



S O U T H E A S T DEER STUDY GROUP

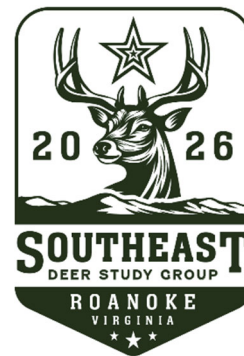
The Southeast Deer Study Group (SEDSG) has proudly served as the premier platform for deer researchers, managers, and enthusiasts from across the southeast and beyond to exchange knowledge and advance conservation efforts for over 48 years. Our annual meeting is a cornerstone event where wildlife professionals and students gather to share research and address challenges in managing one of our most cherished wildlife species—the white-tailed deer.

The **Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources** is excited to host the **49th Annual Meeting in Roanoke, VA, February 22-24, 2026.**

We invite your generous support for this important event to help us achieve our fundraising goal of \$40,000. Your contribution will directly help us:

- Offer engaging sessions and networking events,
- Host impactful plenary speakers,
- Provide presentation awards to students, and
- Ensure the meeting is accessible and impactful for all attendees.

Contributions of any amount are greatly appreciated and will be recognized in our program materials, on-site signage, and communications with our attendees. Sponsorship levels and associated benefits are as follows:



Platinum: ≥\$4,000 (receive 2 free meeting registrations, 2 free banquet tickets, and 1 free exhibit space)

Gold: \$3,000-\$3,999 (receive 2 free meeting registrations, 1 free banquet ticket, and 1 free exhibit space)

Silver: \$2,000-\$2,999 (receive 1 free registration and 1 free exhibit space)

Bronze: \$1,000-\$1,999 (receive 1 free exhibit space)

Contributor: <\$1,000 (recognition on signage and meeting materials)

Although monetary donations are most helpful, in-kind donations (e.g., door prizes) or sponsorships (e.g., participant materials) are also important. *Tax-deductible contributions* can be made via check or through Square using the QR code below:

Checks can be made payable to:

Southeastern Section of The Wildlife Society
Dr. Vanessa Lane
356 Copeland Rd
Tifton, GA 31794



We are honored to have partners like you who share our passion for wildlife and conservation. Please feel free to contact Justin Folks, VDWL Deer Project Leader (justin.folks@dwr.virginia.gov or 540-430-1355), if you have any questions or need further information about the event or your contribution.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to make a difference. Together, we can ensure a successful and impactful meeting that benefits deer management and conservation!