

Wild Game Processing

What to Expect from Bluebonnet Meat Processing:

- 1) Your own meat!
- 2) Turnaround from 3 days to 3 weeks, depending on your order and the time of season
- 3) Friendly service and questions promptly answered
- 4) High quality trim and spices used in sausage production
- 5) No surprises on your bill
- 6) Vacuum packaged cuts and sausage and ground meat in bags

What we need from our hunters:

- 1) Appropriately tagged animals (hunting tag as well as your name and phone number at a minimum)
- 2) Remove head or antlers if desired at the time of drop-off (saw provided)
 - We only keep Cape Mounts – we assume all other heads/antlers left here are not desired by the hunter
 - A cape mount must be clearly marked on your game; do not assume we will know that you want a cape mount (you will be charged \$15 for a caping fee)
 - Capes can be picked up directly after they are done or at the time the order is picked up. You can also arrange for your taxidermist to pick up at our location
- 3) Do not leave your cooler
 - We are not responsible for lost or damaged coolers
 - Bags are provided to place your quartered game in; we really do not have space to maintain your cooler – please only leave it if there is no other way to drop it off
- 4) Gutted animals
 - All game should be gutted as soon as possible after harvest; this helps to preserve the quality of the meat
 - We do not receive animals that have not been gutted because we want our processing area and your meat to be as clean and sanitary as possible
- 5) Chilled animals
 - For the best quality, cool your animal as soon as possible
 - If you would like your animal aged, we recommend keeping in on ice and changing/draining the ice daily. We do not age deer as a practice because most hunters have aged their deer in this manner before bringing them in
- 6) Clean quartered animals
 - For clean and sanitary meat, please do your best to leave the hair, dirt, leaves, grass, arrowheads, and bullets out in the field
 - We reserve the right to add a \$15 animal cleaning charge to your bill
- 7) Prompt Pick up
 - We have limited space during deer season in our freezer and we appreciate your prompt pick up