

2026 NEW MEXICO ROCKY MTN BIGHORN SHEEP

Residency	Type	Hunt Code	Hunt Unit	Valid Units	2026 Season Dates	Season #	Trophy Forecast	2026 Permits	2025 Permits	Res 2025 # Drawn*	Res 2025 Odds (%)	Nonres 2025 # Drawn*	Nonres 2025 Odds (%)	Outfitter 2025 # Drawn*	Outfitter 2025 Odds (%)	Terrain Difficulty (1 to 5)	Public Land (%)	2024 Success Rams (%)	2023 Success Rams (%)	2022 Success Rams (%)	3-Year Avg Success Rams (%)	Avg Score	Top Score	Avg Age	Overall Score	Trophy Quality	Success	Access	Overall
Any Legal Weapon																													
Resident	Normal	201	Jemez	6A & 6C	Aug 10-24	Early	Excellent	2	2	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	62	96	N/A	N/A	96	198	208	10	95	A	A	C	A
Nonresident	Normal	201	Jemez	6A & 6C	Aug 10-24	Early	Excellent	2	2	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	62	96	N/A	N/A	96	198	208	10	95	A	A	C	A
Resident	Normal	201	Jemez	6A & 6C	Sep 1-15	Late	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	62	96	N/A	N/A	96	201	201	10	95	A	A	C	A
Nonresident	Normal	201	Jemez	6A & 6C	Sep 1-15	Late	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	62	96	N/A	N/A	96	201	201	10	95	A	A	C	A
Resident	Normal	201	SanFranR/TirkyCk	16B,22-24 SFR/Turkey Creek	Jan 1-31	Late	Excellent	2	2	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	47	96	100	100	99	176	186	10	93	A	A	D	A
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Resident	Normal	201	Pecos	45 Pecos	Aug 7-16	Early	Excellent	5	5	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	75	96	100	100	99	166	181	9	98	A	A	B	A
Nonresident	Normal	201	Pecos	45 Pecos	Aug 7-16	Early	Excellent	5	5	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	75	96	100	100	99	166	181	9	98	A	A	B	A
Resident	Normal	201	Pecos	45 Pecos	Aug 21 - 30	Normal	Excellent	4	5	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	75	96	100	50	82	153	166	7	98	A	A	B	A
Nonresident	Normal	201	Pecos	45 Pecos	Aug 21 - 30	Normal	Excellent	4	5	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	75	96	100	50	82	153	166	7	98	A	A	B	A
Resident	Youth	201	Pecos	45 Pecos Youth	Aug 21 - 30	Normal	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	75	96	100	N/A	98	153	166	7	98	A	A	B	A
Nonresident	Youth	201	Pecos	45 Pecos Youth	Aug 21 - 30	Normal	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	75	96	100	N/A	98	153	166	7	98	A	A	B	A
Resident	Normal	201	Wheeler Peak	53 Wheeler Peak	Aug 6-15	Early	Excellent	2	2	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	47	96	100	100	99	168	183	8	93	A	A	D	A
Nonresident	Normal	201	Wheeler Peak	53 Wheeler Peak	Aug 6-15	Early	Excellent	2	2	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	47	96	100	100	99	168	183	8	93	A	A	D	A
Resident	Normal	201	Wheeler Peak	53 Wheeler Peak	Sept 1-10	Late	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	47	96	100	100	99	N/A	N/A	N/A	93	A	A	D	A
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Resident	Normal	201	Latir	53, 55 Latir	Aug 7-16	Early	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	20	96	100	100	99	181	181	10	85	B	A	F	A
Nonresident	Normal	201	Latir	53, 55 Latir	Aug 7-16	Early	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	20	96	100	100	99	181	181	10	85	B	A	F	A
Resident	Normal	201	Latir	53, 55 Latir	Aug 21 - 30	Normal	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	4	20	96	100	100	99	N/A	N/A	N/A	85	B	A	F	A
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Resident	Normal	201	Rio Grande Gorge	49,50,53 Rio Grande Gorge	Aug 10-24	Early	Excellent	1	2	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	3	30	96	100	100	99	176	182	8	93	A	A	D	A
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Resident	Normal	201	Rio Grande Gorge	49,50,53 Rio Grande Gorge	Nov. 1-15	Late	Excellent	1	1	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	3	30	96	100	N/A	98	175	175	8	93	A	A	D	A
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Resident	Normal	201	Dry Cimarron	58 Dry Cimarron	Aug 15-Jan 15	Normal	Excellent	TBD	2	N/A	0.29	N/A	0.04	N/A	0.09	3	21	96	100	100	99	179	182	8	90	A	A	F	A
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*The G&F does not provide the information for the individual hunt areas that were drawn. The data is lumped into hunt code 201 for the Rocky Mountain Bighorn Sheep and a total of 24 permits were drawn by resident hunters, 1 non resident hunter and 3 guided hunters.

The Culebres hunts typically alternates years between public and private. In 2025 the hunt was issued to private and for 2026 there are no hunts that will be offered to the public.

The success rate is taken from the G&F website where all hunts for Hunt Code 201 are combined across all ram hunts for hunt code 201 into one success rate and does not reflect the actual success per individual hunt area