

Seward Fish & Game Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

February 11, 2021 at 7:00pm via Zoom

Call to Order at 7:00 PM by Chair McCracken

Roll Call:

Members Present:

Andy Bacon, Kenn Carpenter, Mark Clemens, Diane Dubuc, Arne Hatch, Jim McCracken Nathan Smith,

Members Absent: WC Casey, Trent Foldager, Jim Hubbard, Bob White

Comprising a quorum of the Committee

Fish and Game Staff Present: Nicholas Fowler, Area Wildlife Biologist, Kenai Peninsula Jason Herreman, Assistant Area Biologist Charity Lehman, Southcentral Regional Coordinator, Boards Support

Motion (Bacon/Dubuc) to approve the agenda

Discussion of kids fishing day added under new business

Hearing no objection from the Committee, the agenda was approved by unanimous consent.

Motion (Dubuc/Clemens) to approve the November 11, 2020 minutes

November 11, 2020 meeting minutes approved by unanimous consent

The Chair opened public comment and hearing no members of the public wishing to comment, closed public comment

Reports:

Harriman provided harvest statistics for Fall 2020, including Black Bear, Brown Bear, Goats, Moose

Notes from that report:

- Brown Bear: 2020 harvest was over their cap but since they manage on a 3 year average, harvest did not exceed guideline levels. Looking ahead, the higher harvest of 2020 may impact opportunity in '21 and '22 with possible closures.
- Goat: Higher harvest level (92) in proportion to permits issued (383) than in previous years. Nanny take was high, so Dept. will likely need to issue fewer permits this year.
- Moose: 3 undersize harvest, 2 hunters were allowed to keep the meat, one was way under size and meat was siezed. 12 moose harvested in unit 7, vs. 13 last year and 7, 9, 12 in years prior. No moose surveys conducted in Unit 7 due to budget cuts.

Old Business- none

New Business:



a. Board of Game proposal 177: reauthorize antlerless moose hunts in Units 7 and $14\mathrm{C}$

Motion (Carpenter/Hatch) to approve proposal 177

Discussion: Herreman stated this hunt needs to be reauthorized on an annual basis, the department wants to keep the hunts open.

Motion Passed Yes: Unanimous

No:

b. Board of Game – proposal 195

Motion (Bacon/Smith) approve proposal 195

Discussion: The purpose of this proposal is to align and standardize regulations throughout unit 15 B. As the regulation was adopted, a section of 15B had different regs: no bow season, no spike available for harvest, 5-day shorter season.

Motion Passed/Failed Yes: Unanimous

No:

c. Kids Fishing

Carpenter reported on kids fishing 2021 and proposed that we move forward with holding the event. Plans to start soliciting for donations. The consensus of the committee was to go ahead with it. Carpenter is going to seek donations for new rods, the old fishing gear had reached the end of its useable life. McCracken proposes asking our area fish biologist as possible source of youth fishing gear donation, or to make a recommendation.

Next meeting: Election date is coming up. Consensus was to postpone holding an election until such time as we can meet in person again, per this year's policy on deferring AC elections

Closing Comments

Bacon stated that the aquatic farm lease site proposal was still moving through DNR, and the proposed location has been moved from Tonsina Point area to Agnes Cove, west side Resurrection Bay.

Adjourn

Hatch adjourned the meeting at 7:45 PM



Susitna Advisory Committee 12/15/2020 Virtual (Zoom)

I. Call to Order: 5:00 by Steve Harrison

II. Roll Call

Members Present: Steve Harrison, Bryan Kirby, Billy Fitzgerald, Mike Wood, Eli Hoffman

