference Number:

STEP 9 **Stay on the line** to confirm your postal code to ensure that you receive your moose licence and game seal when they are mailed to you, **and to receive your Authorization number that confirms that your application has been entered in the draw.** At the end of the call you will be told your pool status.

Pool Status:

If your postal code is not correct, call the Outdoors Card Centre as soon as possible during regular business hours (1-800-387-7011) to update your address. Your address may also be updated 24 hours a day at ontario.ca/outdoorscard.

STEP 10 As the last step, contact your Group Members and give them your 7-digit Group Reference Number so that they may call in and add their names to the group's application.

Keep this worksheet for your files.

GROUP MEMBER

To use this worksheet, ensure you are a Group Member and not a Group Leader or an Individual Applicant. If you are the first member of your group to apply to the draw by telephone, then you are considered to be the Group Leader and should refer to the instructions on page 40 before calling.

The instructions and worksheet provided below will assist you with the telephone application process. **Fill in the worksheet spaces before you call**, and keep the worksheet in front of you during the call so you can record your Authorization Number. **Before the call** you need to record your Group Reference Number (provided by your Group Leader), your Outdoors Card Number, and credit card number and expiry date.

STEP 1 Call 1-800-288-1155 between April 22 and June 1, 2009.

This telephone line operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 11:55 p.m. (ET), June 1. (We recommend that you call early in the application period. Do not wait until the last day.) When the system prompts you, choose the Moose Draw option.

STEP 2 When the system prompts you, choose the option to apply as part of a group, and at the next prompt, choose the Group Member option.

STEP 3 After the prompt, enter your 7-digit Group Reference Number.

Group Reference Number:

STEP 4 After the prompt, enter your 15-digit (hunting version) Outdoors Card Number.

Your Outdoors Card Number is:

7 0 8 1 5 8

STEP 5 A recording will tell you your group's Hunt Code, WMU, type of moose, and firearm choice(s) as selected by your Group Leader.

STEP 6 Enter your VISA, MasterCard, or American Express number:

STEP 7 Enter the 4-digit expiry date from your credit card.

expiry date: /
month year

STEP 8 Stay on the line while the system authorizes your credit card number. Record the Authorization Number that confirms your entry into the moose draw in the space provided below.

Authorization number:

STEP 9 Stay on the line to confirm your postal code to ensure that you receive your moose licence and game seal when they are mailed to you, **and to receive confirmation that your application has been entered in the draw.** At the end of the call you will be told your pool status and the number of people who have applied to your group (including yourself). This number may include both Pool 1 and Pool 2 applicants.

Pool Status:

If your postal code is not correct, call the Outdoors Card Centre as soon as possible during regular business hours (1-800-387-7011) to update your address. Your address may also be updated 24 hours a day at ontario.ca/outdoorscard.

Keep this worksheet for your files.

INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT

The instructions and worksheet provided below will assist you with the telephone application process. **Fill in the worksheet spaces before you call**, and keep the worksheet in front of you during the call so you can record your Authorization Number. **Before the call** you need to record your Outdoors Card Number, choice(s) of Hunt Code, and credit card number and expiry date. Hunt Codes are found in the 2009 Moose Draw Hunt Codes Table on pages 42 and 43.

STEP 1 Call 1-800-288-1155 between April 22 and June 1, 2009.

This telephone line operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 11:55 p.m. (ET), June 1. (We recommend that you call early in the application period. Do not wait until the last day.) When the system prompts you, choose the Moose Draw option.

STEP 2 When the system prompts you, choose the option to apply as an individual.

STEP 3 After the prompt, enter your 15-digit (hunting version) Outdoors Card Number.

Your Outdoors Card Number is:

7 0 8 1 5 8

STEP 4 After the prompt, enter your first choice Hunt Code, and second choice Hunt Code (if you have one).

PLEASE NOTE: The responsibility for correctly entering the Hunt Code(s) rests solely with the applicant. Listen to your choice(s) carefully before confirming them.

| | WMU | Type | Firearm | Hunt Code |
|---------------|-----|------|---------|-----------|
| First Choice | | | | |
| Second Choice | | | | |

STEP 5 Enter your VISA, MasterCard, or American Express number:

STEP 6 Enter the 4-digit expiry date from your credit card.

expiry date: /
month year

STEP 7 Stay on the line while the system authorizes your credit card number, and provides you with your Authorization Number. Record this number in the space provided below.

Authorization Number:

STEP 8 Stay on the line to confirm your postal code to ensure that you receive your moose licence and game seal when they are mailed to you, **and to receive confirmation that your application has been entered in the draw.** At the end of the call you will be told your pool status.

Pool Status:

If your postal code is not correct, call the Outdoors Card Centre as soon as possible during regular business hours (1-800-387-7011) to update your address. Your address may also be updated 24 hours a day at ontario.ca/outdoorscard.

Keep this worksheet for your files.

