

Register ____, _____, 20__ NATURAL RESOURCES

11 AAC 12.020 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(h) Notwithstanding this chapter, 11 AAC 20, and 11 AAC 21, a park officer, division personnel, Department of Fish and Game personnel, Alaska police officer, firefighter, federal agent, or search and rescue personnel operating under the direction of the director, a park officer, or a police officer may operate a vehicle in a state park to respond to an emergency such as search and rescue, law enforcement, fire suppression, or a similar emergency.

(Eff. __/__/__, Register __)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 12 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 AAC 12.030. Snowmobiles. (a) A person may operate a snowmobile in an area of a state park that the director has posted as open to the use of snowmobiles.

(b) The director may post all or portions of the state parks listed below as open to use of snowmobiles if the director finds that there is adequate snow depth to protect underlying vegetation and use of snowmobiles does not present a hazard to other park users and park resources;

- (1) Big Lake North and South State Recreation Sites;
- (2) Birch Lake State Recreation Site;
- (3) Blair Lake State Recreation Area;
- (4) Blueberry Lake State Recreation Site;
- (5) Captain Cook State Recreation Area, within the following areas:
 - (A) Stormy Lake boat launch access road;

- (B) Stormy Lake;
 - (C) the gas pipeline right of way;
 - (D) the fifty-foot wide corridor area adjacent to the Kenai Spur Highway;
 - (E) the Cook Inlet beach access road;
- (6) Chena Pump State Recreation Site;
- (7) Chena River State Recreation Area north of the Chena River, west of the south fork valley, and north of the east fork valley;
- (8) Clearwater State Recreation Site;
- (9) Chugach State Park, within the following areas:
- (A) the Eklutna Lake Basin from the Eklutna Lake Campground to the wilderness boundary, excluding the Twin Peaks Trail, the Bold Ridge Trail, and the East Fork of the Eklutna drainage;
 - (B) The designated snowmobile corridor from Peters Creek trailhead and the Peters Creek drainage up valley of the posted sign near the intersection of the snowmobile corridor with Peters Creek and down valley of the wilderness boundary within Section 19, T. 14 N, R. 2 E, Seward Meridian;
 - (C) Little Peters Creek or Ptarmigan Valley drainage and adjacent land north of Meadow Creek drainage, except for the NW 1/4 of Section 21, T15N, R1W, Seward Meridian;
 - (D) the Ptarmigan Valley Trail from the Old Glenn Highway to Ptarmigan Valley;

(E) the Eagle River water course and gravel bars downstream of the confluence of Icicle Creek and Eagle River located in Section 25, T. 13 N, R. 1E, Seward Meridian, excluding the South Fork and Meadow Creek;

(F) the snowmobile corridors from the Eagle River Nature Center, North Fork Eagle River Access Day Use Area, and Eagle River Greenbelt Access Trailhead;

(G) the designated snowmobile corridor from Upper Huffman Trailhead to a point where the corridor intersects a straight line made between the top of False Peak and Flattop Peak, and extending from that point up valley within the South Fork Campbell Creek drainage;

(H) Bird Creek drainage downstream of the traffic control device south of the Quartz Creek ford;

(10) Clam Gulch State Recreation Area;

(11) Denali State Park;

(12) Donnelly Creek State Recreation Site;

(13) Eagle Trail State Recreation Site;

(14) Fielding Lake State Recreation Site;

(15) Harding Lake State Recreation Area;

(16) Indian River State Recreation Area;

(17) Johnson Lake State Recreation Area.

(18) Kenai River Special Management Area, within the following areas:

(A) Kenai Lake, from December 1 through April 30 annually; and

(B) Skilak Lake, in accordance with 50 C.F.R. 36.39(i)(4), revised as of October 1, 2000 and adopted by reference.

- (19) Lake Aleknagik State Recreation Site;
- (20) Lake Louise State Recreation Area;
- (21) Lower Chatanika State Recreation Area;
- (22) Moon Lake State Recreation Site;
- (23) Nancy Lake State Recreation south of the Nancy Lake Parkway;
- (24) Quartz Lake State Recreation Area;
- (25) Salcha River State Recreation Site;
- (26) Tok River State Recreation Site;
- (27) Tokositna State Recreation Area;
- (28) Upper Chatanika State Recreation Site;
- (29) Willow Creek State Recreation Area;
- (30) Wood-Tikchik State Park; and
- (31) Worthington Glacier State Recreation Site.