Members Absent (Excused): Tim Bradley

Members Absent (Unexcused): Peter Mathieson, Tim Bueclle, Todd Kingery

Number Needed for Quorum on AC: 4 List of User Groups Present: None

III. Fish and Game Staff Present: Tim Peltier

IV. Guests Present: None

- V. Approval of Agenda Motion by Bryan 2nd Mike
- VI. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes Motion by Eli 2nd by Bryan
- VII. Reports

a. Chair's report: None

b. ADF&G: Nonec. Others: None

VIII. Public Comment

None

IX. Old Business

None

X. New Business

BOG Proposals for Units 13, 14, 16 & BOF Proposals 235/236

- XI. Select representative(s) for board meeting
- XII. Set next meeting date

TBA

XIII. Other

I. Adjourn 6:58



Alaska Board of Game Central & Southwest Region Meeting Proposals

		J	anuary 22-29, 2021 Wasilla, AK	
Proposal Number	Proposal Description			
Support, Support as Amended, Oppose, No Action	Number Support	Number Oppose	Comments, Discussion (list Pros and Cons), Amendments to Proposal, Voting Notes	
Note: Effective September 2019, when abstentions occur, the action or decision of a majority of the remaining members at a meeting at which a quorum is present is an act of the committee. For example, a vote tally of 7-6-2 means the motion carries. Members abstaining from voting must provide an explanation that is included in the committee record.				
1	Shift to late	er moose hu	nting seasons in Units 13 and 14	
2	Establish re	egistration a	rchery seasons for Dall sheep in Units 9B, 11, 13, 14A, 14B and 16	
3	Open an ar	chery only s	eason for Dall sheep in Units 13, 14A, 14B, and 16	
4		_	hunt by bow and arrow only for Dall sheep within Units 9, 11, 13A, 13B der, 13D remainder, 14A remainder, 14B, and 16	
5		I hree archery I season hun	registration hunts for Dall sheep in Units 9, 11, 13, 14, and 16 where there	
6	Reauthoriz	e the brown	bear tag fee exemptions for the Central/Southwest Region	
7	Increase ba	l ag limit for b l	lack bear in Units 13D and 16	
8	Shorten co	ı yote trappin	g season in Units 9, 13, 14B, 16 and 17	
9	Extend the	wolf trappir	ng season in Units 13 and 16	
10	Allow the harvest of beaver by bow and arrow under a trapping license with salvage requirements in Units 9, 11, 13, and 16			
11	_	_	legal method of take for beaver in Units 9, 11, 13, and 16	
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12	Reauthoriz	e the antlerl	ess moose season in Unit 17A	
13	Increase th		f nonresident draw hunt permits and extend the nonresident season by 10	

14	Establish fixed-season dates for resident registration moose hunts RM575 & RM576 in Unit 17/		
15	Establish a registration hunt for bull moose limited to resident certified bowhunters only within Unit 17B		
16	Establish a registration hunt for bull moose open to nonresident certified bowhunters only wit Unit 17B, remainder		
17	Establish a registration hunt for bull moose limited to certified bowhunters only within Unit 17		
18	Extend the resident winter moose season in Units 17B and 17C		
19	Establish new population and harvest objectives for the Mulchatna caribou herd in Units 9, 17, 1 and 19 as follows		
20	Establish Tier II subsistence hunting season and bag limit for the Mulchatna caribou herd (MCH		
21	Establish a second predation control area for Mulchatna caribou on federal lands in Game Management Units 17 and 18		
22	Determine customary and traditional uses of the Nushagak Peninsula caribou herd in Game Management Units 17A and 17C — Nushagak Peninsula, Bristol Bay		
23	Allow the use of snowmachine to position wolf or wolverine for harvest in Unit 17		
24	Establish a season, daily and seasonal bag limit, and salvage requirement for Alaska hare in Unit 17		
25	Review the intensive management findings for Unimak caribou and determine objectives if applicable		
26	Determine customary and traditional uses of the Unimak Island caribou herd (Unit 10 – Unimal Island)		
27	Reauthorize the Northern Alaska Peninsula (NAP) Caribou Herd Intensive Management Plan (IN		
28	Remove the resident bag limit of one brown bear every four years in Unit 9		
29	Lengthen the season and liberalize methods and means for trapping beaver in Unit 9		

