

Proposal 133

5 AAC 85.025. Hunting seasons and bag limits for caribou.

40 mile caribou hunt be restricted to residents only and made into a tier two hunt as follows:

What solution do you recommend? In other words, if the board adopted your solution, what would the new regulation say?

40 mile caribou

With the current size of 40 mile Caribou herd offering greatly reduced hunting opportunities. The previous very liberal harvest opportunities no-longer exist. Nonresident hunters should be excluded from hunting this herd till numbers recover enough to exceed the resident hunter demand. There simply is not enough population available to offer these animals to nonresidents currently. Or conversely offer this as a tier two hunt for those who historically have hunted this herd till numbers recover enough to allow a general harvest again.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why?

40 Mile Caribou,

Herd size decline limiting hunting opportunity.

Did you develop your proposal in coordination with others, or with your local fish and game advisory committee?

I propose the 40 mile hunt be restricted to residents only and be made a tier two hunt.

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