

Agenda Item Summary

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| BACKGROUND | The Commission is authorized to allocate bighorn sheep, Rocky Mountain goat, pronghorn, deer, and elk tags to be auctioned and raffled annually to benefit wildlife management, habitat management, and hunter access in Oregon. The auction and raffle of bighorn sheep, Rocky Mountain goat, and pronghorn tags generate funding for management and research for the respective species, while deer and elk tags generate revenue for the Access and Habitat Program. |
| PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT | The auction and raffle program provides public involvement through the opportunity for a unique hunting experience with an expanded hunt area and expanded season dates. Funds that are raised through the auction and raffle of big game tags will be used to manage big game populations and their habitat and provide public hunting access on private lands. |
| ISSUE 1 | 2011 Auction and Raffle Tag Allocations |
| ANALYSIS | The Access and Habitat Board and ODFW staff recommend that Auction and Raffle hunts for 2011 remain unchanged from 2010 seasons. |
| OPTIONS | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Adopt staff recommendations2) Amend staff recommendations |
| STAFF RECOMMENDATION | Option 1: Adopt staff recommendations. |

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| DRAFT MOTION | I move to approve the 2011 auction and raffle big game tag allocations as proposed by staff. |
| EFFECTIVE DATE: | June 4, 2010 |