

PROPOSAL 162

5 AAC 92.220. Salvage of game meat, furs, and hides.

Require the salvage of the meat or hide of snowshoe hare as follows:

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- (1) the hide of a wolf, wolverine, coyote, fox, lynx, marten, mink, fisher, weasel, and land otter, and the hide or meat of a beaver, muskrat, pika, ground squirrel, **snowshoe hare**, or marmot;

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Currently there is no salvage requirement for snowshoe hare statewide. This proposal would create a statewide salvage requirement for human use. The human use requirement would be met as long as some portion of the carcass is used for human consumption, trapping, sewing, dog training, dog food, etc. This proposal would simply prohibit the take of a snowshoe hare with no attempt to recover, eat, or in any way make an attempt to use part or all of the carcass. Trappers would be allowed to use a whole or portion of a carcass for trapping bait.

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