FEDERAL DEER SEASON EXTENDED IN UNIT 3

TEMPORARY SPECIAL ACTION:
FEDERAL SUBSISTENCE BOARD

Under authority of: 36 CFR §242.10 and .19
50 CFR §100.10 and .19

Temporary Special Action No: 13-BD-07-20
Issued at: Petersburg Alaska, October 27, 2020

Effective Date: Immediately
Expiration Date: 11:59 p.m. Saturday, November 7, 2020 unless superseded by subsequent special action

EXPLANATION:
This Emergency Special Action extends the deer season in Unit 3 on Mitkof, Woewodski, Butterworth Islands and that portion of Kupreanof Island on the Lindenberg Peninsula east of Portage Bay - Duncan Canal Portage through 11:59 p.m., Nov. 7, 2020 with a harvest limit of 1 buck. The harvest limit is also revised from antlered deer to buck in the remainder of Unit 3.

REGULATION: 36 CFR §242.26(n)(3) and 50 CFR §100.26(n)(3) are amended to read:

Unit 3— Deer

Unit 3— Mitkof, Woewodski, Butterworth Islands and that portion of Kupreanof Island on the Lindenberg Peninsula east of the Portage Bay-Duncan Canal Portage — 1 buck  Oct. 1 – Nov. 7

Unit 3— remainder — 2 bucks  Aug. 1 – Nov. 30
Federal Subsistence Board by delegation to  _/s/Ted Sandhofer_
Ted Sandhofer
District Ranger
Petersburg Ranger District
October 27, 2020

JUSTIFICATION:

The Federal Subsistence Board adopted these regulations based on the recommendation of the Southeast Alaska Subsistence Regional Advisory Council. Due to administrative delays in the Federal Rule Making Process, the Federal Subsistence Board has approved temporary delegated authority to some Federal land managers to enact temporary changes to Federal Subsistence Regulations adopted by the Board at its April 2020 regulatory meeting. This delegation of authority is established pursuant to 36 CFR 242.10(d)(6) and 50 CFR 100.10(d)(6).

DISTRIBUTION:

RADIO
KSTK Radio; KFSK Radio;

NEWSPAPERS
Wrangell Sentinel; Petersburg Pilot;

GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS
Don Hernandez, Southeast Regional Subsistence Advisory Council Chair; Frank Robbins, ADF&G Division of Wildlife Conservation, Sitka; Ben Mulligan, Deputy Commissioner, ADF&G; Mark Burch, Special Projects Coordinator, Alaska Public Safety Department-Fish & Wildlife Protection Division ADF&G; Earl Stewart, Forest Supervisor, USFS-Ketchikan; Joseph Boggs, USFS Law Enforcement Officer, Petersburg; Paul Robbins Jr., Public Affairs Officer, USFS – Ketchikan; Sue Detwiler, Theo Matuskowitz, Lisa Maas, Caron McKee, and George Pappas, Office of Subsistence Management - Anchorage; Michael Ielmini, Subsistence Program Leader, USFS-Anchorage; Terry Suminski, Tongass Subsistence Program Leader, USFS-Sitka; DeAnna Perry, Subsistence Council Coordinator, USFS-Juneau; Alaska Department of Public Safety. Mark Jensen, Mayor of Petersburg; Tracy Welch, Petersburg Indian Association.