# **DEER PERMIT AREA 236 HUNTING INFORMATION**

# **2023 Deer Hunting Information**

Designation: Three-deer limit

Firearm Options: Shotgun using slugs,

muzzleloaders and handguns legal for big game

Special Regulations: N/A

Seasons:

Archery: Sept. 16 - Dec. 31

Youth: Oct. 19 - 22

Early Antlerless: Oct. 19 - 22 Firearm A: Nov. 4 - 12

Firearm B: N/A

Muzzleloader: Nov. 25 - Dec. 10

Late CWD Hunts: N/A

<b>Land Cover Types</b>	<u>% Tot.</u>	
Woody Cover	27	
Grassland and Wetlands	37	
Annual Row Crops	16	
Open Water	9	
Developed	11	

#### **Total Land Area in 2022 (Non-water)**

370 Sq. Mi.

## **Lands Open to Public Hunting**

Publically Owned Lands	Sq. Mi.	
State Wildlife Management Area	5	
State Forest	0	
Misc. State Land	0	
County Managed Land	1	
USFWS Land (WPA and NWR)	0	
USFS Land (National Forest)	0	
Privately Owned Lands		
Forest Legacy/Forests for Future	0	
Walk-In Access	0	
Total for Public Hunting	6	

## Wildlife Manager Report

Deer Permit Area (DPA) 236 is set within southeast Anoka County, northern Washington County, and southern Chisago County. The southern area is highly developed and borders the metro deer management area (DPA 701) with a five-deer bag limit. DPA 236 population has consecutively grown in density even with more liberal harvest designations. Another year of early antlerless and a three-deer limit should help curb the growth rate with focused antlerless harvest to stabilize the population at goal level.

DNR Wildlife Contact(s): Jim LaBarre, 651-539-3305

Important Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Information CWD testing options

A deer feeding and attractant ban is in effect for Washington County. See mndnr.gov/cwd/feedban.html for details

#### **2022 Firearm Deer Hunter Statistics**

Hunters per Sq. Mi. Land: 8
Hunter Success: 39%

## **2022 Deer Harvest**

	Adult	Fawn	Adult	Fawn	Total
	Male	Male	Female	Female	
Firearms	734	85	336	73	1228
Archery	297	53	317	39	706
Muzzleloader	57	13	60	10	140
Total Harvest	1088	151	713	122	2074



