

Proposal 115 was deferred by the Board of Game from the March 2024 Interior and Eastern Arctic Region meeting. It was previously published as Proposal 89.

PROPOSAL 115

5 AAC 85.055. Hunting seasons and bag limits for Dall sheep.

Reopen the subsistence winter sheep hunts in Unit 19C as follows:

Residents: One ram with 3/4 curl horn or smaller; excluding rams with both tips broken; by permit available online at <http://hunt.alaska.gov>, or in person in McGrath and Nikolai beginning Sept 26; check in/out required due to small quota; aircraft prohibited. (no open season)

RS380

Oct. 1-Apr. 30

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

Reinstate:

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This hunt was closed at the last Board of Game meeting along with closing the nonresident season against the opposition by Alaska Department of Fish and Game to this proposal of a five year closure to all hunters due to lack of biological reason for a closure. Reopening this hunt will allow local residents without use of aircraft traditional harvest of sheep. This is an important cultural hunt for the local hunters on the upper Kuskokwim to hunt without competition.

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