

Proposal 42

5 AAC 85.050. Hunting seasons and bag limits for musk oxen.

Extend the muskox hunting season to end on March 31 as follows:

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

Extend the muskox hunting season to:

Current opening date – March 31

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

The current muskox hunting season ends on March 15, which does not allow sufficient time to harvest available quota under typical winter conditions.

Late season conditions, when travel is often safest and most reliable, occur after the season closes. This limits hunting opportunity and results in underutilization of available harvest.

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

Yes. This proposal was developed based on input from local hunters and is intended to support and reinforce a similar proposal anticipated from the Seward Peninsula Regional Advisory Council.

PROPOSED BY: City of White Mountain (OI-F26-099)
