

Proposal 190

19C Sheep

■ Effect of the proposal

- Close both resident and nonresident fall hunt (GS000) during RY25
- Create a temporary draw permit for 2 years (RY26 and RY27) with 80% of permits allocated to residents and 20% to nonresidents:
 - 5% cap for 2DK coming out of the nonresident allocation
 - 2DK hunt sponsor shall also notch their harvest ticket
- Request 19C be used as the pilot program for the guide concession program, implemented by 2028. If implemented, return to harvest ticket for both residents and nonresidents in RY28.

■ Department recommendation

- Neutral

■ Unit 19C Sheep Working Group proposal

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■ Current regulations

- Proposal 204 was submitted by the board to close all sheep hunting in Unit 19C for 5 years
- At the March 2023 meeting proposal 204 amended
 - Close all nonresident hunting in Unit 19C
 - Close the youth hunt in Unit 19C

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■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
 - Residents only (1 full curl ram)
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Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
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■ Proposed regulations

Regulatory Year	Aug. 10 - Sept. 20			Oct. 1 - Apr. 30
	Resident	Nonresident	Youth Hunt	Subsistence Hunt (Residents-only)
RY25	Closed	Closed	Closed	RS380 - no change
RY26	Draw (80%)	Draw (20%)	Closed	RS380 - no change
RY27	Draw (80%)	Draw (20%)	Closed	RS380 - no change
RY28	HT* (GCP** in place)	HT* (GCP** in place)	Undetermined	RS380 - no change

*HT = Harvest Ticket

**GCP = Guide Concession Program

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Total Fall (GS000) Sheep Hunters by Residency (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Regulatory Year	Nonresident	Resident
2015	89	98
2016	95	90
2017	82	100
2018	108	109
2019	88	88
2020	67	59
2021	56	38
2022	0	49
2023	0	46
2024	0	46

Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

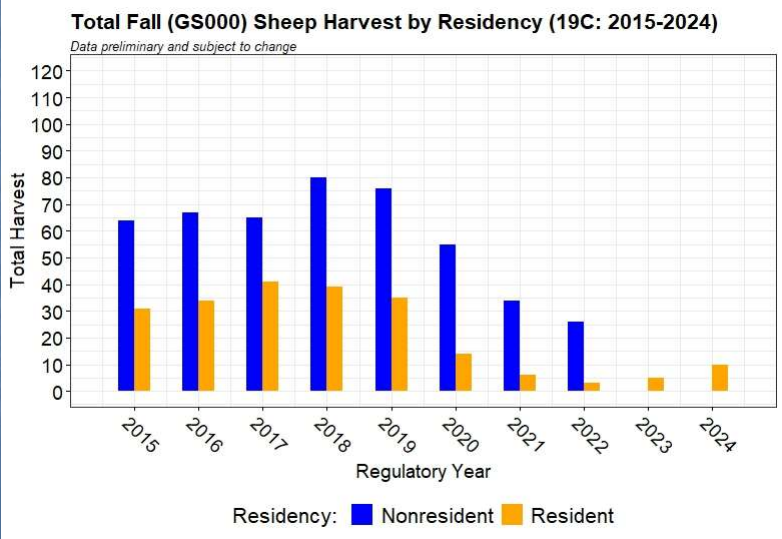
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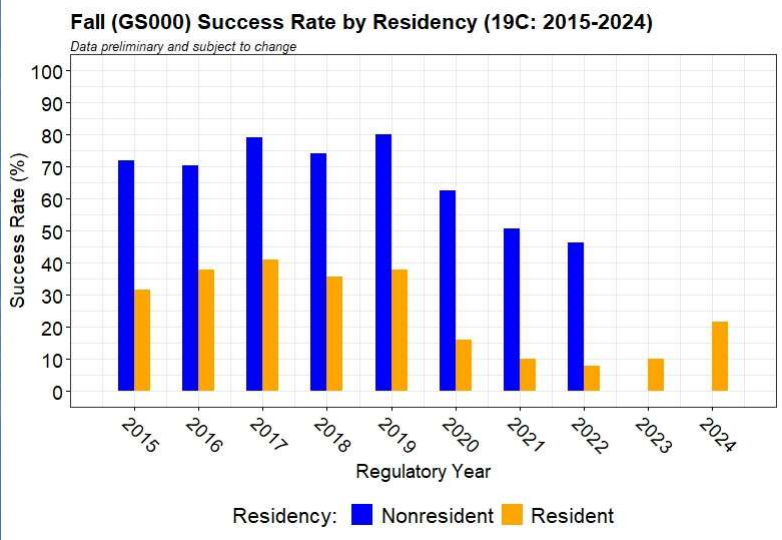
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2023	0	5 (100%)
2024	0	10 (100%)

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Total Fall (GS000) success rates by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	72%	32%
2016	71%	38%
2017	79%	41%
2018	74%	36%
2019	80%	38%
2020	63%	16%
2021	51%	10%
2022	46%	8%
2023	0	10%
2024	0	22%

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RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
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Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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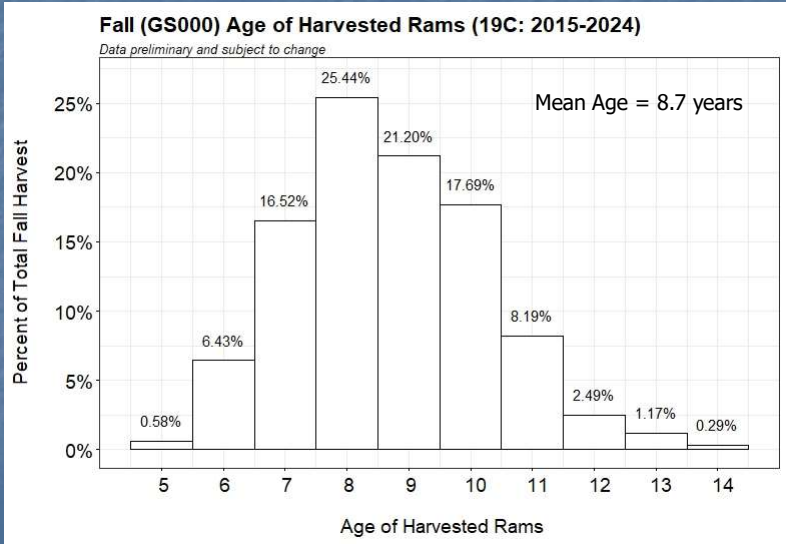
Youth Hunt

Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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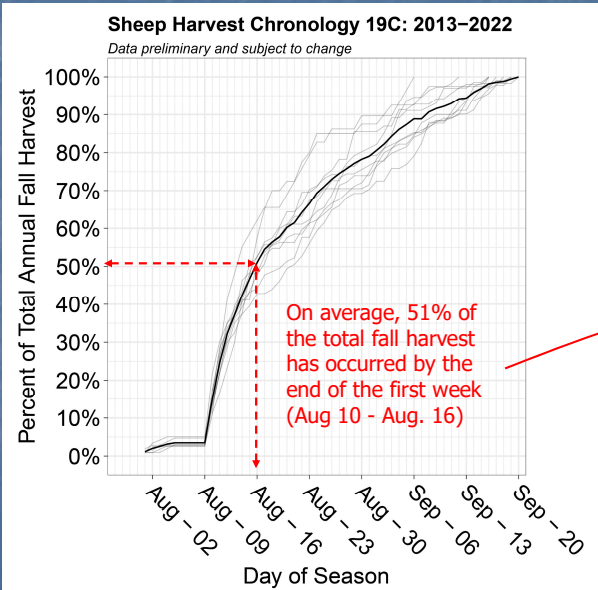


Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

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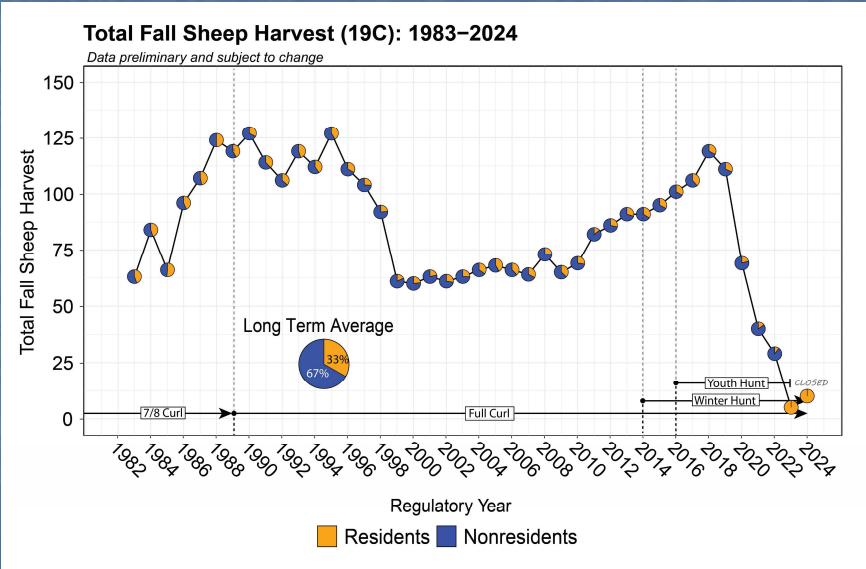


Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

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Aug 24 - Aug 30	12%	78%
Aug 31 - Sep 6	11%	89%
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Sep 14 - Sep 20	6%	100%

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Sheep Surveys

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Additional Considerations

- Fall sheep hunting managed using full-curl strategy
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■ Effect of the proposal

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- Nonresident opportunity only reinstated if a limited draw permit system were implemented

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■ Public proposal

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■ Current regulations

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Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

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■ Proposed regulations

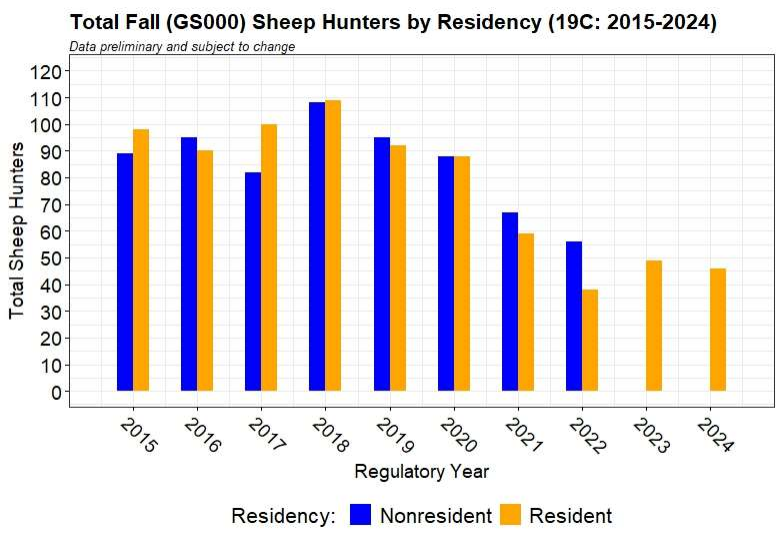
- August 15 – September 10
 - No change for residents
 - Reopen Nonresident fall hunt under limited draw permit (1 full curl ram)
- October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380
 - No change

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Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

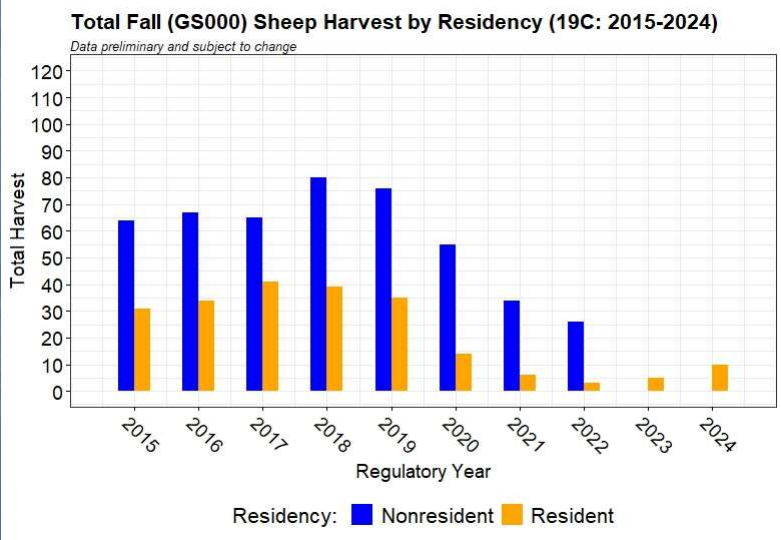
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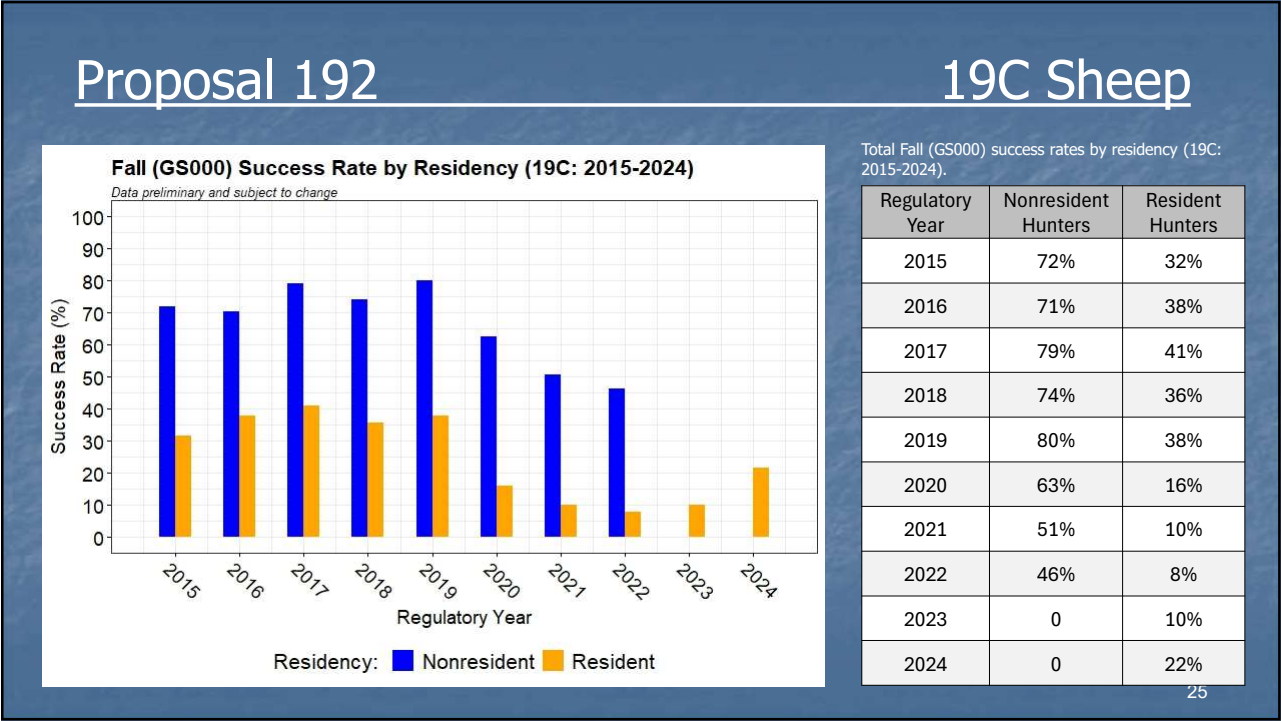


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Youth Hunt

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2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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Fall (GS000) Age of Harvested Rams (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Age of Harvested Rams	Percent of Total Fall Harvest
5	0.58%
6	6.43%
7	16.52%
8	25.44%
9	21.20%
10	17.69%
11	8.19%
12	2.49%
13	1.17%
14	0.29%

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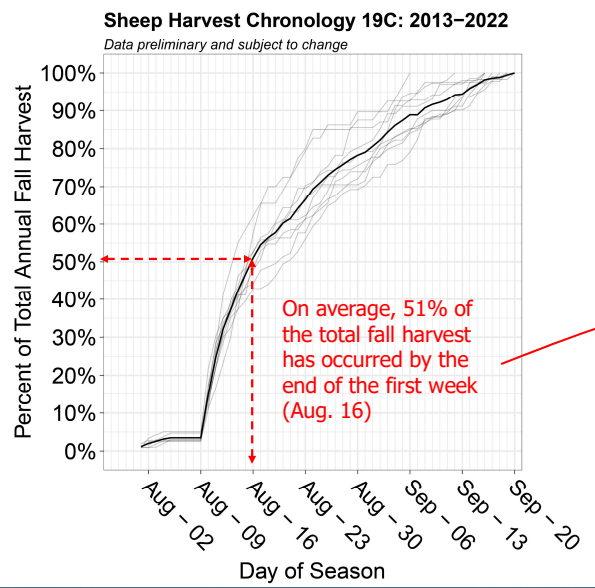
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Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

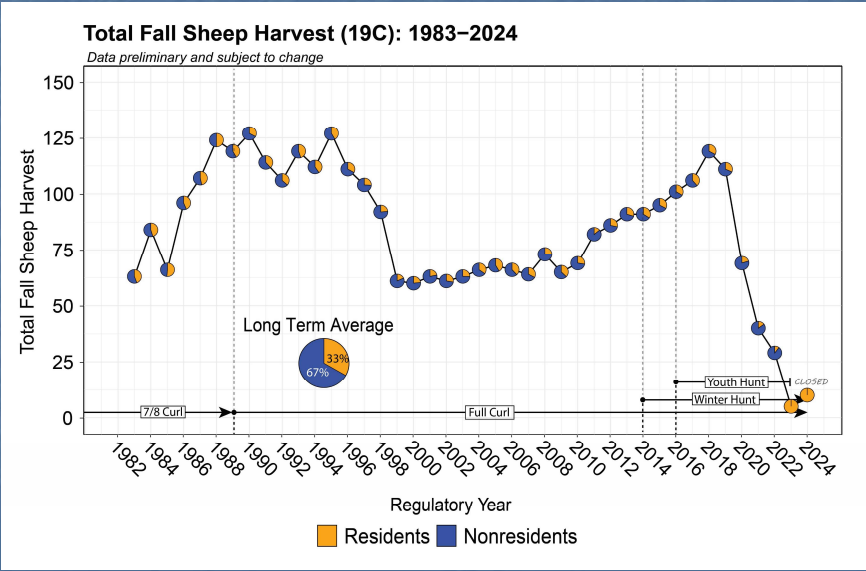
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- Effect of the proposal
 - No change to resident general hunting season (GS000)
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- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen resident winter sheep hunt
 - Reopen nonresident sheep hunt Aug 15 – Sept 10
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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- Current regulations
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 - Close the youth hunt in Unit 19C

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■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
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- October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380
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Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
- Winter hunt structured to provide opportunity according to the pattern of customary and traditional use

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■ Proposed regulations

■ August 15 – September 10

■ Nonresidents (1 full curl sheep every 4 years)

■ October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380

■ Never closed by board

■ Residents only

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Total Fall (GS000) Sheep Hunters by Residency (19C: 2015-2024)

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Residency: ■ Nonresident ■ Resident

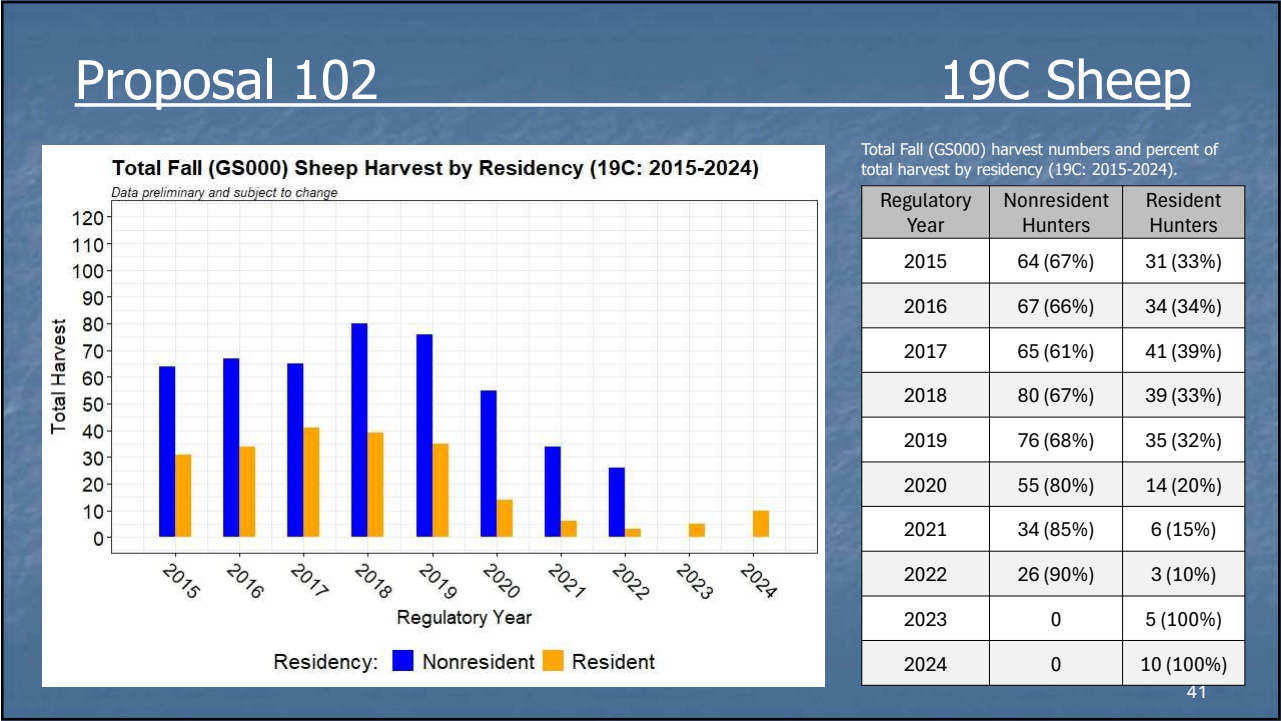
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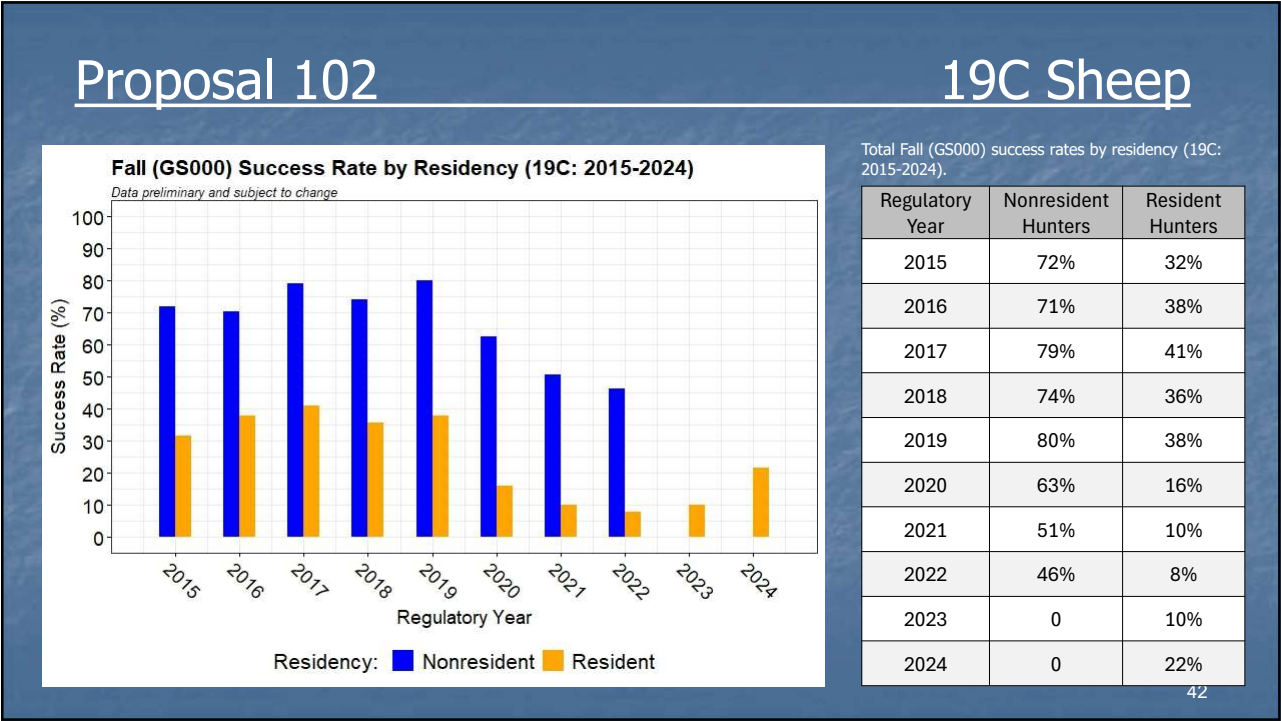
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Youth Hunt

