



## Target Hunger: *Feed the Need* Venison Donation Program

Our local venison donation program, now called “Target Hunger,” seeks to bridge the gap between a local renewable resource and the hungry families in our region. Venison is a protein rich, lean, and healthy food source that is available in large quantities in South Central Wisconsin. In a partnership with area community action agencies, the Department of Natural Resources, and local sportsmen, CAC is working to bring local venison to the people who need it the most.

CAC and other community action agencies are covering the price of processing and distribution of all donated venison, while the DNR will assume the cost of all CWD testing. The DNR has also made each participating Target Hunger processor a deer registration station, offering hunters a quick and easy donation process.

In 2008, we hope to process over 2,000 deer, providing thousands of pounds of healthy venison to local pantries and shelters. In order to accomplish this task, we hope to raise \$140,000 to cover the processing and distribution of this venison. So far this year generous sponsors like *Quality Deer Management-Uplands Branch* and *Blackhawk Bowhunters of Verona* have made great contributions to our cause. **However, we are still seeking additional donations to cover the cost of processing and distribution of this venison. Any contributions would be greatly appreciated.**

Donations are tax-deductible. Please make your checks payable to “Target Hunger” and send them to CAC at 1717 N. Stoughton Road, Madison, WI 53704.

If you have further questions or would like more information, please feel free to contact Chris Brockel at 608-246-4730 ext. 206.

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