



WHEN YOU'RE GATHERING WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS
HERE'S A STORY TO TELL
 ONE THAT WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE WITHOUT
 THE THOUGHTFULNESS AND GENEROSITY OF HUNTERS.



of game meat makes its way to shelters, food banks and church kitchens.



annually are provided to the less fortunate through donations of venison by hunters.



THIS EQUATES TO



BENEFITS OF GAME MEAT

LOCAL, FREE-RANGE, ORGANIC, SUSTAINABLE
 NO HORMONES, LOW CALORIE, HIGH PROTEIN

TOP 5 STATES FOR VENISON DONATIONS

VIRGINIA	405,000 LBS	1
IOWA	312,000 LBS	2
MISSOURI	237,000 LBS	3
TEXAS	214,000 LBS	4
OHIO	180,000 LBS	5

VENISON DONATIONS BY REGION

MIDWEST	NORTHEAST	WEST	SOUTH
46%	8%	*1%	45%
of total donations	of total donations	of total donations	of total donations
1,300,000 lbs	200,000 lbs	28,000 lbs	1,250,000 lbs
5,200,000 meals	800,000 meals	110,000 meals	5,000,000 meals
IA - IL - IN - KS - MI - MO - MN - ND - NE - OH - SD - WI	CT - MA - ME - NH - NJ - NY - PA - RI - VT	AK - AZ - CA - CO - HI - ID - MT - NM - NV - OR - UT - WA - WY	AL - AR - DE - FL - GA - KY - LA - MD - MS - NC - OK - SC - TN - TX - VA - WV

* May be under-reported. limited data sources available for the west

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In addition to white-tailed deer, hunters donate many other types of game meat during hunting seasons.

These include:
 bear, feral pig, rabbit, elk, moose, antelope, pheasant, turkey and waterfowl.

IMPORTANT GAME - MEAT DONATION ORGANIZATIONS



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