Three Yukon Delta NWR Wildlife Proposals

1. Increase bag limit for ptarmigan for unit 18. Last cycle, the board of game increased the bag limit for ptarmigan in unit 18. This proposal would match the state season bag limits.

Existing regulation:

All rural residents, 15 ptarmigan per day, 30 in possession Aug. 10 - May 30.

Proposed regulation:

All rural residents, twenty five (25) per day, fifty (50) in possession.

2. Eliminating the attempted take of caribou from a boat moving under power. This regulation is not applicable due to many animals are harvested on navigable water ways which falls under state regulations.

Existing regulation:

You may take caribou from a boat moving under power in Unit 18.

Proposed regulation:

You may take caribou from a boat moving under power in Unit 18.

3. Eliminating the attempted take of moose from a boat moving under power. This regulation is not applicable due to many animals are harvested on navigable water ways which falls under state regulations.

Existing regulation:

You may take a moose from a boat moving under power in that portion of Unit 18 west of a line running from the mouth of the Ishkowik River to the closest point of Dall Lake, then to the east bank of the Johnson River at its entrance into Nunavakanukakslak Lake (N 60°59.41' Latitude; W 162°22.14' Longitude), continuing upriver along a line 1/2 mile south and east of, and paralleling a line along the southerly bank of the Johnson River to the confluence of the east bank of Crooked Creek, then continuing upriver to the outlet at Arhymot Lake, then following the south bank west to the Unit 18 border

Proposed regulation:

You may take a moose from a boat moving under power in that portion of Unit 18 west of a line running from the mouth of the Ishkowik River to the closest point of Dall Lake, then to the east bank of the Johnson River at its entrance into Nunavakanukakslak Lake (N 60°59.41' Latitude; W 162°22.14' Longitude), continuing upriver along a line 1/2 mile south and east of, and paralleling a line along the southerly bank of the Johnson River to the confluence of the east bank of Crooked Creek, then continuing upriver to the outlet at Arhymot Lake, then following the south bank west to the Unit 18 border