

**PROPOSAL 120**

**5 AAC 85.020. Hunting seasons and bag limits for brown bear.**

Increase the brown/grizzly bear bag limit for residents in a portion of Unit 12 as follows:

Within Wrangell St Elias National Preserve in Unit 12, east of the Nabesna River, south of the winter trail, southeast from Pickerel Lake to U.S./Canadian border:

Increase the resident bag limit for brown bears to two bears per regulatory year.

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Resident

[ONE BEAR] **Two bears** every regulatory year

**What is the issue you would like the board to address and why?** Interior grizzly bears are an important food source for many resident hunters. There are abundant grizzly bears in Unit 12, and we'd like more harvest opportunity to put meat in our freezers.

**PROPOSED BY:** Fairbanks Fish and Game Advisory Committee

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