(Eff. ___ / ___ / ____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 12 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 AAC 12.115. Bicycles, Fat Tire Bicycles, and Electric Bicycles. (a) A person may ride a bicycle, fat tire bicycle, any class of electric bicycle, or any class of fat tire electric bicycle on any road open to the use of automobiles or motorcycles;

(b) A person may ride a bicycle, fat tire bicycle, any class of electric bicycle, or any class of fat tire electric bicycle on any trail open to the use of off-road vehicles;

(c) A person may ride a class 1 electric bicycle on any trail open to the use of bicycles unless the trail is posted as closed to electric bicycles under (g) of this section or the trail is closed to electric bicycles by 11 AAC 20 or 11 AAC 21;

(d) Notwithstanding 11 AAC 20 and 11 AAC 21, a person may ride a fat tire bicycle in any areas open to use of bicycles and as follows:

- (1) in any area below mean high water of waters subject to tidal influence;
- (2) in any area open to the use of snowmobiles, except for Denali State Park;
- (3) Chena River State Recreation Area, from November 15 through March 31;
- (4) Chugach State Park, from November 15 through March 31 within the

following areas:

(A) Eagle River water course and gravel bars downstream of the confluence of Icicle Creek and Eagle River located in Section 25, T. 13 N, R. 1 E, Seward Meridian, excluding the South Fork and Meadow Creek;

(B) on Eklutna Lake;

(C) Lost Cabin Valley Trail;

(D) Middle Fork Loop Trail; and

(E) Wolverine Bowl Ski Loop Trail;

(5) in Denali State Park, from November 15 through March 31 on groomed snowmobile trails;

(e) If the director finds that snow depth is adequate to protect the underlying vegetation and there is not a conflict with other park uses and purposes, the director may post other areas of state parks as open to the use of fat tire bicycles; a person may ride a fat tire bicycle in any area posted as open to fat tire bicycles under this section;

(f) A person may ride a fat tire class 1 electric bicycle in any area or trail open to use of fat tire bicycles unless the area or trail is posted as closed to electric bicycles or fat tire electric bicycles under this section or the trail is closed to electric bicycles under this section, 11 AAC 20 or 11 AAC 21.

(g) The director may temporarily close a trail or area to the use of bicycles, fat tire bicycles, electric bicycles, or fat tire electric bicycles to protect park lands including soils or vegetation, to reduce or eliminate user conflicts, to protect public safety, or to further management of the state park. Closures under this section shall be posted at entrances to the affected trail or area.

(h) A person may ride a bicycle, including fat tire bicycles, class 1 electric bicycles, and fat tire class 1 electric bicycle on trails in campgrounds, picnic areas, asphalt trails, and the following trails:

(1) Afognak Island State Recreation Area, on established trails and roads, unless posted as closed;

(2) Buskin River State Recreation Site, on established trails;

(3) Chena River State Recreation Area, on the following trails:

(A) Chena Dome Hiking Trail;

(B) Mastodon Trail;

(4) Chugach State Park, on the following trails:

(A) Beaver Pond Trail;

(B) Bird Creek Valley Trail System to the traffic control device south of the Quartz Creek ford;

(C) Eklutna Lakeside Trail;

- (D) Eklutna Spillway Trail and Lakeside Loop Access Trail;
 - (E) Gasline Trail;
 - (F) Glen Alps Powerline Access Trails;
 - (G) Hemlock Burn Trail;
 - (H) Indian to Girdwood paved trail;
 - (I) Llama Trail;
 - (J) Lower Eagle River Trail;
 - (K) Middle Fork Loop Trail from the intersection of the Wolverine Bowl Trail to the traffic control device 0.75 miles from the intersection;
 - (L) Near Point Trail from the intersection with the Wolverine Bowl Trail to the traffic control device .45 miles from the intersection;
 - (M) Peters Creek Trail from Malcom Drive to the traffic control device at mile 5;
 - (N) Powerline Trail, including the access trail from the Prospect Heights Trailhead to the Powerline Trail;
 - (O) Rabbit Lake Trail;
 - (P) Shebanof Avenue Connector Trail;
 - (Q) Silver Fern Trail;
 - (R) South Fork Rim Trail,
 - (S) White Spruce Trail; and
 - (T) Wolverine Bowl Trail;
- (5) Denali State Park, on the following trails:
- (A) Lower Troublesome Creek Trail, west of the Parks Highway;

(B) Byers Lake Loop Trail;

(6) Matanuska Lakes State Recreation Area, use of bicycles and fat tire bicycles is allowed on the following trails but electric bicycles and fat tire electric bicycles are prohibited unless the director posts trails as open to use of class 1 electric bicycles and fat tire class 1 electric bicycles after consultation with adjoining land managers:

(A) Bearberry Bluff;

(B) Campground Loop;

(C) Fenceline Trail;

(D) Kepler Connector;

(E) Lakeside Trail;

(F) Long Lake Loop;

(G) Victor Lake Loop;

(H) Upper Road Trail;

(7) Nancy Lake State Recreation Area, on the following trails:

(A) Butterfly Lake Trail;

(B) Cross Park Trail;

(C) East Red Shirt Lake Trail;

(D) Jano Pond Loop

(E) Lynx Lake Road;

(F) Nancy Lake public use cabin trails;

(G) Parkway Loop

(H) Red Shirt Lake Trail;

(I) Rhein Lake Loop;

(7) Perseverance State Trail, from the trailhead to Silverbow Basin,
excluding the Mt. Juneau and Granite Creek Trail branches;

(Eff. ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 12.190 is repealed and readopted to read:

11 AAC 12.190. Firearms and other weapons. (a) A person may not discharge a
weapon within a state park except as provided by this section, AS 41.21, 11 AAC 20, or 11 AAC
21;

