

- Distribution List -**Organizations That Received Correspondence
Soliciting Input for the Deer Management Program RFP***

U.S. Forest Service (Allegheny National Forest)*
Audubon Pennsylvania
Governor's Advisory Council for Hunting, Fishing and Conservation* (All Members)
PA Association of Conservation Districts
PA Chapter of National Wild Turkey Federation
Pennsylvania Farm Bureau
PA Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs* -
PA Land Trust Association
PA Landscape and Nursery Association*
PA Recreation and Park Society
PA State Grange*
PA State Tree Farm Committee*
Pennsylvania Rifle and Pistol Association*
Pennsylvania Deer Association*
Pennsylvania Forest Products Association*
Pennsylvania State Archery Association
Pennsylvania Trappers Association
Pheasants Forever
Quality Deer Management Association
Rock Mountain Elk Foundation
Ruffed Grouse Society*
The Center for Rural Pennsylvania
The Nature Conservancy PA Chapter
Unified Sportsmen of Pennsylvania*
United Bowhunters of Pennsylvania*
Wildlands Conservancy

*The basis of this distribution list is a "stakeholder list" provided by the PGC. PGC officials state that these are organizations with an interest in and frequent involvement with the PGC regarding the Deer Management Program. Also, e-mails were sent to Collins Pine Company and Forest Investment Associates.



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Ms. Melody Zullinger
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Dear Ms. Zullinger:

Over the past twenty years, the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee (LB&FC) has conducted numerous studies and audits of the budget and programs of the Pennsylvania Game Commission. At a recent meeting, the LB&FC Officers began consideration of a possible new project, a study of the Game Commission's "Deer Management Program." If undertaken, this review would be conducted by an independent contractor selected through a Request for Proposal (RFP) and competitive bid process.

In drafting an RFP, the LB&FC is interested in ensuring that all stakeholder groups and associations with an interest in the PGC's "Deer Management Program" have an opportunity to provide comments and suggestions. The Committee is very interested in receiving input from your organization on what you consider to be the key questions and issues that need to be considered as part of a comprehensive review and analysis of this program. We welcome any ideas or comments you may wish to offer including, in particular, specific questions you believe the consultant should address.

Because the Committee plans to further consider this project early in the new year, we would appreciate hearing from you by December 31, 2007. Please forward written comments to me or to LB&FC Project Manager John Rowe. Input can also be submitted via e-mail sent to info@lbfc.legis.state.pa.us.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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