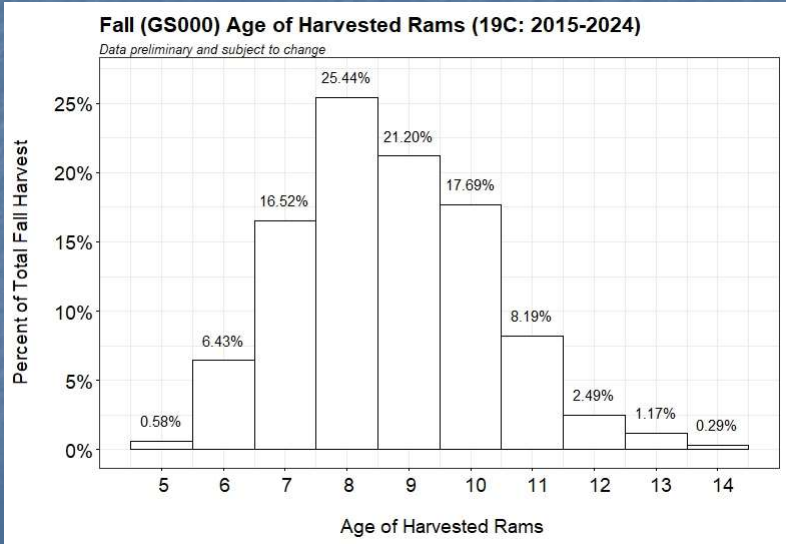
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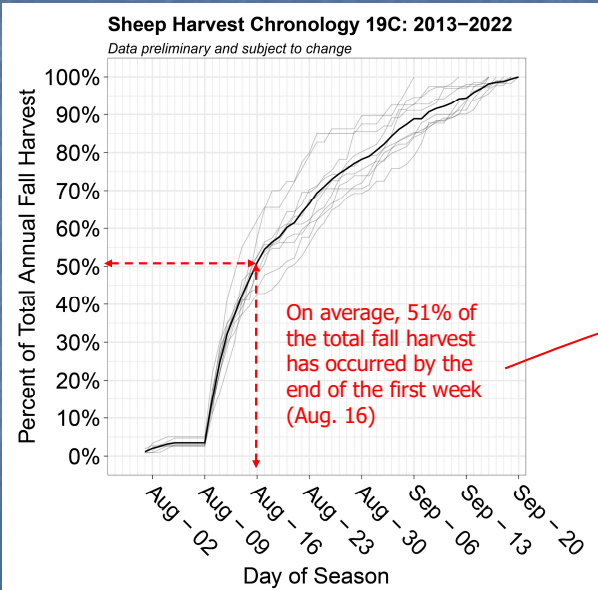


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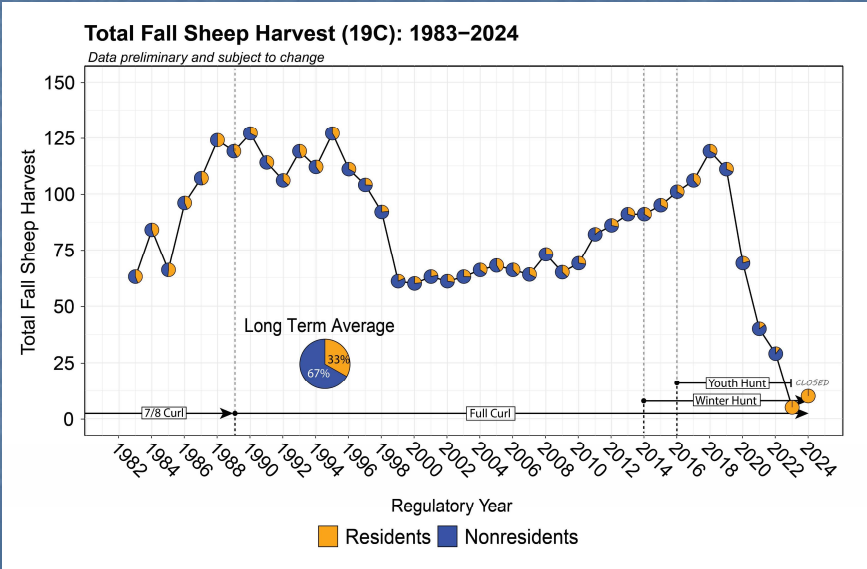


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- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen resident winter sheep hunt
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- Department recommendation
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- Public proposal

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Proposal 103

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- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen youth sheep hunt Aug 1 – Aug 5
 - Reopen nonresident sheep hunt Aug 10 – Sept 20
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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■ Current regulations

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- At the March 2023 meeting proposal 204 amended
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■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
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■ Proposed regulations

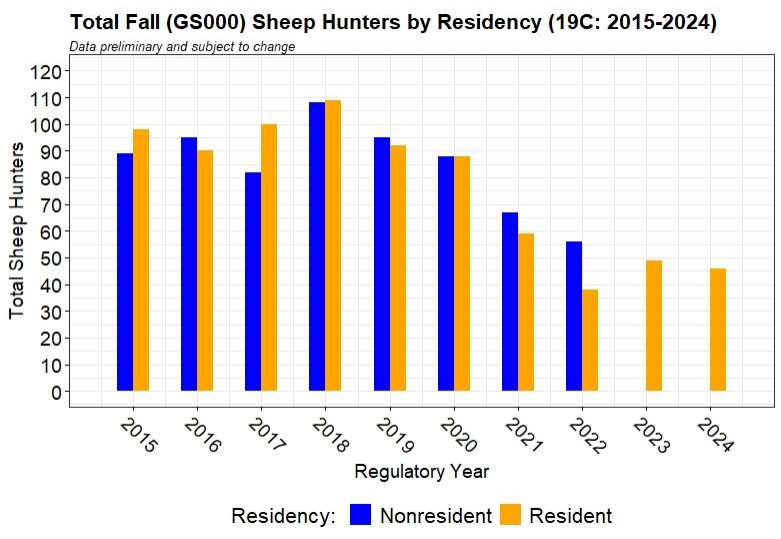
- August 1 – August 5 youth hunt (1 full curl ram)
- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
 - Nonresidents (1 full curl ram every 4 years)

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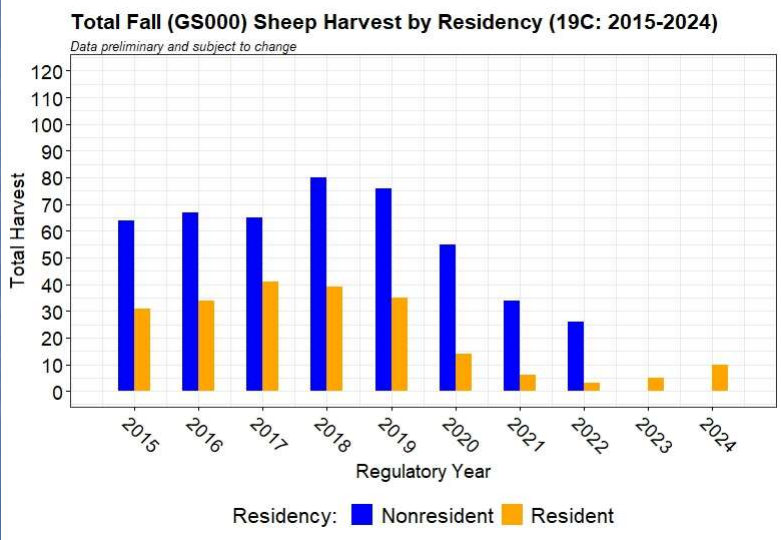
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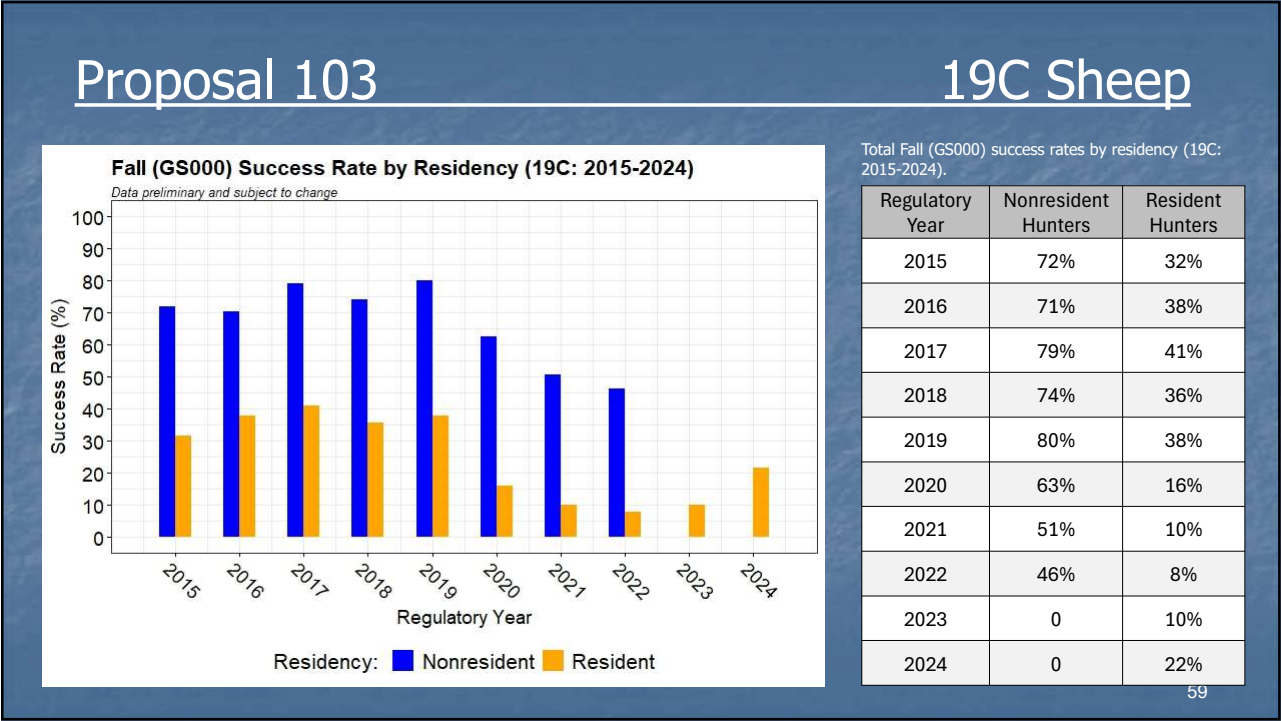


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RS380 Winter Hunt

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2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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Proposal 103

19C Sheep

Youth Hunt

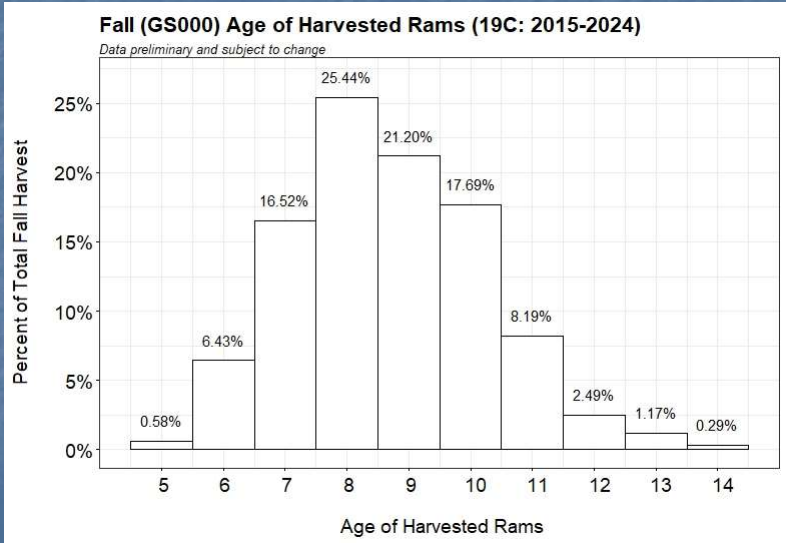
Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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19C Sheep



Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

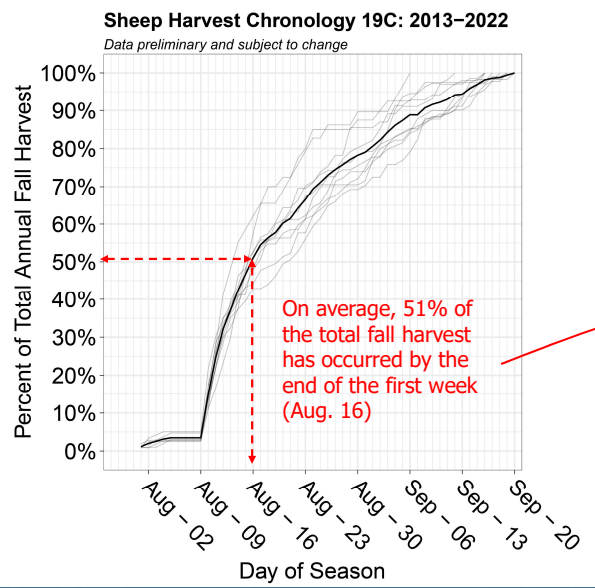
Regulatory Year	Total Harvest	Mean Age
2015	95	8.39
2016	101	8.64
2017	106	8.81
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2019	111	9.04
2020	69	8.83
2021	40	7.95
2022	29	7.86
2023	5	7.6
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Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

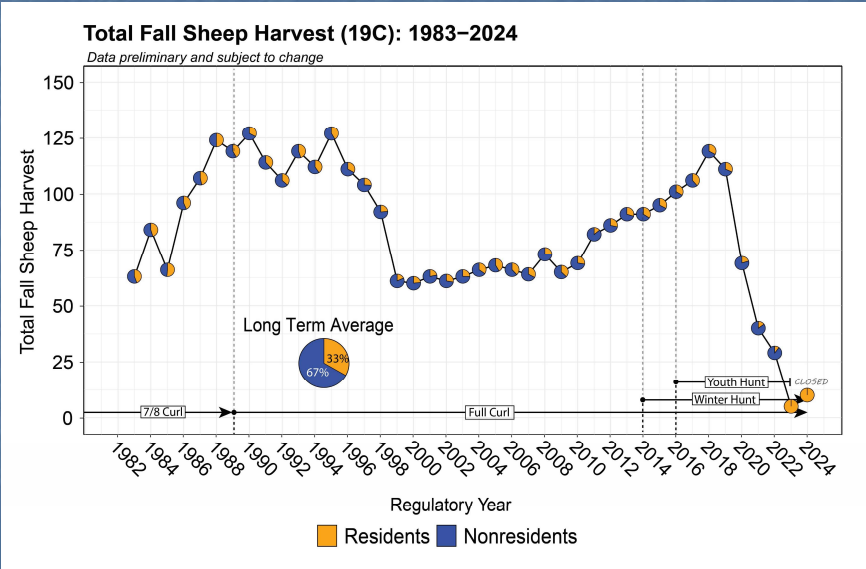
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Aug 17 - Aug 23	16%	67%
Aug 24 - Aug 30	12%	78%
Aug 31 - Sep 6	11%	89%
Sep 7 - Sep 13	6%	94%
Sep 14 - Sep 20	6%	100%

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19C Sheep



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19C Sheep

Sheep Surveys

- We began consistent surveys in 2010
 - This was the period when sheep harvest began increasing
- 2019 was the first year we observed a decline (33% fewer sheep than 2010-2017 average)
- 2020 harvest began a steep decline

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Proposal 103

19C Sheep

Sheep Surveys

- Most Recent Survey Results (2024)
 - No change in adult age-classes from 2023 to 2024 surveys
 - Increase in lambs from 2023 (n=73) to 2024 (n=120)

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19C Sheep

Additional Considerations

- Fall sheep hunting managed using full-curl strategy
 - Older male harvest only
 - Very small segment of overall population
 - Self limiting during population fluctuations
 - Provides maximum hunting opportunity
 - Can lead to crowding issues and user conflicts

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Proposal 103

19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen youth sheep hunt Aug 1 – Aug 5
 - Reopen nonresident sheep hunt Aug 10 – Sept 20
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

- Current regulations
 - Proposal 204 was submitted by the board to close all sheep hunting in Unit 19C
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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
 - Residents only (1 full curl ram)
- October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380
 - Residents only (1 ram < $\frac{3}{4}$ curl)

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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
- Winter hunt structured to provide opportunity according to the pattern of customary and traditional use

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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

■ August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket

■ Nonresidents (1 full curl ram every 4 years)

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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

Total Fall (GS000) Sheep Hunters by Residency (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	89	98
2016	95	90
2017	82	100
2018	108	109
2019	95	92
2020	88	88
2021	67	59
2022	56	38
2023	0	49
2024	0	46

Residency: ■ Nonresident ■ Resident

Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

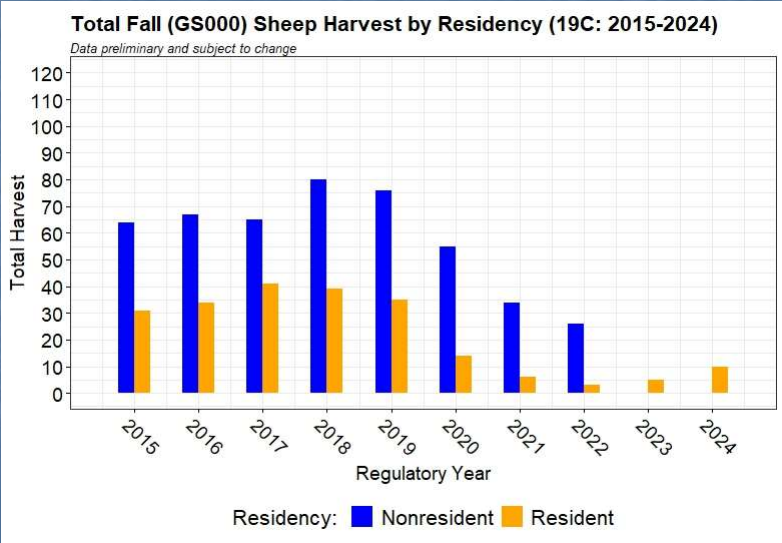
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2015	89 (48%)	98 (52%)
2016	95 (51%)	90 (49%)
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2019	95 (51%)	92 (49%)
2020	88 (50%)	88 (50%)
2021	67 (53%)	59 (47%)
2022	56 (60%)	38 (40%)
2023	0	49 (100%)
2024	0	46 (100%)

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19C Sheep



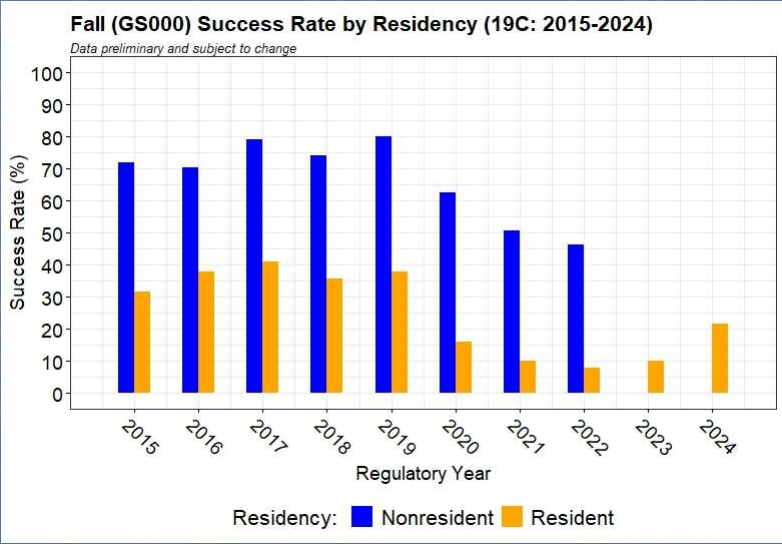
Total Fall (GS000) harvest numbers and percent of total harvest by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	64 (67%)	31 (33%)
2016	67 (66%)	34 (34%)
2017	65 (61%)	41 (39%)
2018	80 (67%)	39 (33%)
2019	76 (68%)	35 (32%)
2020	55 (80%)	14 (20%)
2021	34 (85%)	6 (15%)
2022	26 (90%)	3 (10%)
2023	0	5 (100%)
2024	0	10 (100%)

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19C Sheep



Total Fall (GS000) success rates by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	72%	32%
2016	71%	38%
2017	79%	41%
2018	74%	36%
2019	80%	38%
2020	63%	16%
2021	51%	10%
2022	46%	8%
2023	0	10%
2024	0	22%

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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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19C Sheep

Youth Hunt

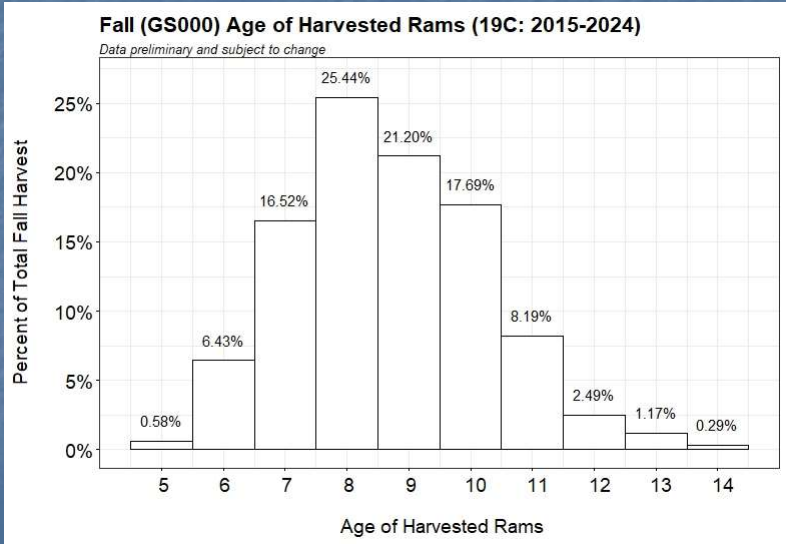
Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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19C Sheep

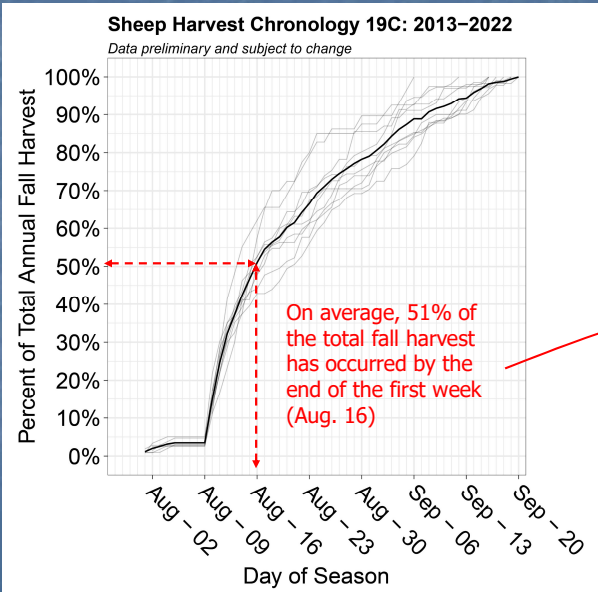


Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Total Harvest	Mean Age
2015	95	8.39
2016	101	8.64
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2019	111	9.04
2020	69	8.83
2021	40	7.95
2022	29	7.86
2023	5	7.6
2024	10	8.4

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19C Sheep

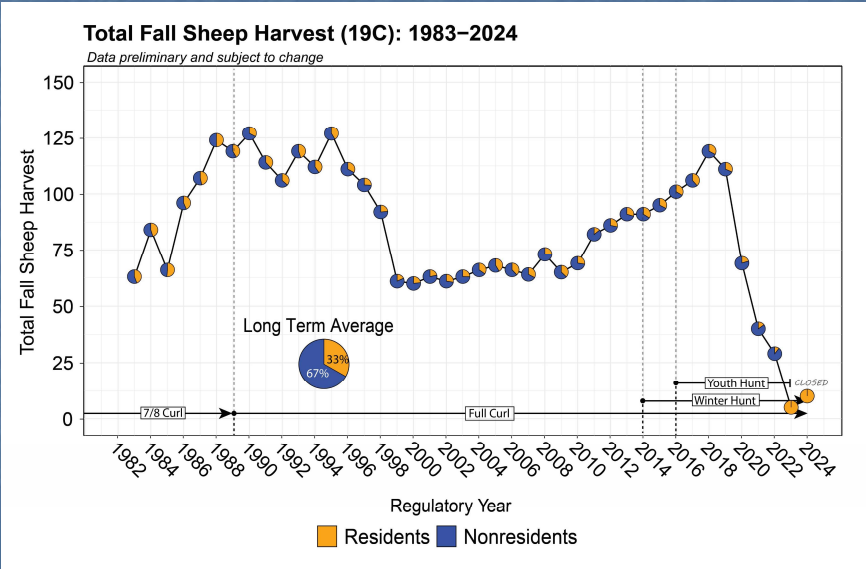


Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

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Aug 31 - Sep 6	11%	89%
Sep 7 - Sep 13	6%	94%
Sep 14 - Sep 20	6%	100%