2009 Moose Draw Hunt Codes

Select the Hunt Code for your WMU, Type

| WMU | Type | Firearm | Hunt Code | Season Dates | WMU | Type | Firearm | Hunt Code | Season Dates |
|-----|------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----|------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| 01A | Bull | Gun | 500 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 | 13 | Bull | Gun | 556 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 01A | Cow | Gun | 501 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 | 13 | Cow | Gun | 557 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 01C | Bull | Gun | 502 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 | 13 | Bull | Bow | 558 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 01C | Cow | Gun | 503 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 | 13 | Cow | Bow | 559 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 01D | Bull | Gun | 504 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 | 14 | Bull | Gun | 560 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 01D | Cow | Gun | 505 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 | 14 | Cow | Gun | 561 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 02 | Bull | Gun | 506 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 14 | Bull | Bow | 562 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 02 | Cow | Gun | 507 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 14 | Cow | Bow | 563 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 02 | Bull | Bow | 508 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 15A | Bull | Gun | 564 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 02 | Cow | Bow | 509 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 15A | Cow | Gun | 565 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 03 | Bull | Gun | 510 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 15A | Bull | Bow | 566 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 03 | Cow | Gun | 511 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 15A | Cow | Bow | 567 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 03 | Bull | Bow | 512 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 15B | Bull | Gun | 568 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 03 | Cow | Bow | 513 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 15B | Cow | Gun | 569 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 04 | Bull | Gun | 514 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 15B | Bull | Bow | 570 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 04 | Cow | Gun | 515 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 15B | Cow | Bow | 571 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 04 | Bull | Bow | 516 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 16A | Bull | Gun | 572 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 04 | Cow | Bow | 517 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 16A | Cow | Gun | 573 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 05 | Bull | Gun | 518 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 16B | Bull | Gun | 574 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 05 | Cow | Gun | 519 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 16B | Cow | Gun | 575 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 05 | Bull | Bow | 520 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 16C | Bull | Gun | 576 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 05 | Cow | Bow | 521 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 16C | Cow | Gun | 577 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 06 | Bull | Gun | 522 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 17 | Bull | Gun | 578 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 06 | Cow | Gun | 523 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 17 | Cow | Gun | 579 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| 06 | Bull | Bow | 524 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 18A | Bull | Gun | 580 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 07A | Bull | Bow & Muzzle-loader | 525 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 18A | Cow | Gun | 581 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 07A | Cow | Bow & Muzzle-loader | 526 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 18A | Bull | Bow | 582 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 07B | Bull | Gun | 527 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 18A | Cow | Bow | 583 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 07B | Cow | Gun | 528 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 18B | Bull | Gun | 584 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 07B | Bull | Bow | 529 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 18B | Cow | Gun | 585 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 08 | Bull | Gun | 530 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 18B | Bull | Bow & Muzzle-loader | 586 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 08 | Cow | Gun | 531 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 18B | Cow | Bow & Muzzle-loader | 587 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 08 | Bull | Bow | 532 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 19 | Bull | Gun | 588 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 08 | Cow | Bow | 533 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 19 | Cow | Gun | 589 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 09A | Bull | Gun | 534 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 19 | Bull | Bow | 590 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 09A | Cow | Gun | 535 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 19 | Cow | Bow | 591 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 09A | Bull | Bow | 536 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 21A | Bull | Gun | 592 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 09A | Cow | Bow | 537 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 21A | Cow | Gun | 593 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 09B | Bull | Gun | 538 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 21A | Bull | Bow | 594 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 09B | Cow | Gun | 539 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 21A | Cow | Bow | 595 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 09B | Bull | Bow | 540 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 21B | Bull | Gun | 596 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 09B | Cow | Bow | 541 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 21B | Cow | Gun | 597 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 |
| 11A | Bull | Gun | 542 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 21B | Bull | Bow | 598 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 11A | Cow | Gun | 543 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 21B | Cow | Bow | 599 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 11A | Bull | Bow | 544 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 22 | Bull | Gun | 600 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 11B | Bull | Gun | 545 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 22 | Cow | Gun | 601 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 11B | Cow | Gun | 546 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 22 | Bull | Bow | 602 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 11B | Bull | Bow | 547 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 22 | Cow | Bow | 603 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 12A | Bull | Gun | 548 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 23 | Bull | Gun | 604 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 12A | Cow | Gun | 549 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 23 | Cow | Gun | 605 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 12A | Bull | Bow | 550 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 23 | Bull | Bow | 606 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 12A | Cow | Bow | 551 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 23 | Cow | Bow | 607 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 12B | Bull | Gun | 552 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 24 | Bull | Gun | 608 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 12B | Cow | Gun | 553 | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | 24 | Cow | Gun | 609 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 12B | Bull | Bow | 554 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 24 | Bull | Bow | 610 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 12B | Cow | Bow | 555 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 24 | Cow | Bow | 611 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| | | | | | 25 | Bull | Gun | 612 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |
| | | | | | 25 | Cow | Gun | 613 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 |

for Hunters Applying by Telephone

and Firearm from the table below

| WMU | Type | Firearm | Hunt Code | Season Dates | WMU | Type | Firearm | Hunt Code | Season Dates |
|-----|------|---------|-----------|---------------------|-----|------|---------|-----------|---------------------------|
| 26 | Bull | Gun | 614 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 31 | 42 | Bull | Gun | 674 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 26 | Cow | Gun | 615 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 31 | 42 | Cow | Gun | 675 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 |
| 27 | Bull | Gun | 616 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 42 | Bull | Bow | 676 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 27 | Cow | Gun | 617 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 42 | Cow | Bow | 677 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 |
| 27 | Bull | Bow | 618 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 46 | Bull | Gun | 678 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 27 | Cow | Bow | 619 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 46 | Cow | Gun | 679 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 28 | Bull | Gun | 620 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 47 | Bull | Gun | 680 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 28 | Cow | Gun | 621 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 47 | Cow | Gun | 681 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 28 | Bull | Bow | 622 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 48 | Bull | Gun | 682 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 28 | Cow | Bow | 623 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 48 | Cow | Gun | 683 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 29 | Bull | Gun | 624 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 48 | Calf | Gun | 684 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 29 | Cow | Gun | 625 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 48 | Bull | Bow | 685 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 29 | Bull | Bow | 626 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 48 | Cow | Bow | 686 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 29 | Cow | Bow | 627 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 48 | Calf | Bow | 687 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 30 | Bull | Gun | 628 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 49 | Bull | Gun | 688 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 30 | Cow | Gun | 629 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 49 | Cow | Gun | 689 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 30 | Bull | Bow | 630 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 50 | Bull | Gun | 690 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 30 | Cow | Bow | 631 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 50 | Cow | Gun | 691 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 31 | Bull | Gun | 632 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 53 | Bull | Gun | 692 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 31 | Cow | Gun | 633 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 53 | Cow | Gun | 693 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 31 | Bull | Bow | 634 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 54 | Bull | Gun | 694 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 31 | Cow | Bow | 635 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 54 | Cow | Gun | 695 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 32 | Bull | Gun | 636 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 55A | Bull | Gun | 696 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 32 | Cow | Gun | 637 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 55A | Cow | Gun | 697 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 32 | Bull | Bow | 638 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 55A | Calf | Gun | 698 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 32 | Cow | Bow | 639 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 55A | Bull | Bow | 699 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 33 | Bull | Gun | 640 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 55A | Cow | Bow | 700 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 33 | Cow | Gun | 641 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 55A | Calf | Bow | 701 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 33 | Bull | Bow | 642 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 55B | Bull | Gun | 702 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 33 | Cow | Bow | 643 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 55B | Cow | Gun | 703 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 34 | Bull | Gun | 644 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 55B | Bull | Bow | 704 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 34 | Cow | Gun | 645 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 55B | Cow | Bow | 705 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 35 | Bull | Gun | 646 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 56 | Bull | Gun | 706 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 35 | Cow | Gun | 647 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 56 | Cow | Gun | 707 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 35 | Bull | Bow | 648 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 57 | Bull | Gun | 708 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 35 | Cow | Bow | 649 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 57 | Cow | Gun | 709 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 36 | Bull | Gun | 650 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 57 | Calf | Gun | 710 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 36 | Cow | Gun | 651 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 57 | Bull | Bow | 711 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 36 | Bull | Bow | 652 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 57 | Cow | Bow | 712 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 36 | Cow | Bow | 653 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 57 | Calf | Bow | 713 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 |
| 37 | Bull | Gun | 654 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 60 | Bull | Gun | 714 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 37 | Cow | Gun | 655 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 60 | Cow | Gun | 715 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 37 | Bull | Bow | 656 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 61 | Bull | Gun | 716 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 37 | Cow | Bow | 657 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 61 | Cow | Gun | 717 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 38 | Bull | Gun | 658 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 62 | Bull | Gun | 718 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 38 | Cow | Gun | 659 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 63 | Bull | Gun | 719 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 38 | Bull | Bow | 660 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 63 | Cow | Gun | 720 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 |
| 38 | Cow | Bow | 661 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | 65 | Bull | Bow | 721 | Oct. 8 to Oct. 14 [*][**] |
| 39 | Bull | Gun | 662 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | 65 | Cow | Bow | 722 | Oct. 8 to Oct. 14 [*][**] |
| 39 | Cow | Gun | 663 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | | | | | |
| 39 | Bull | Bow | 664 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | | | | | |
| 39 | Cow | Bow | 665 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | | | | | |
| 40 | Bull | Gun | 666 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | | | | | |
| 40 | Cow | Gun | 667 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | | | | | |
| 40 | Bull | Bow | 668 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | | | | | |
| 40 | Cow | Bow | 669 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | | | | | |
| 41 | Bull | Gun | 670 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | | | | | |
| 41 | Cow | Gun | 671 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | | | | | |
| 41 | Bull | Bow | 672 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | | | | | |
| 41 | Cow | Bow | 673 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | | | | | |

