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ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES ARCTIC-YUKON-KUSKOKWIM FINFISH MEETING

November 18-22, 2025 Pike's Waterfront Lodge, Fairbanks

TENTATIVE AGENDA

NOTE: This tentative agenda is <u>subject to change</u> throughout the course of the meeting.

This Tentative Agenda is provided to give a general idea to the public of the board's <u>anticipated</u> schedule. The board will attempt to hold to this schedule; however, the board is not constrained by this Tentative Agenda.

The DEADLINE to sign up for PUBLIC TESTIMONY will be Wednesday November 19 at 10:00 am.

The DEADLINE to sign up for TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE REPORTS will be **Friday November 14 at 5:00 pm**. To request providing a Traditional Knowledge report to the board, please fill out the <u>TK sign-up form</u> and email this to Art Nelson, the board's Executive Director at <u>art.nelson@alaska.gov</u> or call (907) 267-2292 for questions. For more information on Traditional Knowledge Reports, please review board finding <u>2024-305-FB</u>.

<u>Tuesday</u>, <u>November 18 2025</u>, 8:30 a.m.

Morning

OPENING BUSINESS

Call to Order; Introductions of Board Members and Staff, Board Member Ethics Disclosures

STAFF REPORTS

<u>Afternoon</u>

Continue STAFF REPORTS, as needed

Wednesday, November 19, 8:30 a.m.

TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE REPORTS

PUBLIC TESTIMONY: Oral Public Testimony, including Advisory Committee Reports

Public testimony will continue until those who are <u>present</u> at the meeting are heard; the board will continue working through its agenda immediately upon conclusion of public testimony.



Thursday, November 20, 8:30 a.m.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – **GROUP 1**: KUSKOKWIM AND YUKON SUBSISTENCE AND SPORT FISHERIES (6 Proposals; Chair: **WOOD**) Kuskokwim Subsistence Fisheries, Proposals 13-14; Yukon Subsistence Fisheries, Proposals 15-17.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – **GROUP 2**: TANANA SPORT FISHERIES (10 Proposals; Chair: **CHAMBERLAIN**) Chatanika Northern Pike Sport Fisheries, Proposals 18-20; Tanana Drainage Sport Fisheries, Proposals 21-27.

COMMENCE DELIBERATIONS

BOARD DELIBERATIONS on Group 1

Friday, November 20, 8:30 a.m.

BOARD DELIBERATIONS on Group 2

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – **GROUP 3**: NORTON SOUND and KOTZEBUE SUBSISTENCE, COMMERCIAL, and SPORT FISHERIES (16 proposals: Chair - **IRWIN**) Norton Sound Subsistence and Commercial Fisheries, Proposals 28-36; Norton Sound Sport Fisheries, Proposals 37-38; Kotzebue Sound Sport Fisheries, Proposals 39; Kotzebue Sound Subsistence and Commercial Fisheries, Proposals 40-43.

Saturday, November 21, 8:30 a.m.

BOARD DELIBERATIONS on Group 3

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

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AGENDA NOTES:

- This agenda is TENTATIVE and subject to change during the meeting. Schedule updates will be posted at the meeting. An audio of the meeting should be available at the Board of Fisheries webpage (http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fisheriesboard.main) during periods when the board is on the record.
- 2) Testimony is expected to be limited to <u>three</u> (3) minutes for individuals and groups and <u>ten</u> (10) minutes for advisory committee representative and regional advisory council representatives. These times may be changed by the chair in order to manage the volume of the workload. Advisory committee and regional advisory council representatives may present reports either at the beginning or end of public testimony. The representative should notify the board secretary whether he or she prefers the beginning or end of public testimony.
- BOARD COMMITTEES AND PUBLIC PANELS: For this meeting, the board has established a number of committees to serve as Committees of the Whole to provide additional review of proposals. Board committees are comprised of board members, with AC and public advisors to provide information to the board that was not already received in written or oral comments. AC representatives and the public can fully participate in the board's committee discussions. The purpose of the committee process is to: 1) broaden public participation in the regulatory process; 2) provide another forum for stakeholders to discuss resolution or possible compromise on contentious issues; and 3) provide additional detailed information relative to proposals.