DEER PERMIT AREA 236 HUNTING INFORMATION

2025 Deer Hunting Information

Designation: Three-deer limit - Early Antlerless Firearm Options: Shotgun using slugs, muzzleloaders and handguns legal for big game Special Regulations: N/A

Seasons:

Archery: Sept. 13 - Dec. 31 Youth: Oct. 16-19 Early Antlerless: Oct. 16-19 Statewide Firearms: Nov. 8 - 16 Late SE Firearms: N/A Muzzleloader: Nov. 29 - Dec. 14 Late CWD: N/A

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

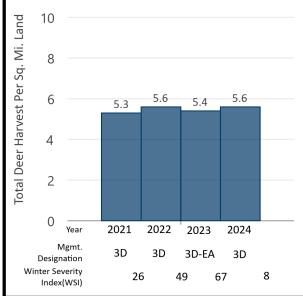
Total Land Area in 2024 (Non-water)

370 Sq. Mi.

Lands Open to Public Access Hunting

Publically Owned Lands	Sq. Mi.
State Wildlife Management Area	4
State Forest	0
Misc. State Land	3
County Managed Land	3
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	10

Harvest, Designation and Winter Severity Index (WSI)



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 601) with a five-deer bag limit. DPA 236's population appears to be at the population goal relative to 2022 and we saw harvest rates increase for bucks and antlerless in 2024. Due to a high volume of residential and agricultural conflicts related to deer depredation, another year of Early Antlerless and a 3-Deer limit should help curb the growth rate of this population.

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Important Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Information Optional CWD testing

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

2024 Firearm Deer Hunter Statistics

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

2024 Deer Harvest

	Adult	Fawn	Adult	Fawn	Total
	Male	Male	Female	Female	
Firearms	734	54	285	60	1133
Archery	413	49	337	31	830
Muzzleloader	35	9	71	7	122
Total Harvest	1182	112	693	98	2085

