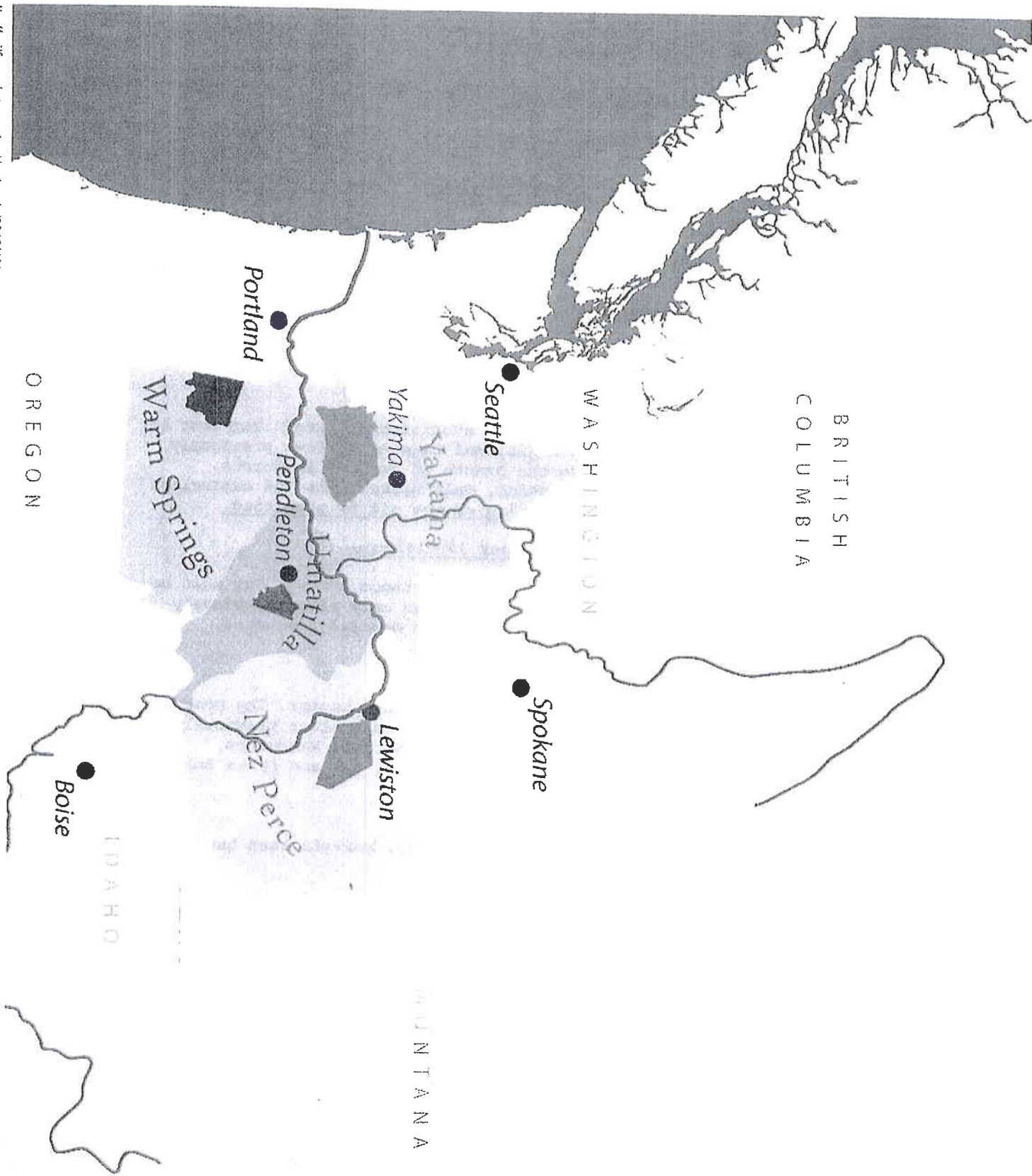


Definition of Ceded lands from an Oregon Biologist was: Any land a tribe once hunted.  
The treaty of 1855 allows certain rights to the tribes.



2015 CTWS Ceded Lands CEREMONIAL Hunting  
Regulations

EITHER SEX DEER HUNT

The deer hunt will take place on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID and present to law enforcement officials when requested while hunting off-reservation.

September 1 - October 31, 2015

Legal Weapons: Centerfire Rifle, Archery (40lb or greater draw), Muzzleloader and Shotgun with slugs only.

Tag Limit: Two (2) ceremonial tags in possession per hunter. Tag must be affixed to deer. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources.

The ceded lands hunt area is on federally managed lands. Private land hunting is subject to all state hunting laws and requirements.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS FOR CEREMONIAL HUNTING: Immediate mandatory reporting of all hunter harvest. THE CEREMONIAL HUNTER WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR TURNING IN HARVEST INFORMATION TO THE NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE FRONT DESK. The ceremonial hunter will be required to COMPLETELY fill out the harvest information and turn in the right portion of the tag to the Natural Resources Office front desk.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS FOR OFF-RESERVATION HUNTING: All tags issued to any tribal hunter must be reported on by December 31, 2015. Children hunting between the ages of 12-17 are required to complete the hunter safety class and wear hunter orange as approved by the CTWS Fish and Wildlife Committee

BIRDS

CEDED LANDS UPLAND GAME BIRD HUNTS

The upland game bird hunt will take place on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID and present to law enforcement officials when requested while hunting off-reservation.

