

SPECIAL STIPULATIONS

CHRISTMAS TREE PERMIT on Bureau of Land Management (BLM) PUBLIC LAND in the SALT LAKE FIELD OFFICE

The stipulations and permit must be in the permittee's possession while harvesting and transporting Christmas tree from BLM public land. The permit must be presented when requested by any employee of the BLM or other government agency with jurisdiction. Failure to comply with stipulations may result in invalidation of the permit, a citation, and/or tree forfeiture. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to ensure they are cutting within the designated area and on BLM-managed public lands.

1. The permit authorizes the harvest of trees for personal use; *not for resale* or authorizing anyone whom the permittee hires or pays to obtain the tree. Permit purchaser must be present during collection and transport of product. Permit is not transferrable.
2. This permit is valid only for removal of trees < 20 ft tall. Public land survey bearing trees may not be cut.
3. The cutting of Christmas Trees is not permitted in wilderness or wilderness study areas (WSA): Cedar Mountain wilderness, Deep Creek WSA, & North Stansbury WSA. Tree cutting is also prohibited in recreation sites and designated campgrounds.
4. Note that harvesting of Christmas trees is not allowed in crucial mule deer winter range and high-use migration corridor after December 1st (please see map).
5. The permittee will immediately suspend and discontinue all operations under this permit when activities will cause unnecessary and undue soil compaction or soil erosion within the harvest area due to poor weather conditions or recent weather events.
6. Permittee must affix a load ticket or Christmas tree tag issued with the permit to the tree prior to transport. The permittee must permanently mark the month and date on each tag used. No tag may be reused.
7. Permits are nonrefundable and may not be extended past the expiration date.
8. All trees containing nests, cavities or other signs of wildlife are not permitted for harvest.

Use existing, well-traveled roads



Do not drive off road, it can damage resources and historical sites

Stumps must be no higher than 6 inches above the ground surface on the uphill side



No tree topping; all green branches attached to the stump below 6 inches ground level must be removed.

Penalties: These Special Stipulations are in addition to "Sec. 2 General Stipulations" listed on your permit. Failure to abide by above conditions and "Sec. 2 General Stipulations" can result in Fines and Penalties under section 303(a) of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976. [43 USC 1733(a)], not to exceed \$100,000, or imprisonment not to exceed 12-months, or both.