31	Close wolverine trapping and hunting in Unit 10		
32	Close the nonresident season for Emperor geese in Units 9 and 10		
33	Allocate 50% of the permits for harvesting Emperor geese in Units 9, 10, and 17 to nonresidents		
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34	Anotate 50% of the permits for harvesting Emperor geese in onits 3, 10, and 17 to nomesidents		
35	Allocate 50% of the permits for harvesting Emperor geese in Units 9, 10, and 17 to nonresidents		
36	Allocate a 50/50 split for resident and nonresident Emperor goose permits for Units 9, 10, and 17		
37	Allocate 500 permits to nonresidents for taking Emperor geese for Units 9, 10, and 17		
38	Allocate 500 permits to residents and nonresidents for taking Emperor geese for Units 9, 10, and 17 as follows		
39	Allocate an equal number of permits for residents and nonresidents for taking Emperor geese for Units 9, 10, and 17		
40	Double the number of nonresident permits for taking Emperor geese for Units 9, 10, and 17		
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41	Increase the number of nonresident permits for taking Emperor geese for Units 9, 10, and 17		
42	Allow more years of nonresident Emperor goose tags to be allotted for a lottery for Units 9, 10, and 17		
43	Increase the number nonresident permits for harvesting Emperor geese to 10% for Units 9, 10, and 17		
44	Allow nonresidents to purchase un-issued Emperor geese permits for Units 9, 10, and 17		
45	Increase permits and require use of an outfitter for nonresident harvest of Emperor geese for Units 9, 10, and 17		
46	Increase papersident permits and establish profesores points for harvesting Emperor goese for		
40	Increase nonresident permits and establish preference points for harvesting Emperor geese for Units 9, 10, and 17		
47	Increase the number of penacidents permits for taking Emperer goese or set a hunt gueta with		
47	Increase the number of nonresidents permits for taking Emperor geese or set a hunt quota with 24-hour harvest reporting requirement for Units 9, 10, and 17		
	Increase the number nonresident permits for harvesting Emperor geese or offer a second drawing		

49	Establish re	sident and nonresident quotas per region for taking Emperor geese with repo		
		ts, or offer a second drawing for un-issued permits for Units 9, 10, and 17		
50	Increase the	e number nonresident permits for harvesting Emperor geese or allow for a sec		
	lottery for L	Inits 9, 10, and 17		
51	Expand the	DI454 bison hunt area in Unit 11		
52	Repeal the '	'pre-2018" caribou hunting regulations for Unit 13		
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53	Increase the	e community subsistence caribou hunt allocation in Unit 13		
54	Increase the	youth hunting season for caribou in Unit 13		
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55		stration goat hunt for residents in Unit 13		
		Action god name for residents in onic 15		
56	Extend the	general season for moose by bow and arrow only for residents and nonreside		
		11, remainder		
57	Establish a r	registration hunt for bull moose open to certified bowhunters only within Unit		
	remainder			
58	Reauthorize	the antlerless moose seasons in Unit 13		
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59	Increase the	community subsistence any bull moose hunt allocation in Unit 13		
60	Create a reg	gistration archery only hunt for bull moose in Unit 13		
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61	Establish a c	drawing permit hunt for bull moose limited to resident certified bowhunters o		
	within Unit	13E		
62	1	antlerless moose season in Unit 13E		
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63	Eliminate the restrictions of one harvest report per household and one bag limit per household			
	trie commui	nity subsistence caribou hunt for Unit 13		
6/	Fliminate th	 e salvage requirement for hide of moose for Alaska residents aged 60 years a		
64		g in the community subsistence moose hunt in Unit 13 and make it optional		
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64 65		te moose hide salvage requirement for hunters aged 62 years and older partic		



