

**PROPOSAL 131**

**5 AAC 92.057. Special provisions for Dall sheep and mountain goat drawing permit hunts.**

Allocate 10% of the Delta Controlled Use Area sheep drawing permits to nonresidents as follows:

10% of the total number of sheep permits issued in the Delta Controlled Use Area will be guaranteed to nonresidents and these nonresident permits will be divided evenly as possible between the two hunts in this area that occur August 10<sup>th</sup> to August 25<sup>th</sup> and August 26<sup>th</sup> to September 20<sup>th</sup>. The second degree of kindred permit can be issued in either hunt at the departments discretion if there is one issued.

**What is the issue you would like the board to address and why?** I would like to have 10% of the sheep draw permits in the Delta Controlled Use Area guaranteed to nonresidents in the draw. It is currently up to 10% but in the 2023 draw permit supplement the department gave nonresidents 10% of the total permits and I would like to see them get that permanently.

10% of the permits have been issued in the past under the current regulations and this would give guides some certainty when applying their hunters for these permits.

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