Proposal 104

19C Sheep



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19C Sheep

Sheep Surveys

- We began consistent surveys in 2010
 - This was the period when sheep harvest began increasing
- 2019 was the first year we observed a decline (33% fewer sheep than 2010-2017 average)
- 2020 harvest began a steep decline

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19C Sheep

Sheep Surveys

- Most Recent Survey Results (2024)
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 - Increase in lambs from 2023 (n=73) to 2024 (n=120)

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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

Additional Considerations

- Fall sheep hunting managed using full-curl strategy
 - Older male harvest only
 - Very small segment of overall population
 - Self limiting during population fluctuations
 - Provides maximum hunting opportunity
 - Can lead to crowding issues and user conflicts

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Proposal 104

19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen nonresident sheep hunt Aug 10 – Sept 20
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen nonresident sheep hunt Aug 10 – Sept 20
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

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- At the March 2023 meeting proposal 204 amended
 - Close all nonresident hunting in Unit 19C
 - Close the youth hunt in Unit 19C

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
 - Residents only (1 full curl ram)
- October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380
 - Residents only (1 ram < $\frac{3}{4}$ curl)

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
- Winter hunt structured to provide opportunity according to the pattern of customary and traditional use

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

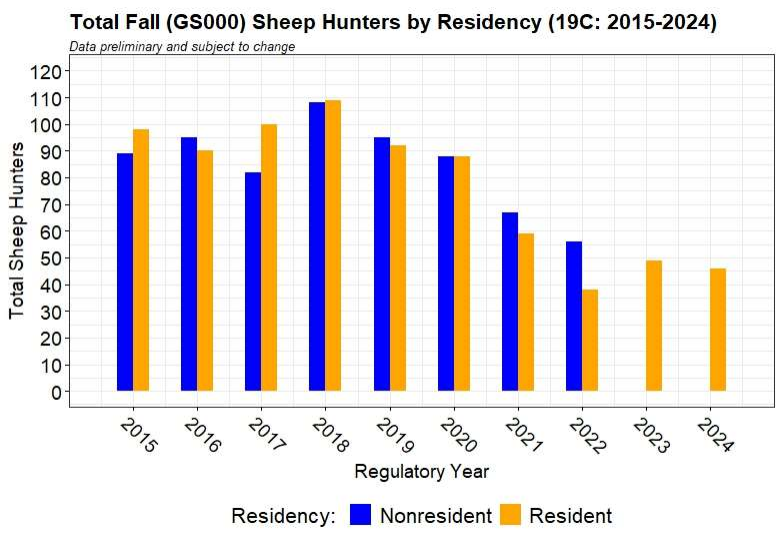
- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
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Proposal 105

19C Sheep



Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

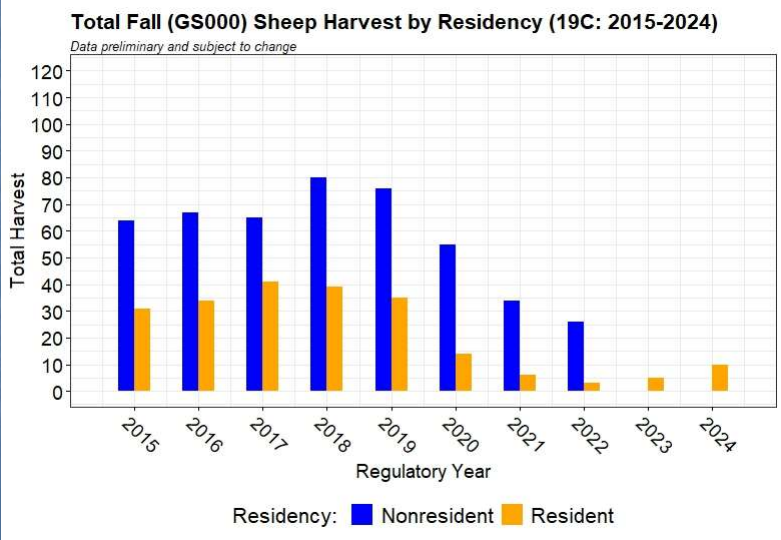
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2015	89 (48%)	98 (52%)
2016	95 (51%)	90 (49%)
2017	82 (45%)	100 (55%)
2018	108 (50%)	109 (50%)
2019	95 (51%)	92 (49%)
2020	88 (50%)	88 (50%)
2021	67 (53%)	59 (47%)
2022	56 (60%)	38 (40%)
2023	0	49 (100%)
2024	0	46 (100%)

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

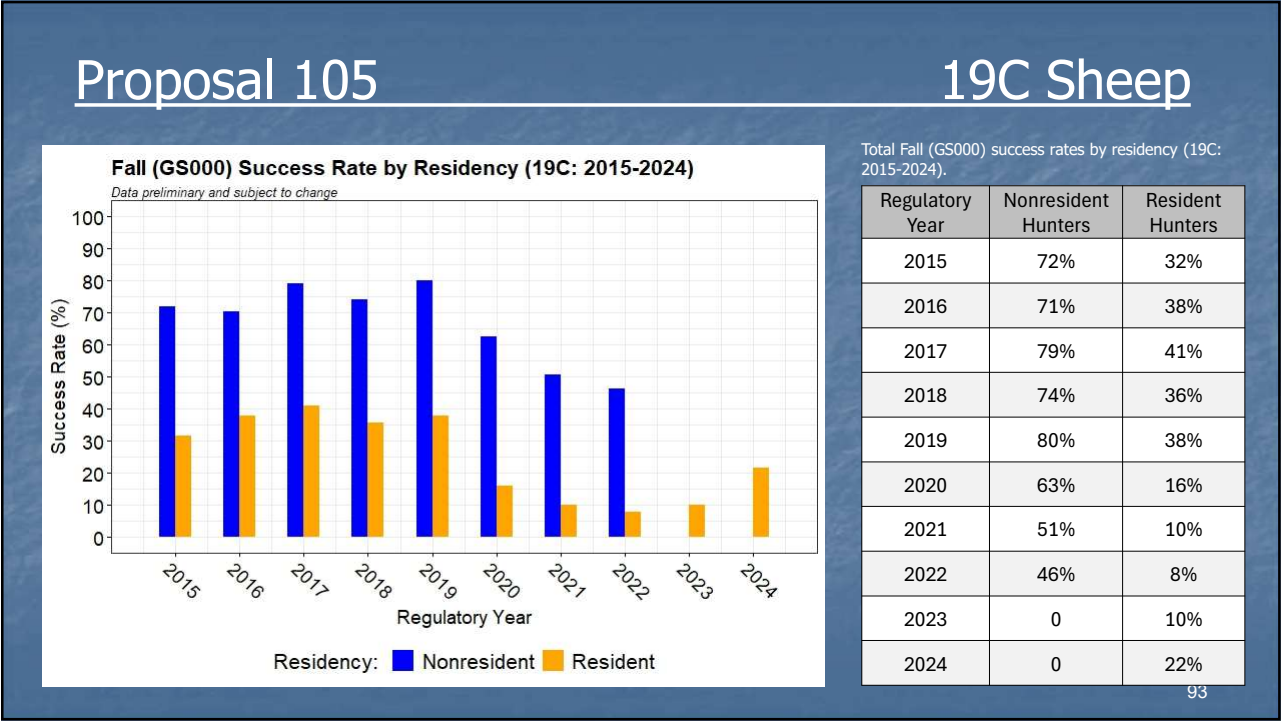


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2022	26 (90%)	3 (10%)
2023	0	5 (100%)
2024	0	10 (100%)

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

Youth Hunt

Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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19C Sheep

Fall (GS000) Age of Harvested Rams (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Age of Harvested Rams	Percent of Total Fall Harvest
5	0.58%
6	6.43%
7	16.52%
8	25.44%
9	21.20%
10	17.69%
11	8.19%
12	2.49%
13	1.17%
14	0.29%

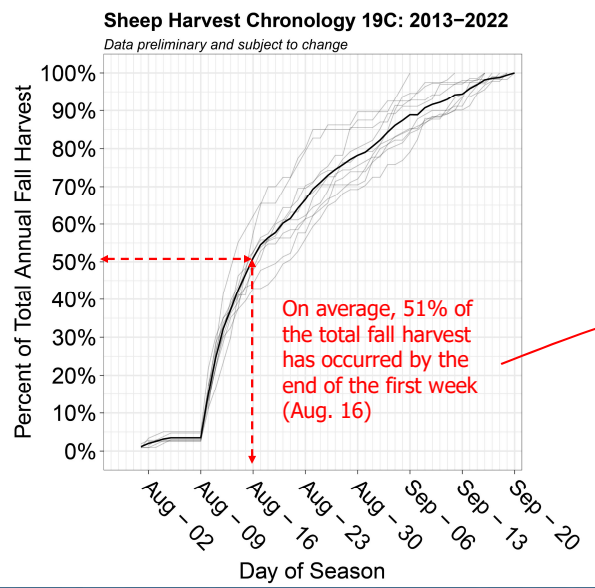
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2021	40	7.95
2022	29	7.86
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19C Sheep



Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

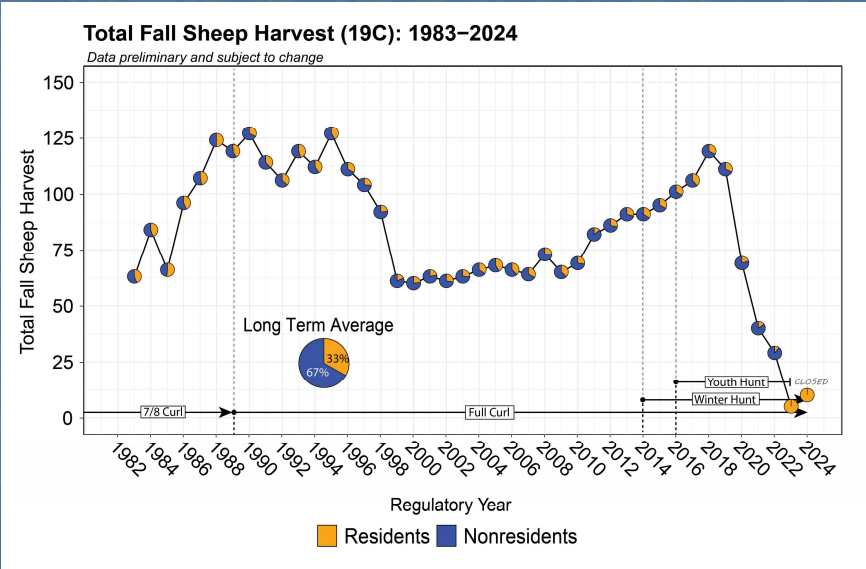
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Sep 7 - Sep 13	6%	94%
Sep 14 - Sep 20	6%	100%

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19C Sheep



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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

Additional Considerations

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Proposal 105

19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
- Winter hunt structured to provide opportunity according to the pattern of customary and traditional use

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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

■ August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket

■ Nonresidents (1 full curl ram every 4 years)

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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

Total Fall (GS000) Sheep Hunters by Residency (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Regulatory Year	Nonresident	Resident
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2016	95	90
2017	82	100
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2022	56	38
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2024	0	46

Residency: ■ Nonresident ■ Resident

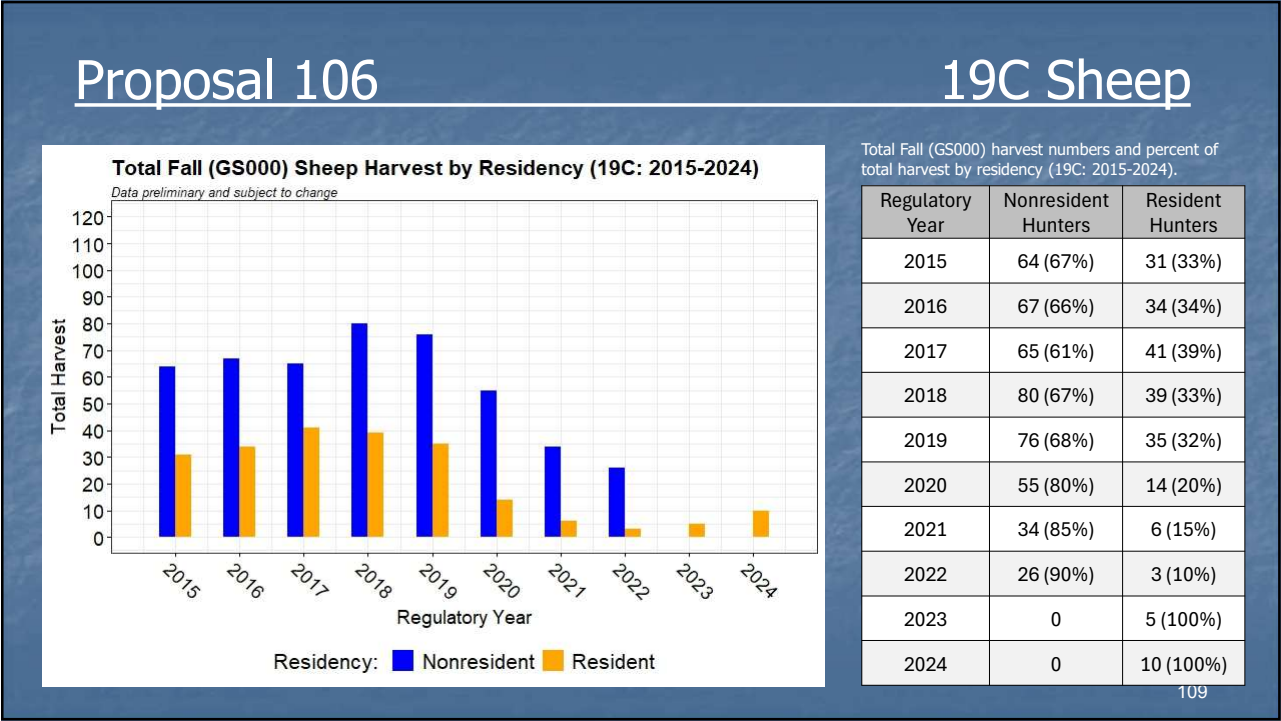
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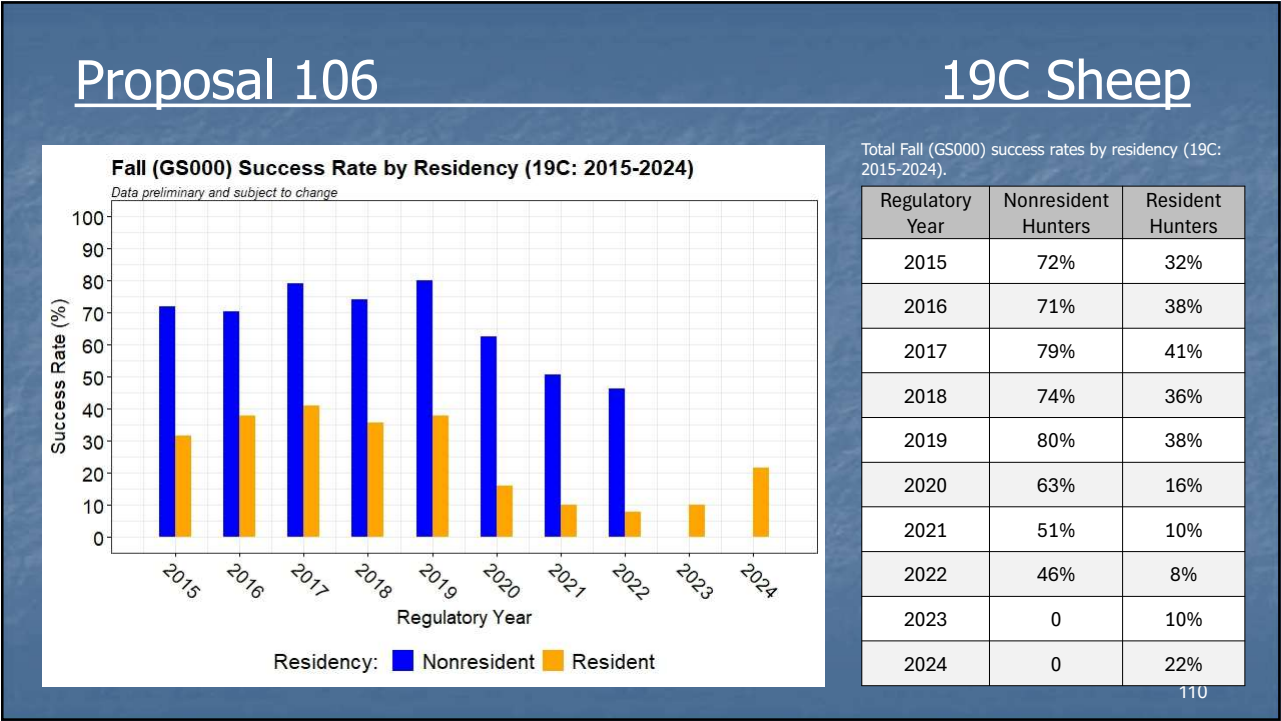
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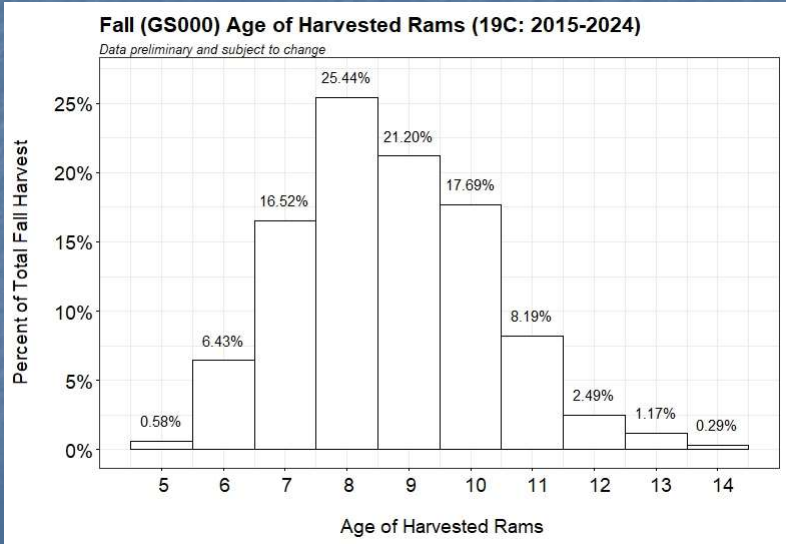
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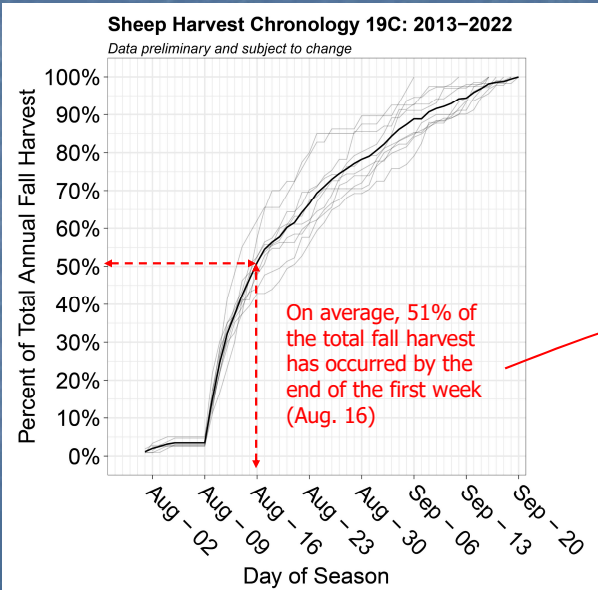
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19C Sheep



Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

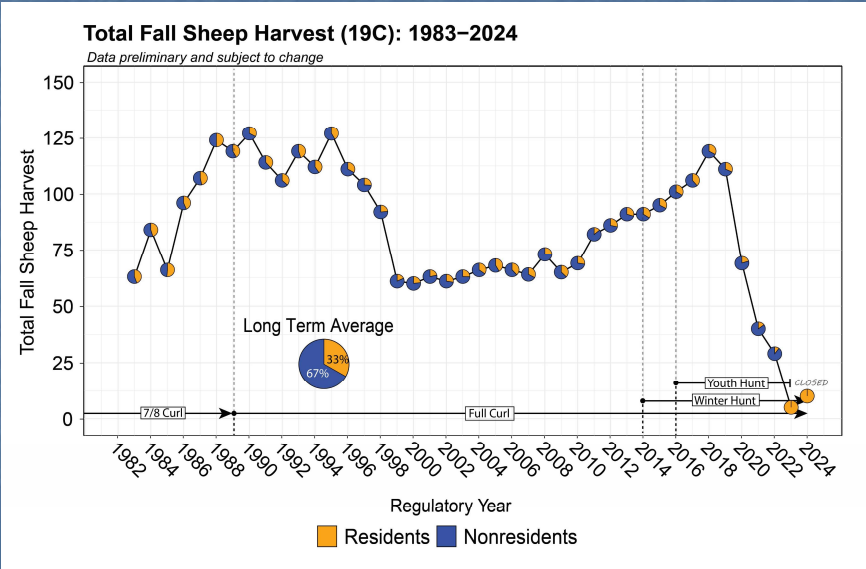
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19C Sheep

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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

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Proposal 106

19C Sheep

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Proposal 107

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Proposal 107

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Proposal 107

19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
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Proposal 107

19C Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
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Proposal 107

19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

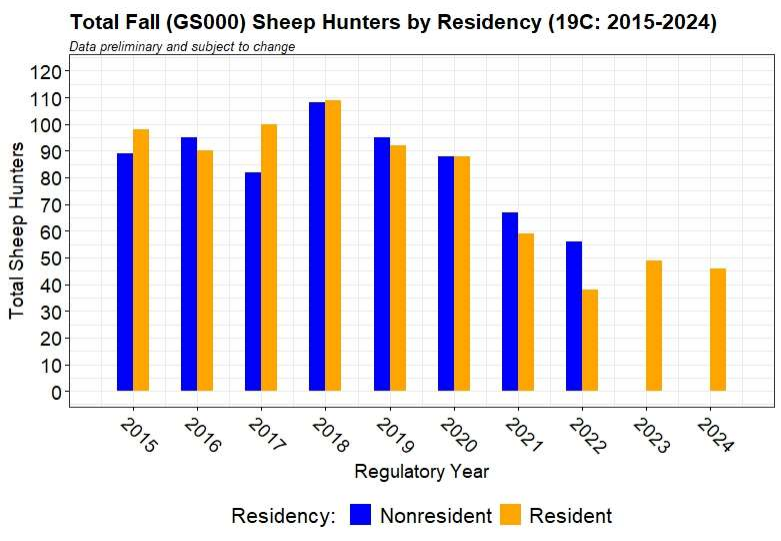
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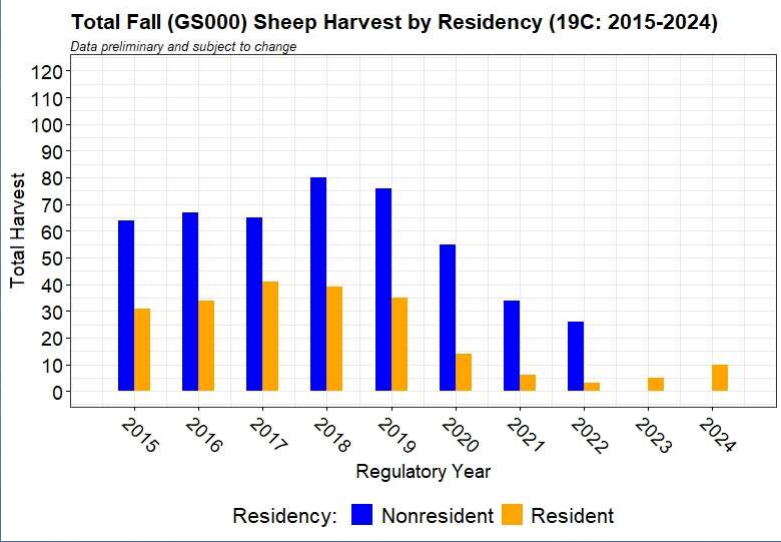
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2015	89 (48%)	98 (52%)
2016	95 (51%)	90 (49%)
2017	82 (45%)	100 (55%)
2018	108 (50%)	109 (50%)
2019	95 (51%)	92 (49%)
2020	88 (50%)	88 (50%)
2021	67 (53%)	59 (47%)
2022	56 (60%)	38 (40%)
2023	0	49 (100%)
2024	0	46 (100%)

