

Proposal 211

5 AAC 85.045. Hunting seasons and bag limits for moose.

Change hunting season for moose in 25C to start one week later than it currently does, for the same number of days that are allowed now as follows:

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

My husband and I would like to suggest the hunting season for moose in 25C be changed to start one week later than it currently does, for the same number of days that are allowed now. It seems over the last 25 plus years we've been hunting the area, the seasons have changed and the moose are not active until later in September. This change wouldn't necessarily need to be applied to non-residence hunters, but it would be nice for us resident hunters. Thank you for your considerations

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

Our issue is the lack of moose, which we and many others believe to be tied into the milder climate. The leaves are dropping later and later in the fall and the moose just are not as active as they used to be during the current hunting dates for Unit 25C.

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

This is a suggestion based on our personal experience and the many, many comments of other hunters who believe the climate is affecting the hunting season for moose.

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