PRELIMINARY RECOMMENDATIONS Lower Kuskokwim Fish and Game Advisory Committee November 13 & 14, 2019 Bethel

9am Fish & Game Office

I. Call to Order: 9am by Phillip Peter Sr.

II. Roll Call

Phillip Peter Sr (Akiachak in person), Jackson Williams sr (Akiak in person), William "Charlie" Brown (Eek in person), John Andrew (Kwethluk in person), George Berry (Napakiak in person), Richard Larson (Napaskiak teleconference), Earl Samuelson Sr. (Napaskiak telelconference, absent 13th), Henry Parks (Nunapitchuk in person, teleconference 14th), James Charles (Tuntututliak teleconference (partial absence when phone died)

Members Absent (Excused): Sandra Nicori (Kwethluk), Mildred Nicholas (Kasigluk)
Members Absent (Unexcused): Nicholai Pavilla (Atmautluak), Nick R. Henry (Oscarville),
Nelson Napoka (Tuluksak)
Number Needed for Quorum on AC: 8

List of User Groups Present:

III. Agency Staff Present:

Patrick Jones (ADFG); Keith Oster(ADFG), Dave Runfola(ADFG), Janet Bavilla(ADFG), Aaron Moses(FWS)

- IV. Guests Present: Chariton Epchook (Kwethluk 14th absent), George Guy (Kwethluk 14th absent), Robert Lekander (ONC), Alec David (Mekoryuk absent 14th)
- V. Approval of Agenda
- VI. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes
- VII. Reports
 - a. Chair's report
 - b. ADF&G
 - c. Others
- VIII. Public Comment

- IX. Old Business
- X. New Business
- XI. Select representative(s) for board meeting
- XII. Set next meeting date
- XIII. Other

Adjourn

Alaska Board of Game Western Arctic/Western Region Meeting Proposals January 17-20, 2020 | Nome, AK **Proposal Proposal Description** Number Support, Support as Number Number Comments, Discussion (list Pros and Cons), Amendments to Amended. Support Oppose **Proposal, Voting Notes** Oppose. **No Action** 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. Prohibit nonresident hunting of moose or caribou under intensive management in the Western 1 Arctic/Western Region until harvest or population objectives are met 8 6 absent 2 Establish intensive management programs for bear across the Western Arctic/Western Region 5 5 absent Reauthorize the current resident tag fee exemptions for brown bear in Units 18, 22, 23 and 26A 3 S 9 0 5 absent Extend the hunting season and bag limit for muskox in Unit 18, Nelson Island 4 8 6 absent

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5	Extend the hunting season and bag limit for muskox in Unit 18, Nunivak Island			
S 6 absent	8	0		
6	Add muskox to the list of species that can be taken under a cultural education program permit for Unit 18			
S w/am 6 absent	8	0	Amend to add Nelson Island	
7	Change the opening date for the registration moose hunt, RM615 in Unit 18			
S w/am 1 abstain	7	0	Only change date on zone 1. Charlie Brown abstained because was confused in the discussion (covered too many elements).	
8	Extend resident season for moose hunting in Unit 18 Remainder			
S 6 absent	8	0	Longer Season	
9	Modify the hunting season and bag limit for moose in Unit 18			
S 6 absent	8	0		
10	Reauthorize the antierless moose seasons in Unit 18			
S 6 absent	8	0		
11	Establish a minimum caliber rifle to be used to harvest moose in Unit 18			
O 6 absent	2	6		

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12	Establish a minimum caliber ammunition to be used to harvest moose in Unit 18				
0	2	6			
6 absent					
13	Prohibit the sale of antiers from moose harvested in Unit 18				
S w/am	8	0	Add bartering and handicraft.		
6 absent					
14	Modify the bag limit for ptarmigan in Unit 18				
S	8	0			
6 absent					
15	Address customary and traditional use findings for Alaska hares in Unit 18 and modify the				
	season and bag limit				
S	7	1			
6 absent					
16	Extend the hunting season dates for brown bear in Unit 18				
S	8	0			
6 absent					
17	Change the opening date for bear baiting in Unit 18				
S	7	1			
6 absent					
18	Allow the use of game bird wings and backs to be used for trapping bait in Unit 18				
S	7	1			
6 absent					
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