## Deer Hunters 2021

## Surveillance of Harvested Deer Heads for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD)

## **WMU 936**

Successful hunters in WMU 936 are encouraged to submit the head of their  $\begin{array}{c} DEER \end{array}$  for CWD testing.

Precise location of each kill is required, either GPS or Sec/Twp/Rng, in addition to the WMU.

A **CWD-labelling system** provides a unique identification number of each head submitted. Heads should dropped off in the freezer at Waskehegan Staging Area beside the Alberta Parks office.

Or frozen and dropped off at any Fish and Wildlife office or, during rifle seasons, at any of the 24-hr freezers located in or near the CWD risk area. Green CWD labels and instructions are available in the freezers.

A usable sample consists of the intact head with or without the antler skull plate.

Please provide all the information requested on BOTH SIDES of the green CWD label so that we can complete each data record and get results back to you in a timely manner. Precise location of the kill is required, either GPS or Sec/Twp/Rng, in addition to the WMU.

For more information, including a map of 24-hr freezers available during rifle seasons, visit alberta.ca/cwd **prior to fall hunting seasons** or contact your local Fish and Wildlife office or Dr. M. Pybus 780-427-3462 (for toll free, dial 310-0000 first).

Thank you for your continued support of this important program.

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