

# Federal Wildlife Proposal

**Proponent:**

Eastern Interior Alaska Regional Advisory Council

**Issue:**

Increase the harvest limit for brown bear in Unit 12 to two bears

**Existing Federal Regulation:**

**Unit 12– Brown Bear**

*Unit 12—1 bear*

*Aug. 10-June 30.*

**Proposed Federal Regulation:**

**Unit 12– Brown Bear**

*Unit 12—2 bear*

*Aug. 10-June 30.*

**Why Should this regulation be changed?**

This would provide additional opportunity for federally qualified subsistence users. In Unit 12, State hunting regulations already allow two bears for resident hunters. There are no conservation concerns for brown bear in this unit.