## Landowner Hunting Permits WAC 232-28-296 Rule Action

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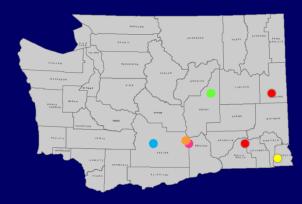
## Landowner Hunting Permit Program

- LHP Program created in 2006
  - Greater landowner flexibility
  - Provide unique hunting opportunity
  - Allows landowner to recoup costs
  - WDFW allocation:
    - 50% of antlerless
    - 25% of bull or buck

Landowner Hunting Permit Program

- In 2013, we had seven cooperators
  - Buck Run
  - Blackrock Ranches
  - Silver Dollar
  - Pine Mountain
- All continuing in 2014

- 4-O Ranches
- ZMI Ranch
- Columbia Plateau



## **Proposed Changes**

- Minor date and permit level adjustments
  - Address landowner and recreation needs
- Archery and muzzleloader removed from Silver Dollar and Blackrock
  - Open landscape not suitable for these weapons
- 4-0 permit levels reduced
  - Part of land purchased by WDFW
  - Permits issued on WDFW lands will be referred to as deer and elk areas 1040

## **Questions** ?

