Hunters will see more limits, and opportunities, on bagging does up north this fall June 27, 2024 Wisconsin WPR

... During the gun deer season last fall, hunters killed about 14 percent fewer bucks and 27 percent fewer does in northern Wisconsin compared to the five-year average. Although the mild winter is expected to grow the herd ... the DNR said northern counties are reducing their antlerless deer harvest recommendations by about 25 percent from last year..,

Ashland, Iron counties will be bucks only for 2024 Wisconsin deer hunt July 5, 2024 Duluth News Tribune

... The bucks-only status reflects a string of deep-snow winters that have held deer numbers down in the far north, by far the snowiest area of the state and also where predator numbers are high... wildlife biologists note that deer numbers are still down and will take more time — more mild winters — to recover..,

Wisconsin deer harvest in 2024 trending higher than last year October 22, 2024 Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

... The increased deer harvest in the north was anticipated by many who predicted better than average deer survival in and recruitment following the extremely mild winter of 2023-24. The DNR's winter severity index rated last winter as "mild" in all 72 Wisconsin counties and the average in northern Wisconsin was a record-low value of 10..,