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Federal Subsistence Board Meeting Announcement

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Southcentral Alaska Subsistence Regional Advisory Council to meet in Anchorage

Public is welcome and encouraged to participate

The Southcentral Alaska Subsistence Regional Advisory Council is scheduled to meet October 17-18, 2016 at the Gorsuch Commons, University of Alaska, Anchorage. The meeting begins at 8:30 a.m. on October 17.

The Council will discuss proposals to change Federal subsistence fish and shellfish regulations for the 2017-2019 regulatory years as well as other issues affecting subsistence in its region. In particular, the Council will discuss several proposals related to the Kenai River. The Council will also discuss the Tongass National Forest Submerged Lands Proposed Rule. All current fish proposals may be found at the Federal Subsistence Management Program's website:

<https://www.doi.gov/subsistence/proposal/current>.

The public is welcome to attend and participate in this meeting. To teleconference into this meeting, dial 1-866-916-7020, the passcode is 37311548.

All meeting materials are currently posted online and may be found here:

https://www.doi.gov/subsistence/regions/sc_materials. You may also request to have the documents mailed, or emailed to you by contacting the Office of Subsistence Management. The Federal Subsistence Board is committed to providing access to this meeting for all participants. Please direct requests for sign language interpreting services, closed captioning, or other accommodation needs to the Office of Subsistence Management at (800) 478-1456 / (907) 786-3888 or by e-mail at subsistence@fws.gov by 5:00 p.m. on October 3, 2016.

Additional information on the Federal Subsistence Management Program may be found on the web at www.doi.gov/subsistence or by visiting www.facebook.com/subsistencealaska.

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