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Proposal 107

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Total Fall (GS000) harvest numbers and percent of total harvest by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

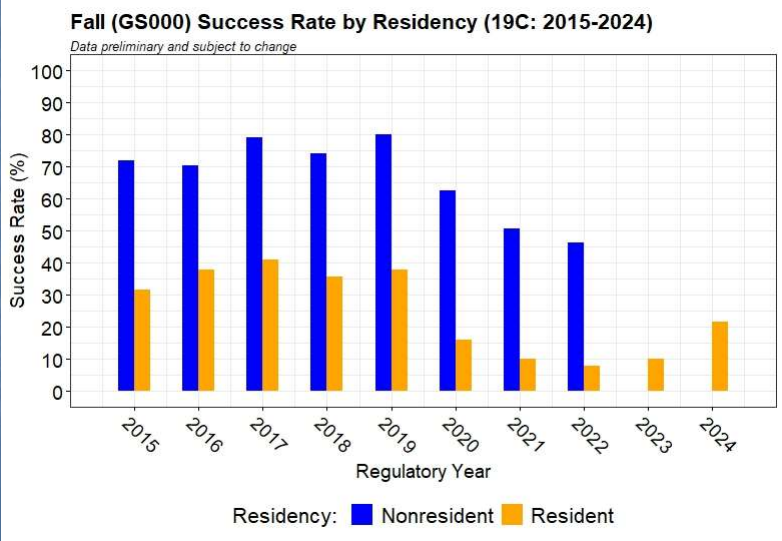
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2015	64 (67%)	31 (33%)
2016	67 (66%)	34 (34%)
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2018	80 (67%)	39 (33%)
2019	76 (68%)	35 (32%)
2020	55 (80%)	14 (20%)
2021	34 (85%)	6 (15%)
2022	26 (90%)	3 (10%)
2023	0	5 (100%)
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Total Fall (GS000) success rates by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	72%	32%
2016	71%	38%
2017	79%	41%
2018	74%	36%
2019	80%	38%
2020	63%	16%
2021	51%	10%
2022	46%	8%
2023	0	10%
2024	0	22%

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19C Sheep

RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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Youth Hunt

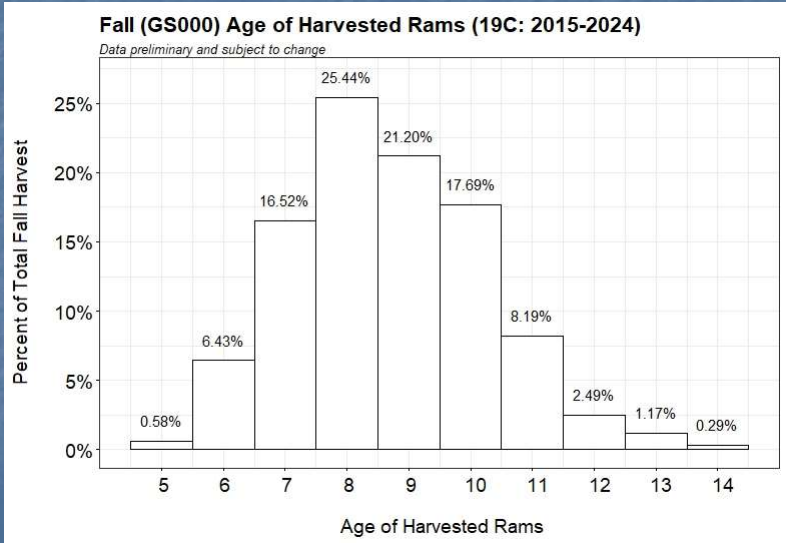
Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

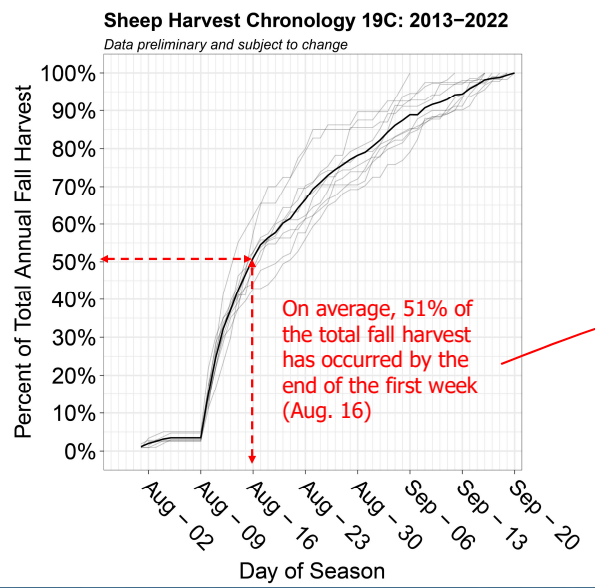
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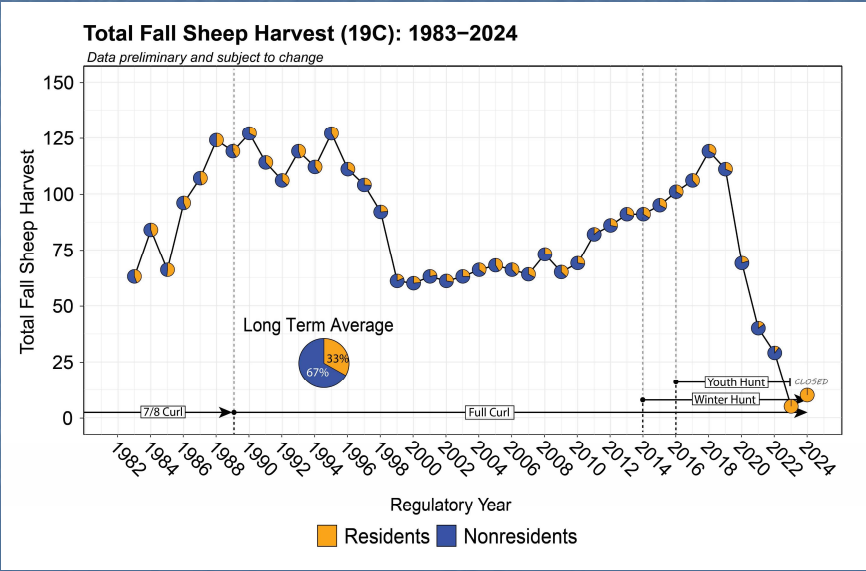
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 - Increase in lambs from 2023 (n=73) to 2024 (n=120)

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19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen youth sheep hunt Aug 1 – Aug 5
 - Reopen nonresident sheep hunt Aug 10 – Sept 20
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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- Effect of the proposal
 - Implement a draw hunt for nonresidents in Unit 19C
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- Current regulations
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■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
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19C Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
- Winter hunt structured to provide opportunity according to the pattern of customary and traditional use

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■ Proposed regulations

■ August 10 – September 20 draw permit

■ Nonresidents (1 full curl ram every 4 years)

■ Up to 10 permits

■ Or up to 25% of the estimated harvestable surplus

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19C Sheep

Total Fall (GS000) Sheep Hunters by Residency (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Regulatory Year	Nonresident	Resident
2015	89	98
2016	95	90
2017	82	100
2018	108	109
2019	95	92
2020	88	88
2021	67	59
2022	56	38
2023	0	49
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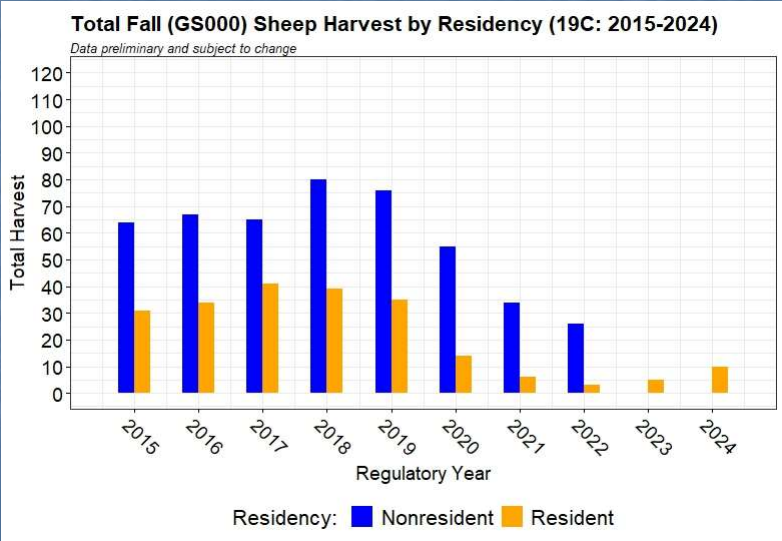
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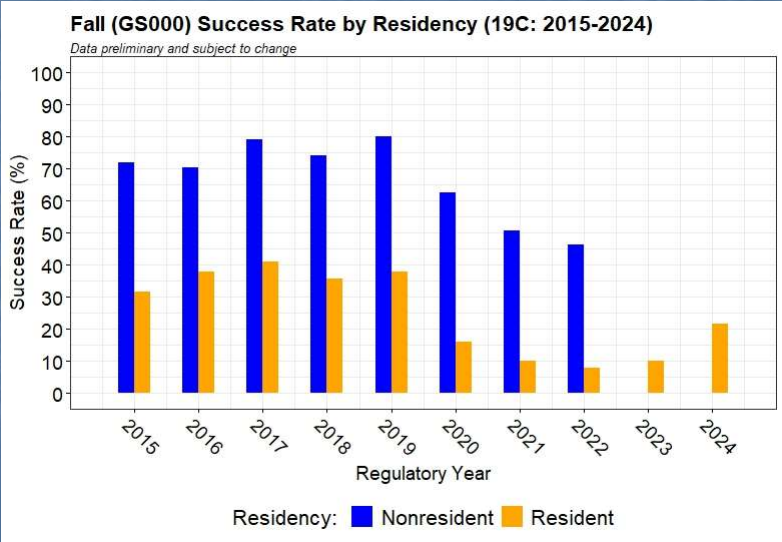
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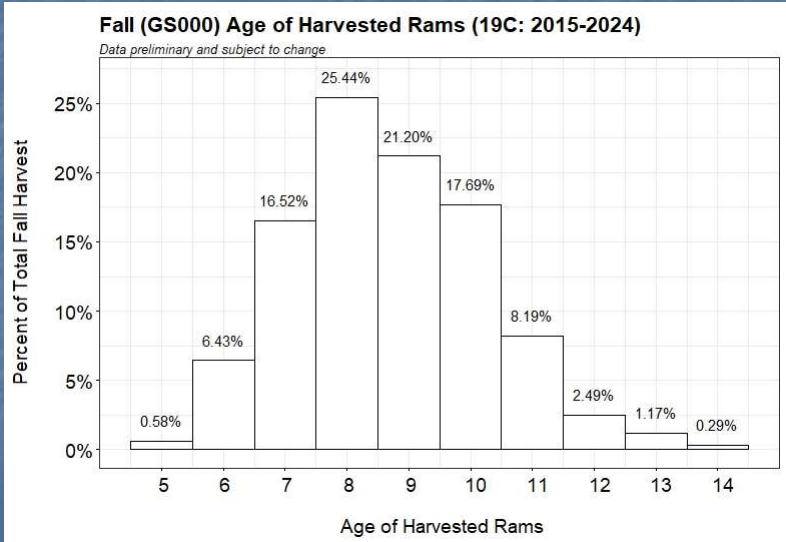
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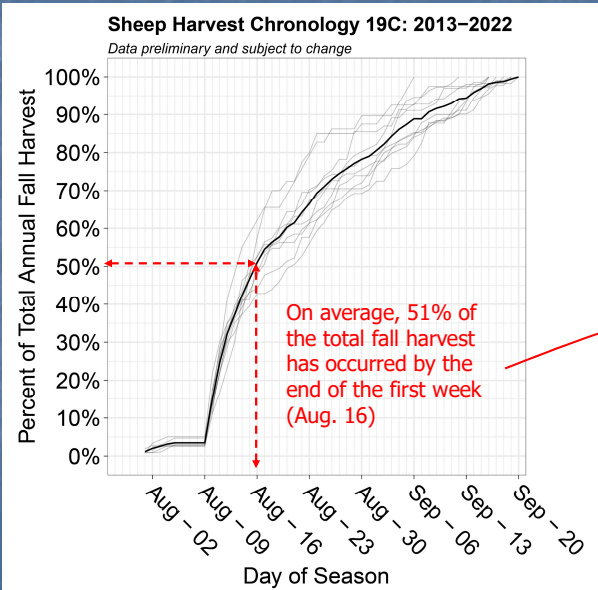
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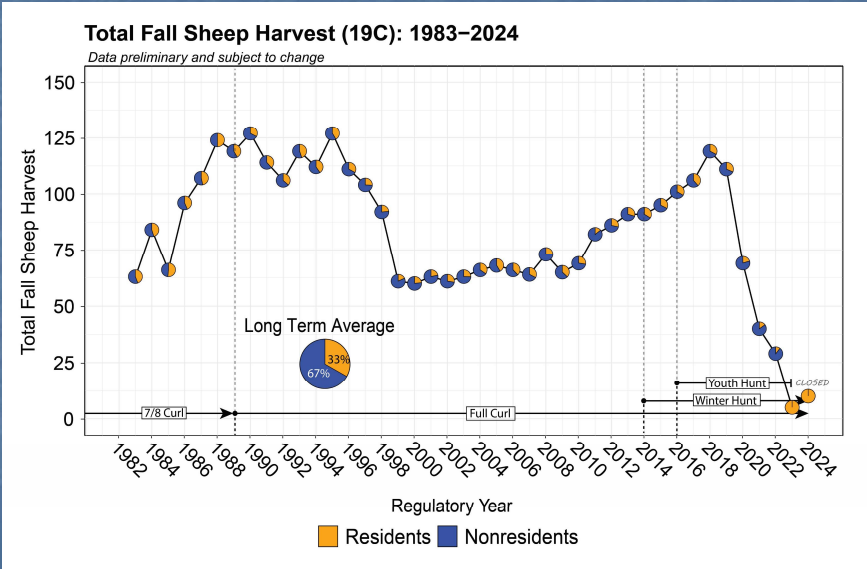
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Sheep Surveys

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■ Proposed regulations

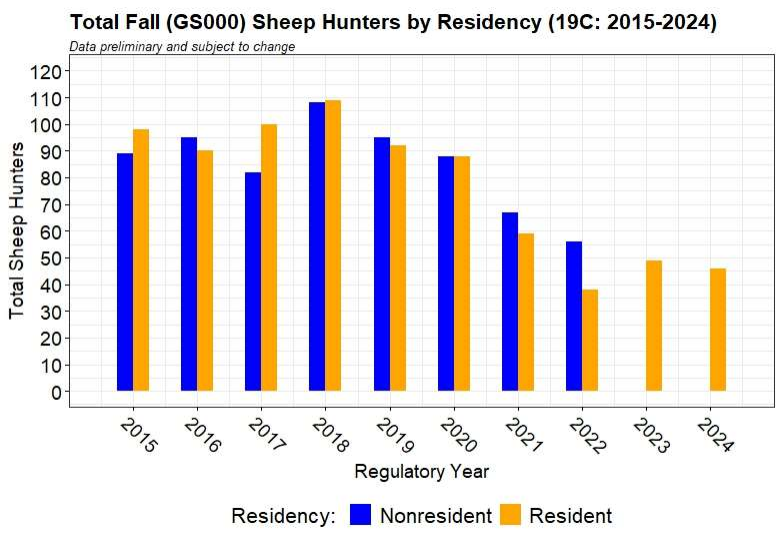
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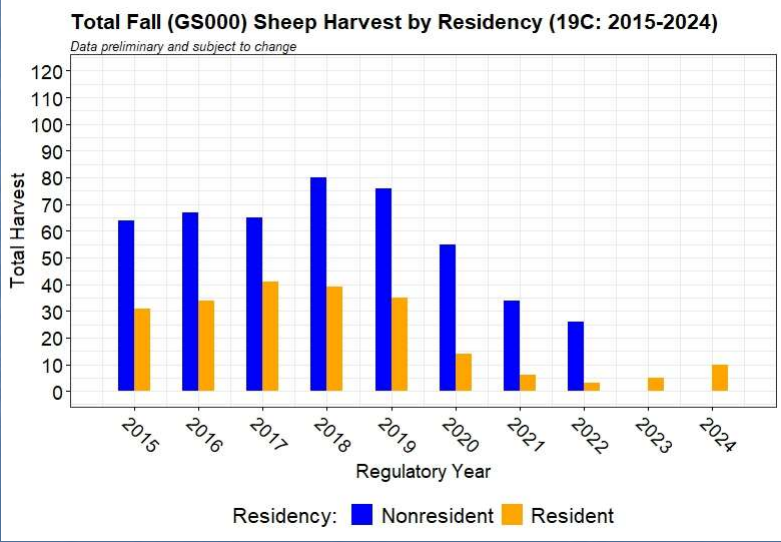
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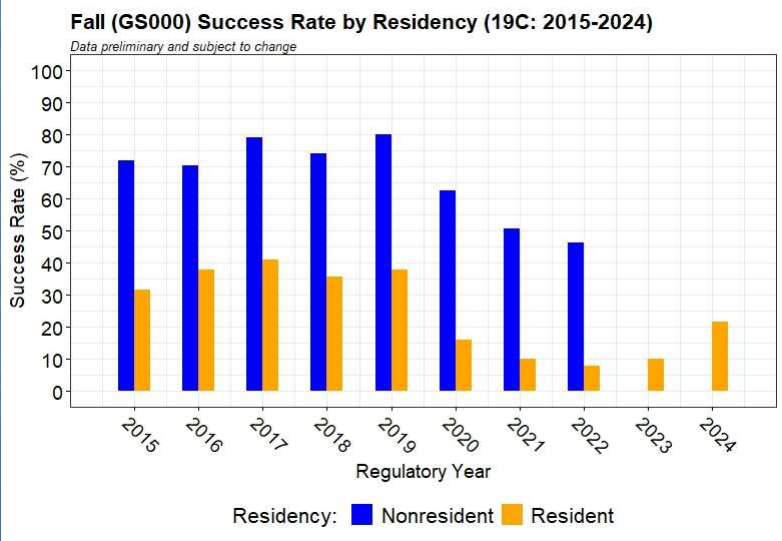
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19C Sheep

RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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Youth Hunt

Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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Fall (GS000) Age of Harvested Rams (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Age of Harvested Rams	Percent of Total Fall Harvest
5	0.58%
6	6.43%
7	16.52%
8	25.44%
9	21.20%
10	17.69%
11	8.19%
12	2.49%
13	1.17%
14	0.29%

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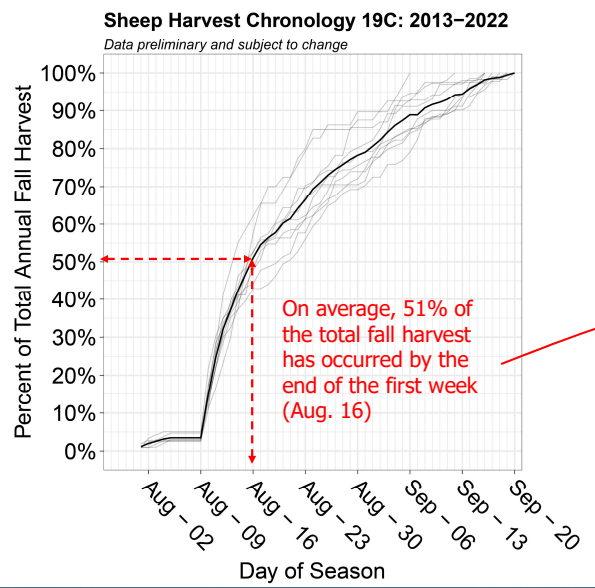
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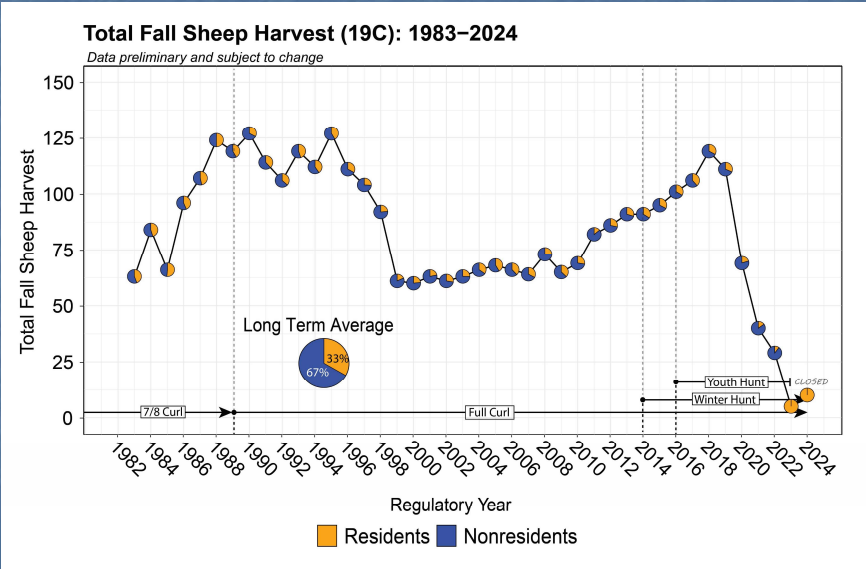
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19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
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19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

■ August 10 – September 20

■ Residents (1 full curl ram every 2 years)

■ October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380

■ Residents only (1 ram < ¾ curl)

■ Bag limit every year?