[*] Please refer to page 44 for information about an early season for hunters with lower limb disability

[**] Only individual applications accepted

Firearm

Gun = Rifles, Shotguns, Bows, & Muzzle-loaders

Bow = Bows only, including Crossbows

Bow & Muzzle-loader = Bows, including Crossbows & Muzzle-loaders

Special Opportunities for Moose Hunters with Lower Limb Disabilities

While hunters with disabilities may apply for a moose validation tag in any WMU, there are two WMUs that offer seasons specifically for resident moose hunters with lower limb disabilities. Hunters who qualify for these special seasons are:

- A paraplegic or hemiplegic
- A person with a single (above the knee) lower limb amputation, or a double (below the waist) amputation
- A person who suffers severe disability and cannot hunt without the use of a wheelchair or similar means of locomotion. In this case, the hunter must provide a medical certificate stating the disability.

Hunters wishing to take part in these hunts must apply to the regular draw for a validation tag; there is no separate tag quota. Lower-limb disabled hunters have the same odds of receiving an adult moose validation tag in these WMUs as any other hunter.

Northwestern Ontario – WMU 11B

A special moose season for hunters who qualify in one of the categories of mobility impairment listed above will be held before the regular gun hunt in WMU 11B. A limited number of opportunities are available in 2009. Those hunters wishing to hunt for an adult moose in this WMU during this special season must apply to the regular draw for a validation tag and then apply to the Thunder Bay District Office.

Resident archers without a disability who acquire a validation tag for the “special bow season preference” may bow hunt during this period.

The first opportunities in the hunt will be available to hunters who qualify and hold an adult moose validation tag for WMU 11B. Remaining opportunities will be available to hunters who qualify and who are interested in hunting calves. **For more information regarding this hunt, please contact the MNR Thunder Bay District Office, 435 James Street South, Suite B001, Thunder Bay, Ontario, P7E 6S8, or telephone: (807) 475-1462.**

Southeastern Ontario – WMU 65

A special bows-only moose hunt for hunters who qualify in one of the categories of mobility impairment listed above will be held October 5-7, 2009, in WMU 65.

Hunters wishing to participate in this special hunt must apply to the regular draw and receive a validation tag in WMU 65. Mobility impaired moose hunters will be able to participate in the early mobility impaired season (October 5-7) as well as the regular bow hunt which follows (October 8-14).

If you have questions, please contact the MNR Kemptville District Office, at Postal Bag 2002, 10 Campus Drive, Kemptville, Ontario, K0G 1J0, or telephone (613) 258-8204.

INFORMATION FOR NON-RESIDENTS WISHING TO HUNT MOOSE

A non-resident who wishes to hunt moose in Ontario must have valid hunting accreditation and be a registered guest and actually accommodated at a tourist establishment. The outfitter must apply for and receive, on the non-resident's behalf, a validation tag to hunt moose (see exceptions below).

A non-resident's licence to hunt moose is only valid if it has a bull, cow or calf validation tag affixed to it. The non-resident can hunt only moose of the age and sex specified on the validation tag.

A non-resident may hunt in a party for moose when hunting in a Wildlife Management Unit that is specified on the validation tag and that has a non-resident season. The party hunting must be carried out in accordance with the definition of party hunting (see page 23).

Please note that WMUs 46-63 and 65 do not have a moose season for non-residents.

