

Get Permission with the new App

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What is the Get Permission App?

Get Permission is the latest initiative from the Game Licensing Unit to foster responsible and ethical hunting in NSW.

Part of the *Shut the Gate on Illegal Hunting* campaign, in partnership with the NSW Police Force, the Get Permission mobile application helps landholders and hunters connect and manage permissions to hunt on private land in NSW.

Using the app, hunters can request permission from private landholders who can then manage the request by giving their approval or by declining. Landholders are also able to revoke previously approved hunter permissions using a simple interface.

The Get Permission app creates a log of permission requests and gives hunters the ability to store important documents and share their permission by email.

Designed simply as a tool for landholders and hunters, the Get Permission app is not monitored by either DPI or NSW Police.

For hunters

Get Permission simplifies your hunting record keeping requirements, allowing you to request and store permission to hunt on your mobile phone.

Using the app allows you to easily demonstrate your compliance with legislation covering entry onto private lands, hunting and firearms.



It's not compulsory for hunters to use this app. It's simply provided as a convenient way to request permission from landholders and store your permissions to show you are compliant.

The app allows you to store copies of your hunting and firearms licences and other important documents. (You should

continue to carry your physical licences though, and be prepared to produce your permission if an authorised inspector asks you.)

For landholders

Get Permission allows you to receive permission to hunt requests quickly and easily from hunters, store them for future reference and revoke them at any time.

While you don't need to download the app to approve or revoke permissions to hunt, having the app ensures a greater level of control over requests.

Permission requests can only come from hunters you authorise on the app.

Connect with hunters

- Download the Get Permission app
- Create an account
- Use the menu to navigate to 'My Profile'
- Give your 'App User ID' to known hunters who wish to request permission to enter your land.

You don't need to use the app though. Hunters who request permission via the app can enter your mobile number or email address. Use the text message or email links to manage the permission outside the app.

If you choose this option though, you will need to find the original email or text to manage permissions. Using the app gives you greater control and stores a local copy on your phone.

Shut the gate on illegal hunting

Shut the gate on illegal hunting gives hunters, landholders and local

communities the tools to quickly and easily report illegal hunting incidents through Crime Stoppers, gathering the types of information that assist authorities to investigate illegal actions and plan targeted compliance programs.

To report illegal hunting, phone Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or search Google for their online form.

Remember, in an emergency always call 000.



For more information on how to *Shut the gate on illegal hunting*, contact the Game Licensing Unit on 02 6363 7650, game.licensing@dpi.nsw.gov.au or visit www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/hunting.

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