

Sample Board Call for Proposals

CALL FOR PROPOSALS
ALASKA BOARD OF GAME
2014/2015 Meeting Cycle
Southeast, Southcentral, and Central/Southwest Regions

The Alaska Board of Game calls for proposed changes in the regulations pertaining to hunting, trapping, and the use of game for the following regions:

- 1) Southeast Region (Game Management Units 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5)
- 2) Southcentral Region (Game Management Units 6, 7, 8, 14C, and 15)
- 3) Central/Southwest Region (Game Management Units 9, 10, 11, 13, 14A, 14B, 15, 16 & 17)

PROPOSAL DEADLINE: May 1, 2014 at 5:00 p.m.
(Please use the new proposal form available online at:
www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=process.proposal&board=game
or from ADF&G Boards Support Section regional offices.

The Alaska Board of Game is accepting proposed changes to hunting and trapping regulations for the **Southeast, Southcentral, and Central/Southwest Regions**, Game Management Units 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 including the following topics:

Hunting seasons, and bag limits including subsistence and general hunts for all species; trapping seasons and bag limits; big game prey populations and objectives for intensive management; predation control areas implementation plans; community subsistence harvest areas; restricted areas including controlled use areas, management areas, closed areas, and closures in state game refuges; special permit areas and hunts including Unit 8 brown bear permits, permits for access to McNeil River, Walrus Islands, and Stan Price State Wildlife Sanctuaries. In addition, the board will accept proposals pertaining to various "Statewide Provisions" that are specific to the Units in these Regions, including: hunter education requirements, harvest tickets and reports, taking of game by proxy, salvage and sealing requirements, possession/transportation of game, and permit conditions and provisions. *(Note - the Board of Game has placed a temporary moratorium on the taking of bears in the Cape Douglas Kamishak Special Use Area (McNeil River) and will not be accepting proposals.*

The following topics will be considered for all Game Management Units:

Brown Bear Tag Fee Exemptions

Reauthorization of Antlerless Moose Hunts *(State statute requires all antlerless moose hunts be reauthorized annually.)*

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Proposals may be submitted by mail, fax, or online:

Mail: ADF&G, Boards Support Section
P.O. Box 115526
Juneau, AK 99811-5526

Fax: (907) 465-6094

Online:

www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=process.proposal&board=game

Proposals must be received by May 1, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. (A postmark is NOT sufficient for timely receipt). You are encouraged to submit proposals at the earliest possible date.

Submit proposals at: www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=process.proposal&board=game or on Board of Game proposal forms available from the Boards Support Section regional offices and on the website. All proposals must contain an individual's name or an organizational name if appropriate, contact telephone number, and address. A fax is acceptable and considered an original.

All proposals are reviewed by the board's proposal review committee prior to publication. The proposal review committee reserves the right to edit proposals containing offensive language. Emotionally charged language will be eliminated as it detracts from the substance of the proposal, may draw opposition not germane to the element(s) of the proposal, and may elicit nonresponsive charges from the public/board members. Proposals published in the proposal book will be referenced with the appropriate Alaska Administrative Code citation and include a brief description of the action requested. **Proposals not meeting this call will not be published.** Following publication, proposal booklets will be available to advisory committees and the public for review and comment.

You are encouraged to contact the Boards Support Section staff if you have questions or need assistance with completing the proposal form. Providing clarity on the proposal form helps the board, advisory committees, and the public more fully understand the proposed regulatory changes. Proposals that are incomplete or unclear may be omitted from the proposal book. Please submit proposals at the earliest possible date.

Proposals received per the above "Call for Proposals" deadline will be considered by the Board of Game during the 2014-2015 meeting schedule.

For more information, please contact the Alaska Board of Game Executive Director at (907) 465-4110.