

# 2007 Deer Hunters

## Assist Us With Our **CWD Surveillance**

With the discovery of chronic wasting disease in wild deer in Alberta, the ongoing Chronic Wasting Disease Surveillance program is targeting the wildlife management units (WMUs) indicated on the right side of the map.

It is a **mandatory requirement** for hunters to submit the heads from all deer harvested in WMUs 148, 150, 151, 162 east of Sec. Rd. 886, 163, 200, 234, 730, 236, 256 and 500 for CWD testing.

**Voluntary submission** of deer heads is encouraged from WMUs 144, 152, 162 west of Sec. Rd. 886, 164, 202, 203, 232, 728 and 238.

Our CWD-labelling system provides a unique identification number for each deer head submitted. Labels and instructions are available at Fish and Wildlife offices and at 24-hour freezer locations. Heads should be kept frozen and dropped off at any Fish and Wildlife office or at any of the 24-hour freezers located within and near the target areas. CWD test results will be made available to hunters within 6 weeks.

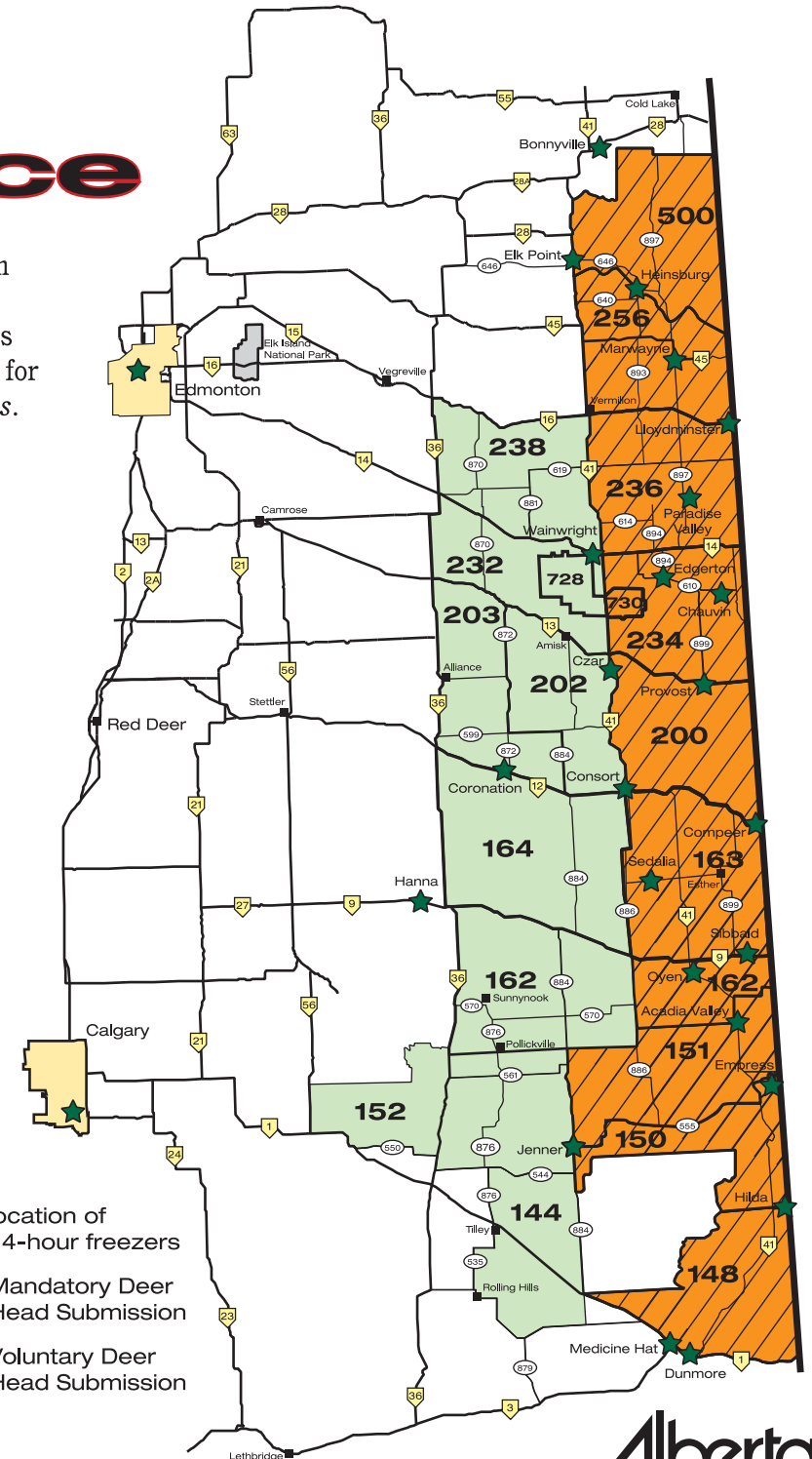
There is no scientific evidence to suggest that CWD can affect humans. As a precaution, the World Health Organization advises against allowing any products from animals known to be infected with any prion disease into the human food chain.

For more information contact your local Fish and Wildlife office or Dr. M. Pybus (780) 427-3462—for toll free, dial 310-0000 first. Visit the Alberta Sustainable Resource Development website [www.srd.alberta/fishwildlife/livingwith/diseases](http://www.srd.alberta/fishwildlife/livingwith/diseases).

Additional deer hunting opportunities are available along the Alberta-Saskatchewan border to reduce deer numbers and prevent the spread of CWD. In addition to the regular hunting seasons, CWD Quota deer licences are offered for portions of WMUs 150 and 151, as well as all of WMU 234. Contact your local Fish and Wildlife office for more details or see pages 65 and 66 of the *2007 Alberta Guide to Hunting Regulations*.

Freezers are located at the following sites and identified with this symbol (★) on the map:

- Acadia Valley** - Acadia Valley Farm Supply
- Bonnyville** - Turbo, Main Street
- Calgary** - Conservation Education Centre for Excellence, 911 Sylvester Cres. S.W.
- Chauvin** - Goodall Motors, Main Street
- Compeer** - Midfield Supply - Main Street
- Consort** - OK Tire Station, south side of Hwy 12 in Consort
- Coronation** - Shell Gas Station, Junction of Hwys 872 and 12
- Czar** - Buffalo Trail Service (Esso)
- Dunmore** - Tempo Gas, Eagle Butte Crossing, Junction Hwy 1 & Eagle Butte Road
- Edgerton** - Home Hardware, Main Street
- Edmonton** - Wholesale Sports, 12610 St. Albert Trail NW
- Elk Point** - Lakeland Meat Processors, Hwys 646 & 41
- Empress** - Lass Chanze Groceries, 136-3rd Ave.
- Hanna** - Fast Gas
- Heinsburg** - Quick-E-Mart, 1 mi. north on Hwy 897
- Hilda** - Volker Stevin, Hwy 41 & Twp Rd 180
- Jenner** - Esso Station
- Lloydminster** - Fish and Wildlife Compound, 6002-50 Ave.
- Marwayne** - Marwayne Race Trac, 407 Railway Ave. S.
- Medicine Hat** - Shell Station (Turbo), Hwy 1 & 1st Street SW
- Oyen** - Oyen Co-op, Hwys 9 & 41
- Paradise Valley** - Paradise Valley Farm Services
- Provost** - Esso Station
- Sedalia** - Sedalia Co-op, Main Street
- Sibbald** - A.C. Meats, Railway Ave.
- Wainwright** - Petrocan, Hwy 14



- ★ location of 24-hour freezers
- Orange hatched box Mandatory Deer Head Submission
- Green box Voluntary Deer Head Submission