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# CALL FOR PROPOSALS

#### ALASKA BOARD OF GAME 2022 / 2023 Meeting Cycle

#### The Alaska Board of Game calls for proposed changes to hunting and trapping regulations for the Southcentral and Southeast Regions.

## PROPOSAL DEADLINE: FRIDAY, April 29, 2022

The Alaska Board of Game (board) is accepting proposed changes for hunting and trapping regulations for the Southeast Region (Game Management Units 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5) and the Southcentral Region (Game Management Units 6, 7, 8, 14C, and 15) including the following topics:

Hunting seasons and bag limits including subsistence and general hunts for all species; trapping seasons and bag limits; big game prey populations and objectives for intensive management; predation control areas implementation plans; restricted areas including controlled use areas, management areas, closed areas, and closures in state game refuges.

Proposed changes to regulations under 5 AAC Chapter 92, Statewide Provisions, specific to game management units within these regions will also be accepted. This includes regulations under the categories of: general provisions, permit conditions and provisions, methods and means, possession and transportation, and the use of game. Please specify game management units or areas/regions for which the proposal applies.

#### The following topics will be considered for <u>all</u> Game Management Units:

Brown Bear Tag Fee Exemptions Reauthorization of Antlerless Moose Hunts (State statute requires all antlerless moose hunts be reauthorized annually.)

Proposals may be submitted by email, mail, fax, or online:	
Online:	www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.proposal
Email: Mail:	<u>www.bog.comments@alaska.gov</u> (attachments only) ADF&G, Boards Support Section P.O. Box 115526 Juneau, AK  99811-5526
Fax:	(907) 465-6094

#### Proposals must be received by Friday, April 29, 2022 at the Boards Support Section

You are encouraged to submit proposals at the earliest possible date on Board of Game proposal forms available from the Boards Support Section regional offices and on the website at: <a href="http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.proposal">www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.proposal</a>. All proposals must contain an individual's name and an organizational name if appropriate, contact telephone number, and address. Regional proposals must specify the applicable region or game management unit.

Providing clarity on the proposal form helps the board, advisory committees, and the public more fully understand the proposed regulatory changes. Proposals that are incomplete or unclear may be omitted from the proposal book. You are encouraged to contact the Boards Support Section staff if you have questions or need assistance with completing the proposal form. Proposals published in the proposal book will be formatted, referenced with the appropriate Alaska Administrative Code citation, and include a brief description of the action requested. Proposals with emotionally charged language will be rejected or redacted as they detract from the substance of the proposals, may draw opposition not germane to the element(s) of the proposal, and may elicit nonresponsive charges from the public/board members. Proposals not meeting this call or submitted late will not be published.

Proposal books will be available to the advisory committees, agencies, and the public at <u>www.boardofgame.adfg.alaska.gov</u> for review and comment.

Proposals received per the above "Call for Proposals" deadline will be considered by the Board of Game at their Southeast Region Meeting scheduled for *(insert date)* and the Southcentral Region Meeting for *(insert date)*. For more information, please contact the <u>ADF&G Boards Support Section</u> at (907) 465-4110, or email <u>kristy.tibbles@alaska.gov</u>.