

Public Comments

Mountain Lion Action Plan

Rhonda Vanzanten

Deadwood SD

Position: support

Comment:

No comment text provided.

Other

Willim Barnett

Hartford SD

Position: other

Comment:

I approve of all these listed adjustment changes

BUT please no more non-resident waterfowl license anywhere in the state at anytime for any season. WE ARE FULL WITH NO MORE CAPACITY

Some of the adjustments include:

- Establish nonresident Park Entrance licenses and set fee at \$60 single and \$90 double;
- Increase resident Park Entrance licenses to \$40 single and \$60 double;
- Create a rule for the department to sell habitat conservation plate emblems at \$50 per vehicle set and \$30 per motorcycle;
- Increase resident boat license fees by \$5 for under 19 ft motorized, \$10 19ft and over motorized, and \$3 for non-motorized;
- Increase nonresident fishing licenses by \$13;
- Increase resident fishing licenses by \$3;
- Increase nonresident small game licenses by \$21; and,
- Increase resident combination licenses by \$5.

Robert Einerwold

Dell Rapids SD

Position: oppose

Comment:

My comment and feelings towards metal detecting on public land and the artifacts that can be found as far back as Lewis and Clark. The people own this land, not the Government. We should be qualified but done right and with a permit. A properly removed plug will not be able to even be spotted, even before the roots grow together again. The state can teach people that don't know and all can be tested 95% of our history is around 6 to 8 inches deep and decaying into nothing. Even in the 80's people had this right until someone that gets paid to go to Pierre and spend 6 or 8 was just creating new laws?!! Like new laws must be created no matter what! I do agree that if we were allowed to metal detect on the public grasslands or other large public lands and a pre 19th century bullet was found from an Indian fight to a Buffalo bullet that killed a Buffalo then decayed and now is sinking out of reach. There are things buried that could have been French, Spanish, English and probably Viking! The people's history, that need to go into a museum, there should be a season from September 1st to freeze up. That way in spring everything would grow together. The state can only take away so many harmless hobbies before the people change and start to look for other passions, for some it's crossdressing, sex changes. For now I will have to do my protecting for a gold or silver mine with my detector if I ever get my strength back from the major stroke I had.

Threatened and Endangered Species Review

Vicky Winteringham

Vermillion SD

Position: support

Comment:

What endangered species can you possibly refer to, when you offer bounties for the tails of dead native species to create more habitat for an introduced species? South Dakota - the state that kills everything that walks, crawls, swims and flies. It's a joke that you are even considering such a review. I support such a review, if it is honest. But, I doubt it will be. Possibly you seek to learn how to make even more native species even closer to extinction.