

## WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2021-2022: LAWRENCE COUNTY



Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources

County Size: 374 square miles

Year Opened to Deer Hunting: 1971

**Record Harvest:** 1,433 (2005)

Average Harvest (previous 10 years): 1,109

Total 2021-2022 Harvest (all seasons): 1,062

Permits issued/quota 2021-2022 (excludes

landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1386/1650 **Muzzle:** 165/260

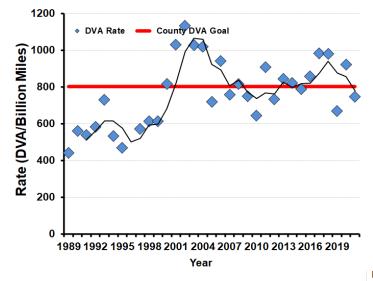
Chronic Wasting Disease Detected: No

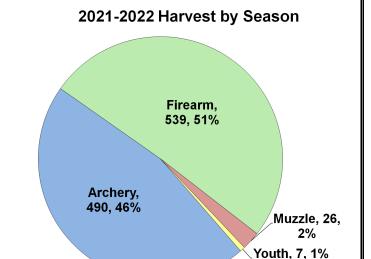
Check Station Location: N/A

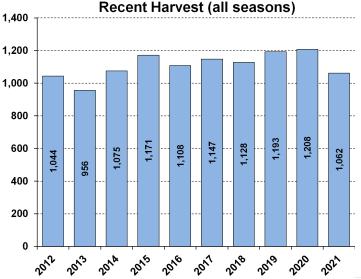
Late Winter/CWD Season in 2022-2023: No.

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: 2012







## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 Type Compound 365 279 295 305 232 Crossbow 112 156 258 288 251 **Traditional** 3 2 5 4 7 Total 480 437 558 597 490

Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)					
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
M - Adult	26.6	25.3	24.7	31.4	31.9
M - Yearling	20.0	<b>18.9</b>	18.9	17.1	16.2
M - Fawn	8. <b>9</b>	10.7	7.9	7.5	10.0
F - Adult	37.5	36.8	42.2	38.7	34.0
F - Fawn	6.5	7.4	6.3	5.4	7.9
M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older					