

CITY OF WHEELING



OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

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PRESS RELEASE

CITY OF WHEELING ANNOUNCES RULES FOR 2013 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 2013 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, September 7, 2013 and continue through Tuesday, December 31, 2013. During this Urban Deer Hunting Season seven 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. First deer harvested must be antler less and there can be no more than two antlered deer taking during the Urban Deer Hunt. The rules and regulations for the 2013 City of Wheeling Urban Deer Hunt are available at the Office of the City Manager, 1500 Chapline Street, Room 302, Wheeling, WV 26003 or online at www.wheelingwv.gov.

Permits for the City of Wheeling Urban Deer Hunt will be available beginning Monday, August 26, 2013 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.**