



MICHIGAN HUNTING RELATED INCIDENT SUMMARY

2020

Updated: 06/05/20 Incidents: 3

N O	DATE	COUNTY	ANIMAL HUNTED	CASUALTY TYPE	SELF INFLICTED	EQUIP. USED	SHOOTER AGE	VICTIM AGE(S)	SHOOTER VIOLATION	VICTIM VIOLATION	PENDING OR FINAL
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1	02/01/20	IONIA	Coyote	Injury	No	Rifle	23	20	Careless Handling	None	Pending
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Subjects were hunting in same group and were walking back to the vehicle. The shooters firearm fell off it's tripod and discharged. The victim was struck in the left hand.

2	02/24/20	INGHAM	Coyote	Injury	No	Rifle	19	21	Fail to Identify Target, Others	Trespass	Pending
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Four subjects were Coyote hunting along the railroad right-of-way. Looking through a thermal scope, the hunters thought they saw a coyote and one hunter fired two rounds. The object thought to be a coyote was a person, who was struck by one bullet in the upper chest. The victim and shooter did not know each other.

3	02/29/20	TUSCOLA	Coyote	Property Damage	No	Rifle	54	53	Victim out of Sight	None	FINAL
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Subject was shooting at a coyote running across a field and missed. The bullet struck a house on the other side of the coyote. No one was injured, just property damage.

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