

# Citizen Resolution # 620320

(For Hearing Officer completion)



**Creating more opportunities for hunters by ending the unfair ability for one hunter to harvest multiple bucks through “party hunting”.**

Party hunting for bucks takes opportunities away from fellow hunters. Currently one hunter can harvest as many bucks as he or she can as long as the person(s) tagging the deer are within legal range and often times these legal parameters are not followed and multiple bucks are taken regardless of the rules. Fellow hunters who may be hunting the same area will now have less opportunity to harvest a buck. Allowing one hunter to harvest multiple bucks legalizes and allows for a “game hog” mentality. How does allowing one hunter to fill other hunter’s buck tags benefit anyone? Does it benefit the state by helping decrease the deer population or sell more licenses? Does it benefit the first time hunter sitting down the valley from a party “buck” hunter who was successful taking multiple bucks? Imagine the conflicts this practice creates among our different types of deer hunters. It is time to put an end to the unfair practice of one hunter harvesting multiple bucks during firearm season. Times have changed, hunters have changed, and now our deer hunt rules must change.

Would you support the Conservation Congress working with State Legislative to create more opportunities for hunters by putting an end to party hunting for bucks.

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