SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE REGULATIONS OF THE ALASKA BOARD OF GAME

This is a SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE adding to the NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES issued on June 6, 2025 to correct a typographical error in the citation to the proposed regulation change, extend the written comment period, and adjust the time allocated for the oral hearing as a component of the Alaska Board of Game's Special Board Meeting. The Alaska Board of Game proposes to adopt regulation changes in Title 5 of the Alaska Administrative Code, dealing with the use and taking of game in Game Management Units 9B, 17A, 17B, 17C, 18, 19A, and 19B, including the following:

• 5 AAC 92.111(c) concerning the Mulchatna Caribou Predation Management Area is proposed to be changed to include predator control of brown and black bears in addition to wolves to aid in the recovery of the Mulchatna caribou herd.

You may comment on the proposed regulation changes, including the potential costs to private persons of complying with the proposed changes, by submitting written comments online to the Alaska Board of Game at https://boardofgame.adfg.alaska.gov. Written comments may also be submitted to the ADF&G Boards Support Section at P.O. Box 115526, Juneau, AK 99811-5526. Additionally, the Board of Game will accept comments by facsimile at (907) 465-6094. The comments must be received not later than 5:30 p.m. on Monday, July 14, 2025.

Oral or written comments also may be submitted in-person at an oral hearing to be held on July 14, 2025, at the Coast Inn, 3450 Aviation Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska. The oral hearing will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. with a break for lunch from approximately 12 to 1 p.m. The hearing might be extended through 5:30 p.m. and/or reconvened on July 15, 2025 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. to accommodate those present before 12:00 p.m. on July 14 who did not have an opportunity to comment before 3:00 p.m.

If you are a person with a disability who needs a special accommodation in order to participate in this process, please contact ADF&G, Boards Support Section at (907) 465-4110 not later than July 7, 2025 to ensure that any necessary accommodation can be provided.

For a copy of the proposed regulation changes, go to https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm? adfg=gameboard.meetinginfo or contact the ADF&G Boards Support Section at (907) 465-4110.

After the public comment period ends, the Board of Game will either adopt the proposed regulation changes or other provisions dealing with the same subject, without further notice, or decide to take no action. The language of the final regulation may be different from that of the proposed regulation. You should comment during the time allowed if your interests could be affected.

Written comments are public records and are subject to public inspection.

Statutory authority: AS 16.05.255

Statutes being implemented, interpreted, or made specific: AS 16.05.255; AS 16.05.270;

AS 16.05.783

Fiscal information: The proposed regulation changes are not expected to require an increased appropriation.

The ADF&G Boards Support Section keeps a list of individuals and organizations interested in its regulations. Those on the list will automatically be sent a copy of all of the boards' notices of proposed regulation changes. To be added to or removed from the list, send a request to the Boards Support Section at Kristy.tibbles@alaska.gov, giving your name, and either your e-mail address or mailing address, as you prefer for receiving notices. Alternatively, visit the website at https://boardofgame.adfg.alaska.gov or contact ADF&G Boards Support Section at (907) 465-4110.

Individuals can also signup to receive automated notifications of all State of Alaska notices, including public notice for regulation changes, by subscribing to the Alaska Online Public Notices System: https://aws.state.ak.us/OnlinePublicNotices/Default.aspx.

Date: <u>June 11, 2025</u>

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