



## **Wildlife Management Department Managed Group Hunt**

Tejon Ranch's Managed Group Hunt is a **"Do-It-Yourself"** (DIY), two-night, two-day group hunt over three days that includes lodging (Vaquero House) and meals. A hunt steward will be in camp to help facilitate the hunt by educating hunters on the rules of the ranch, direction on techniques and areas to have a successful hunt. Hunting areas may change depending on the season, the hunt steward will be there to make sure hunters follow the Ranch rules and know the areas to have the most hunting success. Hunters will be driving their own vehicles on this hunt, we strongly recommend that a 4x4 truck or SUV be used, equipped to handle varying terrain and unimproved roads.

Please note proof of insurance is required for vehicles on the Ranch, driving is limited to existing Ranch roads only and motorcycles and ATVs of any kind are prohibited.

A group leader will be designated to facilitate funds, insurance, paperwork and oversight of the group while on the Ranch and in the cabin in conjunction with the hunt steward. These hunts will be assigned a designated area and must stay within the boundaries at all times and in the event that the entire group tags out before the end of the hunt, the group has the ability to stay in camp or head for home, access to the ranch after all the hunters have harvested an animal is prohibited.

### **Schedule:**

Managed Group Hunts start on Monday or Friday. Hunters will check in at 12:00 pm or 1:00 pm (depending on what time of the year) at the Tejon Ranch Wildlife Management Office (4427 Lebec Rd. Lebec, CA 93243). After checking in, you will be escorted to your designated hunting cabin (Vaquero House) by a ranch representative where you will receive an orientation. A shooting range is available to ensure your rifle is on target with the required **non-lead ammunition**, though we highly recommend that you ensure your gun is sighted in before you arrive on the property. Hunters are allowed to hunt designated areas only and must obey all federal, state and Tejon Ranch rules while on the premises. Hunters can expect to hunt the first afternoon on the first day (day1), all day the following day (day 2) and up to 10am on the last day (day 3) at which time the cabin must be vacated.

**What to bring:**

Hunters are expected to come prepared for vast and varying terrain, changing weather patterns, and basic needs to care for game transportation when leaving the Ranch, which includes ice chests to accommodate large animals and game bags if desired. Hunter's vehicles must be equipped with a shovel, fire extinguisher, and must be in good working order to handle the terrain on the Ranch safely. These Managed Group Hunts have exclusive use of a designated cabin and are equipped with all the basic needs including hot showers, towels, bedding and a kitchen facility. Basic meals will be provided for dinner the first night, continental breakfast, lunch for the field and dinner on the second day (day 2), and continental breakfast the last day of the hunt.

Please note, Tejon Ranch requires **non-lead ammunition** for your rifle and use of rifles with clips over five rounds is prohibited. A valid California hunting license and embossed pig tag are required and available to purchase at the Tejon Ranch Wildlife Management Office (if you are unsure of the requirements to purchase a California hunting license, please ask our staff). At Tejon Ranch, we strive to cater to all hunter levels and welcome all levels of experience. Our staff is available to answer any specific questions to make sure you are prepared, safe in the field and will work hard make your hunt successful.

**Cost:**

Rifle or Archery Hunts: \$6,000 includes up to (8) hunters, each additional hunter up to (10) is \$700 per hunter. If there are fewer than (8) hunters your group will still pay the base amount of \$6,000. **\*Note: Insurance is not included in this price. An additional fee of \$35.00 per hunter is to be paid directly to Tejon Ranch.**

**\*Notes:**

**-Non-hunters are not allowed to accompany hunters on this package**

**-Tejon Ranch does not offer a harvest or shot guarantee on any of its pig hunts.**

**Deposit and Cancellation Policy:**

All hunts require a 50% (Non-Refundable) deposit at booking unless otherwise specified, with the balance due on arrival. Any cancellation must be in writing (fax or email) and needs to be received and verified by the Tejon Ranch Wildlife Management Department within (30) days prior to the scheduled date of the hunt. If proper notification is received within the allotted timeframe your deposit may be rolled into another available guided hunt, of the same dollar value and within the current hunting season, if the schedule allows. If proper notification of cancellation is not received in allotted timeframe or you fail to show up for your scheduled hunt any deposit will be forfeited.

**\*Note: If the hunt is scheduled within 30 day cancellation period, it is understood no transfer is available.**