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67	Change the salva	ge requirements for sheep taken in Unit 11		
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68	Extend the gener within Unit 11	ral season for brown bear by bow and arrow only for residents and nonresiden		
69	Increase the bag	limit for brown bear in Unit 13		
70	Open a fall baitin	g season in Unit 13 for brown and black bear		
71	Lengthen the wo	Iverine hunting season in Unit 13		
72	Extend the wolve	erine trapping season in Unit 13		
73	Extend the wolve	erine trapping season in Unit 13		
74	Limit motorized a	access during the community subsistence moose hunt in Unit 13		
75	Close the Tokosit	 :na State Recreation Area in Units 13E and 16A to the use of airboats for huntin		
7.5	Close the Tokosit	and state recreation rived in onits 131 and 107 to the ase of an boats for martin		
76	Extend the ptarm	nigan season and the lower bag limit in Unit 13B and 13E		
77	Open a youth on	ly hunt for ptarmigan in Unit 13, August 10-24		
78	Extend the carib	ou season in Unit 16B		
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79	Reauthorize the	antlerless moose draw permits in Units 14A and 14B		
	5 0	Support due to the high moose numbers and safety		
80	Create a resident	youth hunting season for any bull moose (YM4XX) in Unit 14A		
81	Allow muzzle loa 14A and 14B	ding and black powder cartridge long guns be used for harvesting moose in Un		
82	Extend by two days the current bow and arrow only general moose season in Units 14A, 14B, and 16A			
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83	Remove the 50-ii 16A	nch bag limit requirement for the resident and nonresident moose hunt in Uni		
84	Establish an antl	erless moose season in Unit 16B		
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85	Establish a registration hunt for bull moose limited to resident certified bowhunters only within Unit 16B		
86	Change the	bag limit fo	or Dall sheep in Unit 14A to full-curl ram
87	_	bag limit fo ly permit hu	or the Dall sheep permit hunts in Unit 14A and convert the early season to nts
88	Establish a	n archery on	ly general season hunt for Dall sheep in Unit 14
89		_	hunt for Dall sheep open to certified bowhunters only, by longbow or n Unit 14A, Metal Creek area
90	Extend the	brown bear	hunting season in Units 14A and 14B
91	Establish a	general seas	son by bow and arrow only for brown bear within Units 14A and 14B
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92	Open a yea	r-round sea	son for brown bear in Unit 16
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94	Establish a general season by bow and arrow only for brown bear within Units 16A and 16B, remainder		
95	Lengthen t	he brown be	ear season in Unit 16B for residents and nonresidents
96	Allow the t	ake of black	bear in Unit 16B the same day a hunter has flown
97	Allow beav	er to be take	en with firearm or archery equipment in Unit 16
98	Extend the	beaver trap	ping season in Unit 16
99	Close areas	within Unit	ts 14A, 14B, and 16A to trapping
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100	Remove re	quirement t	hat traps and snares for beaver be submerged in Unit 16
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99	Close areas within Units 14A, 14B, and 16A to trapping			
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100	Remove requirement that traps and snares for beaver be submerged in Unit 16			
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Adjournment:				
			Minutes Recorded By:Bryan Kirby	
			Minutes Approved By:Steve Harrison	
			Date:1/4/21	



Togiak Fish and Game Advisory Committee

January 27, 2021 Teleconference

- I. Call to Order 10:09am by Chairman Moses Kritz.
- II. Roll Call
 - Members Present: (8 at start) (10 later) (8 needed for quorum)
 Peter Lockuk Sr, Joe Alexie, Jimmy Coopchiak, Roger Wassillie, Moses Kritz, Frank Logusak
 Walter Kanulie, Kenneth Nukwak, Mikey Sharp (arrived late), Thomas Dock- Alt (arrived late)
 - Members Absent:

Lester Moore, Darren Byayuk, Jonah Lomack, Dan Nanalook jr., Tessa Nickerson, Norman Gloko, Julius Henry, William Sanchez- Alt

