

Koyukuk River AC meeting Minutes | RC21  RC2

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1/2/11 Koyukuk River AC meeting (12:37pm)

Roy Nowling

Vince Matthews

Kanton Mooses

Jenny Bryant

Eleanor Yattin

Francis Malenuta

Fred Biffelt

~~George~~ Yaska

- guaran 10/16 Alum Dayton
- Agenda Approved Darrell Vent
- No minutes (waived approved) Al Yattin
- Old Business Josh Olive

- Hudson - Nissa not here at the meeting
& wants better representation

- Skun - Nissa - a good hand, just had a baby

Orville - Nissa good on interests

w/ Jack and Him.

- small bull hunt in ~~spring~~ ^{late} Fall
hunting ourselves by shooting cows
in winter hunt

Larry - Cold weather keeping people from
using winter hunt so far.

Pollock - used to have 2 mtg/year with
minutes from past meeting. Rita
was good but Nissa not here
- get back to better routine.

Larry - Only got funding for one meeting
- tele conferences doesn't work.



Stanley Ned - in for Gilbert. (State has money!)

Jack - if State has money for other thing they should be able to pay for 2 meetings

Jack W. - Need Nissa to bring a letter to BOG

Orville - Point of Order

Larry - If we have more time we can talk @ it later

Larry - Let burn policy } Glenn ^{food response} _{Habitat}

Stan - K-Corp Land } Glenn working with them

Orville - Doyon Land

Hugh - Let's understand program proposal

Glenn -> Cover more habitat and predator biology

Stan - Different year density } Glenn the low predator pit show low stability

- Any other area? Yes, Fort Yukon area

Stan -> Send us coy moose data } Glenn will get us that

Alvin -> Do you work with

Tappers in area? Glenn yes huge area sharply declines did

Stan -> Kamuti - CWT

do not use it again

Larry = Guide use areas
= Trapping long ago was



Orville = Moose
= Nancy 2nd

Stan = with trapping also ("Ehivis")
Pollock = shoot wolves, but leave bears alone
Hughie = McGrath area → what happen
Glenn & Roy → Moose doubled
→ Did bear & wolves

Stan = Bring someone from AK and Alaska
Hudson = Have to have whole wolf for sale?
- Not the old way. "Not our Native way"
- Why people do not want to hunt them
and keep them whole? Glenn it was
the fur market

Fred = Proposal needed and why
- Low pop'n up there
- Just trapping there is really hard for the
local people
- Black Bear is down around itusli's
significantly & Grizzly bear is up
and not as many hunters

Andy = Back in 90's First week Dec 15 wolves
came all way over from Melozzi River
all way to Kanuti Ridges, and trap
all winter and didn't see them again
came back in April and did same thing

Glenn pointed out wolves on MAP handout

Larry - Wolves come down from  River in Dec & In March into upper Kanuti River area, and person from Old Belknap seen that for many years

Stan - Can we make changes to program and details of this proposal
 { Yes, we can make changes as the proposal moves along

Pollock - Traditional ways and when we catch a wolf we do it a certain way like Hudson say.

Roy - Need to make sure that ~~you~~ all support this and we need something done here, its a long process

Angie - Public Safety as well.
 { Glenn - that is always a concern. but science backs this a well

Larry - Question - Orville move Nancy 2nd
Fred All in Favor.

Larry - Jack Peakoff antlers destroyed
 { Glen - next on agenda

Jack - Includes guides? { Glenn - yes
 - More guides in Publi

Darrel Vent Sr. - Doyon closed their lands so Virgil moved up here
 { Glenn - does not
 { Kenan - Doyon has some lands

Darrel Vent Sr - Kauti's in all

3 Glenn - Kauti has that data
- mortality study data

Alun - Something about wolves

Glenn 3 wolf territories rarely change
and most pack size is the

Boomer - Pack sizes @ the same
territories about the same place

Break -

Darrel Vent - TCA 5 3 Glenn explained

Larry - Snow up on hills lots of snow

3 Glenn - calves are ones affected most

Warner - If lot of wolves do you do pre later control

3 Glenn - We are working on that

Stan - How many collared moose

Glenn } 68 between Kauti + Middlefork
20 more this spring

- How long does drug stay in body

Glenn - About one week

- But we do it 30 days

Hudson - How many in a pack

Glenn 3 singles and doubles
4-5 on average

Larry - Seven to 15 packs up Kauti area

- visiting packs have 15 or more votes

3 Glenn will send data

VAC TIC called Point of Order



Hudson - How many walrus?

Glean³ will share when they get it

Proposal 222 >

Larry read Jack Reakoff's letter

- IM plan supports

- Fishing - kings by-catch from Pollock
fisher

Hudson Sam - we need to
keep 222 to keep the harvest
low

Dannell Vent - Good to have proxy
cutting antlers

223 is a subsistence user
issue. Antlers have value
we can use for gas. There
are pros & cons.

Larry - Require the regulation. bcz it
keep non-locals low

Jack - I like bcz it works to
keep non-local hunters out.

IF we eliminate 223 we'll have
hunters all the way up Koyukuk.

Orville - opposes 222 - BOG was
wrong no-one will be effected.
- will create competition for locals



Orville - BOG is clearly wrong @ 222
we will be effected.

Larry - Jack & Orville will be great
Speakers to BOG

Orville moves to Oppose
Debbie 2nd
all opposed (unanimous)

Darrell - difference between subsistence
user in city vs. the village.
if we don't have to cut through
palm, saves us some money

Fred - I submitted proposal in 2003
b/c harvest was going too high.

Glenn - showed some harvest data of the line

Larry - haven't got one in 5 years

Orville - opposes 223 - BOG is sponsor
& they want more trophy hunters
we can't allow it to forced it down
our throat. BOG is no friend of mine
Moves to Oppose 223 - 2nd by Hughie



Larry - there was big money ~~there~~ for
guiding but we don't have
enough moose now a days.

question called

All opposed (unanimous)

Stanley - we don't have enough time
to do proposals - F&G needs to
fund 2 mths / year.

Jack on Non-Resident
Orville Proposal

Small bull hunt 10 days after
regular Fall Season (KCUA)
(24D/24D)

Fred Proposal

Transpatters are not regulated
and is a big problem across the
State. Big Game Commercial Services
Board didn't Address this problem.

Darrell V. - Need meeting night



Larry - Take a back for DOT mtg
or write proposals

Jack - Bugs Night.

Chris Simon - (school can be used)