

CITY OF WHEELING



OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

CITY COUNTY BUILDING
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WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA 26003

PRESS RELEASE

CITY OF WHEELING ANNOUNCES RULES FOR 2010 URBAN DEER HUNT

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The City of Wheeling, in accordance with the West Virginia Division of Natural Resources Regulations, is pleased to announce the 2011 Urban Deer Hunt for the City of Wheeling. Per regulations promulgated by the Division of Natural Resources, the Urban Deer Hunt will begin on Saturday, October 1, 2011 and continue through Saturday, December 31, 2011. During this Urban Deer Hunting Season two deer may be taken within the corporate limits of the City of Wheeling which shall not apply against the hunter's regular archery deer season bag limit under Section 58-45-1 of the West Virginia Code. The rules and regulations for the 2011 City of Wheeling Urban Deer Hunt will be the same as in previous years.

Should a bowhunter need to take the International Bowhunter Education Course (IBEP), they should contact Mr. Larry Lawson, State IBEP Representative, at 304-437-3303 or by mail at Box 281, Pinewood Road, Pinch, WV 25156, or e-mail at lll1241@aol.com for information on courses that may be offered in the local area.

Permits for the City of Wheeling Urban Deer Hunt will be available beginning Monday, September 19, 2011 and may be obtained in the Office of the City Manager, Room 302, City County Building 1500 Chapline Street, Wheeling, WV 26003 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. **only** Monday through Friday. Participants must provide a copy of their current West Virginia Hunting License as well as proof of successful completion of the International Bowhunter Education Program Course at the time of sign up; a \$2.00 application fee will apply.

Please note: **IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE HUNTER, NOT THE CITY OF WHEELING, TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO TAKE THE REQUIRED SAFETY COURSE.**