

PROPOSAL 55

5 AAC 24.361. Copper River King Salmon Management Plan and

Restrict commercial guide services in the Upper Copper River District when the Copper River District commercial fishery is restricted, as follows:

If the commercial fishery is closed for king conservation measures on the inside waters during the commercial season for more than two consecutive non-mandatory inside closures then the commercial guide services in the Upper Copper River drainage will be limited to at least one conservation measure listed below for a period of no less than one week.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? The disconnect between conservation measures upriver and downriver. The commercial fisheries upriver and downriver should be tethered together in a way that promotes stewardship and shared conservation when necessary amongst commercial interest.

Did you develop your proposal in coordination with others, or with your local Fish and Game Advisory Committee? Explain. In coordination with others in reviewing historical data.

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