Upland Bird	Season	Bag Limit	Possession Limit
Chukar/ Hungarian (Gray) Partridge	Oct. 10, 2015- Jan. 31 2016	8 per day	24
California/ Mountain Quail	Sept. 1 - Jan. 31, 2016	10 per day	30
"Blue" and Ruffed Grouse	Sept. 1 - Jan. 31, 2016	3 per day	9
Turkey	Fall: Oct. 15 - Dec 31, 2015 Spring: Apr. 15 - May 31, 2016	One turkey either sex	Two Turkey of either sex
Pheasant	Oct. 10 - Dec. 31, 2015	2 per day	8

Legal Weapons: Shotguns, archery, pistol fire shot shells, rim fire 22s (forested grouse only).

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ELK

CEDED LANDS ELK HUNT

The elk hunt will take place on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID and present to law enforcement officials when requested while hunting off reservation.

Legal Weapons: Centerfire Rifle, Archery (50 lb. or greater draw) and Muzzleloader.

September 1 - October 16, 2015

Tag Limit: Two (2) elk tags in possession per subsistence hunter. Tag must be affixed to elk. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources. Closed to Branch Antlered Bull Rifle Hunting. Only spike bulls and antlerless elk can be hunted with rifle. Archery hunting of any elk is permitted.

October 17<sup>th</sup> - November 30, 2015

Tag Limit: Two (2) elk tags in possession per subsistence hunter. Tag must be affixed to elk. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources.

December 1 - January 31, 2016

Tag Limit: Two (2) elk tags in possession per subsistence hunter. Tag must be affixed to elk. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources. Closed to Branch Antlered Bull Rifle Hunting. Antlerless elk and Spike Bulls only.

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COUGAR

CEDED LANDS COUGAR HUNT  
Open Season

The cougar hunt will take place on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID and present to law enforcement officials when requested while hunting off-reservation.

Legal Weapons: Rifle, Muzzleloader, & Archery. Hunting with dogs is not permitted.

Bag Limit: Two (2) cougar tags in possession per subsistence hunter. Tag must be affixed to cougar. It is unlawful to take spotted kittens or female cougars with spotted kittens. Kill report required within 72 hours of harvest. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources.

The ceded lands hunt area is on federally managed lands. Private land hunting is subject to all state hunting laws and requirements.

2015 CTWS Ceded Lands SUBSISTENCE  
Hunting Regulations

DEER

CEDED LANDS DEER HUNT

The deer hunt will take place on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID and present to law enforcement officials when requested while hunting off-reservation.

September 1- October 31, 2015

Legal Weapons: Centerfire Rifle, Archery (40 lb. or greater draw), Muzzleloader and Shotgun with slugs only.

Tag Limit: Two (2) buck deer tags in possession per subsistence hunter. Tag must be affixed to the buck deer having a visible antler. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources.

The ceded lands hunt area is on federally managed lands. Private land hunting is subject to all state hunting laws and requirements.

BIGHORN SHEEP

CEDED LANDS BIG HORN SHEEP HUNT - 4 TAGS

The Bighorn Sheep hunts will take place in designated areas, as follows, on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID while hunting off-reservation.

Legal Weapons: Centerfire Rifle, Archery (50lb. or greater draw), Muzzleloader

Bag Limit: One (1) ram per tag. Tags will be awarded to four tribal members through a public drawing. Hunters may sign up for the lottery draw at the Natural Resources office front desk. Any prior successfully drawn big horn sheep recipients from previous hunts are not eligible to apply for these hunts for five years. The successful hunter must present any harvested sheep within 72 hours for genetic sampling, pinning, aging and inspection to the local ODFW office in the district where the hunt occurred.

WEST JOHN DAY RIVER BIGHORN SHEEP HUNT -1 TAG  
September 1 - November 30, 2015

That part of the John Day River canyon from Clarno Bridge to McDonald Ferry/Rock Creek in the Biggs Unit west of the John Day River. Access is limited, hunters may have to float the John Day River to access public lands. Access to public land through some private land may be by fee only.

DESCHUTES RIVER BIGHORN SHEEP HUNT - 2 TAGS  
September 1 - November 30, 2015

That part of the Deschutes River canyon from Sherar's bridge to the mouth on either side of the Deschutes River. Access is limited from the top of the canyon and boat or foot access will be required. Access through some private land may be by fee only.

ALDRICH BIGHORN SHEEP HUNT - 1 TAG  
September 1 - November 30, 2015

That part of the Murderers Creek unit west of the following line; start at junction of Hwy 26 and Dry Creek, follow Dry Creek south to West Dry Creek; follow West Dry Creek south to FS Rd 2140; southeast on FS Rd 2140 to junction of FS Rd 21; follow FS Rd 21 south and east to Co Rd 63; west on Co Rd 63 to the Murderers Creek Unit boundary.



PRONGHORN

CEDED LANDS PRONGHORN ANTELOPE HUNT  
September 1 - October 31, 2015

The pronghorn antelope hunt will take place on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID and present to law enforcement officials when requested while hunting off-reservation.

Legal Weapons: Centerfire Rifle, Archery (40lb. or greater draw) and Muzzleloader.

Tag Limit: One (1) pronghorn antelope (either sex) tags in possession per subsistence hunter. Tag must be affixed to pronghorn antelope. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources.

The ceded lands hunt area is on federally managed lands. Private land hunting is subject to all state hunting laws and requirements.

BLACK BEAR

CEDED LANDS BEAR HUNT  
September 1 - November 30, 2015

The fall bear hunt will take place on Warm Springs ceded lands. Tribal members must carry their Tribal ID and present to law enforcement officials when requested while hunting off-reservation.

Legal Weapons: Centerfire Rifle, Muzzleloader, & Archery. Hunting with dogs is not permitted.

Bag Limit: Two (2) black bear tags in possession per subsistence hunter. Tag must be affixed to bear. Cubs less than one year and sows with cubs less than one year are protected. Kill report required within 72 hours of harvest. Hunters may be issued additional tags only after previously issued tags are filled and reported to the Branch of Natural Resources.

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