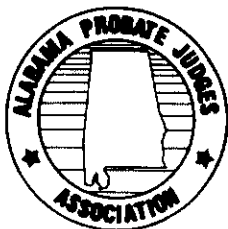


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May 24, 2019

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Probate Judges, License Commissioners and Chief Clerks

FROM: Fred R. Harders *Fred R. Harders*
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SUBJECT: 2020 Hunting and Fishing Licenses (valid Sept. 1, 2019 – August 31, 2020)

The new Recreational Hunting and Fishing Licenses will go on sale Monday, August 26, 2019 at 12:00 pm.

The Alabama Legislature has approved hunting white-tailed deer and feral swine with the aid of bait.



- ALL HUNTERS who wish to hunt with the aid of bait must purchase a required bait privilege license, INCLUDING LICENSE- EXEMPT HUNTERS. A license- exempt hunter is anyone under the age of 16, residents 65 years or older, resident landowner and each resident family member that will hunt only on their own property. NO EXEMPTIONS.
- Hunting with the aid of bait is prohibited on public lands.
- The area definition is still in effect on private property for those who wish to supplemental feed and not hunt with the aid of bait.
- No other game animals may be hunted with the aid of bait in Alabama.

Residency: Can be verified electronically to find and investigate those with fraudulent license purchases. If you get error messages during a license sale, call the office immediately. See the Residency Flyer attached.

Foreign National Driver's License can now be identified during the sale process and will be issued the correct non-resident recreational license. Even if they are a citizen of another country but be in U.S. with a visa, green card or other documents. It is unlawful for a Non-Citizen to possess an Alabama resident recreational license.

Disabled Resident Hunting, Freshwater and Saltwater Fishing Licenses are still being issued with incorrect paperwork. Licenses can be issued immediately IF paperwork:

- Is on SSA letterhead or printed from their website and has applicant's name & address;
- Is dated within 1 year of application; and
- States applicant is currently receiving monthly disability benefits, SSI or SSDI payments.

All other applications / paperwork MUST be faxed for approval **prior** to issuance (334-242-3032 or 334-353-3208).

License Increase: Recreational licenses prices increased based on the CPI.

Please Post the RESIDENCY FLYER in a visible area

Residency is determined by driver's license. Anyone with a driver's license from another state, whether they own property in Alabama, possess an Alabama Foreign National driver's license, or an Alabama non-driver's ID Card, is required to purchase non-resident licenses.

Always ask for a driver's license and verify this information.

