



WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2020-2021: KNOX COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



County Size: 720 square miles

Year Opened to Deer Hunting: 1960

Record Harvest: 3,000 (2012)

Average Harvest (2011-2020): 2,000

Total 2020-2021 Harvest (all seasons): 2,000

Permits issued/quota 2020-2021 (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

Firearm: 0000/3900 **Muzzle:** 000/700

Late Winter: 00

2020-2021 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):

1% M: 49% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

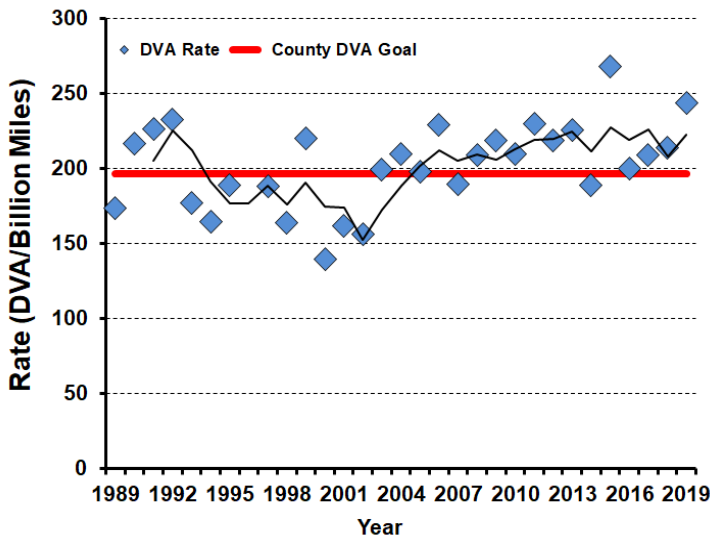
Chronic Wasting Disease Detected: No

Check Station Location: N/A

Late Winter/CWD Season in 2021-2022: Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

Time in Late Winter: 2005 - Present



2020-2021 Harvest by Season

