

[GFP exploring options to improve deer hunting license system](#) December 21, 2017

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... another run at changing the way it allocates deer hunting licenses to South Dakota's roughly 71,000 deer hunters... problem boils down to supply and demand... more deer hunters than deer that sustainably can be killed, licenses to hunt them are assigned to hunters every year through a lottery drawing..,

[Deer hunters bring concerns about license plan to State Fair](#) September 4, 2018 South

Dakota, The Daily Republic

... In 2017, there were 52,622 resident hunter applications for 35,522 available licenses... the GF&P has 1.1 million acres of public hunting land...

[Fewer deer hunting licenses likely for next two seasons](#) May 7, 2017 South Dakota, The

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... wants to cut the number of deer hunting licenses and tags available to the state's hunters for the next two years by 10,500 from the number of licenses available in 2016... Last year only about 44 percent of East River deer hunters were successful ...