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Name: Eric Anslinger

Community of Residence: Fairbanks

Comment:

Id like to see a review of CUA's statewide added to the agenda. Most of these areas were put in place by guides or their spouses while serving on the board. In cases where conflicts between resident hunters and guides exist, the residents shall receive deference in accordance with the state constitution. While guides do have a right to earn a living as shown in court during the 1980's, it did not prioritize those opportunities of access opportunities for residents. The federal government has and is continuing to limit access to residents. The Board has an obligation to the residents of this state to provide access and opportunity.



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December 31st, 2024

Chair Hoffman and Members of the Board of Game
Alaska Board of Game
P.O. Box 115526
Juneau, AK 99811

RE: Request to Host 2025-2026 Southeast Board of Game Meeting in Wrangell

Dear Chair Hoffman and Board Members,

On behalf of the City and Borough of Wrangell, I would like to formally invite the Board of Game to consider Wrangell as the host location for the upcoming Southeast Board of Game (BOG) meeting.

Wrangell offers excellent meeting facilities and a welcoming environment, with numerous local dining options and amenities all within close proximity to our downtown meeting spaces. Our community has not had the opportunity to host the Board of Game since 2006, and we believe this is an ideal time to bring the meeting back to Wrangell.

The Wrangell Advisory Committee will be convening on January 7th to discuss game issues, and there is already significant interest from local residents regarding potential proposals on moose, elk, and mountain lion. Holding the BOG meeting in Wrangell would not only facilitate meaningful public participation but also ensure that local voices and perspectives are well-represented on important regional wildlife matters.

We appreciate your dedication to ensuring that communities throughout Southeast Alaska are engaged in these critical discussions. Thank you for your time and consideration of Wrangell as a host city for the upcoming Board of Game meeting. We look forward to hearing from you and would be happy to provide any additional information or assistance needed.

Sincerely,

Mason F. Villarma

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Borough Manager
City and Borough of Wrangell



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Name: Chris Guggenbickler

Community of Residence: Wrangell

Comment:

Dear Chair Hoffman and members of the
Board of Game,

As chair of the Wrangell Advisory Committee I would like to invite and encourage you to choose Wrangell for the upcoming SE BOG meeting. Wrangell has a great meeting facility as well as many local places to eat all within walking distance. The last time the BOG met in Wrangell was 2006.

We will be having a local AC meeting on January 7th to go over game issues. I anticipate from discussions with local individuals that we will be submitting proposals on moose, elk and mountain lion from our AC. I am hopeful a BOG meeting in Wrangell would generate decent public participation.

It was great meeting many of you in Ketchikan last cycle. Thank you for taking this into consideration.

Thank You,

Chris Guggenbickler