III. Approval of Agenda

Peter Lockuk- Motion to approve agenda with addition of discussion of BOF & BOG schedule changes. 2nd by Frank Logusak, Approved unanimously

IV. Introductions

Staff

Lee Borden, Sport Fish; Jordan Head, Comm Fish; Tim Sands, Comm Fish; Bryan Riley, Wildlife; Todd Rinaldi, Wildlife; Joe Wittkop, AWT; Andy Aderman, TNWR; Pat Walsh, TNWR; Taryn O'Connor-Brito, Boards

Guests

Mike Gilbert, Copper River Seafoods; Cathy Albright, Togiak Fisheries; Robert Dubey, Togiak Fisheries; Cody Larson, BBNA, Keith Fayer Sr. Togiak.

V. Elections for Members

- Nominations and Elections for two 2023 Togiak designated seats
 - Walter Kanulie nominated for another term
 - Dan Nanalook Jr nominated for another term
 - Nominees unopposed, Unanimous support.
- Nominations and Elections for two 2023 Undesignated seats
 - Keith Fayer Sr. nominated to replace Darren Byayuk,
 - Peter Lockuk Sr. nominated for another term.
 - Nominees unopposed. Unanimous support.
- Nominations and Elections for four 2022 Undesignated seats
 - Moses Kritz nominated for another term
 - Frank Logusak nominated for another term
 - Joe Alexie nominated for another term
 - Jonah Lomack nominated for another term
 - Nominees unopposed. Unanimous support.



- Nominations and Elections for two 2021 Alternate seats
 - Thomas Dock nominated for another term
 - William Sanchez nominated for another term
 - Nominees unopposed. Unanimous support.
- Nominations and Election for one 2022 Togiak Designated Seat on Nushagak AC
 - Moses Kritz nominated for another term
 - Nominee unopposed, will be forwarded to Nushagak AC, Unanimous support.
 - Walter Kanulie appointed Alternate; appointment excepted.

VI. Elections for Officers

- Election for Chairman
 - Moses Kritz nominated for chairman
 - Nomination unopposed. Unanimous support
- Vice Chairman
 - Walter Kanulie nominated vice chairman
 - Frank Logusak nominated vice chairman
 - Walter Kanulie elected vice chair by a vote of 7-2
- Secretary
 - Peter Lockuk Sr. nominated secretary
 - Nomination unopposed. Unanimous support

VII. ADF&G Staff Updates

- ADF&G Boards- Taryn O'Connor-Brito
 Update on changes made to the Board of Fisheries and Board of Game meeting schedules due to COVID 19.
- Commercial Fisheries- Jordan Head
 - Update on Togiak salmon season summary for 2020 and forecast for 2021.
 - 2020 Togiak run fell below 20-year average. Harvest was also a little below average. Escapement goal was met. Forecast for next year is pretty much right at 20-year average. It was a decent year for Chinook. Chum returns were low throughout western Alaska. Test fishery evidence suggests that this should rebound.
 - Comment from member that there may be interest in submission of a proposal to address the king line. Tim Sands cautions the AC that submitting a proposal could have an unintended consequence.
 - Frank comments that lack of enforcement presence is noted at Anchor Point line, and that the setnet fleet could benefit for more of an enforcement presence. Kenneth concurred with Frank's assessment.
 - Jimmy is interested in the status of funding for the Togiak tower. Tim Sands states that the current plan is to operate, notwithstanding any budget cuts. The Togiak tower seems to be one of the first things to get cut when there is a shortage. Tim is trying to keep it operating.
 - Moses notes that when the sport fishery on the Nushagak is doing poorly many sport fisherman come to the Togiak. The AC is interested in historic escapement numbers for kings from both before and after the line went into effect. Tim notes that there is no directed count on kings. Moses also notes that conservation for kings has been an issue and suggests high seas trawling may be something the AC needs to address with the NPFMC. Jimmy suggests

BBNA may be of help in staffing the Togiak tower if funding is short. Cody Larson affirms that it may be a possibility.

