

**NAVAJO NATION DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**  
**2023 SPRING GOBBLER HUNT**

SEASON DATES: **April 22- May 7, 2023**

PERMITS AVAILABLE and MANAGEMENT UNITS OPEN:

**Hunt A** - 225 permits (Units 1, 4 and 5)

**Hunt B** - 225 permits (Units 2 and 3)

PERMIT COST:

Navajo (census # required) = \$28.00

Navajo Senior Citizen & Veteran = \$14.00

Non-Navajo Spouse = \$28.00

Non-Navajo = \$150.00

Payment may be made by Cashier's Check, Money Order or Credit Card.

Fillable Big Game Applications and Credit Card Authorization Forms are available on the website at [www.nndfw.org](http://www.nndfw.org).

Permit Cost includes a non-refundable application fee of \$12.00

**Senior Citizens** must include documentation of proof of age

**Veterans** must provide copy of DD-214

**Spouses** must include marriage license, spouses CIB and Notarized Affidavit of Stating Marriage is Still Valid

APPLICATION DEADLINE: **February 10, 2023 by 5 PM.** We do not accept Postmarked applications.

LEGAL METHOD OF TAKE: **Shotgun and bow only.**

Shotguns, ten (10) gauge and smaller, with no more than a three (3) shell capacity. Long bow or compound bow with 40 lb. or greater pull.

BAG LIMIT/LEGAL TURKEY: One (1) turkey with a visible beard.

- ❖ Hunters must indicate either **HUNT A** or **HUNT B** as their 1st choice hunt on the application and are restricted to the units they are drawn for. A second hunt choice is optional.
- ❖ Permits will be issued to eligible applicants on a random drawing basis (if necessary).
- ❖ If a draw is necessary, the number of non-Navajo permits issued in the draw is limited to a maximum of 20% of the total number of available permits in each hunt.
- ❖ Group applicants will be drawn together.
- ❖ No transferring of permits, no refunds on issued permits.
- ❖ Left-over permits will be available on a first-come-first-served basis on February 21, 2023.
- ❖ An individual may only apply once and receive one permit for the Spring Gobbler hunt.