Petition for Rule Change

Changes in Administrative Rules require action by the GFP Commission. State statute provides a process for individuals to formally request that the GFP Commission take action to adopt, amend or repeal an administrative rule.

This process requires individuals to submit the following information:

- Text of a new rule, amendment to existing rule, or request to repeal a rule;
- Identification of the rule itself;
- Reasons for changes; and
- Full name and mailing address.

Upon receipt of the below form, the GFP Commission must act within 30 days to either accept the petition and initiate the process of making the change or deny the request and state its reasons for the denial.

**Petitioner**

First Name: This is a required field.

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Last Name: This is a required field.

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Address: This is a required field.

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Petition Information

Rule Identification
CUSTER PARK ELK

Describe the change you are seeking
This is a required field.
Age one 70 plus. Member of year preference 30 out to be on a senior cross. 4x2 passenger.

Explain the reason for the described change
This is a required field.
I will begin joining slayer from still in year health t can walk. Have put in for over 50 year.

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South Dakota Game Commission  
HWY 523 East Capital  
Pierre, SD 57507  

Dear Commission Members,

I am Gene Dressler from Wagner, SD.

I have been put in for Custer Park Elk tag for approximately 50 years and have yet to receive one. I have been applying with a preference point for 37 years. I should have 39 preference points instead of 37, one year I had a time conflict in October, when I could not go. So a game warden at the Sioux Falls sports show told me I should not put in as I would probably get a tag. I do not know why I did not get preference point.

About 3-4 years ago, I applied online and I must have messed up because when I didn’t hear I called the game department and they said I did not apply. I must have done something wrong on my application. At any rate I did not get a preference point that year either.

I also had put in for Custer Park for 10-12 years before there was preference points issued. At that time, I had to send in all the money before I was eligible to draw. I will be 90 years old, October 2nd, 2020 and that is the earliest that I can draw a tag. I can still walk fairly well and am still in good health. I would like to see a better system for people like me to have a better chance in drawing a tag in Custer Park. I would like to see the game commission consider a person with 100 points, age plus preference. For example, a person at the age of 70 plus 30 preference points would be eligible for a separate draw with a few tags. I would suggest that for out of the park also.

Sincerely yours,

Gene Dressler, DVM  
Wagner, SD