- Mike Gilbert wants to know the proposal submission deadline for fisheries proposals. Tim and Taryn believe it has been extended until May 10. Cody is leaving for another meeting but wants AC members to be aware that BBNA can provide technical support in getting proposals drafted. Taryn will forward Cody's contact info to AC members.

Sport Fish- Lee Borden

Sport Harvest of Kings: 2019 total harvest was 1,617. 725 of those were over 20 inches. 2020 effort down to 20-30% of normal due to COVID, no staff on the river. Plan to do a sport fish survey in 2021. Lee will provide chairman Kritz with last 5 years of data for chinook.

- Togiak National Wildlife Refuge (Wildlife)- Andy Adermann
 - Nush Pen Caribou on decline. 209 caribou found during last survey. This was fewer than expected. Planning committee opened hunt for 5 caribou. All permits offered to community of Manokotak. Manokotak declined to use them. Recently caribou have been congregating around Picnic Beach and Kulukuk. Weather has not been cooperating for flying.
 - -Kenneth wants to know what is contributing to the decline, and if it is predator related, or if the caribou left the area. Frank is also interested in the wolf population. Andy says there is no place on the refuge that wolves do not use. Pat Walsh is supervising the wolf study.
 - Pat Walsh says the refuge has about 10 years' worth of data on wolves. There are approximately 11 packs, averaging 7 per pack, but size varies significantly. Population is probably about 75 or so. Wolves do feed on caribou, but they are not the main population driver. Population on caribou decreased due to management for habitat concerns. It went farther than wanted. Part of why the caribou are congregating in Kulukuk may be to get away from pursuit by snowmachine.
 - Moses would like an update on 17A moose.
 - Andy says in October 2019 survey counted 2,130. 10% decline from 2017. Long term goal is to get it down to 800-1200.
- Wildlife Conservation- Brian Riley, and Todd Rinaldi

Introduction: Brian is the new wildlife biologist for GMU 17. Currently in Illinois. Should be in Dillingham by the end of February.

Mulchatna caribou: Fall comp estimated around 13,500. Same as last year. Range has been fairly predictable recently. There are 60 GPS collars out, making locating groups easier.

Moose: Success rate has been high, and season in progress will likely remain open until Feb 7.

Alaska Wildlife Troopers- Joseph Wittkop

Federal Fisheries: No violations

Herring Fishery: Only a few minor violations noted. Only issued warnings.

Spring Bear: Low participation; no violations.

Sport Fish: Reduced participation due to COVID. Enforcement team not funded.

West Side Comm Fish: Limited staff. Still present. Saw closed period violations, closed waters violations, lack of marking, failure to report lost gear.

Togiak Comm Fish: No boat present. Violations for close period for set net. Hours or days late. Waste cases. Permit holder not present. Also, markings.

Winter Game: Good compliance with closed season for moose. Saw evidence of a few caribou taken out of season. Hears the concern for lack of AWT presence in Togiak and will make requests for additional patrols. Have been limited by staffing but will do what he can.

- Moses is curious what part of the summer is worst for violations. His personal feeling is it gets worse later in the season. Joe says high volume days and yes, later in the season.
- Peter notes that violations in the fall are common out at the points and are regularly not followed up due to lack of presence by enforcement. Joe hears and understands.



- Jordan Head asks Joe to explain what info is most beneficial when reporting violations. Joe says it is useful to have time, date location, and type of violation. Specifics like GPS coordinates, CFEC or ADF&G numbers, names, photos or videos containing identifying landmarks also helpful.
- Moses asks Joe to explain circumstances where waste may be considered. Storms? Late on time? Joe states that the short answer is Fishermen are responsible for anything caught, and anything caught needs to be salvaged. Bad quality is not a violation, but cases of abandoned gear where nothing is salvageable for any use. That is waste.

