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Board of Game Meetings to be Held in Juneau, January 8 - 13, 2015

The Alaska Board of Game will convene the Southeast Region meeting on January 9 - 13, 2015, in Juneau, Alaska at the Westmark Baranof Hotel, located at 127 North Franklin Street. The board will consider 40 proposals regarding hunting and trapping regulations for the Southeast region. Prior to this Southeast region meeting, the board will hold a one-day work session on January 8th at the same location for the purpose of hearing various reports and to address board business. Both meetings begin at 8:30 a. m., and are open to the public. A live audio stream of the audio for both meetings is intended to be available on the Board of Game website at www.boardofgame.adfg.alaska.gov.

Proposals scheduled for the Southeast region meeting have been submitted by the Department of Fish and Game, local fish and game advisory committees, and the general public seeking adjustments to hunting and trapping regulations in the Southeast region (Game Management Units [GMU] 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5). Issues to be addressed by the board include hunting and trapping seasons and bag limits, methods and means, and restricted areas.

The agenda for the Southeast Region meeting begins with several oral reports provided by the Department of Fish and Game, followed by oral testimony. Public testimony will be taken during the Southeast Region meeting only. Anyone wishing to testify before the board must sign up at the meeting location before Saturday, January 10, at 10:30 am. Public testimony will continue until everyone who has signed up has been given the opportunity to be heard. Deliberations on the proposals will begin following public testimony and continue through the remainder of the meeting.

Meeting materials including the agenda, roadmap, and public comments can be found on the Board of Game meeting information website at: www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.meetinginfo. Documents submitted to the board during the meeting are intended to be posted online throughout both meetings. During the meeting, written public comments limited to ten single sided pages, from any one individual or group may be submitted by hand delivery at any time if 20 copies are provided. Individuals who cannot attend the meeting may submit comments via fax to (907) 465-6094.

Learn more about the Board of Game Process: ADF&G Boards Support Section will host an evening training session on [How to be effective at Board Meetings](#). The training session is open to the public and advisory committee members. It will be held at the Westmark Baranof in the main meeting area, starting at 6:30 pm on Friday, January 9. For more information, contact Boards Support Section at 465-4110.

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