FRH:WM/wm

License Prices: Valid Sept. 1, 2019 - Aug. 31, 2020

	License Type	License Price*	Issuance fee	Prior License Price (with Issuance fee)	Increase	License Code
HUNTING						
RESIDENT						
Age 16-63	All Game Hunting Annual	\$27.75	\$1.10	\$27.10	\$0.65	100/1100
	Small Game Hunting Annual	\$18.40	\$1.10	\$18.00	\$0.40	100/1200
	Game Check Hunters Exempt License Privilege Number	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	100/9000
	Wildlife Heritage	\$11.45	\$1.10	\$11.20	\$0.25	100/6100
Age 64	Res 64 All Game Hunting Annual	\$27.75	\$1.10	\$27.10	\$0.65	700/1210
	Res 64 Small Game Hunting Annual	\$18.40	\$1.10	\$18.00	\$0.40	700/1220
	Res 64 WL Heritage	\$11.45	\$1.10	\$11.20	\$0.25	700/1510
Required for All Ages	Fur Catcher (Trapping) (see residency flyer for more information on requirement)	\$22.60	\$1.10	\$22.10	\$0.50	400/1250
Disabled	Physically Disabled Hunting Annual License (totally disabled)	\$6.25	\$1.00	\$6.15	\$0.10	100/1500
Military (<=64)	Veterans Appreciation (50% disabled)	\$14.40	\$1.10	\$14.10	\$0.30	100/2000
	Veterans Appreciation (100% disabled)	\$3.15	\$1.10	\$3.10	\$0.00	100/2500
NONRESIDENT						
Age 16 and over	All Game Hunting Annual	\$320.30	\$2.20	\$312.50	\$7.80	150/1000
	All Game Hunting 10 Day	\$197.85	\$2.20	\$193.05	\$4.80	150/1100
	All Game Hunting 3 Day	\$139.60	\$2.20	\$135.25	\$3.35	150/1200
	Small Game Hunting Annual	\$104.60	\$2.20	\$102.10	\$2.50	150/2000
	Small Game Hunting 10 Day	\$63.85	\$2.20	\$62.35	\$1.50	150/2100
	Small Game Hunting 3 Day	\$46.30	\$2.20	\$45.25	\$1.05	150/2200
	Game Check Hunters Exempt License Privilege Number	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	100/9000
Required for All Ages	Fur Catcher (Trapping)- Reciprocal pricing applies to all states. Call 334-242-3465 for info.					
Resident (age 16-64) & Nonresident (age 16 and over)						
	Wildlife Mgmt Area	\$18.40	\$1.10	\$18.00	\$0.40	100/3000 150/3000
	State Duck Stamp	\$11.00	\$1.00	\$11.00	\$0.00	100/7000
	Federal Duck Stamp (everyone >16)	\$25.00	\$0.00	\$25.00	\$0.00	-
	Comm Fowl Hunting Preserve 7-day trip	\$10.00	\$2.00	\$10.00	\$0.00	100/4000 150/4000
FRESHWATER FISHING						
RESIDENT						
Age 16-63	Freshwater Fishing	\$13.85	\$1.10	\$13.55	\$0.30	200/1000
Age 64	Res 64 Freshwater Fishing	\$13.85	\$1.10	\$13.55	\$0.30	700/1000
Disabled	Disabled Freshwater Annual Fishing License (totally disabled)	\$3.05	\$1.00	\$3.00	\$0.05	200/1600
Military (<=64)	Veterans Appreciation (20% disabled)	\$3.15	\$1.10	\$3.10	\$0.05	200/1100
NONRESIDENT						
Age 16 and over	Freshwater Annual (special prices may apply to: FL, GA, TN, MS & LA)	\$53.30	\$2.20	\$52.05	\$1.25	200/2000
	Freshwater 7 Day Trip (special prices may apply to: FL, GA, TN, MS & LA)	\$29.95	\$2.20	\$29.30	\$0.65	200/2500
	Freshwater Family Fishing 3 Day (can add up to 4 immediate family members)	\$29.95	\$2.20	\$29.30	\$0.65	200/5500
SALTWATER FISHING						
RESIDENT						
Age 16-63	Saltwater Fishing Annual	\$24.35	\$1.10	\$23.80	\$0.55	300/1010
	Saltwater Fishing Trip	\$10.15	\$1.10	\$9.95	\$0.20	300/1500
	Res 64 SW Fishing	\$24.35	\$1.10	\$23.80	\$0.55	700/1110
	Res Saltwater Pier	\$6.40	\$1.10	\$6.30	\$0.10	300/1100
Disabled	Disabled Saltwater Annual Fishing License (totally disabled)	\$3.05	\$1.00	\$3.00	\$0.05	300/1600
NONRESIDENT						
Age 16 and over	NR SW Annual (special prices may apply to: FL, GA, TN, MS & LA)	\$52.20	\$1.10	\$50.95	\$1.25	300/2010
	NR SW Trip	\$28.85	\$1.10	\$28.20	\$0.65	300/2500
	NR Saltwater Pier	\$11.85	\$1.10	\$11.60	\$0.25	300/2100
SPEAR FISHING (valid for both FW/SW. FW or SW recreational license required)						
RESIDENT						
Age 16 and over	Annual	\$6.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$5.00	250/1100
NONRESIDENT						
Age 16 and over	Annual	\$8.50	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$7.50	250/2100
	7-day trip	\$3.50	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$2.50	250/2150