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Data preliminary and subject to change

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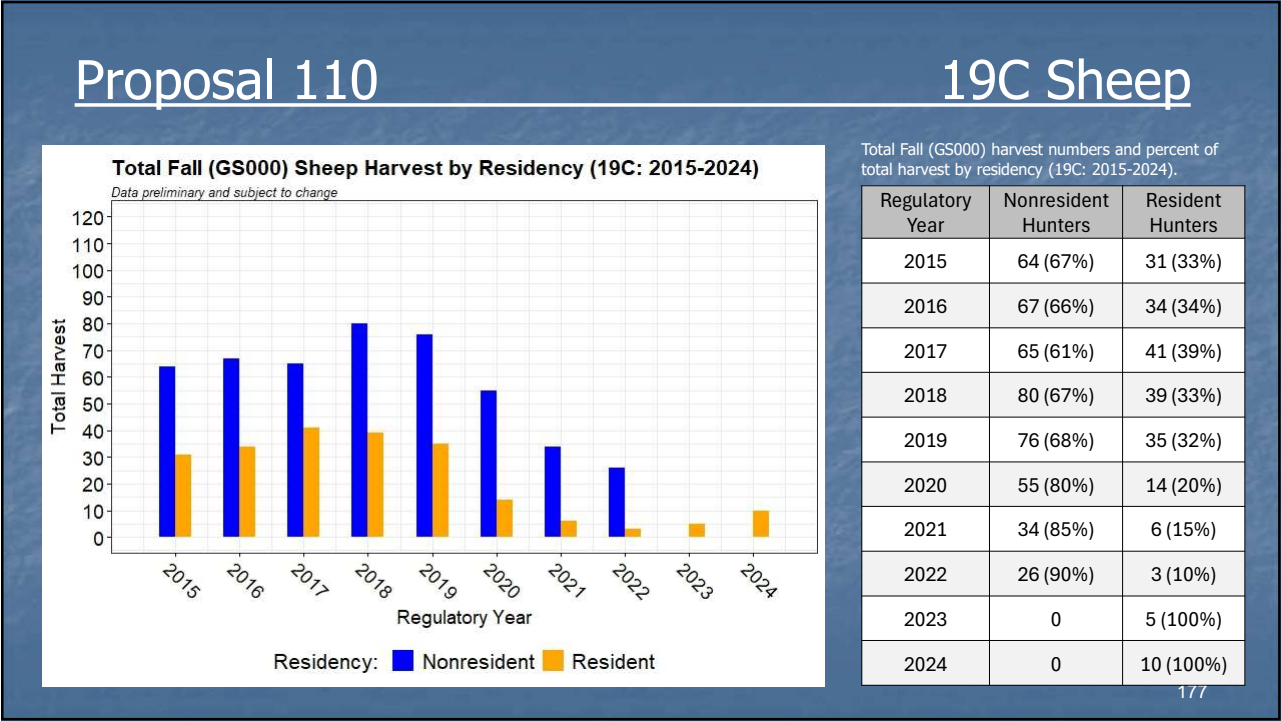
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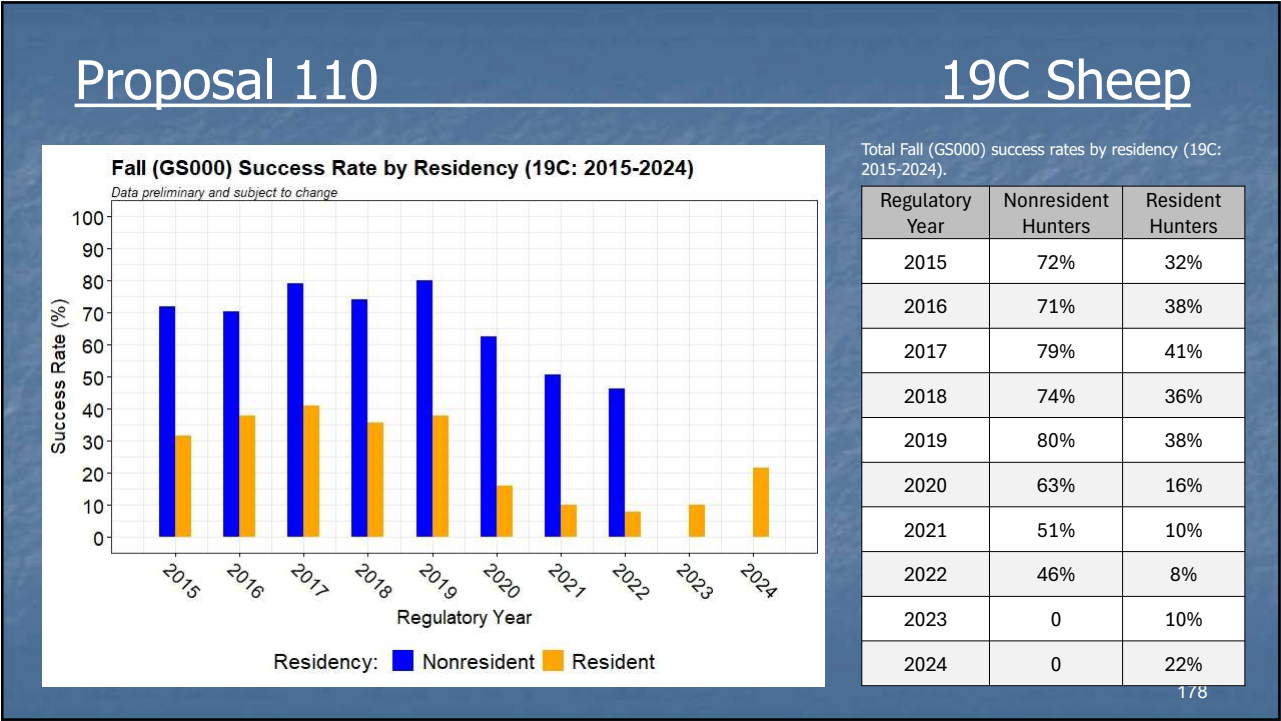
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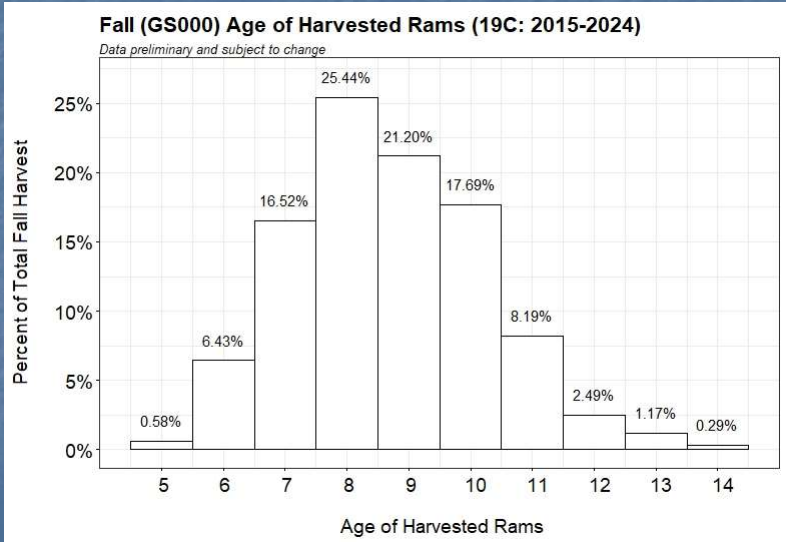
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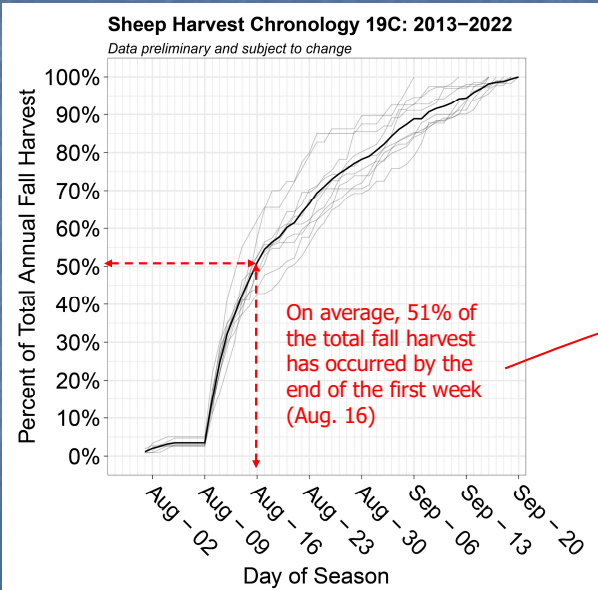
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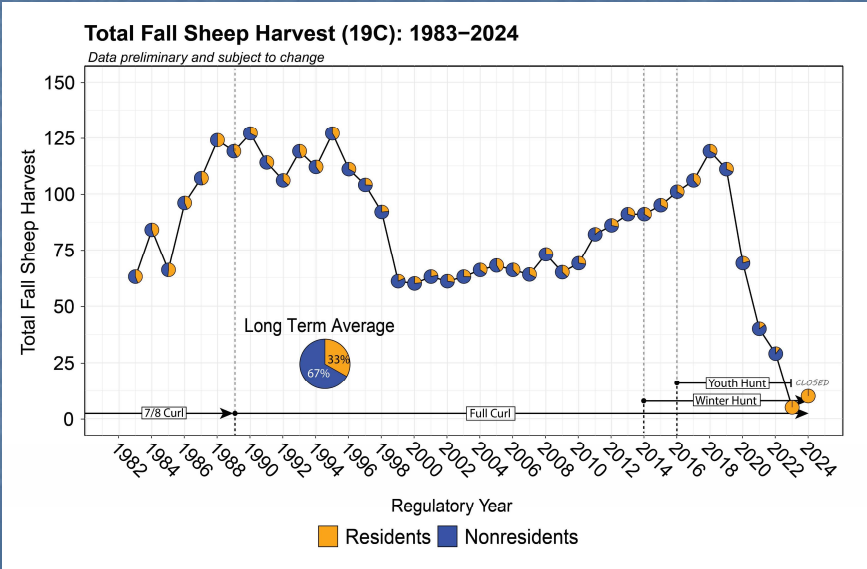
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 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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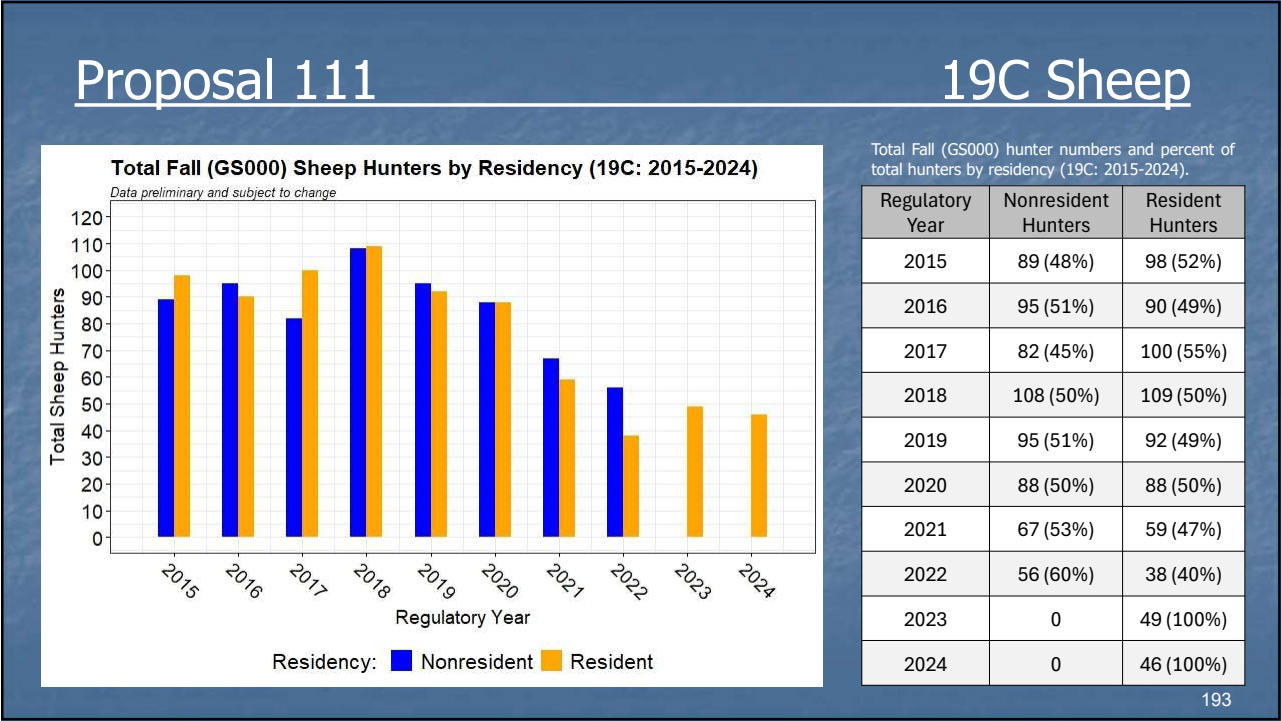
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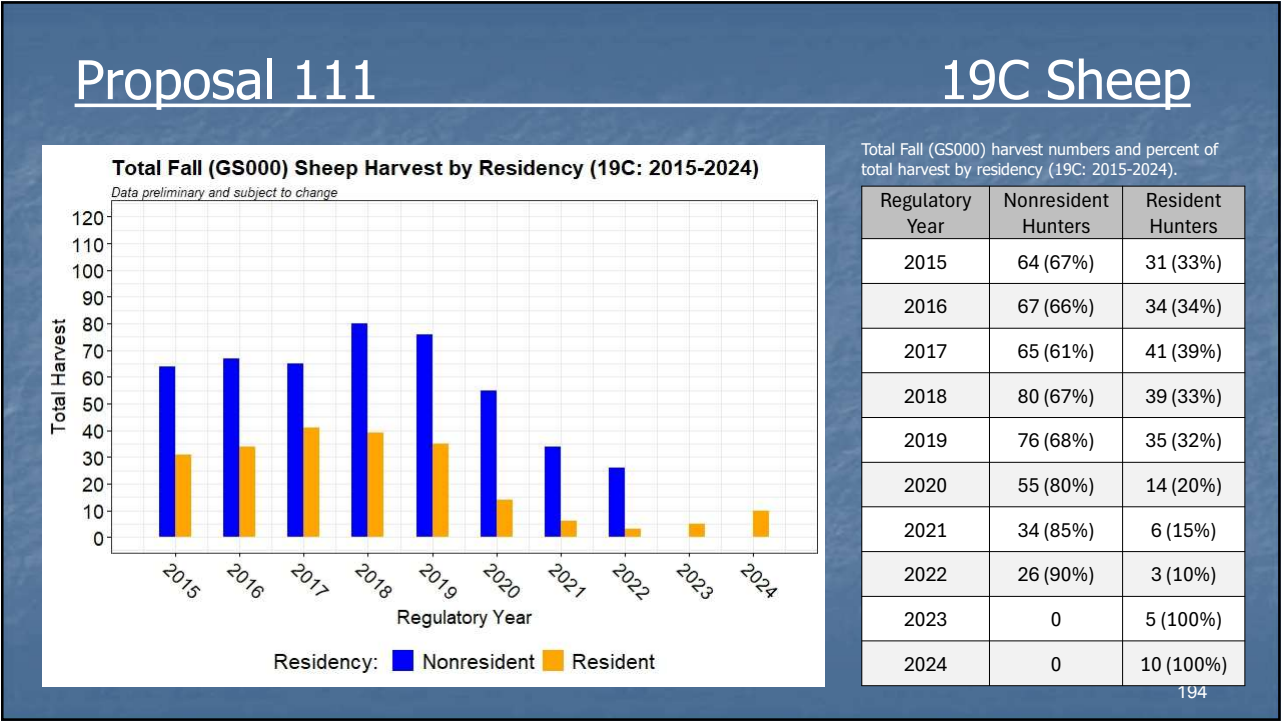
- August 10 – September 20
 - 8 years or older: 1 full curl ram every year
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 - Residents only (1 ram < $\frac{3}{4}$ curl)
 - Bag limit every year?

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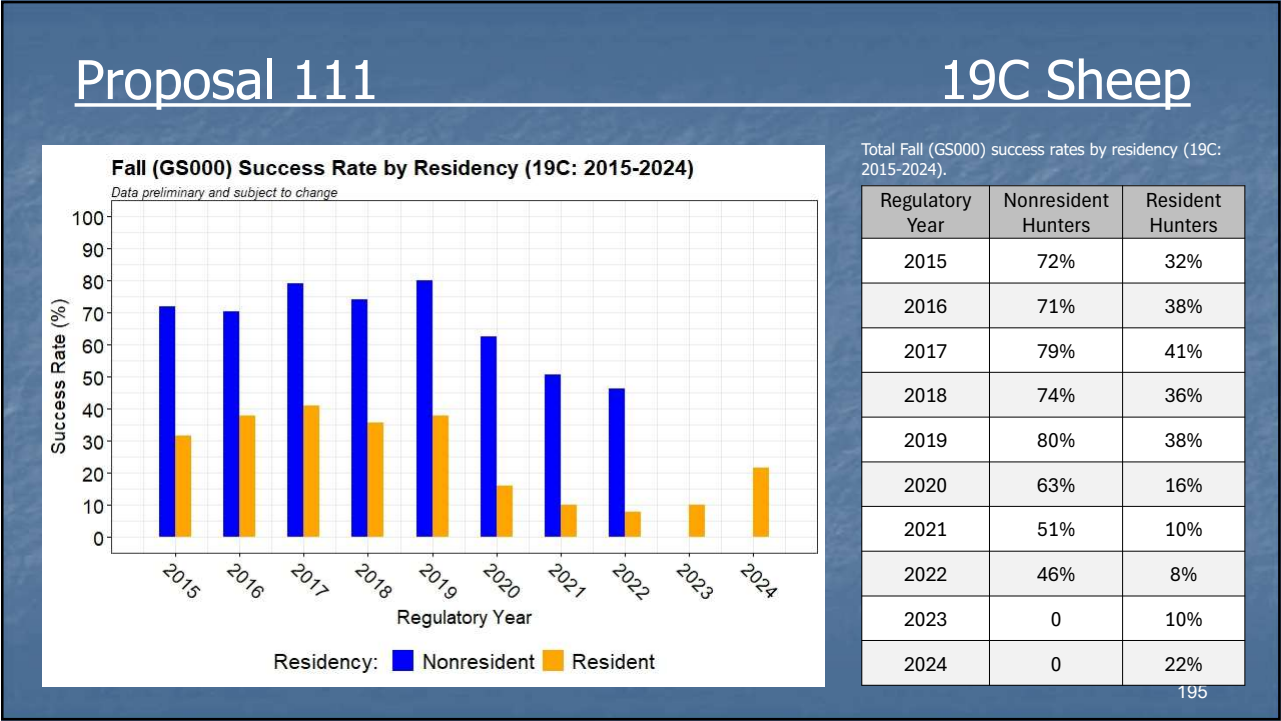
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RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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Youth Hunt

Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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Fall (GS000) Age of Harvested Rams (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Age	Percent of Total Fall Harvest
5	0.58%
6	6.43%
7	16.52%
8	25.44%
9	21.20%
10	17.69%
11	8.19%
12	2.49%
13	1.17%
14	0.29%

Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

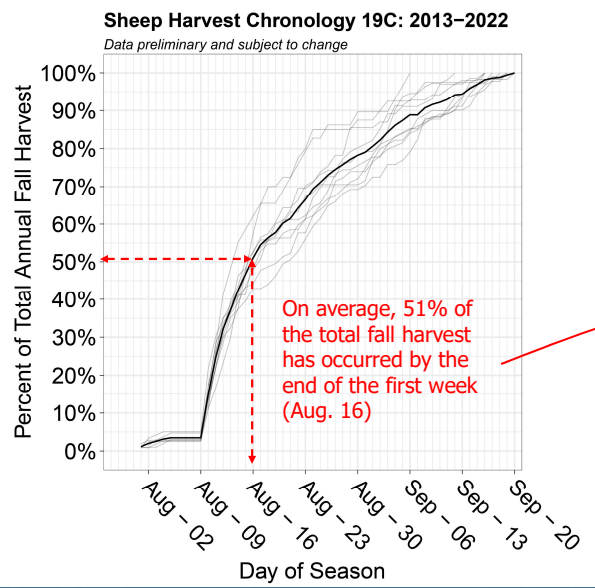
Regulatory Year	Total Harvest	Mean Age
2015	95	8.39
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2017	106	8.81
2018	119	8.89
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2020	69	8.83
2021	40	7.95
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Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

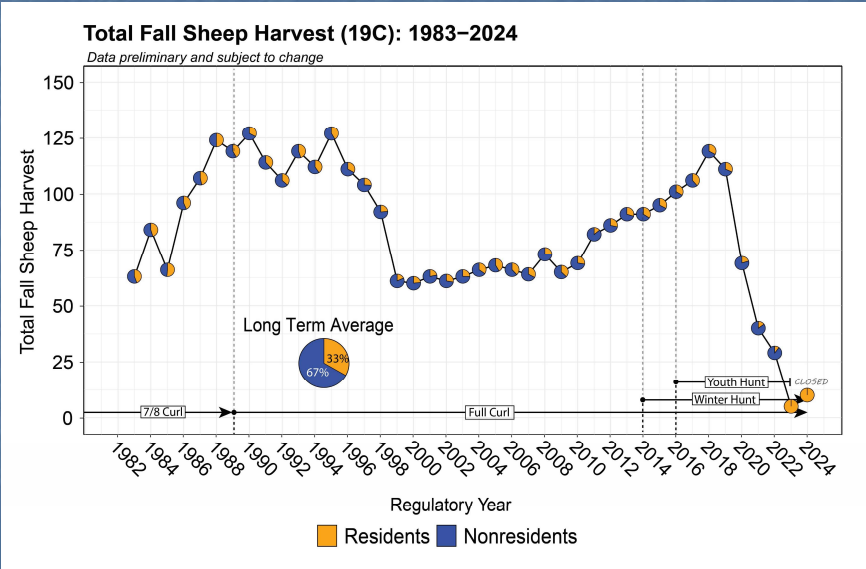
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Aug 1 - Aug 9	3%	3%
Aug 10 - Aug 16	48%	51%
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Aug 24 - Aug 30	12%	78%
Aug 31 - Sep 6	11%	89%
Sep 7 - Sep 13	6%	94%
Sep 14 - Sep 20	6%	100%

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Sheep Surveys

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Additional Considerations

- Fall sheep hunting managed using full-curl strategy
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- Department recommendation
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Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
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■ Proposed regulations

■ August 10 – September 20

- 10 years or older: eligible next season
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- 7 year old: ineligible to hunt for the next 2 seasons
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■ October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380

- Residents only (1 ram < ¾ curl)
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Total Fall (GS000) Sheep Hunters by Residency (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

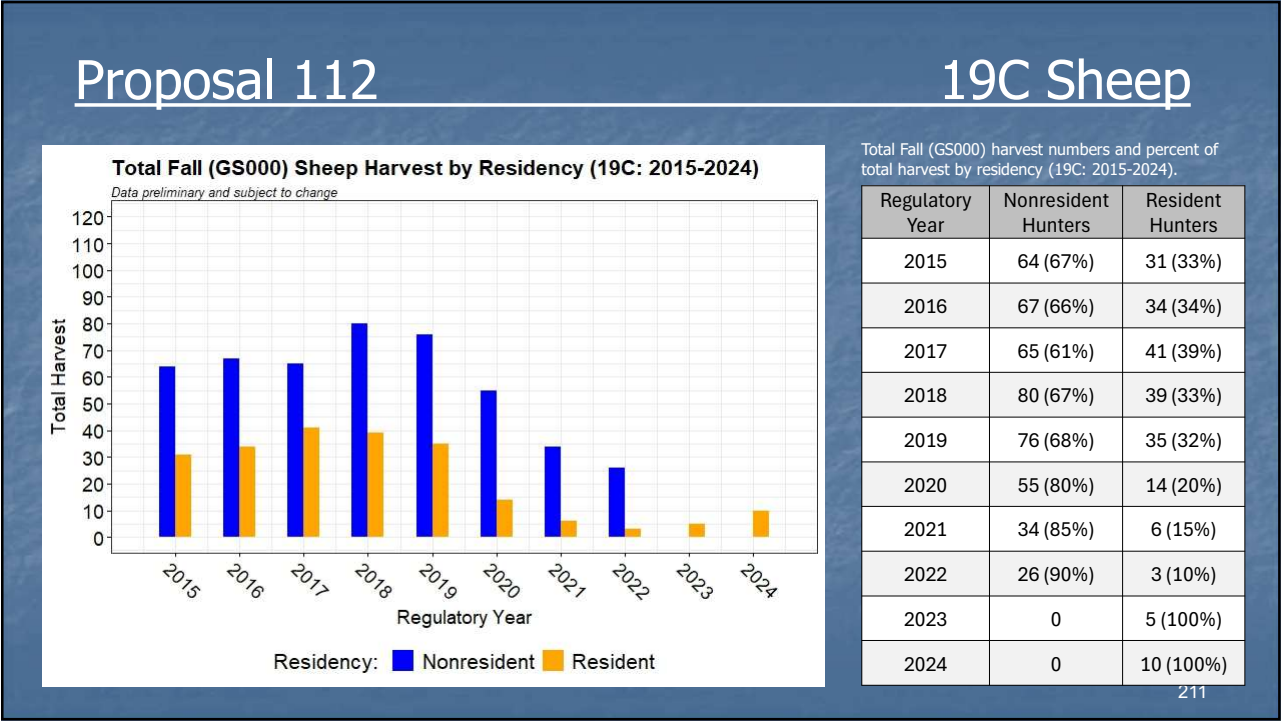
Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	89	98
2016	95	90
2017	82	100
2018	108	109
2019	95	92
2020	88	88
2021	67	59
2022	56	38
2023	0	49
2024	0	46

Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

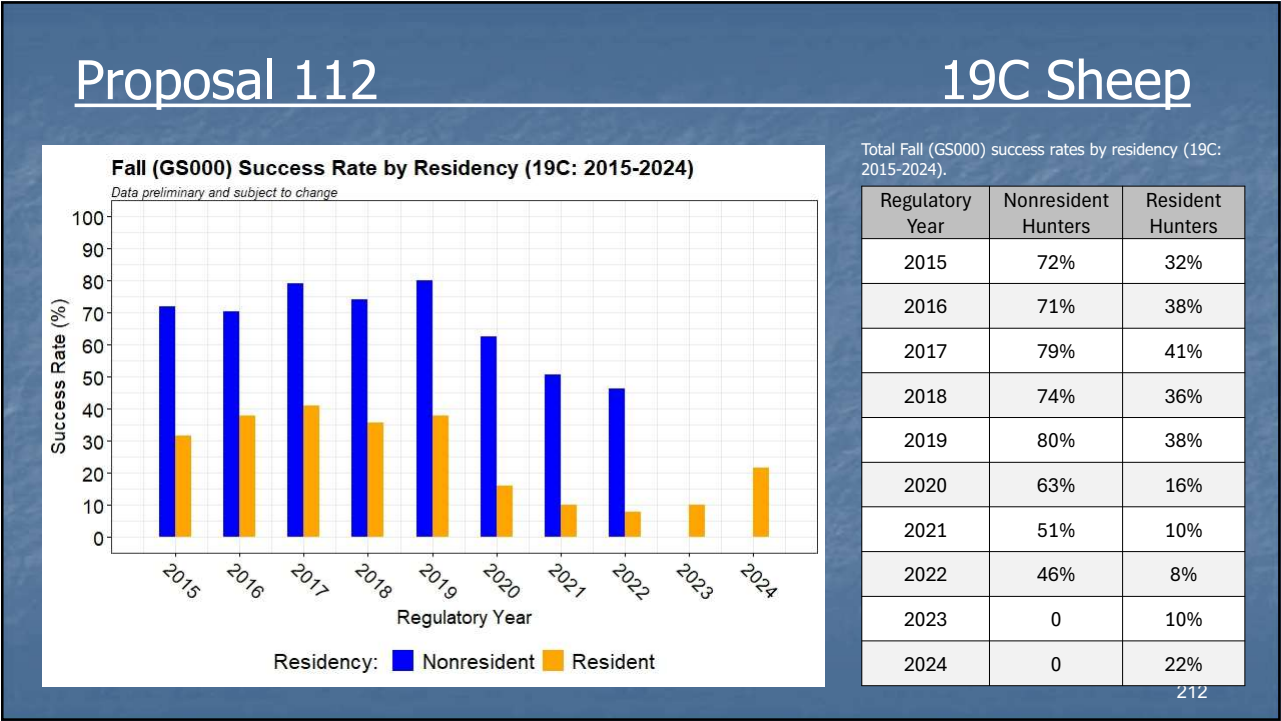
Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	89 (48%)	98 (52%)
2016	95 (51%)	90 (49%)
2017	82 (45%)	100 (55%)
2018	108 (50%)	109 (50%)
2019	95 (51%)	92 (49%)
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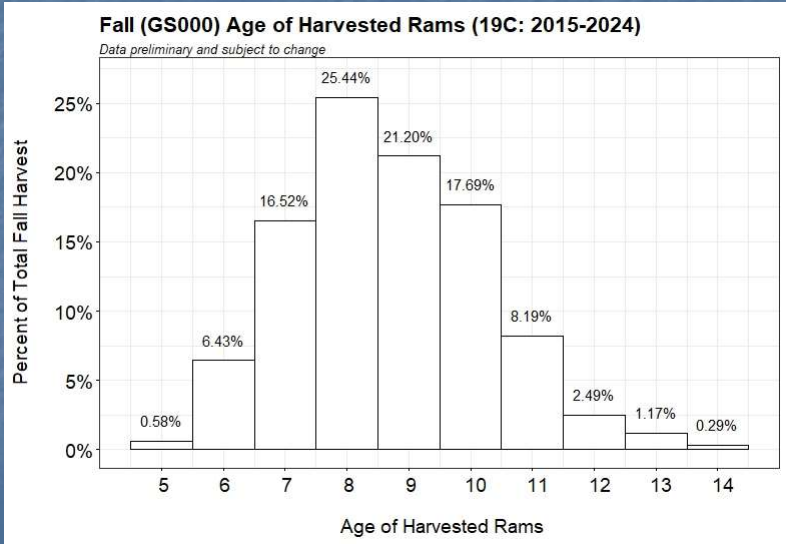
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Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

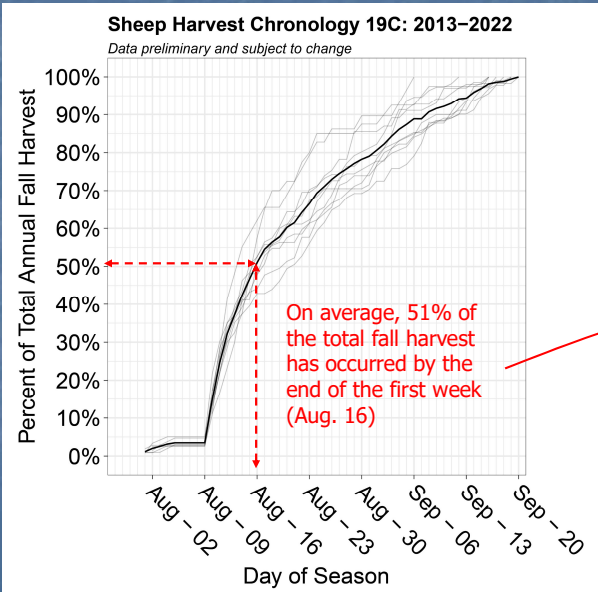
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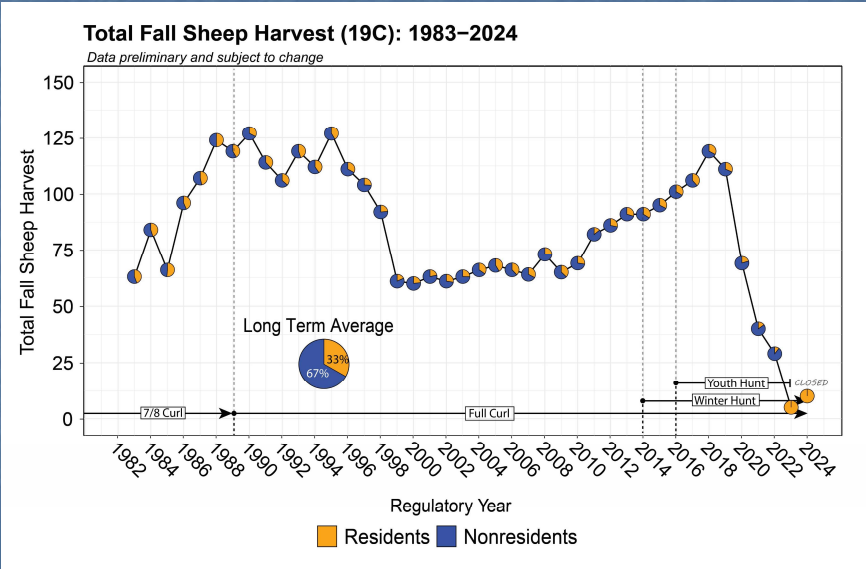
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- Department recommendation
 - Oppose
- Public proposal

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19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
 - Shorten the resident sheep season in Unit 19C and open a nonresident sheep season in Unit 19C
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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■ Current regulations

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 - Residents only (1 ram < $\frac{3}{4}$ curl)

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Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

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- Winter hunt structured to provide opportunity according to the pattern of customary and traditional use

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19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

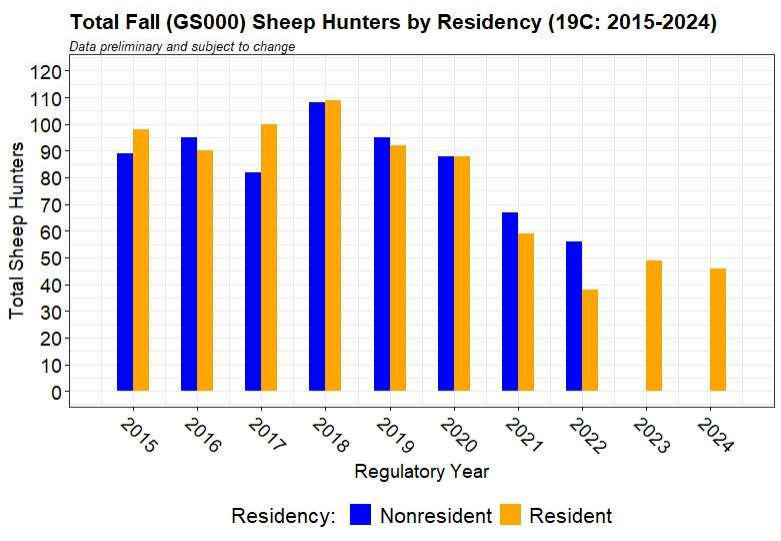
- August 15 – September 10 general season harvest ticket
 - Residents (1 full curl ram)
- August 21 – September 10 general season harvest ticket
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Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

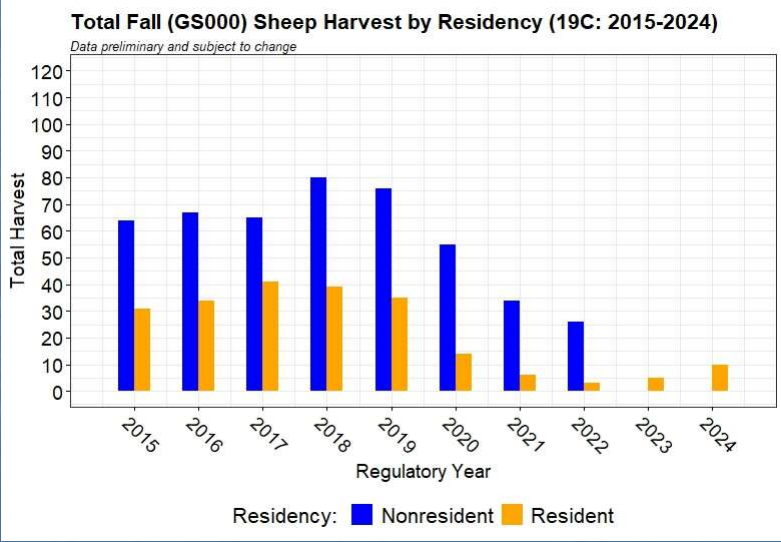
Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	89 (48%)	98 (52%)
2016	95 (51%)	90 (49%)
2017	82 (45%)	100 (55%)
2018	108 (50%)	109 (50%)
2019	95 (51%)	92 (49%)
2020	88 (50%)	88 (50%)
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2022	56 (60%)	38 (40%)
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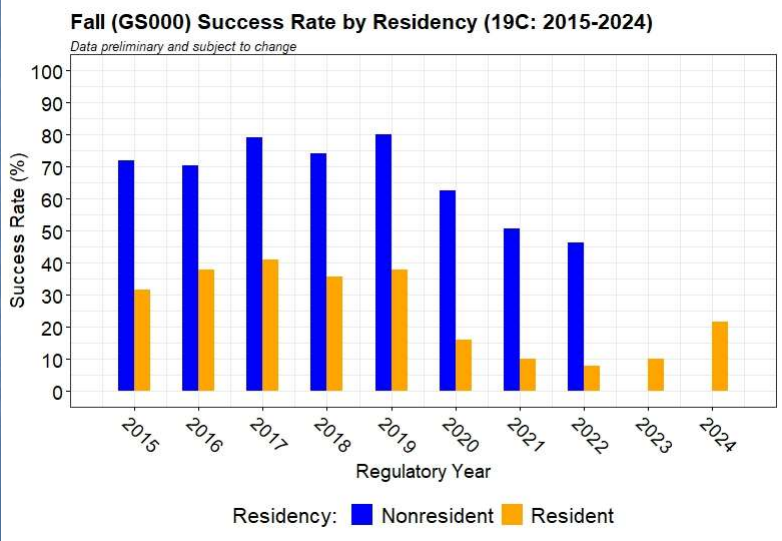
Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	64 (67%)	31 (33%)
2016	67 (66%)	34 (34%)
2017	65 (61%)	41 (39%)
2018	80 (67%)	39 (33%)
2019	76 (68%)	35 (32%)
2020	55 (80%)	14 (20%)
2021	34 (85%)	6 (15%)
2022	26 (90%)	3 (10%)
2023	0	5 (100%)
2024	0	10 (100%)

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Total Fall (GS000) success rates by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	72%	32%
2016	71%	38%
2017	79%	41%
2018	74%	36%
2019	80%	38%
2020	63%	16%
2021	51%	10%
2022	46%	8%
2023	0	10%
2024	0	22%

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RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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19C Sheep

Youth Hunt

Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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Fall (GS000) Age of Harvested Rams (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Age	Percent of Total Fall Harvest
5	0.58%
6	6.43%
7	16.52%
8	25.44%
9	21.20%
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Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

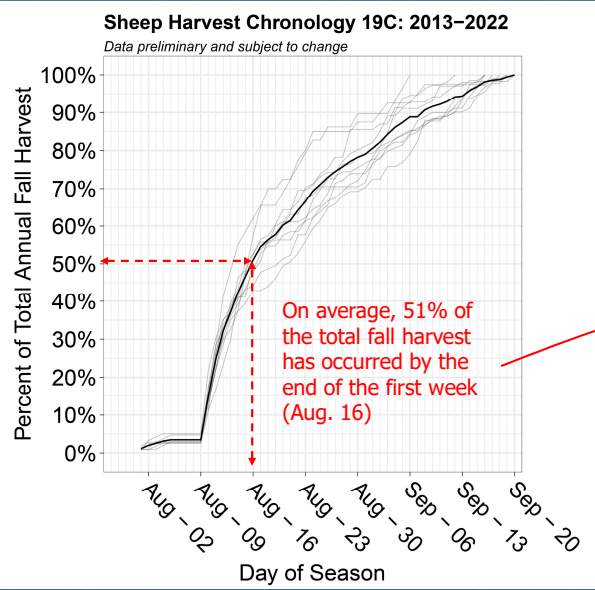
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2021	40	7.95
2022	29	7.86
2023	5	7.6
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Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

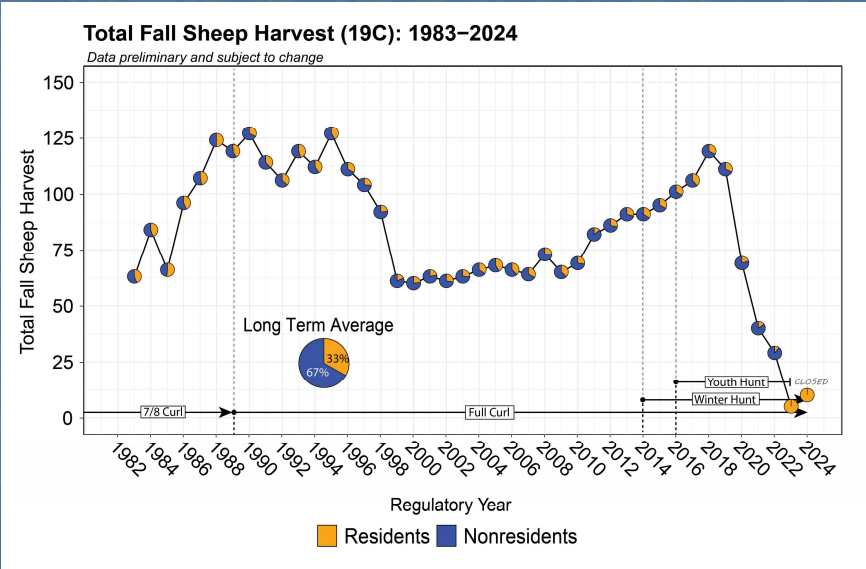
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Aug 31 - Sep 6	11%	89%
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Sep 14 - Sep 20	6%	100%

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Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

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■ Proposed regulations

■ August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket

■ Residents 1 full curl ram by archery only

■ October 1 – April 30 registration permit

■ Residents ram < ¾ curl by archery only

■ Future nonresident seasons by archery only

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Total Fall (GS000) Sheep Hunters by Residency (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	89	98
2016	95	90
2017	82	100
2018	108	109
2019	95	92
2020	88	88
2021	67	59
2022	56	38
2023	0	49
2024	0	46

Residency: ■ Nonresident ■ Resident

Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	89 (48%)	98 (52%)
2016	95 (51%)	90 (49%)
2017	82 (45%)	100 (55%)
2018	108 (50%)	109 (50%)
2019	95 (51%)	92 (49%)
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2023	0	49 (100%)
2024	0	46 (100%)

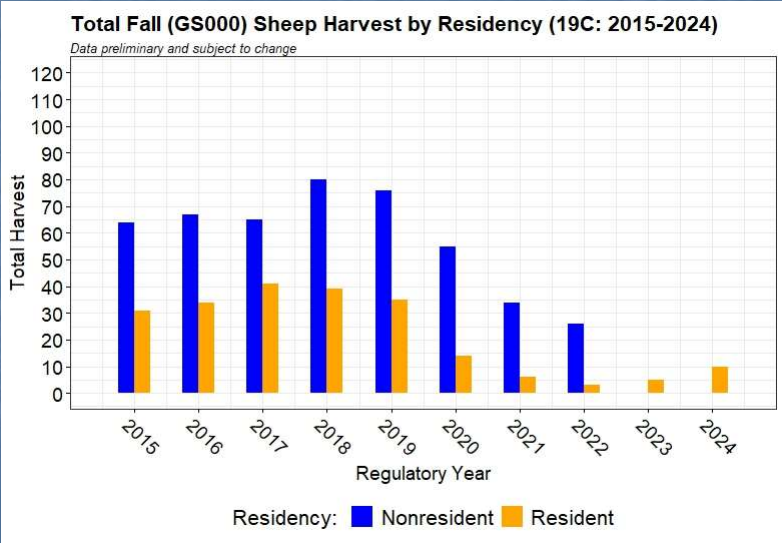
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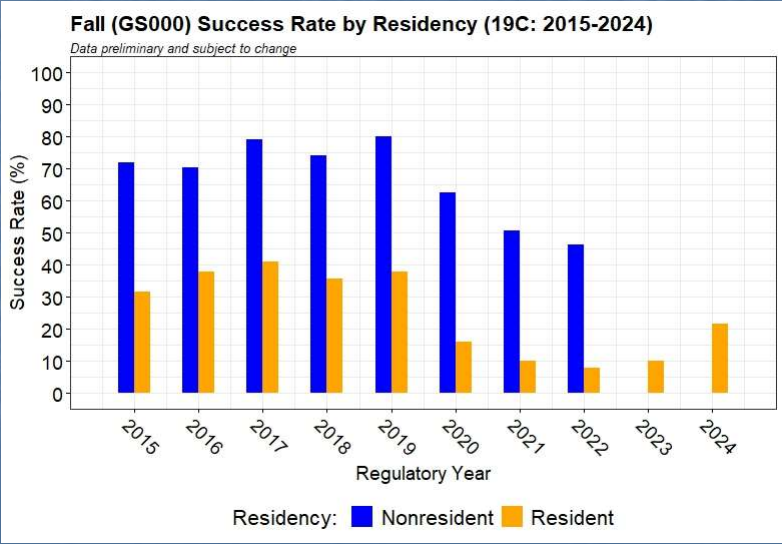
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2019	76 (68%)	35 (32%)
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2021	34 (85%)	6 (15%)
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Total Fall (GS000) success rates by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
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2017	79%	41%
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2019	80%	38%
2020	63%	16%
2021	51%	10%
2022	46%	8%
2023	0	10%
2024	0	22%

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RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
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2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
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Youth Hunt

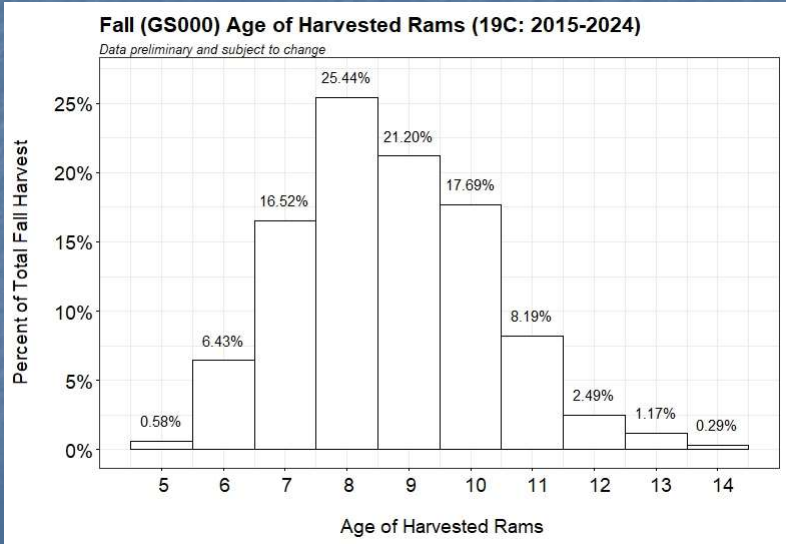
Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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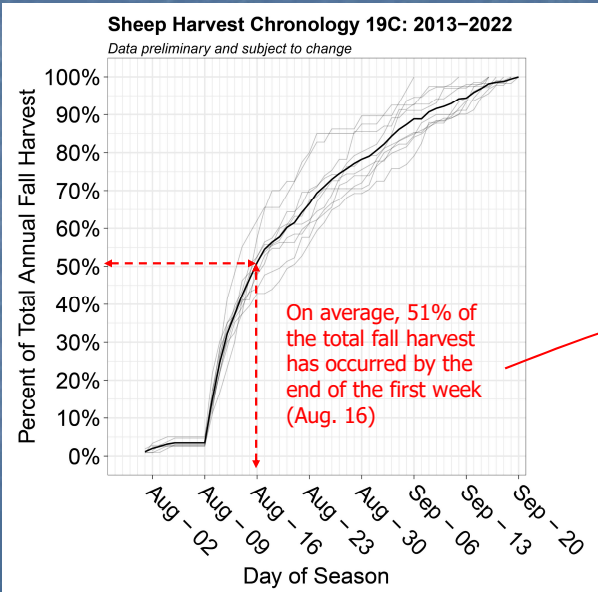
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2021	40	7.95
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Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

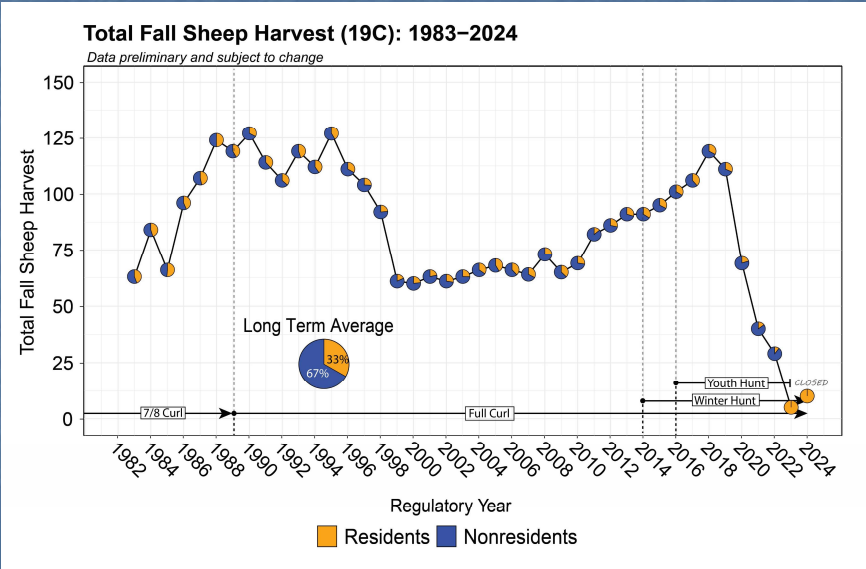
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- Effect of the proposal
 - Change all resident sheep hunting in Unit 19C to archery only and require future nonresident sheep hunting to be archery only.
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
 - Reopen the winter sheep season in Unit 19C
- Department recommendation
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19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

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- At the March 2023 meeting proposal 204 amended
 - Close all nonresident hunting in Unit 19C
 - Close the youth hunt in Unit 19C

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19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
 - Residents only (1 full curl ram)
- October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380
 - Residents only (1 ram < $\frac{3}{4}$ curl)

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19C Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
- Winter hunt structured to provide opportunity according to the pattern of customary and traditional use

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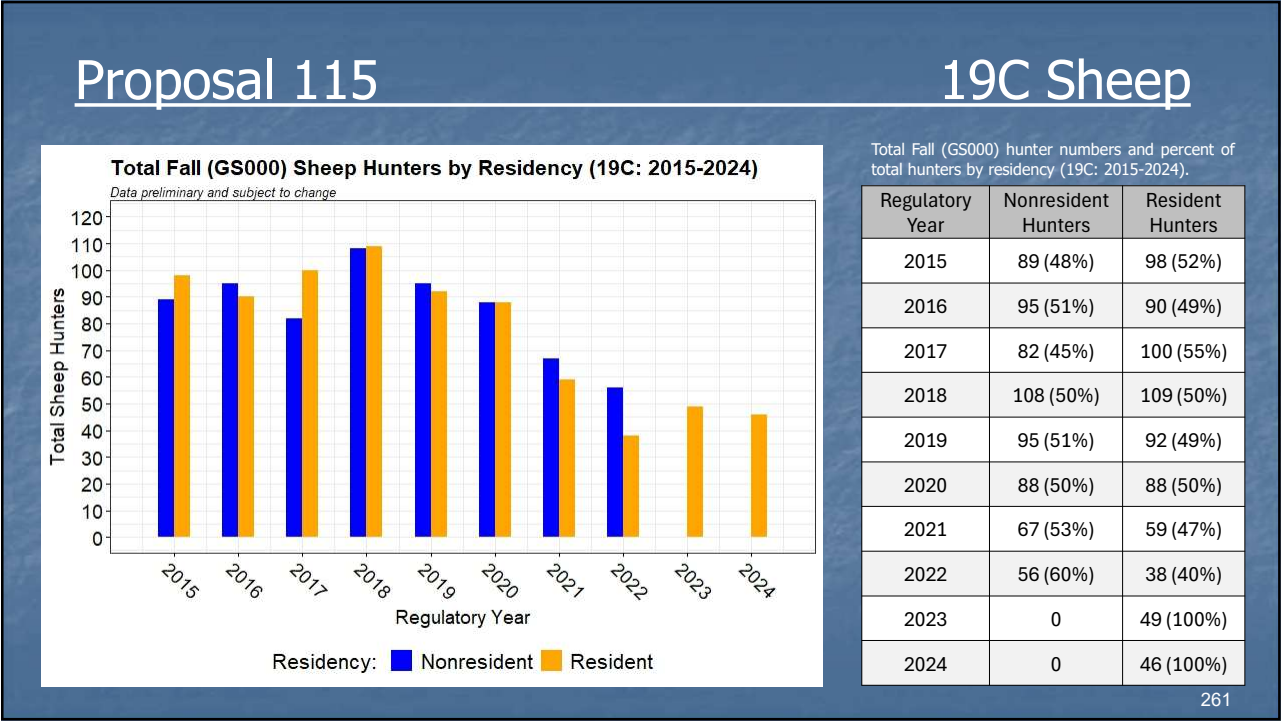
19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

