



2018 SUMMARY OF FATAL HUNTING INCIDENTS

January 15, 2019

Number of Fatalities	3
Total Number Incidents	13

11/17/18 – 12:59 p.m. – Aitkin County

56-year-old male died from a gunshot wound while party hunting.

Firearm Safety Certificate -

Type of Firearm – Shotgun

Cause – Failure to identify target

Animal Hunted - Deer

11/10/18 – 10:30 a.m. – Becker County

53-year-old male died from a gunshot wound to the back of shoulder while hunting.

Firearm Safety Certificate - Yes

Type of Firearm – Ctr Fire Rifle

Cause – Failure to check beyond target

Animal Hunted - Deer

9/08/18 – 6:47 a.m. – Nobles County

39-year-old male died from an accidental gunshot wound to the head while hunting.

Firearm Safety Certificate - No

Type of Firearm – Shotgun

Cause – Victim moved in line of fire

Animal Hunted - Waterfowl