Exceptions to requirement to hunt through an outfitter:

- Non-residents may hunt with an immediate relative who is an Ontario resident licensed to hunt moose in a WMU that has an open season for non-residents. An immediate relative is a person's grandparent, parent, spouse, child, sibling or grandchild. If you qualify under this exception, you may apply in the resident moose draw for an adult validation tag. You must purchase a moose licence and submit your application, along with your affidavit verifying your relationship to your immediate relative, to a ServiceOntario Centre in the area in which you wish to hunt (see offices and WMU listings, page 80). Please note that the moose draw deadline is June 1, 2009.
- Non-residents who are owners of land in a WMU that has an open season for non-residents and wish to hunt in that unit, may apply for a calf validation tag from a ServiceOntario Centre. (Non-resident landowners are not eligible to apply in the resident moose draw for an adult validation tag.) Non-residents who qualify under this exception and wish to apply for a calf validation tag must purchase a moose licence and, prior to the hunt, submit their application along with proof of property ownership to a ServiceOntario Centre. Where a property is owned by more than one person or by a corporation, only one calf validation tag will be issued.
- **PLEASE NOTE:** Non-resident moose hunters may hunt moose in WMUs 7B, 9B, 11A, 11B, 12B, 13 and 14 only by hunting through a tourist outfitter or by hunting with an immediate relative (as defined above), who is an Ontario resident licensed to hunt moose. Non-resident landowners are not eligible to moose hunt in these units.

Guides

Non-residents must be accompanied by one licensed guide for each two hunters when hunting moose in the Territorial District of Rainy River. Wildlife Management Units in the Territorial District of Rainy River are: 9B, 10, 11A and parts of 7B and 12B.

Moose Hunter Education

The ministry, in partnership with the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters (O.F.A.H.), has produced two manuals: *Book 1 – Moose Biology, Ecology and Management*, and *Book 2 – Moose Hunting Techniques, Hunting Ethics and the Law*.

This two-volume set is available from the O.F.A.H. for \$13.45 (GST and shipping included).

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To order using a credit card, please call the O.F.A.H. at (705) 748-6324 or send a cheque payable to:
Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters
 P.O. Box 2800
 Peterborough, Ontario K9J 8L5

CADMIUM

The Ministry of Natural Resources recommends that people do not eat the liver and kidneys of moose and deer because of concerns about cadmium levels in these internal organs.

LEAD

Recent research has indicated that the amount of lead found in a small percentage of game meat could result in long-term health impacts in people who regularly consume venison harvested using lead ammunition. To date, there is **no** known evidence linking consumption of wild game to lead poisoning.

Exposure to lead can be reduced by:

- Reminding your meat processor to avoid meat with excessive shot damage and trimming generous distances from wound channels
- Using non-lead ammunition (e.g. copper)
- Practicing marksmanship to avoid penetrating major muscle areas. Aim for vital organs on big game.
- Avoiding consumption of internal organs

2008 Moose Validation Tag Draw Provincial Summary

General Draw Statistics

| | |
|--|---------|
| Total tags available | 15,233 |
| Total applicants entered in the draw | 100,302 |
| Total successful applicants | 14,047 |

Tags available

| | |
|----------------|--------|
| Gun Bull | 9,233 |
| Gun Cow | 3,393 |
| Gun Calf | 78 |
| Bow Bull | 1,007 |
| Bow Cow | 1,452 |
| Bow Calf | 70 |
| Total | 15,233 |

Group Statistics

| | |
|---|--------|
| Total number of hunters in groups | 46,740 |
| Total number of groups | 10,573 |
| Total tags issued to groups | 7,035 |
| Percentage of groups receiving tags | 66% |

Individual Statistics

| | |
|---|--------|
| Total number of hunters applying as individuals | 53,562 |
| Total tags issued to individuals | 7,012 |
| Percentage of individuals receiving tags | 13% |



Explanation of Tables (pages 47-50)

- 1** Shows the 2009 Guaranteed Group Size for all WMU/tag/season choices where the group size is 15 or fewer (the current group size maximum). Remember that only Pool 1 hunters are counted when determining group size and guaranteed tags are issued only on the first choice.
- 2** Shows the 2009 tag quotas for each WMU season and type choice.
- 3-5** Shows the tag quotas for 2008 and the total valid applications for all pools and choices for each WMU and season.

2009 Moose Seasons

Rifles, Shotguns, Bows and Muzzle-loaders

| WMU(s) | Resident – Open Season | Non-resident – Open Season | Conditions (Restrictions Only) |
|---|------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| 1A**,1C,1D**,16A,16B,16C,17**, 25 | Sept. 19 to Dec. 15 | Sept. 21 to Nov. 15 | |
| 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7B*+, 8, 9A, 9B*+, 11A*+, 11B*, 12A, 12B*+, 13*, 14*, 15A, 15B, 18A, 18B, 19, 21A, 21B | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | Oct. 12 to Nov. 15 | * Non-resident landowners must hunt through a Tourist Outfitter. + Non-Resident Guide Requirement in the territorial district of Rainy River |
| 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30*, 31*, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 | Oct. 10 to Nov. 15 | Oct. 12 to Nov. 15 | * No hunting of predominantly white-coloured moose (over 50 per cent white) in WMUs 30 and 31. |
| 26 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 31 | Sept. 21 to Oct. 31 | |
| 46, 47, 49, 50, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 | No season | |
| 48, 55A, 55B, 57 | Oct. 19 to Oct. 24 | No season | See special moose calf and adult hunting regulations and reporting requirements for these WMUs on page 36. |

** WMUs 1A, 1D, 17 – no road access; water or air access only.

Bows and Muzzle-loaders Only

| WMU(s) | Resident – Open Season | Non-resident – Open Season | Conditions (Restrictions Only) |
|--------|------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 7A** | Oct. 10 to Dec. 15 | Oct. 12 to Nov. 15 | |
| 18B** | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | |

** Note: To apply for the above bows and muzzle-loader seasons in WMU 7A and 18B, select the Special Bow Season Preference.

Bows-Only

| WMU(s) | Resident – Open Season | Non-resident – Open Season | Conditions (Restrictions Only) |
|--|------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9A, 12A, 15A, 15B, 18A, 19, 21A, 21B, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30*, 31*, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | * No hunting of predominantly white-coloured moose (over 50 per cent white) in WMUs 30 and 31. |
| 7B+, 9B+, 11A+, 11B, 12B+, 13, 14 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | Non-resident landowners must hunt through a Tourist Outfitter. + Non-residents must hunt with a guide in the territorial district of Rainy River. |
| 48, 55A, 55B, 57 | Oct. 5 to Oct. 10 | No season | See special moose calf and adult hunting regulations and reporting requirements for these WMUs on page 36. |

2009 Moose Hunts with Controlled Hunter Numbers

| WMU(s) | Resident – Open Season | Non-resident – Open Season | Conditions (Restrictions Only) |
|--------|------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 11B | Sept. 19 to Oct. 9 | No season | Must have lower limb disability (see page 44). Eligible hunters must obtain a tag through the draw if they wish to hunt adult moose or be in possession of a valid calf validation tag in order to hunt calves. Class 4 only rifle, shotgun, muzzle-loaders. |
| 65* | Oct. 5 to Oct. 7 | No season | Must have lower limb disability (see page 44). Eligible hunters must obtain a tag through the draw if they wish to hunt moose. Only bows may be used. Written landowner permission required. |
| 65* | Oct. 8 to Oct. 14 | No season | Only bows may be used. Written landowner permission required. |

* All hunters must obtain a WMU 65 validation tag, or be the partner of a hunter who has obtained a WMU 65 validation tag, before they can hunt any moose (adult or calf) in WMU 65. Contact Kemptville Office (613) 258-8204 for details. Written landowner permission required.

