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ALASKA BOARD OF GAME November 21, 2024 – Web Conference

Preliminary Meeting Summary

The Board of Game (board) met by web-conference on Thursday, November 21, 2024. Six board members were present: Stosh Hoffman, Al Barrette, Jake Fletcher, Dave Lorrington, James Garner and Jim Baichtal; Ruth Cusack was absent. The purpose of the meeting was to address nine Agenda Changes Requests received by the November 1, 2024 deadline for consideration at the board meetings scheduled for January and March 2025.

All meeting materials including the audio recording are available on the Board of Game meeting information webpage at:

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.meetinginfo&date=11-21-2024&meeting=webconference>.

With consideration of the criteria under the Agenda Change Request Policy (5 AAC 92.005), the board took the following action on the ACRs.

ACR # & Title Submitted by:	Mtg Scheduled For
<u>ACR #1</u> – Close the trapping season for river otter in Units 14A, 14B, and 16. Submitted By: Dewey Bittler	
<u>ACR #2</u> – Award DI403 and DI404 permit recipients whose tags were cancelled on July 24, 2024 the same hunting permits for an upcoming season, and develop a plan with ADF&G to ensure late season changes do not impact hunters. Submitted by: Lang Van Dommelen	Statewide Regulations Mtg March 2025
<u>ACR #3</u> - Allow a permittee who had their Unit 20D bison permit revoked for regulatory year 2024, to have the permit transferred to regulatory year 2026 upon request, or remove the lifetime and ten-year loss of eligibility for those hunters to apply. Submitted By: ADF&G	Statewide Regulations Mtg March 2025
<u>ACR #4</u> - Change Unit 18 moose hunt area boundaries of Zone 2 of the RM615. Submitted By: Village of Kwethluk	

<u>ACR #5</u> - Modify the resident and nonresident hunt structure for sheep in Unit 19C. Submitted by: Unit 19C Sheep Working Group	Statewide Regulations Mtg March 2025
<u>ACR #6</u> - Define the beginning and terminus of the Nine Mile trail in the Ladue River Controlled Use Area. Submitted by: Alaska Wildlife Troopers	Statewide Regulations Mtg March 2025
<u>ACR #7</u> - Change the opening date for moose hunting in Unit 22B Remainder from September 1 to September 6. Submitted by City of White Mountain	
ACR #8 - Limit moose hunting permits in Unit 22B Remainder to one permit per household, establish smaller hunt areas within Unit 22B Remainder and limit hunters to one of those hunt areas. Submitted by: City of White Mountain	
<u>ACR #9</u> - Modify the resident and nonresident hunt structure for sheep in Unit 19C. Submitted by: Resident Hunters of Alaska	Statewide Regulations Mtg March 2025

The accepted ACRs will be converted to proposals and added to the March 2025 meeting agenda.

Other Business:

The board received a request from ADF&G to provide guidance on the nonresident allocation of Delta Controlled Use Area sheep drawing permits for nonresidents, based on the board's action on Proposal 131 from the March 2024 meeting. The board members who served at that time, directed ADF&G to evenly split the nonresident permits between the early and late season hunts each year.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 3:01 p.m.