## Attn: Deer Hunters

As of now, the 2023-2024 New York State Hunting licenses are scheduled to go on sale August 1, 2023. That date is tentative based on continued testing of the sales system. We are would encouraging hunters to apply for DMPs if you plan to hunt and plan to hunt in Wildlife Managment Units that have DMPs available. If you do not want any deer you have taken using a DMP/DDP/DMAP, we would appreciate the donation of that deer to the Hunters Helping the Hungry Program. Donations of deer directly from hunters have been very light for several years now. Most of the venison coming into the program are from holders of DMAP and DDP permits. Any deer that is donated must be properly tagged as per Environmental Conservation Law.

If you decide to donate a deer (and we strongly encourage that you do) please contact Anthony Pittore (914-755-9667) or Bill Conners (845-635-1606).