

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
BOARD OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 501.105, 501.115, 501.117 and 501.181.

A REGULATION relating to wildlife; requiring the Department of Wildlife to establish a grant program to provide funding to facilitate wildlife restoration activities and research; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. Chapter 501 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

- 1. The Department shall administer a grant program to provide funding to facilitate wildlife restoration activities and wildlife research.*
- 2. The Department may solicit applications for grants by giving public notice of the availability of grants and the deadlines. Public notice given pursuant to this section must include, without limitation, the criteria for receiving a grant, reporting and record keeping requirements for applicants that have received a grant and any other information relating to the grant program that the Department determines is necessary.*
- 3. An application for a grant may be submitted to the Department by a federal, state or local governmental entity or a private nonprofit organization.*
- 4. The program will be administered with the following money received by the Department:*

- (a) Federal grants from the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, the United States Coast Guard, the United States Bureau of Land Management and the United States Bureau of Reclamation pursuant to NRS 501.115 and 501.117;*
- (b) Money deposited in the Wildlife Heritage Trust Account pursuant to NRS 501.3575;*
- (c) Money received for Dream Tag fees pursuant to NRS 502.219;*
- (d) Resource enhancement stamp fees collected pursuant to NRS 502.222;*
- (e) Habitat conservation fees collected pursuant to NRS 502.242;*
- (f) Fees collected for processing applications for game tags pursuant to NRS 502.253;*
- (g) Upland game bird fees collected pursuant to NRS 502.294;*
- (h) Duck stamp fees collected pursuant to NRS 502.300;*
- (i) State trout stamp fees collected pursuant to NRS 502.326;*
- (j) Permit fees collected pursuant to NRS 502.390; and*
- (k) If applicable, any other money received for development projects with potential impacts to wildlife as determined by the United States Fish and Wildlife Service or any other agency within the United States Department of the Interior.*