

2022 Wisconsin Ceded Territory Elk Hunt



- A bull elk hunt permit is available to one party of two FDL members in 2022. Applications for this permit will be taken from Aug. 23 – Aug. 29 at the Resource Management Division, John A. Smith Memorial Building with a drawing on Tuesday, Aug. 30 if necessary. No fee or deposit is required to enter the drawing or receive the permit.
- The hunt party is entitled to one bull elk. The hunt party is allowed to keep the antlers, hide and inner loins of their elk. The rest of the elk meat must be turned over to GLIFWC for equal distribution amongst all of the member bands. GLIFWC will provide the names and locations of designated meat processors and pay for the processing. The hunt party is responsible for delivering the carcass to the processor.
- The elk hunt party must attend mandatory orientation at the tribal elk hunt camp near Clam Lake, Wisconsin on Sept. 9th before hunting elk. Once orientation is completed, elk hunting can begin immediately and the season lasts until Jan. 8, 2023. If the hunt party cannot attend mandatory orientation on Sept. 9th, they must make alternate arrangements with GLIFWC staff to receive the orientation before hunting.
- Elk hunting is available in the Wisconsin Ceded Territories east of Hayward. GLIFWC is working to establish a tribal elk harvest camp on Forest Service land near Clam Lake. The camp is tentatively set for Sept. 9-12 for the orientation and a secure camping space for tribal hunters. In 2022 four tribal elk tags are available to Bands to hunt bull elk. The four tags are shared between FDL, Bad River, Red Cliff, and Lac Vieux Desert. More information about the elk hunt will be made available as it's provided by GLIFWC.

