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Suggested Gear List

License and Conservation Stamp Rifle (.23 Caliber or Larger)

Bow (no less than 40 lbs and broadhead must be a minimum of 1" cutting width)

Warm to Cool Weather Hunting Clothing

Long Underwear

Medium Weight Socks

Rain Gear

Light Weight, Waterproof, Hiking Boots (Well broken-in)

We suggest wearing them on the plane. We can borrow you about everything but a pair of fitted shoes.

Day Pack

Fire Starter

Water Bottle

Flash Light

Binoculars

Spotting Scope (optional)

Range Finder (optional)

Hunter Orange (Cap OR Vest) 100 square inches

Camera and Film

Sunscreen

Tweezers (in case you get into cactus)

Medication and Personal Items

Clean, Soft Soled Shoes to wear in camp

Cash for Locker Plant (\$120.00), shipping (\$100.00) (approximately)



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Suggested Travel Tips

Firearms: Only allowed as checked baggage

Firearms - must be unloaded, in a locked case and declared to the airline personnel

Ammunition - in a factory box/suitable safe container and declared to the airline

personnel. Reloads must be in a factory box. If you put them in a factory box, they will not be questioned. This is a common mistake. Do not put them in anything else other than a store bought, ammo box. They will throw them away if they are not. So reload them, and put

them in a store bought factory box.

Keep Ammo and Knives in checked baggage. No Ammo in carry on. This happens more than you think.

Overweight, large Cabela's bags will be charged an overweight and oversized fee.

Please remember – THEY WILL check your bags thoroughly. And THEY WILL check your guns and ammo thoroughly. Please don't let this inconvenience irritate you. Show up at the airport at least 2 -3 hours ahead of time at larger airports. Expect delays and inconveniences. It is all part of traveling on the airlines. Don't let it spoil your fun!

Some hunters opt to ship some of their gear. We do not mind if you do this. If you are shipping gear, you will need our PHYSICAL address. We recommend using either UPS or Fedex. They are the most reliable. Please call for address.

The closest commercial airports to Kaycee are: Casper - 1 hour drive north Gillette - 3 hour drive south Denver International - 6 hours drive north. Rental cars are available at all of these airports.

Please consider that transportation costs, game/trophy costs, guide gratuities, and miscellaneous expenses such as souvenirs, snacks, etc. are not included in the price of the hunt.



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Suggestions For Head and Meat

1. Taking Horns and Cape home

- a) Taking on airplane. Do not recommend taking horns this way. If you take the frozen capes with you on the airline, it is much cheaper, and we can ship the horns.
- b) We have boxes and everything you need to ship horns to your taxidermist or your home.
- c) We can ship both horns and cape. This is extremely expensive! Around \$350.00. Next day air for the cape and oversized box is the cost. If you take the cape on the airline, and we ship the horns, the cost is minimal (\$50.00) or less. Allow 12x12 (estimate) in your luggage to take frozen cape home.
- d) If you should happen to take your animal, the last hour, on the last day, getting it caped and frozen is not feasible. The locker plant cannot get it done in time.
- 2. The majority of our clients donate the meat. It is terribly expensive to ship. If you do decide to do this, you still have to pay for the processing. It goes to the soup kitchen or the Christmas basket in our area.
- 3. There is an opportunity for sausage and jerky at the local locker plant. You can check with the locker plant on this when you drop off the animal.
- 4. There are no facilities for you to process the animals. All animals will go to the locker plant unless you are taking them home whole.
- 5. For those hunters harvesting an Elk, we highly recommend driving. Getting the horns and meat home is extremely expensive. We do not have enough freezers to store that amount of meat, and the locker plants have a week deadline on storage of meat. If you plan to donate the meat and have the horns and cape taken to our local taxidermist, then flying is a feasible option.

If you have any questions about anything on this suggestion page, just call or email. We are happy to give you any advice and explain your options. Planning these details ahead of time, can save you a lot of money in transporting your head and meat home.