

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
Natural Resources Board Agenda Item

SUBJECT: Ability to harvest white deer

FOR: December 2017 Board meeting

TO BE PRESENTED BY: Larry Bonde, Wisconsin Conservation Congress Chair

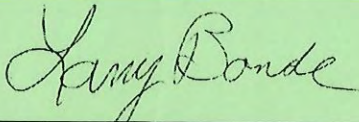
SUMMARY:

The WCC is hearing concerns from individuals in multiple counties that there are growing populations of white deer. These populations are increasing because white deer are protected. Some landowners report seeing only white deer during the hunting season and dominant white bucks seem to chase other bucks away preventing harvest opportunities. The WCC would like to gather more citizen input by asking an advisory question at the 2018 Spring Hearings, but ultimately, the WCC is requesting the NRB reconsider allowing the harvest of white deer.

RECOMMENDATION: Information only

LIST OF ATTACHED MATERIALS (check all that are applicable):

- Background memo
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Larry Bonde, WCC Chair		12/01/17