1 Gun Guaranteed Group Size for 2009*

Note: Maximum group size is 15 hunters

| WMU | Pool 1 Choice 1 Group Size Guarantee for 2009 | | | In 2008 all groups of this size and larger were issued tags | | | WMU | Pool 1 Choice 1 Group Size Guarantee for 2009 | | | In 2008 all groups of this size and larger were issued tags | | |
|-----|---|----------|-----------|---|----------|-----------|--|---|----------|-----------|---|----------|-----------|
| | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS | | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS |
| 01A | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 54 | 10 | 13 | | 8+ | 8+ | |
| 01C | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 55A | none | none | none | none | 8+ | 2+ |
| 01D | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 55B | none | none | no quota | none | none | no quota |
| 02 | 4 | 3 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 56 | 14 | none | | 15 | 13+ | |
| 03 | 4 | 3 | | 2+ | 3+ | | 57 | none | none | none | 12+ | 11+ | none |
| 04 | 5 | 4 | | 2+ | 3+ | | 60 | 14 | 13 | | none | 15 | |
| 05 | 4 | 5 | | 2+ | 4+ | | 61 | 10 | 14 | | 7+ | 7+ | |
| 06 | 4 | 6 | | 2+ | 4+ | | 62 | none | no quota | | 15 | no quota | |
| 07B | 4 | 6 | | 3+ | 2+ | | 63 | 13 | none | | 12+ | 8+ | |
| 08 | 3 | 4 | | 2+ | 3+ | | Bow Hunting Guaranteed Group Size for 2009* | | | | | | |
| 09A | 9 | 8 | | 4+ | 4+ | | | | | | | | |
| 09B | 6 | 3 | | 4+ | 3+ | | | | | | | | |
| 11A | 5 | 6 | | 4+ | 5+ | | | | | | | | |
| 11B | 6 | 5 | | 3+ | 3+ | | | | | | | | |
| 12A | 5 | 6 | | 4+ | 5+ | | | | | | | | |
| 12B | 5 | 5 | | 4+ | 3+ | | WMU | Pool 1 Choice 1 Group Size Guarantee for 2009 | | | In 2008 all groups of this size and larger were issued tags | | |
| 13 | 4 | 3 | | 2+ | 2+ | | | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS |
| 14 | 4 | 5 | | 2+ | 5+ | | 02 | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 15A | 7 | 6 | | 5+ | 4+ | | 03 | 5 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 15B | 2 | 4 | | 2+ | 4+ | | 04 | 3 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 16A | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 05 | 3 | 2 | | 3+ | 2+ | |
| 16B | 4 | 3 | | 2+ | 3+ | | 06 | 2 | no quota | | 2+ | no quota | |
| 16C | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 07A | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 17 | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 07B | 2 | no quota | | 2+ | no quota | |
| 18A | 4 | 4 | | 4+ | 2+ | | 08 | 3 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 18B | 3 | 3 | | 3+ | 2+ | | 09A | 6 | 2 | | 3+ | 2+ | |
| 19 | 6 | 6 | | 3+ | 4+ | | 09B | 4 | 2 | | 3+ | 2+ | |
| 21A | 4 | 3 | | 3+ | 4+ | | 11A | 2 | no quota | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 21B | 8 | 8 | | 6+ | 8+ | | 11B | 3 | no quota | | 2+ | no quota | |
| 22 | 11 | 12 | | 9+ | 8+ | | 12A | 2 | | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 23 | 7 | 4 | | 11+ | 8+ | | 12B | 5 | 2 | | 4+ | 2+ | |
| 24 | 9 | 9 | | 7+ | 7+ | | 13 | 4 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 25 | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | | 14 | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 26 | 13 | 10 | | 13+ | 8+ | | 15A | 3 | 2 | | 3+ | 2+ | |
| 27 | 14 | 12 | | 12+ | 9+ | | 15B | 4 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 28 | 14 | 10 | | 11+ | 11+ | | 18A | 2 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 29 | none | 15 | | none | 12+ | | 18B | 4 | 3 | | 3+ | 2+ | |
| 30 | none | 10 | | 13+ | 9+ | | 19 | 3 | 2 | | 2+ | 2+ | |
| 31 | none | none | | none | none | | 21A | 5 | 2 | | 4+ | 2+ | |
| 32 | 15 | 7 | | 10+ | 6+ | | 21B | 9 | 2 | | 6+ | 2+ | |
| 33 | 10 | 12 | | 9+ | 10+ | | 22 | 9 | 2 | | 5+ | 2+ | |
| 34 | 14 | none | | 13+ | 9+ | | 23 | 4 | 2 | | 7+ | 2+ | |
| 35 | none | 8 | | none | 11+ | | 24 | 6 | 2 | | 5+ | 2+ | |
| 36 | none | none | | none | none | | 29 | none | 2 | | 15 | 2+ | |
| 37 | none | 14 | | none | 13+ | | 38 | none | 4 | | none | 4+ | |
| 38 | none | 13 | | none | 10+ | | 48 | none | none | none | none | 3+ | none |
| 39 | none | 14 | | none | 11+ | | 55A | none | none | none | 5+ | none | none |
| 40 | 12 | 13 | | 13+ | 13+ | | 55B | none | none | no quota | none | none | no quota |
| 41 | none | none | | none | none | | 57 | none | none | none | none | none | none |
| 42 | none | none | | none | none | | 65 | none | none | | none | none | |
| 46 | none | none | | 11+ | 7+ | | | | | | | | |
| 47 | none | none | | none | none | 5+ | | | | | | | |
| 48 | none | none | none | none | none | | | | | | | | |
| 49 | none | none | | 14+ | 15 | | | | | | | | |
| 50 | 12 | 12 | | 7+ | 8+ | | | | | | | | |
| 53 | none | none | | 12+ | 11+ | | | | | | | | |

* Guaranteed Group Sizes for WMUs 1-42 are calculated using 95% of the total quota, with 5% set aside for the draw for Northern Residents.

