

2024 Application for Montana Resident Landowner Sponsor

Return completed application to: Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks
Licensing Bureau -Landowner Sponsor
1420 E Sixth Ave. P.O. Box 200701
Helena, MT 59620-0701
(406) 444-1666

Instruction To Resident Landowner Sponsor:

State law (87-2-511 M.C.A.) provides that deer combination licenses may be sold to applicants indicating their intent to hunt with a Montana resident sponsor on land owned by that sponsor. A sponsor is defined as a resident individual, or a resident individual of a domestic corporation or partnership created pursuant to Montana statutes. Land ownership is defined as land owned in fee title or under contract for deed. Resident is defined in M.C.A. 87-2-102.

Landowner sponsor may sponsor clients only for a deer combination license. Failure to follow instructions or complete all required blanks could result in rejection of the certification application. A landowner sponsor who fails to submit records for the prior year will not be permitted to sponsor nonresident applicants for the current year. A resident landowner sponsor may submit no more than 15 certificates of sponsorship per year for all land owned.

Upon approval of this application, a landowner sponsor certificate will be sent to you for your signature and distribution to the applicants. **COMPLETE BOTH SIDES OF THIS APPLICATION. APPLICATIONS ARE DUE IN OUR OFFICE BY DECEMBER 31st, 2023.**

SPONSOR INFORMATION			
First Name	Initial	Last Name	
Name of Business			
Address			
City	State	Zip	Phone
EMAIL ADDRESS			

All statements on this form are true and correct. I understand that if I subscribe to any false statements in this application, I am subject to criminal prosecution under MCA 87-6-302.

I certify that:

1. I am a Montana resident landowner.
2. I will direct the applicant's hunting and advise the applicant of game and trespass laws of the state.
3. I will submit to the Department, complete records of who hunted with me, where they hunted and what game was taken, by the end of the year postmarked by December 31.
4. I will accept no monetary consideration for enabling the nonresident applicant to obtain a license.
5. I will immediately notify the FWP office if there are any changes in land ownership, mailing address, residency, or land acreage.
6. I understand that if I do not provide all required information, I will not be eligible for this program.

Original signature of Resident Landowner. Write do not print.
(Faxed or photocopied signature not acceptable)

State of Montana
County of _____

This instrument was signed or acknowledged before
me on _____ by _____
(Name of signer)

(Notary Signature)

[Affix seal/stamp to the left or below]

LANDOWNER INFORMATION

- ❖ If you move out of state and are no longer a Montana resident, you will no longer be eligible for this program.
- ❖ If your mailing address or phone number changes, it is your responsibility to inform our office.
- ❖ If there is a change in landowner, the new landowner must submit a new application under their name.
- ❖ If someone else has power of attorney or manages the property for the landowner, the landowner must still meet the landowner requirements.
- ❖ Per MCA 87-2-511, all nonresident landowner sponsored hunters shall conduct all deer hunting, General Deer A and Antlerless Deer B, only on the enrolled lands of the sponsor.

CHECK LIST – Please use this checklist to help complete this application. All incomplete applications will be returned to you.

1. _____ I have attached a copy of my current, valid Montana Driver's License.
2. _____ I have attached a legal description or geocode of all land I wish to enroll in this program.
Landowner Sponsored Hunters may not hunt land that I have not enrolled in this program. Attach a copy of your deed, notice of Purchaser's Interest or provide a complete legal description or geocode of your ownership (**Township, Range, Section & total number of acres. Include all property you wish to enroll**).
3. _____ I have at least 640 contiguous acres. YES _____ NO _____.
4. _____ My land is located in hunting district(s) _____.

Signature of Landowner

Date