



2008 RESIDENT MUZZLELOADER-ONLY DEER PERMIT APPLICATION



You cannot use this application to apply for a firearm permit.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Applications will be **rejected, fees forfeited and permits revoked** if you receive or attempt to receive more than one Either-Sex and/or one bonus Antlerless-Only Muzzleloader-Only permit before September 15. You **CAN** apply in both of the firearm and muzzleloader-only lotteries.

NO permit transfers are allowed and no refunds will be made unless your county, hunt area or permit type is not available.

The permit office is not open on weekends. Please call 217 782-7305 if you have a question or need an application. IDNR information is available to the hearing impaired by calling DNR's TTY: 217 782-9175.

FEE

You must enclose \$15 per permit payable to IDNR. **DO NOT SEND CASH.**

FIRST LOTTERY APPLICANTS - Approximately August 1 you will receive either a permit or a refund check.

SECOND LOTTERY – NOVEMBER 7 APPLICANTS – Unsuccessful applicants will be issued a refund check in approximately 6 weeks. Permits will be mailed as soon as possible.

SEASON DATES

December 12, 13 & 14 and the second firearm season (December 4, 5, 6 & 7).

MUZZLELOADER

The only legal muzzleloading hunting device to take or attempt to take a deer is a single or double barreled muzzleloading rifle of at least .45 caliber shooting a single projectile that is incapable of being loaded from the breech end.

Muzzleloaders: a single or double barreled muzzleloading firearm of at least .45 caliber shooting a single projectile through a barrel of at least sixteen inches in length; must be percussion cap (a shotgun primer is a legal percussion cap), wheellock, matchlock or flint type ignitions only, except the Connecticut Valley Arms (CVA) electronic ignition shall be legal to use and only use black powder or a "black powder substitute" such as Pyrodex. Modern smokeless powders (nitrocellulose-based) are an approved blackpowder substitute only in muzzleloading firearms that are specifically designed for their use.

All counties are open to muzzleloader-only deer hunting except Cook, DuPage, Lake and that portion of Kane county east of State Route 47.

SPECIAL HUNT AREAS – Special hunts held on federal or state lands are regulated by the agency which manages the property. Some of these areas are included in the lottery (see list below). If you wish to apply for a permit to hunt one of these areas, enter the abbreviated name of the area on your application. Special Hunt area permits are not valid anywhere else in the county. County permits are not valid for the Special Hunt areas listed on this application. For more information regarding locations and requirements of special hunt areas only, call the Division of Wildlife at 217 782-6384.

Apple River Canyon SP - Thompson & Salem Units in JoDaviess Co. (enter: ARCSP) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Delair Division, Great River National Wildlife Refuge in Pike Co. (enter: DELAIR) Jan. 10 & 11, 2009 ONLY	Jim Edgar Panther Creek SFWA (Open Unit) -includes West Open Unit ² in Cass Co. (enter: JEPC) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Mitchell's Grove NP ^{1,5} "Antlerless Only" in LaSalle Co. (enter: MGNP and check box 2A) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Spoon River SF in Knox Co. (enter: SRSF) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY
Burning Star 5 ² in Franklin, Jackson & Williamson Cos. (enter: BS5)	Falling Down Prairie (Rall Woods) in JoDaviess Co. (enter: FDP) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Lake Shelbyville Project "Antlerless Only" in Moultrie Co. (enter: LSPMOU and check box 2A) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Pyramid SP-East Conant Unit ² in Perry County (enter: PSPECU)	Starved Rock SP/Matthiessen SP/ Margery C. Carlson NP (Zone A) ^{1,5} "Antlerless Only" in LaSalle Co. (enter: SRMCNP and check box 2A) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY
Carlyle Lake SFWA - East Fork Unit in Clinton Co. (enter: CLSFWA)	French Bluff SNA in Carroll Co. (enter: FBSNA) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Lake Shelbyville Project "Antlerless Only" in Shelby Co. (enter: LSPSHE and check box 2A) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Sandy Ford SNA ^{1,5} "Antlerless Only" in LaSalle Co. (enter: SFSNA and check box 2A) Dec. Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Tapley Woods SNA in JoDaviess Co. (enter: TWSNA) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY
Castle Rock SP ^{1,5} "Antlerless-Only" in Ogle Co. (enter: CRSP and check box 2A) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Goose Lake Prairie SNA/Heidecke SFWA ¹ in Grundy Co. (enter: GLPH) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Marseilles F&WA ¹ in LaSalle Co. (enter: MFWAM) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Sangamon County CA in Sangamon Co. (enter: SCCAM) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Wards Grove NP "Antlerless Only" in JoDaviess Co. (enter: WGNP and check box 2A) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY
Cedar Glen SNA in Hancock Co. (enter: CGSNA)	Hanover Bluff SNA in JoDaviess Co. (enter: HBSNA) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Midwin National Tallgrass Prairie ³ in Will Co. (enter: MNTNP) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY	Sangchris Lake SP ⁴ "Antlerless Only" in Sangamon/Christian Cos. (enter: SLSPM and check box 2A) Dec. 4, 5, 6 & 7 ONLY	Witkowsky SWA in JoDaviess Co. (enter: WSWA) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY
Clinton Lake SRA (North Fork Mgmt. Unit, n. of county rd. at North Fork boat ramp) in Dewitt Co. (enter: CLSRA)	Hidden Springs SF in Shelby Co. (enter: HIDDEN) Dec. 12, 13 & 14 ONLY			

¹ Standby permits available on site. Permit holders must check-in at site by 5am or permit not valid for day.