2 2009 Moose Validation Tag Quotas

| Gun Tags Available for 2009 | | | | Gun Tags Available for 2009 | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|----------|-------|--|------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------|
| WMU | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | TOTAL | WMU | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS | TOTAL |
| 01A | 22 | 23 | 45 | 48 | 15 | 13 | 75 | 103 |
| 01C | 270 | 180 | 450 | 49 | 125 | 52 | | 177 |
| 01D | 5 | 5 | 10 | 50 | 163 | 61 | | 224 |
| 02 | 136 | 40 | 176 | 53 | 46 | 20 | | 66 |
| 03 | 240 | 132 | 372 | 54 | 141 | 30 | | 171 |
| 04 | 135 | 63 | 198 | 55A | 15 | 5 | 13 | 33 |
| 05 | 435 | 145 | 580 | 55B | 3 | 4 | 0 | 7 |
| 06 | 44 | 10 | 54 | 56 | 79 | 26 | | 105 |
| 07B | 26 | 5 | 31 | 57 | 14 | 8 | 5 | 27 |
| 08 | 240 | 80 | 320 | 60 | 92 | 44 | | 136 |
| 09A | 58 | 20 | 78 | 61 | 83 | 29 | | 112 |
| 09B | 40 | 17 | 57 | 62 | 10 | 0 | | 10 |
| 11A | 45 | 15 | 60 | 63 | 37 | 17 | | 54 |
| 11B | 70 | 35 | 105 | Total | 8,906 | 4,164 | 93 | 13,163 |
| 12A | 110 | 25 | 135 | Bow Hunting Tags Available for 2009 | | | | |
| 12B | 265 | 90 | 355 | WMU | BULL TAGS | COW TAGS | CALF TAGS | TOTAL |
| 13 | 775 | 375 | 1,150 | 02 | 8 | 4 | | 12 |
| 14 | 29 | 5 | 34 | 03 | 17 | 20 | | 37 |
| 15A | 145 | 60 | 205 | 04 | 12 | 5 | | 17 |
| 15B | 1230 | 375 | 1,605 | 05 | 55 | 40 | | 95 |
| 16A | 100 | 35 | 135 | 06 | 4 | 0 | | 4 |
| 16B | 85 | 30 | 115 | 07A | 15 | 5 | | 20 |
| 16C | 350 | 150 | 500 | 07B | 5 | 0 | | 5 |
| 17 | 138 | 83 | 221 | 08 | 25 | 5 | | 30 |
| 18A | 156 | 54 | 210 | 09A | 5 | 4 | | 9 |
| 18B | 42 | 20 | 62 | 09B | 10 | 5 | | 15 |
| 19 | 140 | 49 | 189 | 11A | 8 | 0 | | 8 |
| 21A | 835 | 616 | 1,451 | 11B | 10 | 0 | | 10 |
| 21B | 239 | 88 | 327 | 12A | 30 | 10 | | 40 |
| 22 | 54 | 22 | 76 | 12B | 20 | 5 | | 25 |
| 23 | 74 | 52 | 126 | 13 | 65 | 45 | | 110 |
| 24 | 134 | 84 | 218 | 14 | 15 | 10 | | 25 |
| 25 | 95 | 50 | 145 | 15A | 30 | 15 | | 45 |
| 26 | 30 | 20 | 50 | 15B | 67 | 35 | | 102 |
| 27 | 80 | 20 | 100 | 18A | 118 | 43 | | 161 |
| 28 | 258 | 264 | 522 | 18B | 36 | 22 | | 58 |
| 29 | 52 | 41 | 93 | 19 | 120 | 80 | | 200 |
| 30 | 100 | 65 | 165 | 21A | 96 | 500 | | 596 |
| 31 | 24 | 14 | 38 | 21B | 26 | 100 | | 126 |
| 32 | 77 | 36 | 113 | 22 | 14 | 12 | | 26 |
| 33 | 40 | 5 | 45 | 23 | 52 | 88 | | 140 |
| 34 | 20 | 5 | 25 | 24 | 50 | 90 | | 140 |
| 35 | 44 | 48 | 92 | 29 | 32 | 250 | | 282 |
| 36 | 13 | 4 | 17 | 38 | 11 | 14 | | 25 |
| 37 | 30 | 20 | 50 | 48 | 15 | 47 | 25 | 87 |
| 38 | 103 | 65 | 168 | 55A | 14 | 10 | 20 | 44 |
| 39 | 74 | 40 | 114 | 55B | 8 | 15 | 0 | 23 |
| 40 | 169 | 64 | 233 | 57 | 10 | 10 | 20 | 40 |
| 41 | 73 | 53 | 126 | 65 | 12 | 18 | | 30 |
| 42 | 24 | 12 | 36 | Total | 1,015 | 1,507 | 65 | 2,587 |
| 46 | 40 | 6 | 46 | | | | | |
| 47 | 70 | 40 | 110 | | | | | |

For WMUs 1-42 Regular Draw uses 95% of the above quotas, Northern Draw uses 5% of the above quota.

