



City of Rolla Managed Deer Hunt

The City of Rolla will offer a managed deer hunt for archery and crossbow from November 27, 2024 through January 15, 2025.

Applying for the City of Rolla Managed Deer Hunt

- All hunters must fulfill the hunting requirements of the Department of Conservation, including obtaining the appropriate hunting license
- All hunters must attend a mandatory registration class. If you cannot attend the class, you will not be allowed to hunt this year.
- All hunters must be at least 16 years of age to hunt without direct supervision of an adult (parent must sign waiver form if under the age of 18)

Participating in the City of Rolla Managed Deer Hunt

- Hunting may only occur in the designated hunting areas.
- Legal methods to harvest deer include projectile archery weapon and crossbow only.
- Each hunter must carry at all times the permit card issued by the City and display the additional permit card in their vehicle.
- You may only park in the designated parking areas as displayed on the maps to be provided during the pre-hunt registration class.
- All state laws and regulations and city rules and regulations must be obeyed.
- Tree stands shall be allowed subject to the following restrictions: Only portable tree stands may be used. The stands may be in place only for the period beginning November 15, 2024 and ending 15 days after archery deer season. Stands must be identified with the full name and address of the owner. Nails, screw-in steps and any other material that would damage the tree shall not be used. Minimal tree trimming in connection with tree stands shall be allowed only as expressly permitted by the department head in charge of the property or the department head's designee.
- No game cameras allowed prior to or during the hunt.
- No other species are to be harvested by any methods during the hunt.
- No alcohol or drug use is allowed. You may not be under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- No decoys/baits/attractants allowed prior to or during the hunt.
- Hunters must wear safety orange clothing when walking in and out of designated hunting areas and for the entirety of the hunt. You must wear a hat and shirt, vest or coat. The hunter orange must be plainly visible from all sides.
- Hunters may take any number of legal deer. Hunters must take and Telecheck one (1) antlerless deer before taking an antlered deer.
- No tracking or recovering a deer is to take place on private property without permission of the property owner.



- Hunters are *not allowed to re-shoot a deer* on any City property that is not within the designated bow hunting boundaries. However, if a deer falls outside the bow hunting boundary, but still on park property, hunters may retrieve the deer. While doing so, it is the hunter's responsibility to fully demonstrate to everyone that they are not actively hunting outside the hunting boundaries.
- No four wheelers or other motorized vehicles shall be used in connection with hunting on city property.
- All trash must be packed out and deposited in a trash receptacle. Hunters are expected to have a minimal impact on the environment.
- No hunting or field dressing shall be allowed within one hundred feet of private property.
- No hunting or field dressing shall be allowed within one hundred feet of a city trail.
- There will be an additional designated field dressing area, near the public works yard hunting area adjacent to the compost area.