

RC # 45

To: Board of Game

From: Michelle Masden

RE: Proposal 4 - Close Margaret Creek to bear hunting
Proposal 5 - Close the drainages in Rudyerd Bay + Walker Cove to bear hunting
Proposal 3 - Close Whitman Lake Hatchery to Bear hunting

Please see attached map showing yellow highlighted areas that are being requested to be closed to hunting. Areas included are Margaret Creek and the drainages in Rudyerd Bay and Walker Cove. Rudyerd Bay is the area of Misty Fjords National Monument that sees the greatest number of visitors, more than 20,000 annually spread over 30 Ketchikan businesses. Margaret Creek is permitted by the US Forest Service for 6 Ketchikan businesses to bring visitors for bear viewing tours. Only the yellow highlighted areas are being requested for bear hunting closures. Whitman Hatchery is also highlighted in yellow. Please review these areas closely & carefully for size as stated in the proposals. Their actual size may have been misrepresented to the Board by the dept of Fish + Game!

5 AAC 85.015. Hunting seasons and bag limits for black bear.

Units and Bag Limits	Resident Open Season (Subsistence and General Hunts)	Nonresident Open Season
(1)		
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Unit 1(B) RESIDENT HUNTERS: 2 bears, not more than 1 of which may be a blue or glacier bear	Sept. 1 - June 30 (General hunt only)	
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Sept. 1 - June 30

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Unit 1(C), **remainder**

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Unit 2

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WITH GUIDE:

1 bear

Sept. 1 - June 30

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NONRESIDENT HUNTERS:
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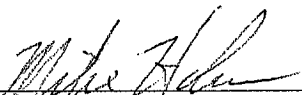
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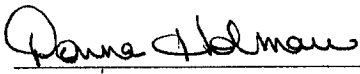
From: Mike and Donna Holman

Re: Proposal No.2

We are the authors of Proposal No. 2 regarding Neets Bay and Carroll Inlet and would like to withdraw it from further consideration.



Mike Holman



Donna Holman

5 AAC 92.012. Licenses and tags. ...

(d) In any hunt requiring that nonresidents be personally accompanied by a registered guide or resident second-degree-kindred relative while hunting, pursuing, or taking big game, if a nonresident hunter chooses to be accompanied by a resident second-degree-kindred relative, the resident second-degree-kindred relative must have in possession a valid Alaska big game hunting license.

5 AAC 92.990. Definitions.

“personally accompany” means staying within close enough proximity to the person being accompanied to communicate by whisper or touch at the point where an attempt to take game is made.

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**ALASKA BOARD OF GAME
November Meeting – Southeast Region
November 5-9, 2010
Anchorage, Alaska**

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS AGENDA

Board Committee for Commissioner Nomination Process

Approval of the 2011/2012 Board Meeting dates & locations

ACR by Division of Wildlife Conservation concerning Tasers – RC 33

Board Committee for Process Related Issues

Unit 13 Subsistence Findings

Wolf & Bear Management Policies

Update on Unimak Island Caribou