3 2008 Adult Moose Tag Draw Gun Quotas and Applications

| WMU | Quotas | | POOL 1 APPLICATIONS | | | | POOL 2 APPLICATIONS | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| | G-BULL | G-COW | Choice 1 G-BULL | Choice 1 G-COW | Choice 2 G-BULL | Choice 2 G-COW | Choice 1 G-BULL | Choice 1 G-COW | Choice 2 G-BULL | Choice 2 G-COW |
| 01A | 22 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 01C | 270 | 180 | 30 | 14 | 10 | 15 | 78 | 47 | 40 | 42 |
| 01D | 5 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| 2 | 133 | 27 | 104 | 51 | 85 | 63 | 109 | 31 | 80 | 52 |
| 3 | 324 | 98 | 708 | 281 | 408 | 403 | 418 | 168 | 235 | 224 |
| 4 | 168 | 44 | 551 | 149 | 323 | 335 | 264 | 107 | 158 | 151 |
| 5 | 455 | 130 | 1,366 | 499 | 689 | 824 | 640 | 188 | 333 | 384 |
| 6 | 50 | 10 | 122 | 37 | 76 | 54 | 68 | 15 | 47 | 26 |
| 7B | 58 | 5 | 72 | 7 | 40 | 35 | 60 | 24 | 43 | 30 |
| 8 | 240 | 80 | 507 | 227 | 329 | 383 | 291 | 104 | 160 | 205 |
| 9A | 100 | 25 | 404 | 105 | 250 | 242 | 152 | 52 | 113 | 98 |
| 9B | 50 | 15 | 196 | 45 | 110 | 130 | 86 | 24 | 40 | 56 |
| 11A | 45 | 15 | 154 | 72 | 123 | 71 | 74 | 29 | 56 | 34 |
| 11B | 115 | 35 | 355 | 120 | 212 | 189 | 125 | 58 | 91 | 66 |
| 12A | 110 | 25 | 419 | 123 | 227 | 226 | 157 | 56 | 90 | 92 |
| 12B | 275 | 85 | 1,002 | 314 | 529 | 586 | 388 | 110 | 181 | 267 |
| 13 | 870 | 290 | 1,918 | 744 | 1,101 | 1,090 | 1,183 | 386 | 642 | 681 |
| 14 | 29 | 5 | 83 | 25 | 41 | 52 | 36 | 8 | 12 | 20 |
| 15A | 160 | 60 | 756 | 280 | 426 | 423 | 311 | 108 | 171 | 183 |
| 15B | 1,230 | 300 | 1,714 | 1,082 | 1,294 | 1,071 | 1,125 | 556 | 777 | 694 |
| 16A | 91 | 32 | 36 | 16 | 34 | 15 | 77 | 24 | 38 | 49 |
| 16B | 85 | 30 | 220 | 60 | 86 | 120 | 97 | 34 | 54 | 59 |
| 16C | 350 | 150 | 96 | 45 | 75 | 70 | 157 | 89 | 112 | 101 |
| 17 | 138 | 83 | 104 | 53 | 53 | 68 | 120 | 89 | 78 | 85 |
| 18A | 156 | 38 | 289 | 90 | 118 | 172 | 138 | 69 | 82 | 88 |
| 18B | 42 | 20 | 105 | 39 | 66 | 84 | 74 | 22 | 30 | 57 |
| 19 | 140 | 49 | 539 | 199 | 281 | 397 | 233 | 90 | 116 | 174 |
| 21A | 803 | 257 | 2,330 | 975 | 1,200 | 1,353 | 971 | 491 | 504 | 635 |
| 21B | 239 | 88 | 1,360 | 644 | 827 | 974 | 437 | 173 | 257 | 289 |
| 22 | 54 | 22 | 448 | 168 | 214 | 328 | 113 | 39 | 43 | 79 |
| 23 | 41 | 27 | 359 | 194 | 196 | 325 | 141 | 46 | 79 | 96 |
| 24 | 134 | 84 | 861 | 691 | 689 | 721 | 323 | 151 | 196 | 253 |
| 25 | 95 | 50 | 143 | 57 | 78 | 70 | 87 | 51 | 48 | 54 |
| 26 | 30 | 20 | 313 | 164 | 212 | 203 | 69 | 32 | 45 | 51 |
| 27 | 80 | 20 | 892 | 163 | 410 | 556 | 272 | 69 | 131 | 170 |
| 28 | 174 | 164 | 2,848 | 2,203 | 2,121 | 2,305 | 956 | 462 | 501 | 735 |
| 29 | 54 | 40 | 1,303 | 427 | 604 | 1,014 | 365 | 133 | 178 | 283 |
| 30 | 100 | 65 | 1,212 | 543 | 685 | 944 | 315 | 125 | 175 | 240 |
| 31 | 62 | 21 | 1,058 | 324 | 623 | 723 | 257 | 96 | 148 | 190 |
| 32 | 92 | 32 | 856 | 179 | 357 | 551 | 224 | 56 | 94 | 130 |
| 33 | 40 | 5 | 350 | 42 | 136 | 178 | 62 | 9 | 29 | 30 |
| 34 | 20 | 5 | 235 | 62 | 85 | 180 | 53 | 18 | 18 | 39 |
| 35 | 62 | 25 | 1,091 | 250 | 484 | 736 | 299 | 76 | 142 | 218 |
| 36 | 13 | 4 | 515 | 112 | 239 | 316 | 178 | 37 | 66 | 106 |
| 37 | 35 | 18 | 513 | 194 | 292 | 317 | 201 | 56 | 73 | 135 |
| 38 | 103 | 65 | 1,331 | 741 | 882 | 1,001 | 412 | 138 | 231 | 311 |
| 39 | 74 | 40 | 1,218 | 424 | 617 | 893 | 337 | 115 | 166 | 229 |
| 40 | 154 | 60 | 2,950 | 710 | 1,029 | 2,077 | 723 | 220 | 311 | 471 |
| 41 | 78 | 47 | 2,618 | 871 | 1,244 | 2,028 | 714 | 191 | 301 | 529 |
| 42 | 25 | 11 | 1,462 | 520 | 680 | 997 | 383 | 106 | 172 | 270 |
| 46 | 55 | 17 | 611 | 102 | 160 | 392 | 162 | 44 | 50 | 101 |
| 47 | 67 | 34 | 1,755 | 582 | 670 | 1,236 | 479 | 183 | 173 | 329 |
| 48 | 7 | 8 | 297 | 155 | 206 | 220 | 86 | 44 | 65 | 71 |
| 49 | 119 | 52 | 1,592 | 746 | 796 | 1,197 | 512 | 184 | 183 | 378 |
| 50 | 235 | 70 | 1,708 | 606 | 858 | 981 | 500 | 186 | 227 | 318 |
| 53 | 45 | 25 | 515 | 310 | 341 | 360 | 218 | 63 | 72 | 143 |
| 54 | 140 | 28 | 1,180 | 253 | 505 | 564 | 289 | 126 | 164 | 163 |
| 55A | 15 | 4 | 183 | 31 | 50 | 67 | 66 | 15 | 25 | 24 |
| 55B | 2 | 6 | 31 | 25 | 27 | 19 | 21 | 12 | 9 | 10 |
| 56 | 66 | 24 | 800 | 419 | 445 | 567 | 259 | 83 | 97 | 173 |
| 57 | 16 | 6 | 183 | 51 | 89 | 117 | 80 | 29 | 35 | 58 |
| 60 | 69 | 34 | 989 | 502 | 496 | 706 | 388 | 166 | 168 | 268 |
| 61 | 83 | 34 | 558 | 406 | 290 | 385 | 242 | 136 | 123 | 169 |
| 62 | 10 | 0 | 113 | 0 | 56 | 0 | 85 | 0 | 30 | 0 |
| 63 | 31 | 22 | 313 | 278 | 195 | 243 | 159 | 79 | 84 | 107 |
| TOTAL | 9,233 | 3,393 | 48,948 | 19,802 | 26,074 | 32,963 | 17,902 | 6,730 | 9,194 | 11,776 |

