



Public Action Team Implementation Proposal

Action Team: Science/Research	People – G.4.
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This document shows the original Deer Trustee Report recommendation that the Public Action Team considered when developing proposals for implementing the recommendation in Wisconsin. The Public Action Team’s implementation proposal is presented then followed by additional background information.

I. ORIGINAL DEER TRUSTEE REPORT RECOMMENDATION

G.4 In addition to providing hunting opportunities, the impacts of deer depredation on agricultural crops, forest regeneration and biodiversity, deer/vehicle collisions, the special significance of deer to the Ojibwe people and other factors also must be considered in management of Wisconsin’s white-tailed deer resources. This will include strict adherence to all agreements with the Voigt Intertribal Task Force (GLIFWC), the tribes serving as “co-managers’ where appropriate.

II. PUBLIC ACTION TEAM PROPOSAL FOR IMPLEMENTING THE ABOVE RECOMMENDATION

Below is the Public Action Team implementation proposal along with their rationale and supporting evidence, potential implementation obstacles and consideration of the proposal’s potential impact on the overall deer management in Wisconsin.

1. Action Team Implementation Proposal:

- The team supports the recommendation and proposes that the DNR continue to consult with GLIFWC staff on deer management.

2. Supporting data, references, rationale and other information behind it.

- The Voigt decision mandates the requirement that the department considers the special significance of deer to the Ojibwe people; however, it does not specify ‘co-management’.
- In addition, the DNR consults with tribes not covered by the Voigt decision

3. Consider and describe potential implementation obstacles or drawbacks.

- No comment submitted by Team

4. Overall, how will this proposal simplify or complicate deer hunting, management, or research in Wisconsin.

- No comment submitted by Team