

**LANDOWNER
ELK HUNT APPLICATION INFORMATION 2018**

-Four LANDOWNER LICENSES are available during 2018 in Zone 20.

-All four LANDOWNER LICENSES are available in the Kittson County central zone (Zone 20).

-No LANDOWNER LICENSES are available in the Kittson County northeast zone (Zone 30) this year.

-All Applicants, including landowners, will have to select a zone and season (A, B, C) when applying.

-The LANDOWNER LICENSES will be drawn from all landowners in Zone 20 and given the season of their choice (designated upon application).

-The following persons are eligible for the LANDOWNER drawing:

1. Owners of at least 160 acres of agricultural or grazing land, within the zone applied for; or
2. Tenants living on at least 160 acres of agricultural or grazing land, within the zone applied for, or
3. Family members of qualifying landowners & tenants if they live on the qualifying property and are part of the farming operation. Family members include those related by blood, marriage, or adoption.

Applicants unsuccessful in the landowner and tenant drawing will be included in general drawing selection process for the remaining licenses in the same zone. Landowner and tenant party applications that include individuals who do not meet the requirements for this license will be removed from the landowner and tenant drawing and will not be entered into the general drawing.

General Information

1. Season Dates and License Numbers:
 - a. **Season A** – September 8 – 16, 2018
Zone 20 – 2 either-sex and 5 antlerless-only elk licenses
Zone 30 – 2 bulls-only elk licenses
 - b. **Season B** – September 22 – 30, 2018
Zone 20 – 1 either-sex and 6 antlerless-only elk licenses
 - c. **Season C** – October 6 – 14, 2018
Zone 20 – 1 either-sex and 5 antlerless-only elk licenses
2. For each Zone, up to three drawings can occur. The first drawing will determine which landowners are eligible to purchase the four elk licenses in Zone 20. The selected landowners in the zone will be awarded the season of their choice. The second drawing will determine which applicants with more than 10 years of application history are eligible to purchase up to three licenses in Zone 20. The third drawing will determine which applicants for the general drawing (including non-successful landowner applicants) are eligible to purchase the remaining licenses in each zone.

3. This is a once-in-a-lifetime hunt for Minnesota residents. Successful applicants who choose not to purchase a permit will be eligible for future elk hunts and receive a preference point.

HOW TO APPLY:

Apply at any DNR License agent, the DNR License Center at 500 Lafayette Road in St. Paul, www.mndnr.gov/buylicense or by telephone at 888-665-4236. Hunters may apply individually or in parties of two. There is a non-refundable application fee of \$4 per hunter and applicants should use Code 625. License cost is \$287.