Quotas for WMUs 1-42 include tags which were put aside for the draw for Northern Residents.

4 2008 Adult Moose Tag Draw Bow Hunting Quotas and Applications

| WMU | Quotas | | POOL 1 APPLICATIONS | | | | POOL 2 APPLICATIONS | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| | B-BULL | B-COW | Choice 1 B-BULL | Choice 1 B-COW | Choice 2 B-BULL | Choice 2 B-COW | Choice 1 B-BULL | Choice 1 B-COW | Choice 2 B-BULL | Choice 2 B-COW |
| 2 | 9 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 15 | 2 | 7 | 5 |
| 3 | 27 | 30 | 47 | 4 | 19 | 8 | 34 | 6 | 20 | 18 |
| 4 | 10 | 5 | 23 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 21 | 5 | 9 | 9 |
| 5 | 50 | 30 | 151 | 6 | 77 | 24 | 73 | 15 | 45 | 19 |
| 6 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| 7A | 21 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 4 |
| 7B | 5 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 8 | 25 | 5 | 45 | 0 | 14 | 4 | 33 | 0 | 12 | 6 |
| 9A | 10 | 2 | 26 | 2 | 22 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| 9B | 13 | 5 | 31 | 0 | 21 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 10 | 3 |
| 11A | 10 | 5 | 13 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 1 |
| 11B | 5 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 10 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| 12A | 25 | 10 | 72 | 1 | 15 | 6 | 17 | 6 | 16 | 2 |
| 12B | 20 | 4 | 78 | 1 | 28 | 12 | 21 | 5 | 20 | 4 |
| 13 | 80 | 45 | 209 | 11 | 11 | 28 | 109 | 32 | 75 | 29 |
| 14 | 15 | 10 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 15 | 1 | 5 | 4 |
| 15A | 25 | 10 | 82 | 4 | 48 | 13 | 37 | 3 | 17 | 7 |
| 15B | 67 | 35 | 175 | 7 | 124 | 21 | 65 | 24 | 57 | 25 |
| 18A | 118 | 43 | 70 | 8 | 49 | 21 | 59 | 15 | 20 | 29 |
| 18B | 36 | 22 | 138 | 36 | 58 | 72 | 52 | 37 | 29 | 41 |
| 19 | 120 | 80 | 307 | 27 | 132 | 47 | 141 | 58 | 70 | 55 |
| 21A | 95 | 500 | 385 | 25 | 198 | 78 | 179 | 78 | 88 | 92 |
| 21B | 26 | 100 | 147 | 2 | 71 | 35 | 55 | 22 | 35 | 25 |
| 22 | 14 | 12 | 69 | 21 | 48 | 23 | 24 | 8 | 13 | 6 |
| 23 | 22 | 50 | 132 | 2 | 110 | 9 | 64 | 24 | 30 | 30 |
| 24 | 50 | 90 | 223 | 14 | 119 | 46 | 88 | 31 | 47 | 49 |
| 29 | 32 | 250 | 353 | 183 | 253 | 166 | 154 | 112 | 118 | 101 |
| 38 | 11 | 14 | 154 | 49 | 72 | 78 | 67 | 24 | 33 | 38 |
| 48 | 11 | 39 | 245 | 114 | 100 | 160 | 97 | 39 | 39 | 51 |
| 55A | 19 | 5 | 71 | 3 | 31 | 16 | 32 | 3 | 12 | 10 |
| 55B | 6 | 20 | 53 | 23 | 20 | 31 | 25 | 16 | 14 | 13 |
| 57 | 13 | 5 | 69 | 4 | 12 | 15 | 44 | 4 | 6 | 20 |
| 65 | 13 | 17 | 148 | 70 | 35 | 102 | 77 | 44 | 34 | 50 |
| TOTAL | 1,007 | 1,452 | 3,531 | 618 | 1,848 | 1,027 | 1,639 | 613 | 891 | 753 |

Quotas for WMUs 1-42 include tags which were put aside for the draw for Northern Residents.

5 2008 Calf Moose Tag Draw Gun and Bow Hunting Quotas and Applications

| WMU | Gun Quota G-CALF | POOL 1 APPLICATIONS | | POOL 2 APPLICATIONS | | Bow Quota B-CALF | POOL 1 APPLICATIONS | | POOL 2 APPLICATIONS | |
|--------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| | | Choice 1 G-CALF | Choice 2 G-CALF | Choice 1 G-CALF | Choice 2 G-CALF | | Choice 1 B-CALF | Choice 2 B-CALF | Choice 1 B-CALF | Choice 2 B-CALF |
| 48 | 48 | 223 | 181 | 88 | 59 | 30 | 10 | 69 | 44 | 41 |
| 55A | 22 | 32 | 92 | 34 | 39 | 20 | 2 | 12 | 7 | 9 |
| 55B | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 57 | 8 | 17 | 60 | 39 | 39 | 20 | 6 | 20 | 6 | 8 |
| TOTAL | 78 | 272 | 333 | 161 | 137 | 70 | 18 | 101 | 57 | 58 |

A Message from Ontario's Conservation Officers

It is illegal to abandon game or allow it to spoil. If you mistakenly shoot the wrong game, please call the 1-877-TIPS-MNR line and report it as soon as possible.

1-877-TIPS-MNR (847-7667)

