

Illinois Deer Management Program Review

Goal

The goal of the deer management program review is to gather information from deer management stakeholders to address any concerns they may have about Illinois' deer population status and the deer management approach used by the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR).

Approach

The IDNR is using three approaches to gather information from our deer management stakeholders to conduct this review.

- Conduct five open houses to gather direct feedback from stakeholders and provide them with relevant information.
- Perform an informal survey (available in paper form at open houses and on the Internet) that gives stakeholders the opportunity to provide structured and documented feedback.
- Complete a scientific survey that measures the attitudes from a representative sample of stakeholders.