License Prices: Valid Sept. 1, 2019 - Aug. 31, 2020

License Type		License Price*	Issuance fee	Prior License Price*	Increase	License Code
LIFETIME (Resident Only)						
State Duck Stamp	Age: <2	\$154.75	\$1.00	\$151.00	\$3.75	770/7010
	Age: 2-11	\$195.75	\$1.00	\$191.00	\$4.75	770/7020
	Age: 12-49	\$236.80	\$1.00	\$231.00	\$5.80	770/7030
	Age: 50+	\$154.75	\$1.00	\$151.00	\$3.75	770/7040
Hunting	Age: <2	\$350.60	\$1.10	\$342.05	\$8.55	770/7110
	Age: 2-11	\$467.20	\$1.10	\$455.75	\$11.45	770/7120
	Age: 12-49	\$583.70	\$1.10	\$569.40	\$14.30	770/7130
	Age: 50+	\$350.60	\$1.10	\$342.05	\$8.55	770/7140
Hunting & State Duck Stamp	Age: <2	\$504.40	\$1.10	\$492.05	\$12.35	770-7160
	Age: 2-11	\$662.00	\$1.10	\$645.75	\$16.25	770-7170
	Age: 12-49	\$819.50	\$1.10	\$799.40	\$20.10	770-7180
	Age: 50+	\$504.40	\$1.10	\$492.05	\$12.35	770-7190
Freshwater Fishing	Age: <2	\$175.70	\$1.10	\$171.45	\$4.25	770/7210
	Age: 2-11	\$234.00	\$1.10	\$228.30	\$5.70	770/7220
	Age: 12-49	\$292.35	\$1.10	\$285.20	\$7.15	770/7230
	Age: 50+	\$175.70	\$1.10	\$171.45	\$4.25	770/7240
Freshwater Fishing & State Duck Stamp	Age: <2	\$329.50	\$1.10	\$321.45	\$8.05	770/7260
	Age: 2-11	\$428.80	\$1.10	\$418.30	\$10.50	770/7270
	Age: 12-49	\$528.15	\$1.10	\$515.20	\$12.95	770/7280
	Age: 50+	\$329.50	\$1.10	\$321.45	\$8.05	770/7290
Saltwater Fishing	Age: <2	\$292.35	\$1.10	\$285.20	\$7.15	770/7310
	Age: 2-11	\$350.60	\$1.10	\$342.05	\$8.55	770/7320
	Age: 12-49	\$408.90	\$1.10	\$398.90	\$10.00	770/7330
	Age: 50+	\$292.35	\$1.10	\$285.20	\$7.15	770/7340
Saltwater Fishing & State Duck Stamp	Age: <2	\$446.10	\$1.10	\$435.20	\$10.90	770-7315
	Age: 2-11	\$545.40	\$1.10	\$532.05	\$13.35	770-7325
	Age: 12-49	\$644.70	\$1.10	\$628.90	\$15.80	770-7335
	Age: 50+	\$446.10	\$1.10	\$435.20	\$10.90	770-7345
Saltwater Fishing & Wildlife Heritage	Age: <2	\$525.25	\$1.10	\$512.40	\$12.85	770/7360
	Age: 2-11	\$583.55	\$1.10	\$569.25	\$14.30	770/7370
	Age: 12-49	\$641.85	\$1.10	\$626.10	\$15.75	770/7380
	Age: 50+	\$525.25	\$1.10	\$512.40	\$12.85	770/7390
Saltwater Fishing, Wildlife Heritage & State Duck Stamp	Age: <2	\$679.05	\$1.10	\$662.40	\$16.65	770/7365
	Age: 2-11	\$778.35	\$1.10	\$759.25	\$19.10	770/7375
	Age: 12-49	\$877.65	\$1.10	\$856.10	\$21.55	770/7385
	Age: 50+	\$679.05	\$1.10	\$662.40	\$16.65	770/7395
Hunting & Freshwater Fishing	Age: <2	\$525.50	\$1.10	\$512.65	\$12.85	770/7410
	Age: 2-11	\$583.70	\$1.10	\$569.40	\$14.30	770/7420
	Age: 12-49	\$816.90	\$1.10	\$796.85	\$20.05	770/7430
	Age: 50+	\$525.50	\$1.10	\$512.65	\$12.85	770/7440
Hunting, State Duck Stamp & Freshwater Fishing*	Age: <2	\$679.30	\$1.10	\$662.65	\$16.65	770/7460
	Age: 2-11	\$778.50	\$1.10	\$759.40	\$19.10	770/7470
	Age: 12-49	\$1,052.70	\$1.10	\$1,026.85	\$25.85	770/7480
	Age: 50+	\$679.30	\$1.10	\$662.65	\$16.65	770/7490
Wildlife Heritage & State Duck Stamp	Age: <2	\$387.80	\$1.10	\$378.30	\$9.50	770/7465
	Age: 2-11	\$428.80	\$1.10	\$418.30	\$10.50	770/7475
	Age: 12-49	\$469.80	\$1.10	\$458.30	\$11.50	770/7485
	Age: 50+	\$387.80	\$1.10	\$378.30	\$9.50	770/7495
Freshwater & Saltwater Fishing	Age: <2	\$467.20	\$1.10	\$455.75	\$11.45	770/7510
	Age: 2-11	\$583.70	\$1.10	\$569.40	\$14.30	770/7520
	Age: 12-49	\$700.30	\$1.10	\$683.15	\$17.15	770/7530
	Age: 50+	\$467.20	\$1.10	\$455.75	\$11.45	770/7540
Freshwater, Saltwater Fishing & State Duck Stamp	Age: <2	\$620.95	\$1.10	\$605.75	\$15.20	770/7560
	Age: 2-11	\$778.50	\$1.10	\$759.40	\$19.10	770/7570
	Age: 12-49	\$936.10	\$1.10	\$913.15	\$22.95	770/7580
	Age: 50+	\$620.95	\$1.10	\$605.75	\$15.20	770/7590
Hunting & Saltwater Fishing	Age: <2	\$642.00	\$1.10	\$626.25	\$15.75	770/7610
	Age: 2-11	\$816.90	\$1.10	\$796.85	\$20.05	770/7620
	Age: 12-49	\$991.80	\$1.10	\$967.45	\$24.35	770/7630
	Age: 50+	\$642.00	\$1.10	\$626.25	\$15.75	770/7640
Hunting, State Duck Stamp & Saltwater	Age: <2	\$795.75	\$1.10	\$776.25	\$19.50	770/7660
	Age: 2-11	\$1,011.65	\$1.10	\$986.85	\$24.80	770/7670
	Age: 12-49	\$1,227.60	\$1.10	\$1,197.45	\$30.15	770/7680
	Age: 50+	\$795.75	\$1.10	\$776.25	\$19.50	770/7690
Hunting, Freshwater & Saltwater Fishing	Age: <2	\$816.90	\$1.10	\$796.85	\$20.05	770/7710
	Age: 2-11	\$933.45	\$1.10	\$910.55	\$22.90	770/7720
	Age: 12-49	\$1,224.90	\$1.10	\$1,194.85	\$30.05	770/7730
	Age: 50+	\$816.90	\$1.10	\$796.85	\$20.05	770/7740
Hunting, State Duck Stamp, Freshwater & Saltwater Fishing	Age: <2	\$970.65	\$1.10	\$946.85	\$23.80	770/7760
	Age: 2-11	\$1,128.25	\$1.10	\$1,100.55	\$27.70	770/7770
	Age: 12-49	\$1,460.70	\$1.10	\$1,424.85	\$35.85	770/7780
	Age: 50+	\$970.65	\$1.10	\$946.85	\$23.80	770/7790
Wildlife Heritage*	All Ages	\$234.00	\$1.10	\$228.30	\$5.70	770/7450

