

2026 LANDOWNER ANTELOPE



Over the Counter

Firearm antelope units

Purchases Open

07/15/2026

Purchases Close

10/18/2026, 12:00 AM CDT

ELIGIBILITY

Residents

includes member(s) of the resident's immediate family

- own or lease a minimum of 160 acres, for agricultural purposes.

This license entitles the resident to hunt on land owned or leased by the resident within any open firearms antelope hunting season unit.

Nonresidents

includes member(s) of the nonresident's immediate family

- own a minimum of 640 contiguous acres west of the Missouri River, and is an owner-operator of the land, OR
- own a minimum 160 contiguous acres east of the Missouri River, and is an owner-operator of the land.

This license entitles the nonresident to hunt on land owned by the nonresident within any open firearms antelope hunting season unit.

A qualifying applicant or a qualifying immediate family member may not purchase the "buck antelope" license if they hold an big game license for the firearm antelope hunting season.

Definitions

An **immediate family member** means the resident/ nonresident's spouse or a child who resides with the resident/nonresident.

Legal entities, including shareholders of a corporation, members of an LLC holding a membership interest in the company, partners in a partnership, and beneficiaries of a trust entitled to the current income and assets held in trust, organized and in good standing under the laws of this state are eligible if:

- o The shareholder, member, partner, or trust beneficiary is responsible for making the day-to-day management decisions for "agricultural purposes" on the farm or ranch.

Owner/Operator means an individual holding fee title to farm or ranch real property who is directly involved in the management decisions made for agricultural purposes on the farm or ranch.

Agricultural purposes means the producing, raising, growing, or harvesting of food or fiber upon agricultural land, including dairy products, livestock, crops, timber, and grasslands. Land leased solely for hunting, fishing, or trapping is not considered agricultural purposes.

LICENSE AVAILABILITY

Unit	Type	Resident	Nonresident
LOA-ST1	42	Unlimited	Unlimited

LICENSE CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR

▲ Increase — No Change ▼ Decrease ◆ New Type

FEE SCHEDULE

License Types	Resident	Nonresident
42 - one buck antelope	\$25.50	\$190.50

SEASON DATES

October 3-18, 2026

GENERAL APPLICATION INFORMATION

Visit <https://gfp.sd.gov/hunt-fish-license/> to view application information, residency and age requirements, landowner preference, preference points, and license fee explanations.

[Unit Descriptions and Map](#)

[Interactive Hunting Unit Map](#)

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NOTE: All applications must be submitted [online](#).