

WAC 220-500-140: Firearms and Target Practicing

Fish and Wildlife Commission Meeting

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Goals for Rulemaking

- Continue to provide shooting opportunities
- Protect public safety
- Protect habitat from litter and wildfire

Proposed Rule Update & Summary of Comments

- Definition of recreational target shooting
 - General target shooting restrictions
 - Prohibited ammunition
 - Where target shooting is allowed
 - Where target shooting is prohibited
 - When target shooting is prohibited
 - Allowable targets
 - Litter
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Public Engagement

- Wenas TSAC Process
- Website with FAQs
- Targeted Outreach – WTSAC, WAACs, GMAC
- Public Comment Period
- Public Survey
- Public Hearings 6/12, 7/31



A scenic landscape featuring a dense forest of evergreen trees in the foreground. In the background, a valley is visible with rolling hills and mountains under a sky transitioning from orange to blue, suggesting a sunset or sunrise. The text is overlaid on a black rectangular background in the upper center of the image.

I move to adopt WAC 220-500-140
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presented.