

We support the inclusion of private landowners to PA 03-192. We understand that DEEP will still have the ultimate say in who gets a permit but this change will allow deserving homeowners with a real deer problem to apply for relief in the safest, most humane and effective manner, by using trained, skilled sharpshooters, for example. Current harvesting methods and seasons are simply not effective when many deer become nocturnal and shy of baited areas once a single deer has been removed by a bow hunter. We need more effective methods to get deer numbers back down to sustainable, healthy levels.

Thank you,

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