² Only antlerless deer or antlered deer having at least four points on one side may be harvested.

³ An additional site hunting pass is required at the site: wheelchair accessible blinds are available by reservation.

⁴ Hunting will begin the first day at legal shooting time and at 10:30 am on all other days of the season.

⁵ Hunters must take an antlerless deer on the site during the current year firearm or muzzleloader season before they can purchase an either-sex permit.

1 APPLICATION DATES

FIRST LOTTERY – Applications from Illinois residents will be accepted from the date upon which they become available through April 30.

SECOND LOTTERY – Applicants not receiving any permits or not applying in the first lottery and non-residents may apply for an unfilled county quota permit (and a Bonus Antlerless-Only permit, if available) which will be allocated in a second lottery from applications received through August 14. Illinois residents will be given preference for permits allocated in the Second Lottery Drawing. A list of unfilled counties will be announced approximately July 14.

RANDOM DAILY DRAWINGS – Anyone may apply for any number of remaining permits issued from the first random daily drawing from applications received prior to and including September 15. Random daily drawings will be held up to the last day to apply - November 7. A random daily drawing means all applications from one day are randomly processed before applications from the next day are randomly processed.

November 7 – LAST DAY TO APPLY. Applications received after November 7 will be returned.

2 PERMIT TYPE(S) – You must check one box only.

If you check **Box A**, you will be processed for one Either-Sex permit. If you check **Box B**, you will be processed for one Either-Sex permit and if successful, will then be processed in an additional drawing for one Bonus Antlerless-Only permit. **Box C**, these Antlerless-Only permits are issued only in random daily drawings and are available regardless of whether applicants already possess an either-sex permit.* These counties do not have any Antlerless-Only permits available: Ford, Kankakee and Kendall.

10 Up to six individuals may apply to hunt as a group. All individuals in the group must preselect a group leader and each application for the group must have sections 1, 3, 4 & 10 filled out **identically**, indicating the same lottery, county or special hunt area choice, and same group leader's name and date of birth. Since Illinois residents are given preference for permits allocated in the Second Lottery Drawing, groups containing both resident and non-resident applicants will be treated as non-residents.

THIS AREA FOR OFFICE USE ONLY



Applications received after a deadline will be entered into the next application period.

1 CHECK ONE BOX!

- First Lottery
Deadline - April 30
- Second Lottery
Deadline - August 14
- Random Daily Drawings
September 15 - November 7

2 PERMIT TYPE - check one box

- (A) One Either-Sex (\$15)
- (B) One Either-Sex and one Bonus Antlerless-Only (\$30)
- (C) One Antlerless-Only \$15 issued only in random daily drawings.*

These counties DO NOT have any Antlerless-Only permits available: Ford, Kankakee and Kendall.

3 FIRST CHOICE OF COUNTY OR SPECIAL HUNT AREA

[Grid for county selection]

4 SECOND CHOICE OF COUNTY OR SPECIAL HUNT AREA(OPTIONAL)

[Grid for county selection]

5 You must enter your Social Security Number OR DNR Direct Customer Number.

Disclosure of applicant's SSN is mandatory pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 666(a)(13) and 5 ILCS 100/10-65(c) for use under the State's child support enforcement program.

This number is located above your name on your DNR license.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

[SSN input boxes]

OR

DNR DIRECT CUSTOMER NUMBER

[DNR ID input boxes]

6 LAST NAME

[Last name input boxes]

FIRST NAME

[First name input boxes]

MIDDLE INITIAL

[Middle initial input box]

ADDRESS

[Address input boxes]

CITY

[City input boxes]

STATE

[State input boxes]

ZIP CODE

[Zip code input boxes]

7 COUNTY IN WHICH YOU RESIDE

[County selection grid]

8 DATE OF BIRTH

[Date of birth input boxes: MONTH, DAY, YEAR]

9 APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

[Signature input box]

DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER

[Phone number input boxes]

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided is true and correct and I am not more than 30 days delinquent in complying with a child support order. Making a false statement may subject you to contempt of court.

10 THIS AREA FOR GROUP HUNT ONLY IN THE FIRST & SECOND LOTTERIES - NOT AVAILABLE AFTER AUGUST 14.

GROUP LEADER'S LAST NAME

[Group leader last name input boxes]

GROUP LEADER'S FIRST NAME

[Group leader first name input boxes]

MIDDLE INITIAL

[Group leader middle initial input box]

GROUP LEADER'S DATE OF BIRTH (MO/DA/YEAR)

[Group leader date of birth input boxes]

Mail application
and fee to:

ILLINOIS MUZZLELOADER - ONLY DEER PERMIT
ONE NATURAL RESOURCES WAY
P.O. BOX 19445
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62794-9445

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