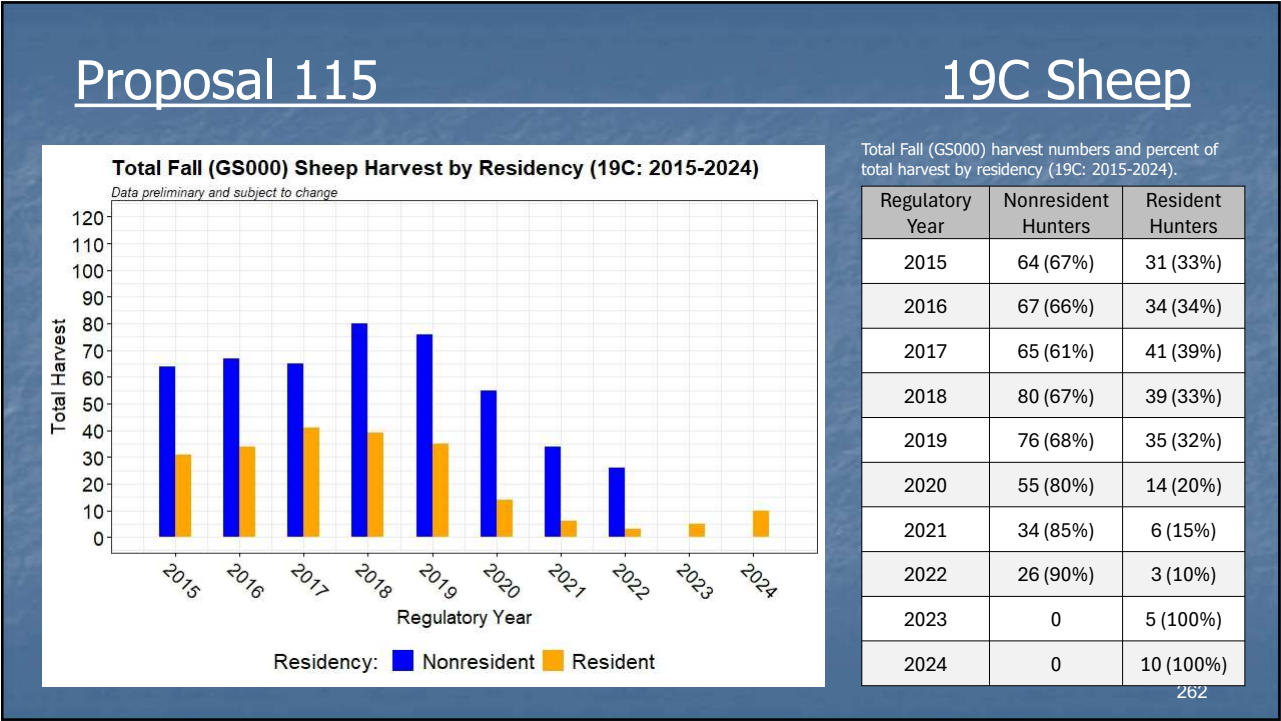
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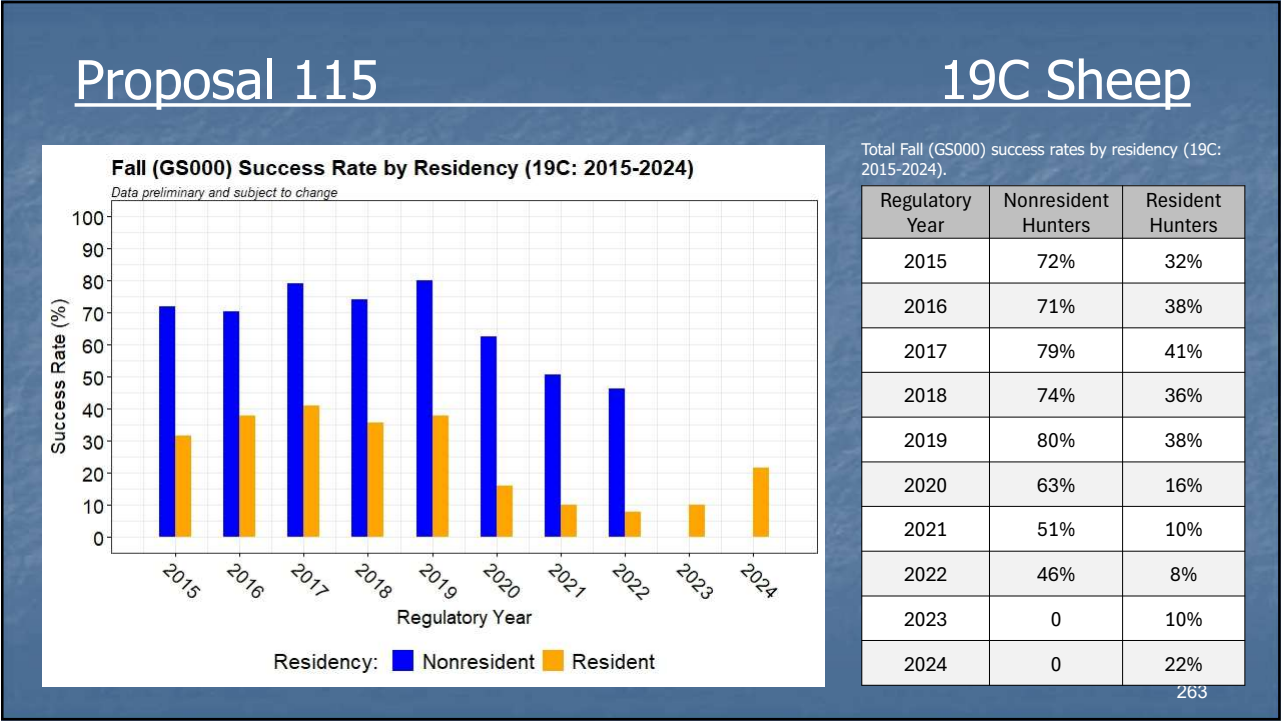
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RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
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2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
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Youth Hunt

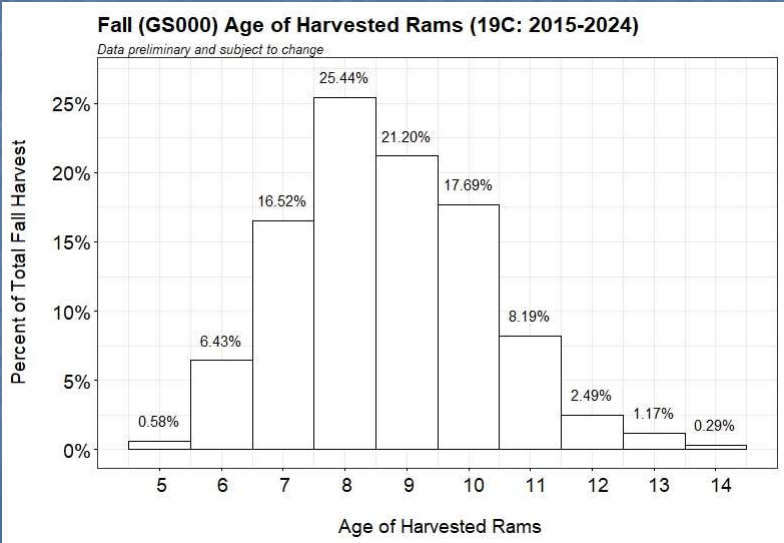
Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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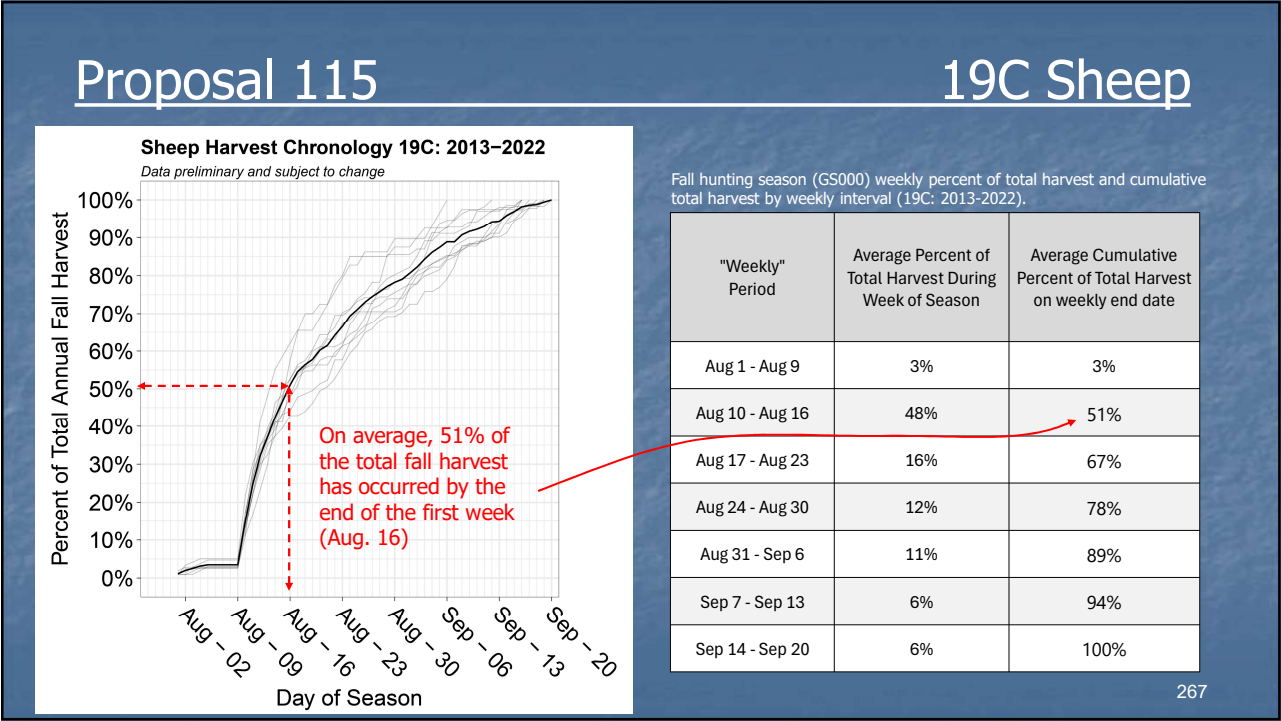


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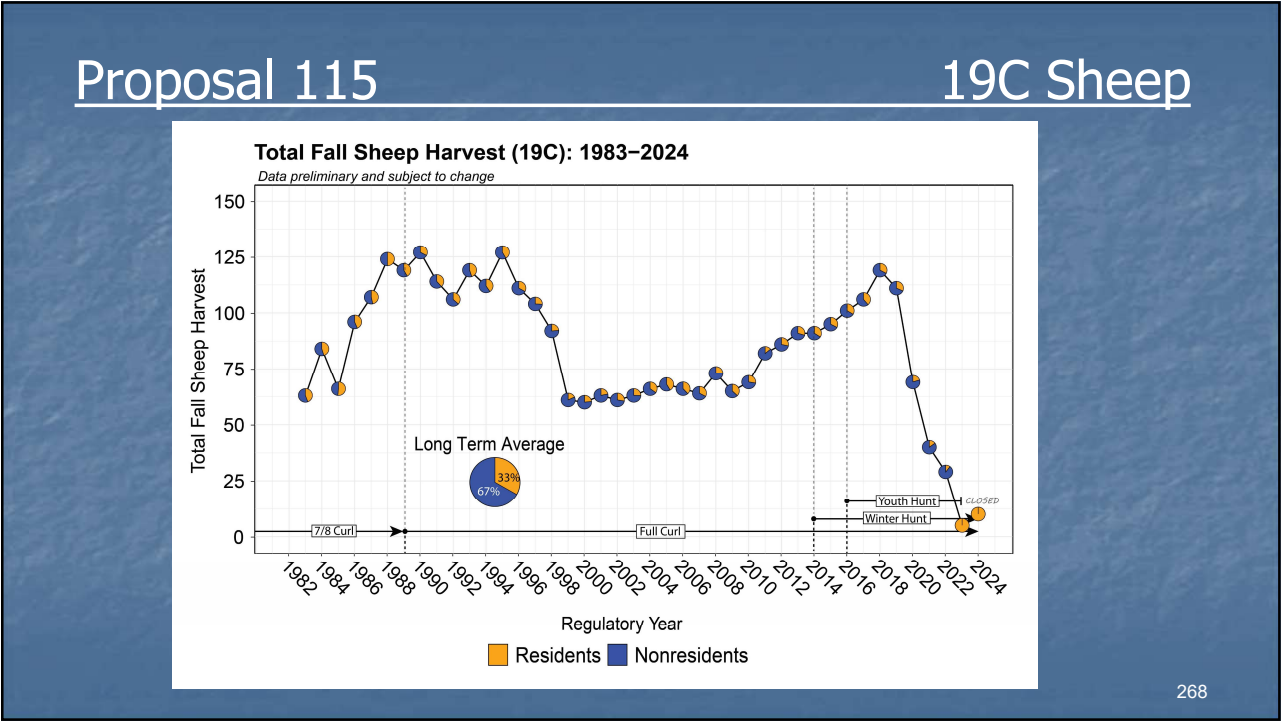
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2022	29	7.86
2023	5	7.6
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19C Sheep

Sheep Surveys

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19C Sheep

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 - Increase in lambs from 2023 (n=73) to 2024 (n=120)

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19C Sheep

Additional Considerations

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19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
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- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
- Public proposal

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Proposal 116

19C Sheep

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 - Reopen the winter sheep season in Unit 19C
- Department recommendation
 - Neutral
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Proposal 116

19C Sheep

- Current regulations
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 - Close all nonresident hunting in Unit 19C
 - Close the youth hunt in Unit 19C

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19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
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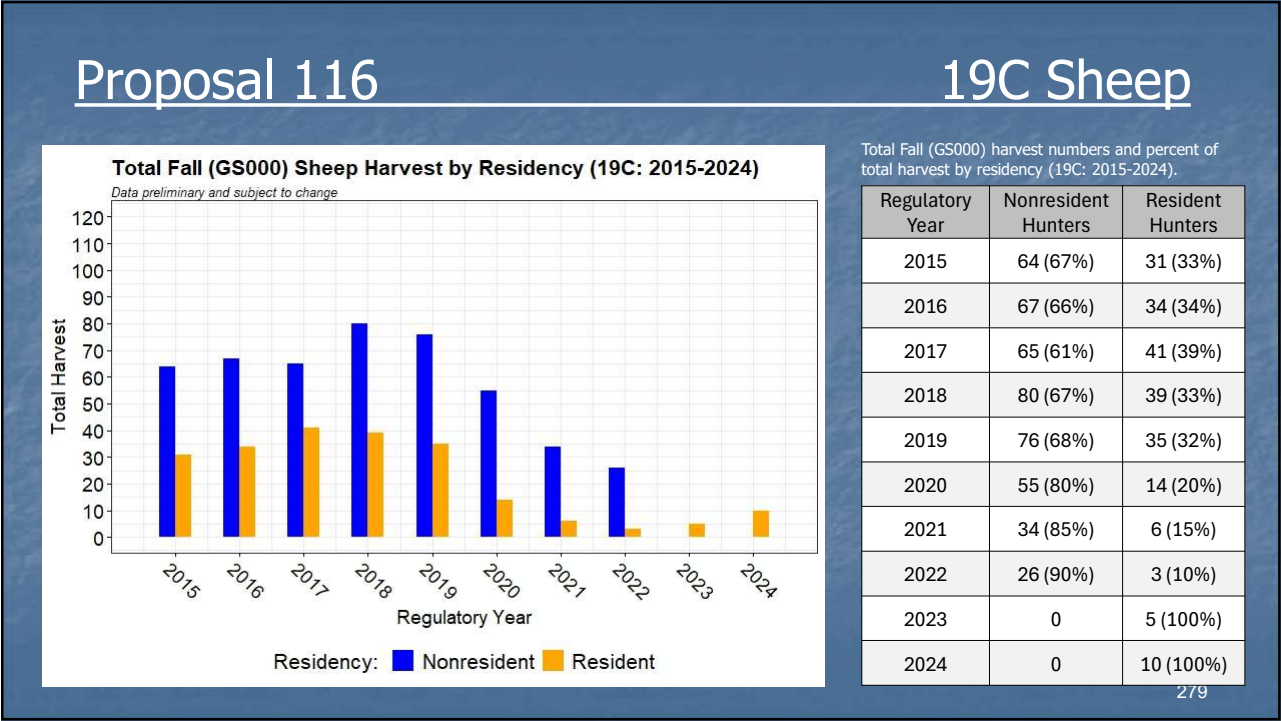
19C Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

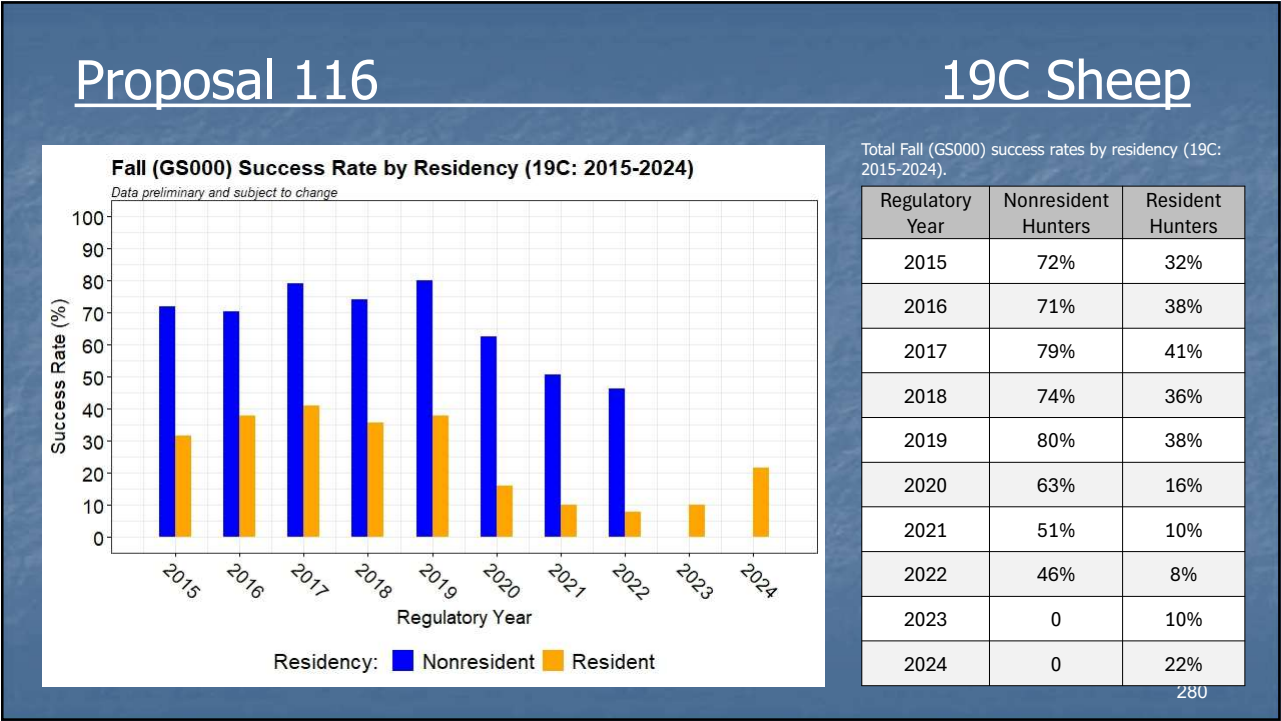
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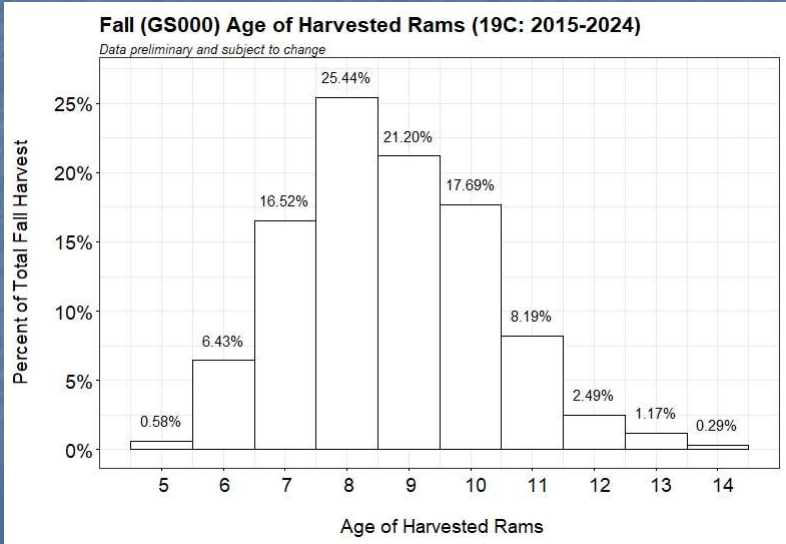
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Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

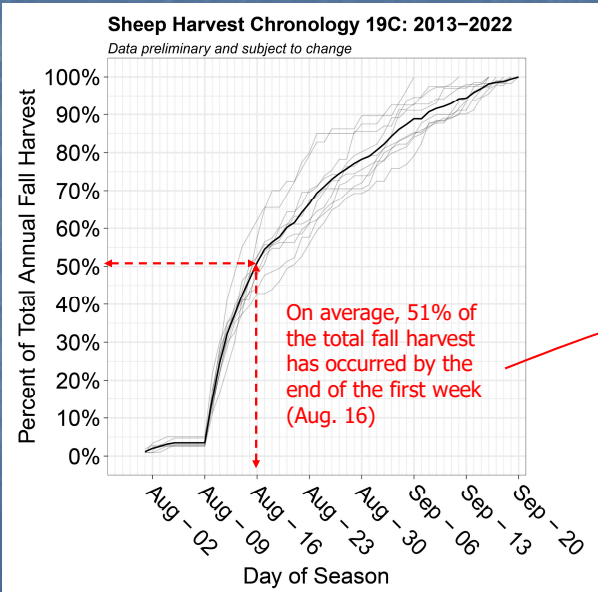
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Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

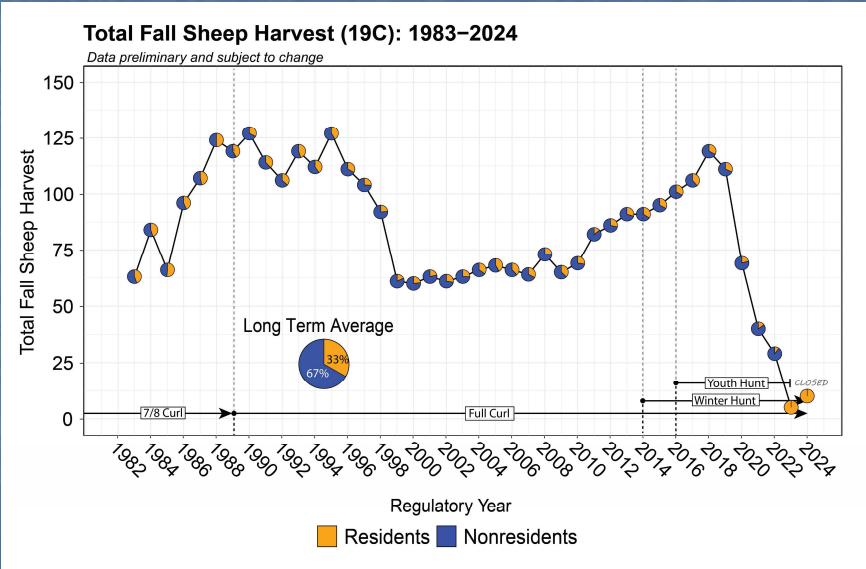
"Weekly" Period	Average Percent of Total Harvest During Week of Season	Average Cumulative Percent of Total Harvest on weekly end date
Aug 1 - Aug 9	3%	3%
Aug 10 - Aug 16	48%	51%
Aug 17 - Aug 23	16%	67%
Aug 24 - Aug 30	12%	78%
Aug 31 - Sep 6	11%	89%
Sep 7 - Sep 13	6%	94%
Sep 14 - Sep 20	6%	100%

