



Alaska Migratory Bird Co-Management Council

U.S. Fish & Wildlife
Service

Alaska Department of
Fish & Game

Aleutian-Pribilof
Islands Association

Association of Village
Council Presidents

Bristol Bay Native
Association

Chugach Regional
Resources
Commission

Ahtna Inter-Tribal
Resource
Commission

Kawerak, Inc.

Maniilaq Association

North Slope Borough

Sun'aq Tribe of
Kodiak

Tanana Chiefs
Conference

Draft Fall Meeting Agenda

Wednesday-Thursday, September 11-12, 2024

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Kodiak College, 117 Benny Benson Drive, Kodiak, Alaska

Virtual Meeting Information – ZOOM

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 865 1351 2667- Passcode: 192213

Teleconference Info: 1- 253-215-8782

THIS LINK IS VALID WEDNESDAY 9/11 AND THURSDAY 9/12

- 1) All Council Members meet at Mill Bay Beach for Council Group Photo
- 2) Call to Order – Chair, State of Alaska Representative – Ryan Scott
- 3) Land Acknowledgement
- 4) Moment of Silence
- 5) Seating of Alternates
- 6) Roll Call/Establish Quorum
- 7) Introductions
 - a. Council Members and Staff
 - b. Guests and Members of the Public
- 8) Review and Adoption of Agenda TAB 1
- 9) Invitation for Public Comments
- 10) Adoption of Council Action Items – May 21-22, 2024 TAB 2
Includes Update on Action Items
- 11) Executive Team Report
 - a. Native Caucus – Randy Mayo, Chair
 - b. State of Alaska, Department of Fish & Game – Ryan Scott
 - c. U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service – Wendy Loya
 - d. AMBCC Executive Director – Patty Schwalenberg TAB 3

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*A Co-Management partnership among Alaska Natives, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, and
State of Alaska in support of the subsistence use and conservation of migratory birds*

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12) NEW BUSINESS

- a. DISCUSSION – Potential Proposed regulations for 2026
 - i. Ahtna Inter-Tribal Resource Commission – Change in Harvest Dates from 5/27-6/27 to July 15
 - ii. Possibly Kenaitze Tribe or Salamatof Tribe – Make traditional use area on Kenai Peninsula an included area
- b. Lead Shot Update – Kate Martin, USFWS – 30”

13) REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS

13) COMMITTEE REPORTS

TAB

- a. Emperor Goose Management Committee – Dave Safine – 15”

15) TECHNICAL REPORTS

- a. Subsistence Harvest Assessment Program – Liliana Naves, ADF&G TAB
 - Division of Subsistence - **1:00 p.m. on DAY ONE – 1 Hour**
 - 1. Harvest of Waterfowl and Sandhill Crane in rural Alaska
 - 2. Integrating Indigenous and Scientific Knowledge for Collaborative Harvest Management of EMGO in Alaska
 - 3. Shorebird Outreach – Culture- and Place-Based Learning at Schools and Communities in the Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta
 - 4. Early-1900s Yup’ik Dance Mask Connects Indigenous Tradition and Shorebird Conservation
- b. HPAI Update – Andy Ramey, USGS – **2:00 p.m. on DAY ONE – 30”** TAB
- c. Waterfowl Population Status and Trends: Aerial Survey Results 2024 - Julian Fischer, MBM, USFWS – 30” TAB
- d. Pacific Flyway Council Update and Potential Changes to State Regulations in 2025 – Jason Schamber, ADF&G – 15” TAB
- e. AMBCC Budget and Grants Management – Wendy Loya, USFWS, TAB
- f. Alaska Science Center Migratory Bird Updates – John M., Pearce, USGS TAB
This report is provided in the packet – no oral presentation

16) OLD BUSINESS

17) Invitation for Public Comments

18) Council and Staff Comments

19) Date and Place of Next Meeting

TAB

20) Adjournment