

## WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MOULTRIE COUNTY



Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources

County Size: 344 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting: 1972** 

**Record Harvest: 777 (2011)** 

Average Harvest (2010-2019): 600

Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons): 663

Permits issued/filled 2019-2020:

Firearm: 325/325 Muzzle: 80/80

2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):

57% M:43% F;(49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

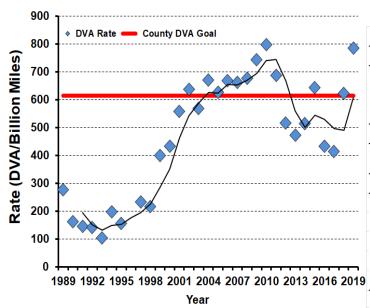
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected: No** 

Check Station Location: N/A

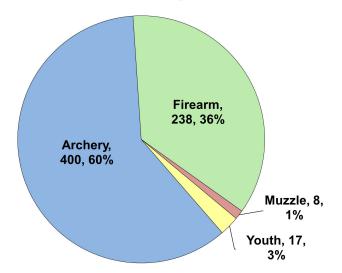
Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021: No.

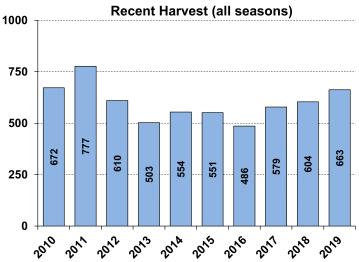
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

## Last year in Late Winter/CWD: Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season





Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type								
Туре	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019			
Compound	266	222	222	189	205			
Crossbow	46	26	129	172	190			
Traditional	3	8	4	7	5			
Total	315	256	355	368	400			

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	21.4	23.4	26.3	28.3	23.4
M - Yearling	20.0	18.3	21.1	22.8	25.5
M - Fawn	12.9	10.3	10.0	10.6	8.0
F - Adult	35.2	37.7	36.8	33.6	35.6
F - Fawn	10.5	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older