VIII. Public Comments

- No additional public testimony.

IX. New Business

- I. Discuss BOF and BOG Schedule Changes
 - Taryn explains that the Board of Game will re-visit what to do with the current proposals in the proposal book, and whether or not to re-open the call.
 - Moses asks Todd to give a short overview of proposals currently in the book relating to GMU
 17A. moose. Todd provided the following list.
 - o Prop 12- Antlerless Moose Reauthorization- needs dealt with at this meeting.
 - Prop 13- Department proposal seeking to change the draw hunt for moose. Trying to increase harvest. Developed by Todd, and Lauren, recognizing that this was developed without input from the AC.
 - Prop 14- Department Proposal Increase RM575 and RM576 season dates. 31-day window is currently floating. This would set a 2-month fixed season for January-February. Again, trying to increase harvest, and opportunity.
 - o Props 15-17- Bow hunting proposals. Bowhunting only opportunity.
 - o Proposal 6- Brown Bear Tag fee exemption. Not a moose proposal but does need dealt with at this meeting.
 - Moses believes that the moose population needs to be controlled. He thinks there may be support for bringing more nonresident hunters in when the moose population is above management objectives, but that the population fell below the 1,200 mark that the support for the extra non-resident effort would not be there. Proposals 12, 13, and 14 will probably find support.
 - If the call for proposals were to re-open the AC may consider submitting an additional moose proposal to open moose seasons in 17A earlier.
 - Note: Thomas Dock has joined the meeting.
 - Kenneth and Moses note that when 17A is discussed the reliance of the community of Manokotak as well as Togiak needs to be kept in mind. Manokotak is outside the boundary, but the boundary is close, and the area is heavily used by the community for subsistence.
 - Taryn explains the change of schedules for the BOF and BOG will result in overlap of cycle for those boards in the Southwest Region.
 - This is new information for the Togiak AC. Walter suggests that it may be worth having another meeting in a couple of weeks to give the AC time to regroup. Moses concurs.



- II. Proposal 12: Address Antlerless Moose Reauthorization for 17A
 - Jimmy moves to adopt. Seconded by Peter. Unanimous Support
- III. Proposal 6: Address Brown Bear Tag Fee Exemption for Central/Southwest
 - Frank moves to adopt. Seconded by Kenneth. Unanimous Support.

X. Miscellaneous Business:

- Discuss of approval of these minutes for submission to the Board of Game Central/Southwest Region Meeting.
 - Frank moves that Walter approve these minutes for submission to the Board of Game.
 - Seconded by Moses. Unanimous Support.
- II. Discuss date and agenda for next Togiak AC teleconference.
 - February 16th at 10:00am. Teleconference.
 - Moses asks that Nushagak AC members be invited to attend.
 Agenda to include:
 - o Discussion of changes to BOF/BOG schedules.
 - Board of Fisheries call for finfish proposals
- XI. Frank moves to adjourn. 12:45pm

3/3/2021- These minutes are acceptable to the Togiak Advisory Committee. The Committee has assigned me to approve these minutes and I do so electronically. Walter Kanulie.



Upper Lynn Canal Fish and Game Advisory Committee

March 5, 2021

RE: Proposal 174

To the Alaska Board of Game:

The Upper Lynn Canal AC met by Zoom for a public meeting on Thursday, March 4, 2021. At the meeting, the **AC voted to support Proposal 174 Reauthorize the antlerless moose seasons in Unit 1C with a vote of 8-1.** The AC supports allowing ADF&G the ability to use this management tool in the future.

Please accept this letter as a report of the AC's action. Draft minutes for the March 4th AC meeting will be submitted to Boards Support as soon as they are complete.

Sincerely,

Tim McDonough Upper Lynn Canal AC Chair