

**DEER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**  
Thursday, February 7, 2013 – 9:00 AM  
City Conference Room

**MINUTES**

Present: Chair Rackow, Ald. Trzebiatowski, Member Jacob.  
Also Present: Mel Dow, Interfaith Food Pantry of Portage County.  
Absent: DNR Rep. Lesa H. Kardash, Police Chief Kevin Ruder, Aaron Geistfeld,  
Absolute Wildlife Control, Amberle Eversen, an observer from the College  
of Natural Resources, UW-SP.

**1. Deer Management Committee minutes of January 3, 2013.**

Member Jacob **moved** to approve the minutes, Ald. Trzebiatowski seconded.

Ayes: all; Nays: none; motion passed.

**2. Progress in the 2013 – 14 Culling Project and possible action.**

- A. Payment to the culler for culling antlerless deer. Bills for culled deer must be submitted on a timely basis.
- B. Settlement of accounts with the Interfaith Food Pantry of Portage County. Mel Dow submitted a check for \$90.00 to be deposited in the non-lapsing deer culling account.
- C. Method of obtaining quotes for 2013-14. A letter will be sent to potential cullers inviting them to submit quotes with quotes due Thursday, July 11, 2013.
- D. Plan to get timely access to cull at the Convent and the Sentry golf course. Cullers will be required to request access before the regular archery deer season begins.
- E. Progress in approaching the College of Natural Resources UW-SP about getting students to cull antlerless deer. A request for consideration was forwarded to the Chancellor of UW-SP. A response is anticipated after classes resume in September.

**3. Possible methods of funding deer culling in the future and possible action.**

No action was taken on this topic.

**4. Date, time, and location of next meeting.**

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 6, 2013, at 9:00 AM, in the City Conference Room.

**5. Adjournment.**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:50 A.M.