

Animal Cruelty Cases

A Case for Animal Cruelty or Not? The local Parks department has declared that the township is being overrun by deer. The population has grown so quickly that the food supply has not been able to keep pace. Deer are ruining crops and killing trees as a result of stripping bark from their trunks. A township task force is recommending an extended sports hunting season and lifting the limit of one deer per hunter to two deer per hunter. Cruel or Not Cruel? Why?

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A Case for Animal Cruelty or Not? Ethel, a 30-year-old performing circus elephant, has developed arthritis in her hind legs rendering her unable to perform. Concerned that she would be unable to survive without constant attention and care, her owner has applied for a permit to put her down. Cruel or Not Cruel? Why?

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