



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2020-2021: SHELBY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 768 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1970

**Record Harvest:** 2,554 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2011-2020):** 2,104

**Total 2020-2021 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,533

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

**Firearm:** 0000/3300 **Muzzle:** 000/550

**Late Winter:** 00

**2020-2021 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

00% M: 00% F;(00% antlered: 00% antlerless)

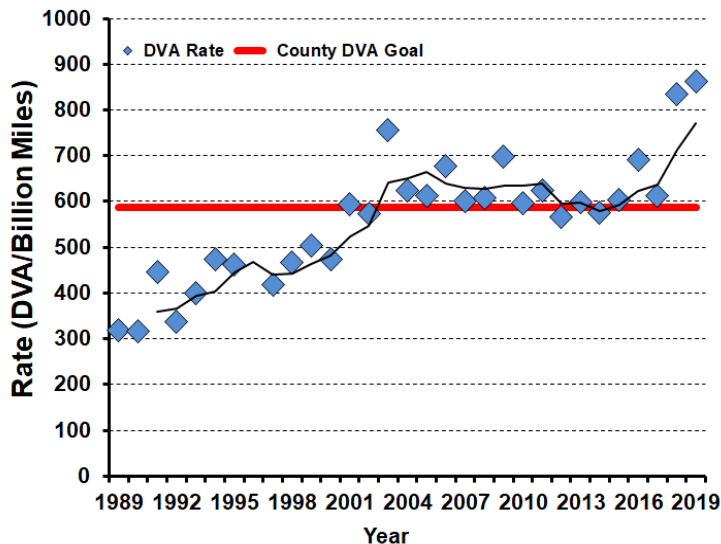
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

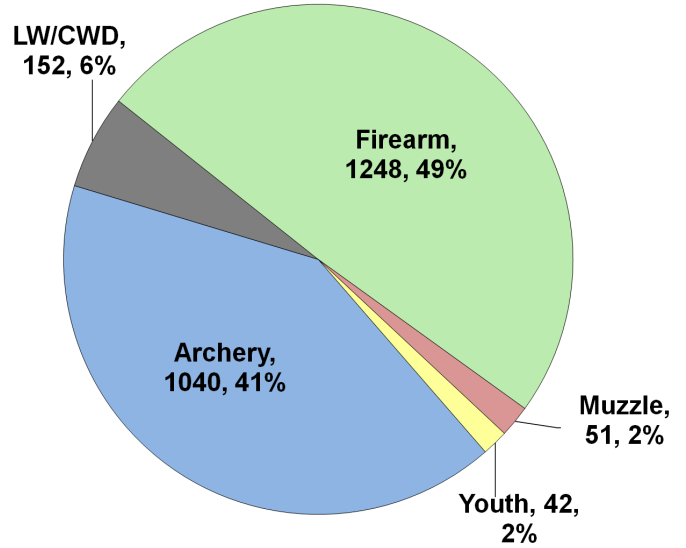
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2021-2022:** Yes.

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:** 2007 - Present



**2020-2021 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**