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Sheep Surveys

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19C Sheep

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19C Sheep

■ Current regulations

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19C Sheep

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 - ANS 1 – 5 sheep
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19C Sheep

■ Proposed regulations

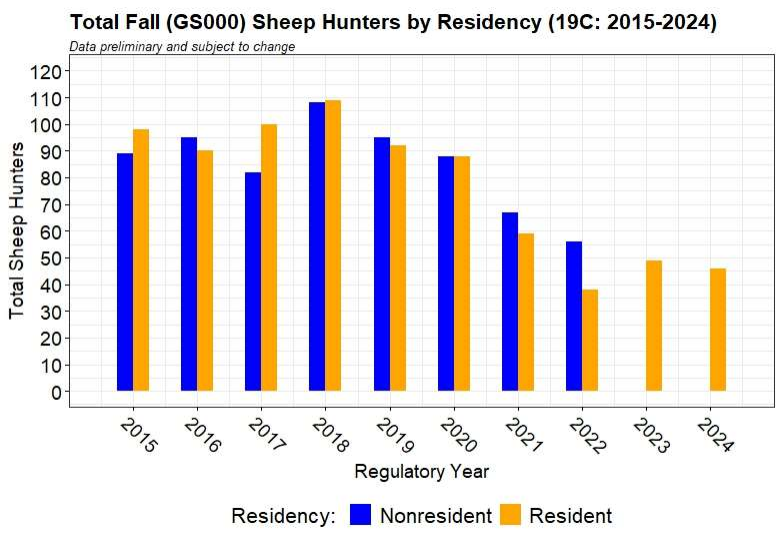
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Total Fall (GS000) hunter numbers and percent of total hunters by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

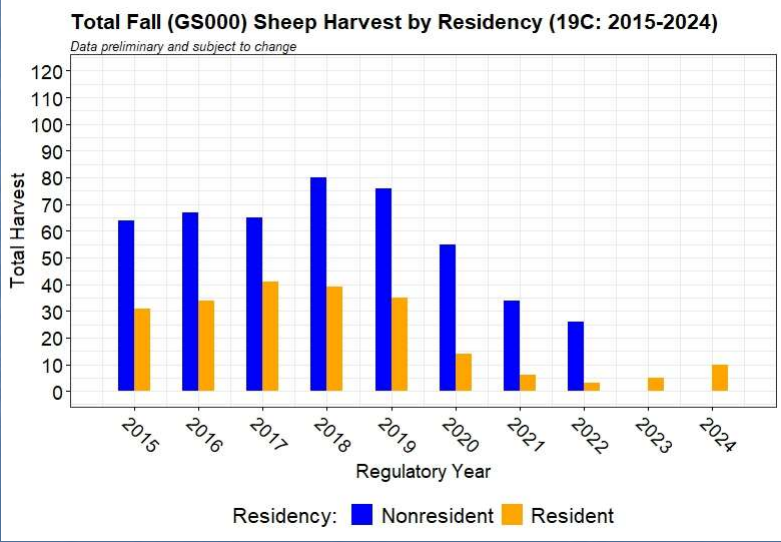
Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	89 (48%)	98 (52%)
2016	95 (51%)	90 (49%)
2017	82 (45%)	100 (55%)
2018	108 (50%)	109 (50%)
2019	95 (51%)	92 (49%)
2020	88 (50%)	88 (50%)
2021	67 (53%)	59 (47%)
2022	56 (60%)	38 (40%)
2023	0	49 (100%)
2024	0	46 (100%)

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Total Fall (GS000) harvest numbers and percent of total harvest by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

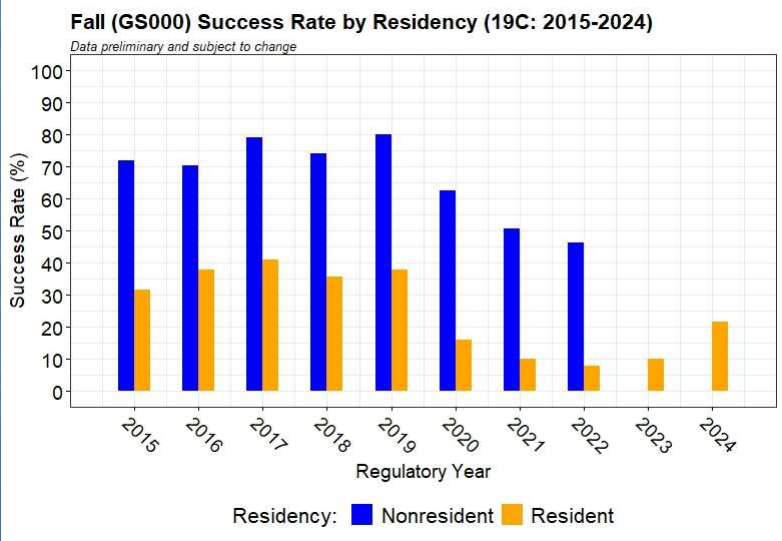
Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	64 (67%)	31 (33%)
2016	67 (66%)	34 (34%)
2017	65 (61%)	41 (39%)
2018	80 (67%)	39 (33%)
2019	76 (68%)	35 (32%)
2020	55 (80%)	14 (20%)
2021	34 (85%)	6 (15%)
2022	26 (90%)	3 (10%)
2023	0	5 (100%)
2024	0	10 (100%)

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Total Fall (GS000) success rates by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
2015	72%	32%
2016	71%	38%
2017	79%	41%
2018	74%	36%
2019	80%	38%
2020	63%	16%
2021	51%	10%
2022	46%	8%
2023	0	10%
2024	0	22%

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19C Sheep

RS380 Winter Hunt

Regulatory Year	Total Ewe	Total Ram	Total Harvest	Total Hunters	Percent of Total Harvest (GS000+RS380)
2014	2	0	2	8	2.2%
2015	2	2	4	6	4.0%
2016	0	0	0	3	0.0%
2017	4	1	5	7	4.5%
2018	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2019	1	3	4	7	3.5%
2020 (Closed)	-	-	-	-	-
2021 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
2022 (Restricted)	0	0	0	2	0.0%
2023 (Restricted)	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Average	1	1	2	4	1.6%

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19C Sheep

Youth Hunt

Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
2024	Closed	-
Average	3	2.9%

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19C Sheep

Fall (GS000) Age of Harvested Rams (19C: 2015-2024)

Data preliminary and subject to change

Age	Percent of Total Fall Harvest
5	0.58%
6	6.43%
7	16.52%
8	25.44%
9	21.20%
10	17.69%
11	8.19%
12	2.49%
13	1.17%
14	0.29%

Fall (GS000) age of rams at harvest (19C: 2015-2024).

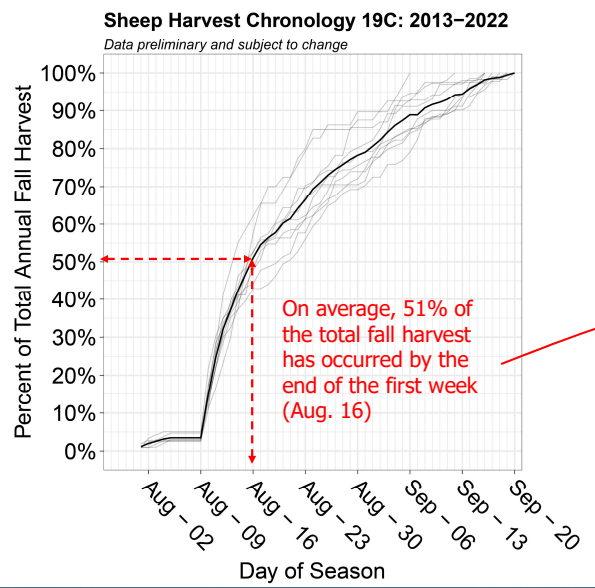
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Fall hunting season (GS000) weekly percent of total harvest and cumulative total harvest by weekly interval (19C: 2013-2022).

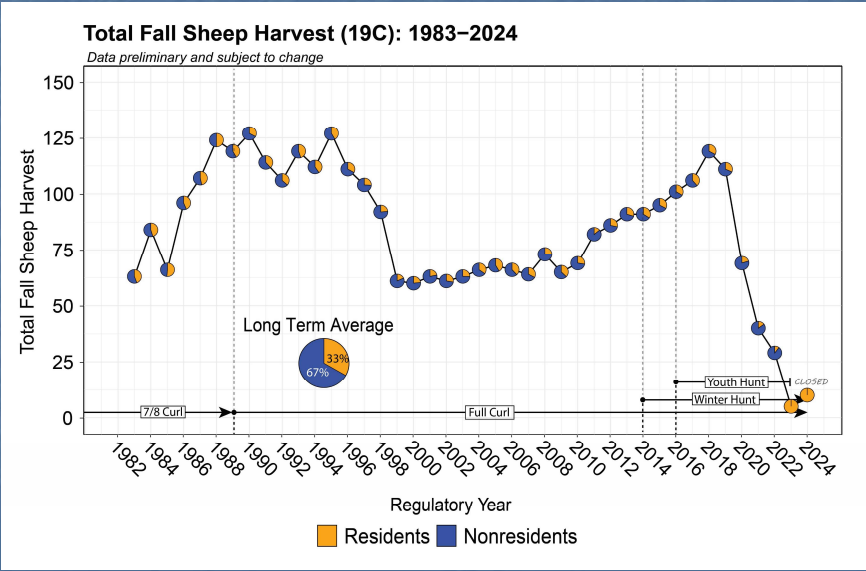
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Sheep Surveys

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Sheep Surveys

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 - Increase in lambs from 2023 (n=73) to 2024 (n=120)

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19C Sheep

Additional Considerations

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19C Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
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- Department recommendation
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Unit 19 Sheep

- Effect of the proposal
 - Close all nonresident sheep hunting in Unit 19
- Department recommendation
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- Public proposal

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Unit 19 Sheep

- Current regulations
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Unit 19 Sheep

■ Current regulations Unit 19B

- August 1 – Aug 5 Youth hunt
 - 1 full curl ram
- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
 - Residents (1 full curl ram)
- August 10 – September 20 general season harvest ticket
 - Nonresidents (1 full curl ram every 4 years)

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Unit 19 Sheep

■ Current regulations Unit 19C

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- October 1 – April 30 winter hunt RS380
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Unit 19 Sheep

Amounts Necessary for Subsistence

- Positive C&T determination in Unit 19
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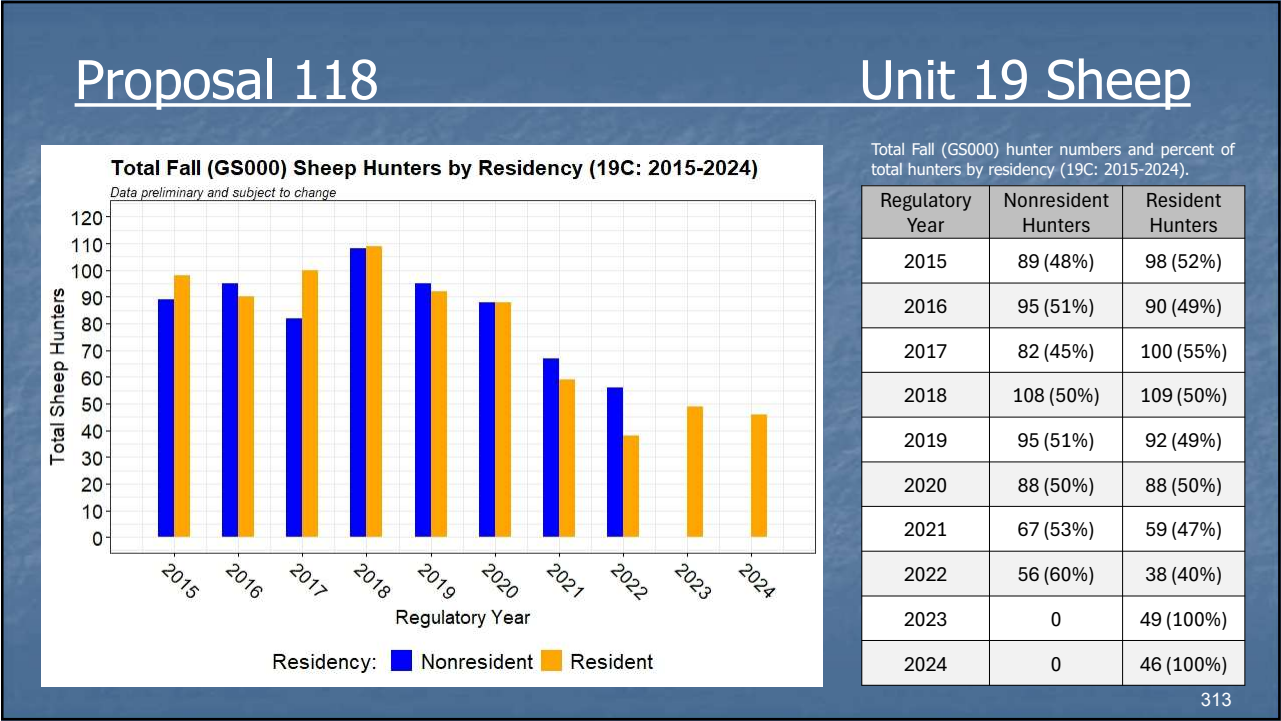
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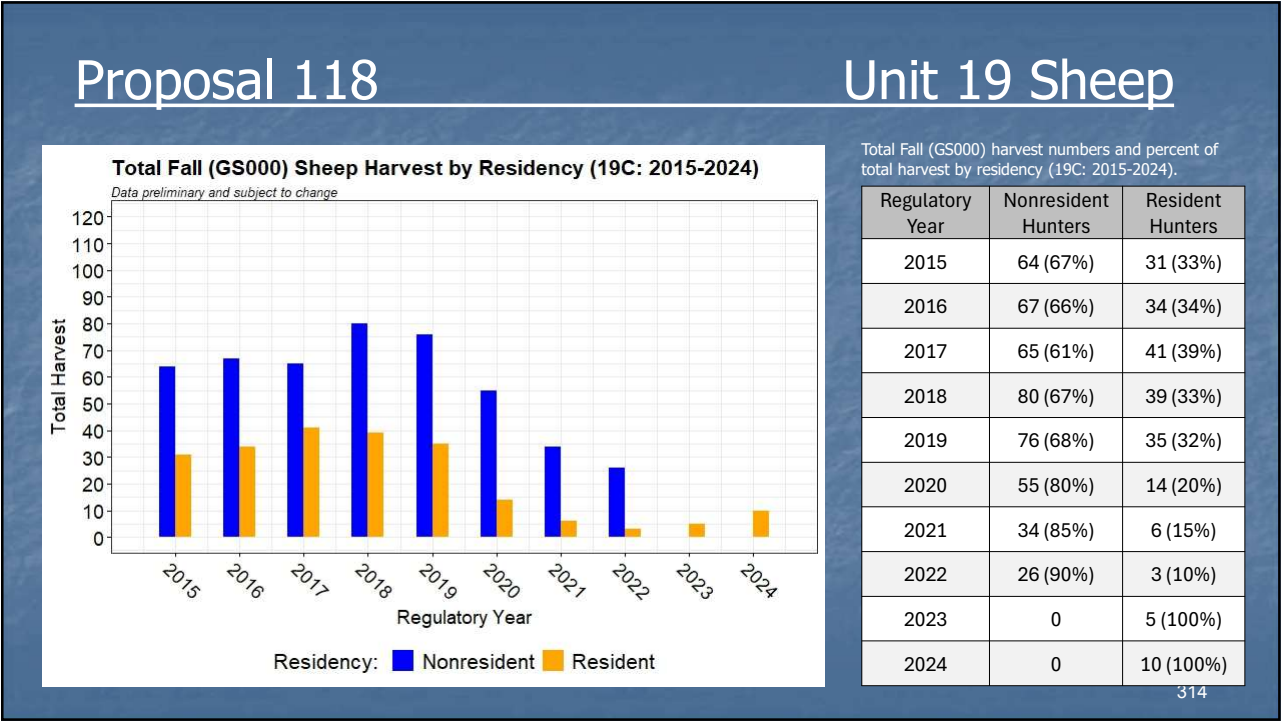
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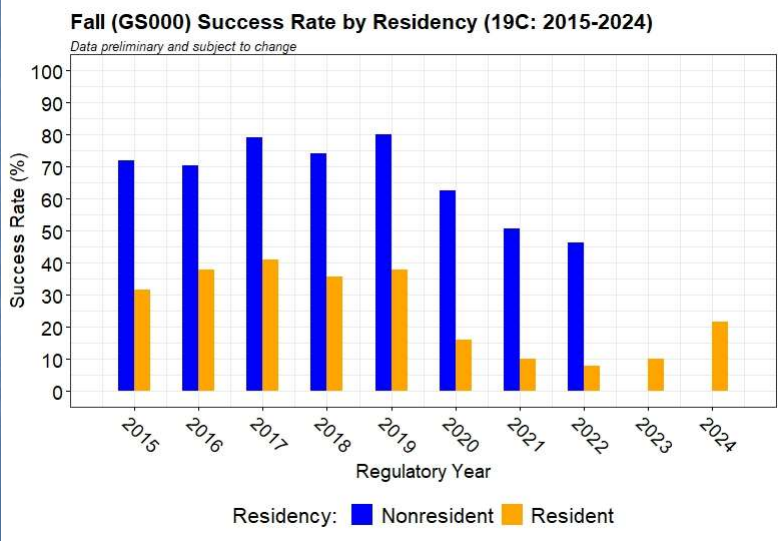
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Unit 19 Sheep



Total Fall (GS000) success rates by residency (19C: 2015-2024).

Regulatory Year	Nonresident Hunters	Resident Hunters
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2017	79%	41%
2018	74%	36%
2019	80%	38%
2020	63%	16%
2021	51%	10%
2022	46%	8%
2023	0	10%
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Unit 19 Sheep

RS380 Winter Hunt

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Unit 19 Sheep

Youth Hunt

Year	Harvest	Percent of Total Sheep Harvest (GS000 + RS380)
2016	3	3.0%
2017	5	4.5%
2018	6	5.0%
2019	3	2.6%
2020	2	2.9%
2021	1	2.5%
2022	0	0.0%
2023	Closed	-
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Fall (GS000) Age of Harvested Rams (19C: 2015-2024)

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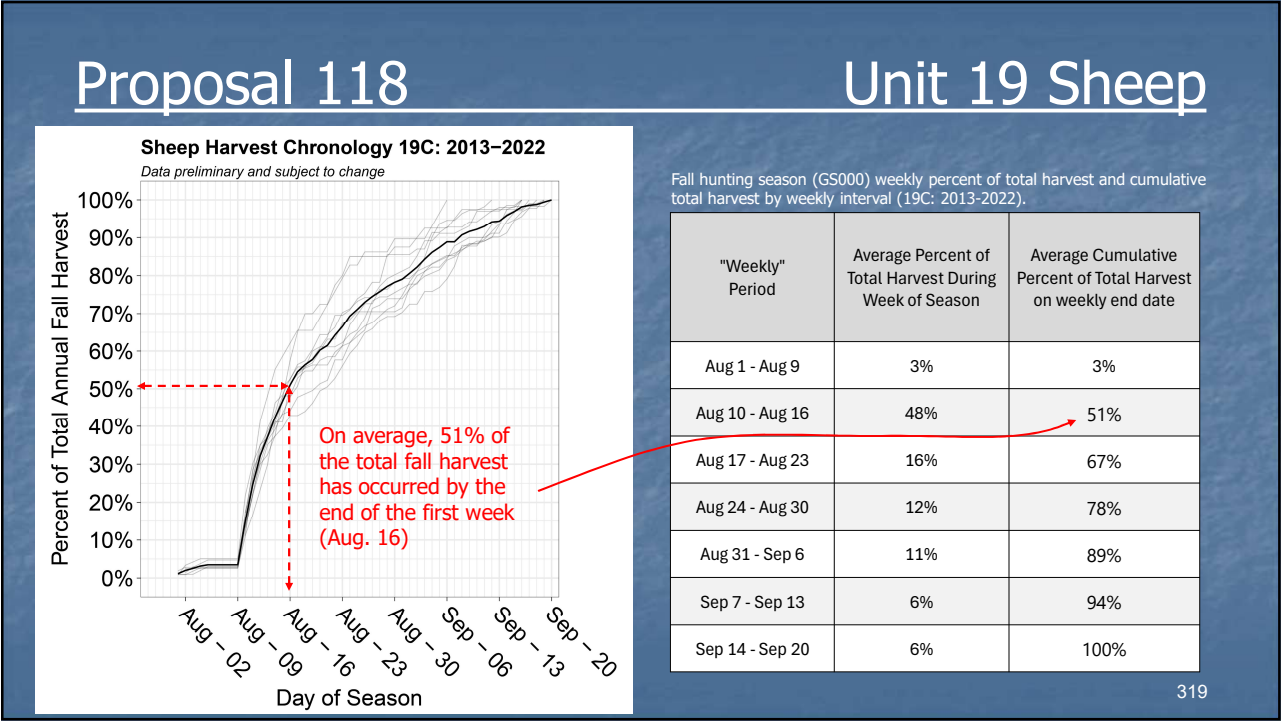
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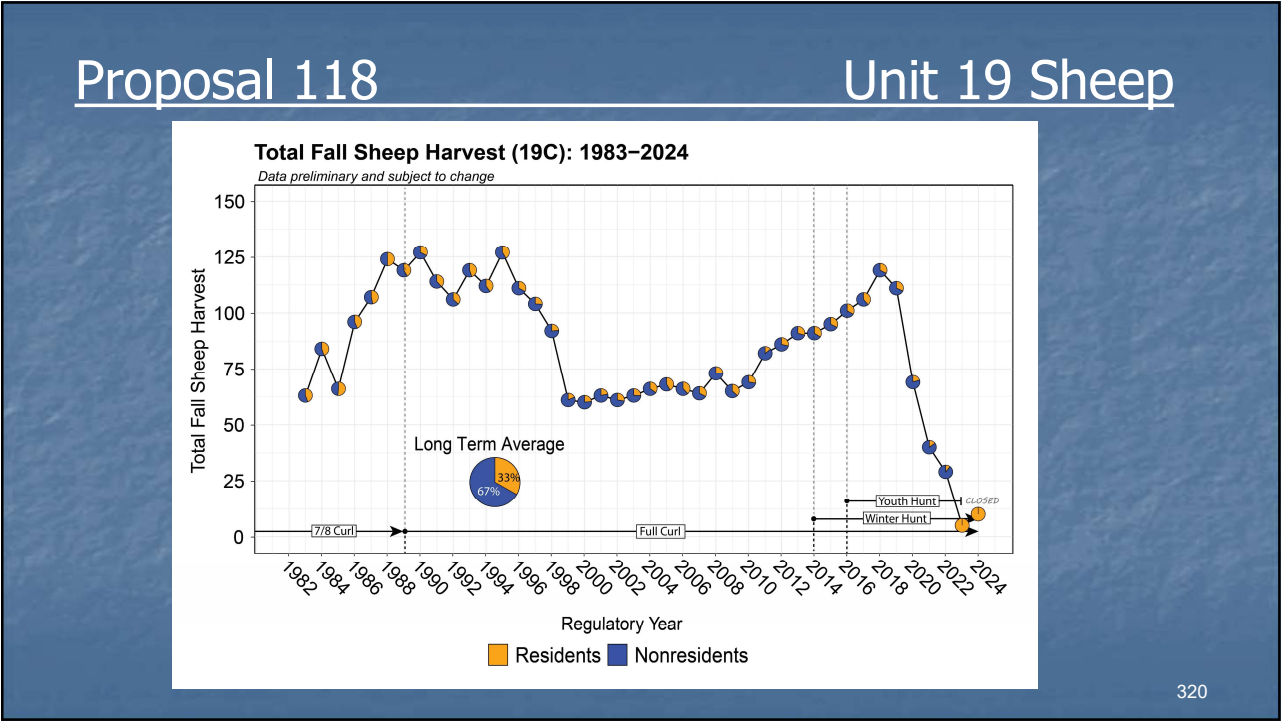
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2023	5	7.6
2024	10	8.4

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Unit 19 Sheep

19B Harvest Data

- RY15 – RY24 average participation
 - Residents 5 hunters per year
 - Nonresidents < 1 hunter per year
- RY15 – RY24 average harvest
 - Residents < 2 sheep per year
 - Nonresidents < 1 sheep per year

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