



ADMINISTRATIVE RULES OF MONTANA



12.6.1010 TWO-WAY ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION WHILE HUNTING

- (1) Two-way electronic communication includes, but is not limited to, the
 - (a) radios (walkie-talkies/CB);
 - (b) cell phones;
 - (c) text messages; and
 - (d) the use of social media or other electronic platforms, applications, or programs.
- (2) The use of two-way electronic communication is prohibited:
 - (a) while in the act of hunting game animals or wolves to aid in the taking or locating of live animals;
 - (b) while in the act of hunting mountain lions or bobcats with dogs, beginning when the dogs are placed or physically released on tracks or a scent trail;
 - (c) to avoid game check stations or FWP enforcement personnel; and
 - (d) to facilitate unlawful hunting activity.
- (3) The use of two-way electronic communication for the use of safety or other legitimate purposes is exempt.

following:

Authorizing statute(s): 87-1-301, MCA

Implementing statute(s): 87-1-502, 87-1-506, MCA

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