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

All applicants must first present their driver's license(s).

Applicants with multiple driver's license are not considered Alabama residents and must use their out-of-state driver's license to purchase non-resident licenses.

An Alabama Driver's License alone does not prove residency.

Exceptions indicating that an Alabama driver's license holder will be considered nonresidents:

- Possessing a valid driver's license from another state
- Possessing a valid AL Foreign National driver's license

Alabama Driver's License or Non-Driver's ID card

RESIDENTS

CHECK THE ISSUANCE DATE. IF LESS THAN THE REQUIRED WAITING PERIOD INDICATED BELOW, THEY MUST PURCHASE A NON-RESIDENT LICENSE.

VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE OR NON-DRIVER'S ID CARD:

- Present a valid Alabama Driver's License or valid Non-Driver's ID card.
- Must reside continuously in Alabama for **90 days***.

NON-DRIVERS (without a valid Non-Driver's ID card):

MUST go to the Probate or License Commissioner and present at least two of the following Residency Proof Documents:

- School registration (required for 5-16 years old)
- Previous year tax return (mailing address only)
- Voter registration card
- Home property tax forms
- Health insurance forms with address
- The last three months of a utility bill with address
- Certificate of employment, if containing proof of permanent residency
- Other legal documents that may establish residency after approval by the Conservation Department – call (334) 242-3465.
- **MINORS WITHOUT THESE DOCUMENTS.** Parent or guardian may produce proof of their residency and confirm that the minor has resided with them for at least 90 days.

Note: Applicant may be asked for more than two of these items in order to prove bona fide residency.

FUR CATCHER

- Reside continuously in Alabama for **90 days***.

COMMERCIAL FISHING & MUSSEL CATCHERS

- Reside continuously in Alabama for **12 months***.

*residency proof documents would be required

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Driver's License or ID card other than Alabama

NON-RESIDENTS

IT IS ILLEGAL FOR A RESIDENT OF ANOTHER STATE TO BE ISSUED A RESIDENT LICENSE, EVEN IF THEY CAN:

- Produce an Alabama driver's license or non-driver's ID card.
- Provide 2 proofs of residency as a non-resident landowner (see exemption regarding military personnel and college students).

LICENSED DRIVERS

- Present a valid driver's license to purchase non-resident license (see exemption below regarding military personnel and college students).

NON-DRIVERS

- Present some form of ID, preferably with a picture to purchase non-resident license (school ID, employment ID, etc.).

COLLEGE STUDENTS

- Non-resident full-time college students between 17-23 years of age residing in Alabama enrolled in an approved AL Higher Education Institute may qualify for resident licenses. See application.

MILITARY PERSONNEL

- If Stationed in Alabama: May receive resident license privileges at their local Probate or License Commissioner's office with copy of orders assigning them to Alabama, along with valid driver's license (AL or other state) and military ID card.
- If Not Stationed in Alabama with Out-Of-State Driver's License Must Purchase Non-Resident License: Must present a valid driver's license at any license agent. If no driver's license, must purchase at a Probate or License Commissioner's office.
- If assigned to Bordering State but living in Alabama: may apply for resident privileges after 90 days and using the same evidence of residency as a non-driver. If less than 90 days, must purchase non-resident license.
(Including spouse and dependents living with them).

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