

August 15th, 2013

Dear Neighbor,

You have been identified as a local landowner in Deerfield Township of at least 20 acres. We are reaching out to you for the expansion of the already existing "Southern Mecosta Whitetail Management Association," (SMWMA).

SMWMA is a growing group of landowners who have "voluntarily" banded together for the purpose of the quality management of our local whitetail deer population. The goal is to have a more balanced and healthier deer herd and ultimately bigger, more mature bucks. The SMWMA is currently going into its 5<sup>th</sup> year of existence with roughly 7,500 acres of landowners already in participation. The current members are either newly committed property owners or property owners who have already been practicing Quality Deer Management (QDM) principles for some time.

SMWMA has primarily been based out of the based out of the base westerly into Downship, hence the letter. Then continue to seek out additional areas to grow in years to come. Our goal this year is to secure an additional 7,500 acres, doubling our current base to 15,000 acres.

To do this, **WE NEED YOUR HELP.** Committing to this process over a period of just **ONE** year makes a HUGE difference in the quality of our deer herd and ultimately antler size and growth in the years to come. With some discipline, we can make a BIG difference in our annual deer harvest and create pride in the properties that produce them. Feel free to check out our website at the producing and see for yourselves just a few of the bucks our methods have been producing.

Please Join us for our next meeting, Saturday September 7th 2013, at 6:00 PM at the Company of t

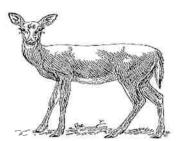
Enclosed is a questionnaire for you to fill out and return in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided. Your response by September 1<sup>st</sup> would be greatly appreciated.

Once again, this is a voluntary organization of neighbors working together. There are no dues, fees, rules, or regulations. Please call or email me with any questions or comments. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THE MEETING!

Sincerely,



## **Bacon Creek Quality Deer Cooperative**



March 22, 2015

Dear neighbor,

You have been identified as a local landowner within Bushnell Township, We are reaching out to you for the expansion of our newly formed Bacon Creek Quality Deer Cooperative.

Bacon Creek Quality Deer Cooperative is a growing group of landowners and hunters who have voluntarily banded together for the purpose of quality management of our local whitetail population. We have identified a concentrated area of land owners to start and grow this co-op.

Our goal of this group is erect a group of hunters and land owners in our area that will band together for the purpose of improving the quality of our deer herd. The main concern of this group is **NOT** just in trying to grow trophy animals, it is a group to help and educate each other in producing and managing, a healthy, strong and mature deer herd for all to enjoy.

This is a voluntary process of neighbors and hunters working together. There are NO dues, NO fees; No rules or regulations.

If you would like to participate, or for more information please contact any of the following:







Bacon Creek Quality Deer Cooperative: group on Facebook

Thank you,