Deer Fence Inspection Checklist

Use this checklist to inspect deer fence on an orchard or garden. It helps crews find gaps, damage, and weak spots before animals do. Use a fresh copy each season and keep old ones for comparison.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Walk the full fence line	☐	☐	☐
Check posts for stability	☐	☐	☐
Look for sagging or gaps	☐	☐	☐
Inspect gates and latches	☐	☐	☐
Check ground clearance	☐	☐	☐
Clear vegetation from the line	☐	☐	☐
Test electric fence if present	☐	☐	☐
Record repairs needed	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Walk the fence on a regular schedule and after storms, and fix small gaps right away.

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