

LAKE CLARK NATIONAL PARK
SUBSISTENCE RESOURCE COMMISSION
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October 19, 2021

Ms. Nanci Morris Lyon, Chair
Bristol Bay Regional Advisory Council
c/o U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
1011 East Tudor Road MS 121
Anchorage, Alaska 99503

Dear Ms. Morris Lyon,

The Lake Clark National Park Subsistence Resource Commission (SRC) met via teleconference on October 6, 2021. The SRC reviewed the federal subsistence wildlife proposals for the Lake Clark area that are being considered for the 2022-2024 regulatory cycle and would like to provide comments for the following proposals:

WP22-39: Request to create specific harvest regulations for Alaska hare (*Lepus othus*) in Units 9 and 17.

The Lake Clark National Park Subsistence Resource Commission supports WP22-39 as written.

WP22-40: Allow Federally qualified subsistence users to use a snowmachine to position wolves and wolverines for harvest on Federal public lands in Units 9B, 9C, 17B, and 17C, provided the animals are not shot from a moving snowmachine.

The Lake Clark National Park Subsistence Resource Commission did not take a position on this proposal. The SRC would like to see a clearer definition of what “position” means in the context of the proposed regulation.

WP22-41: Requests that the Federal in-season manager be delegated authority to open and close seasons, announce harvest limits, and set sex restrictions for caribou in all or portions of Units 9A, 9B, 9C, 17A, 17B, 17C, 18, 19A, and 19B via delegation of authority letter

The Lake Clark National Park Subsistence Resource Commission did not take a position on this proposal.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

Signed Glen Alsworth

Glen Alsworth Sr., Chair
Lake Clark National Park
Subsistence Resource Commission

cc: NPS Alaska Regional Director
Superintendent, Lake Clark National Park and Preserve