(b) A person may discharge a weapon within a shooting range established by the director,
subject to the rules posted for that shooting range;

(c) A person may discharge a bow and arrow in a state park for the purpose of lawful
hunting except that a person may not discharge a bow and arrow within 300 feet of a developed
facility, within the areas specified in (d) (2) – (7) of this section, or as otherwise provided by AS
41.21, 11 AAC 20, or 11 AAC 21;

(d) Notwithstanding subsection (c), a person may discharge a weapon in a state park for
the purpose of lawful hunting or trapping except that a person may not discharge a weapon in a
state park as follows:

(1) within one-quarter mile of a developed facility or as otherwise provided by
this section, AS 41.21, 11 AAC 20, or 11 AAC 21;

(2) in Chilkoot State Trail;

(3) in Chugach State Park within one-half mile of the Seward Highway;

(4) in Chugach State Park within the following drainages:

(A) Eklutna River excluding the east fork of Eklutna River and Thunderbird Creek above Thunderbird Falls;

(B) Eagle River and all tributary drainages downstream from the confluence of Icicle Creek and Eagle River located in Section 25, T13N, R1E, S.M.;

(C) all forks of Campbell Creek;

(D) Rabbit Creek;

(E) McHugh Creek; and

(F) Rainbow Creek;

(5) in Denali State Park within one-quarter mile south or east of the Parks Highway or within one-half mile of the trail around Byers Lake;

(6) in the Kenai River Special Management Area below Skilak Lake except that a person may, for the purpose of lawful waterfowl hunting, discharge a shotgun below Skilak Lake from September 1 through April 30;

(7) in the Kenai River Special Management Area between Kenai Lake and Skilak Lake.

(Eff. 8/1/68, Register 27; am 1/13/73, Register 44; am 7/18/73, Register 47; am 10/6/83, Register 87; am 5/11/85, Register 94; Eff. ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 12.230 (l) is amended to read:

(l) A person may not camp at the same location in an undeveloped area of a state park for more than 10 [CONSECUTIVE] days in a calendar year, except as authorized by the director

under 11 AAC 18.010. After a person has camped for up to 10 [CONSECUTIVE]days at the same location in an undeveloped area of a state park, all camping equipment must be removed from that location and may not be set up or used again within one mile of that location during **that calendar year**[THE NEXT 10 DAYS]; **A day of camping begins at 12 p.m. (noon) local time and ends at 12 p.m. (noon) the next day.**

(Eff. 8/1/68, Register 27; am 1/13/73, Register 44; am 5/11/85, Register 94; am 7/1/89, Register 110; am 5/24/96, Register 138; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 12/20/2002, Register 164; am 1/16/2005, Register 173; am 7/1/2018, Register 227; am. ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 12.340 is repealed and readopted to read:

11 AAC 12.340. Definitions. In this chapter, any terms used have the meaning provided in 11 AAC 18.200, 11 AAC 20.990, or this section.

(1) "airboat" means a shallow draft boat driven by an airplane propeller and steered by a rudder;

(2) "aircraft" means a motorized device that is used or intended for flight or movement of people or goods in the air;

(3) "anadromous streams" means those water bodies identified by the Department of Fish and Game under 5 AAC 95.011;

(4) "assembly" means the gathering or meeting of a group of people for a common purpose;

(5) "bicycle" means a vehicle with a saddle or seat for the rider propelled exclusively by human power upon which a person may ride, having one, two, or three wheels in contact with the ground

(6) "boat" or "vessel" means a device that is used or designed to be used for the movement of people or goods in or on the water, whether manually or mechanically propelled, but does not include personal flotation devices or other floats such as inner tubes, air mattresses, or surf boards;

(7) "camp" and "camping" mean to use a vehicle, tent, or shelter, or to arrange bedding, or both, with the intent to stay overnight in a park;

(8) "campground" means an area developed and maintained by the division which contains one or more campsites as defined in this section;

(9) "campsite" means any space designated for camping within a campground;

(10) "commercial activity" means the sale of, delivery of, or soliciting to provide, goods, wares, edibles, or services in exchange for valuable consideration through barter, trade, or other commercial means; a service offered in conjunction with another sale of goods, wares, edibles, or services, which service involves the use of state park land or water, is a commercial activity whether or not it is incidental to, advertised with, or specifically offered in the original sale; all guide, outfitter, and transportation services are commercial activities if any payment or valuable consideration through barter, trade, cash, or other commercial means is required, expected, or received beyond the normal and customary equally shared costs for food and fuel for any portion of the stay in the park;

(11) "commercial fishing" means as defined in AS 16.05.940 (5);

(12) "developed facility" includes a building, boat ramp, campground, picnic area, rest area, visitor information center, swim beach, trailhead, parking area, and a developed ski area; "developed facility" does not include trails or latrines more than one quarter mile from a road;

(13) "director" means the director of the Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, Department of Natural Resources, or the director's authorized agent;

(14) "division" means the Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, Department of Natural Resources;

(15) "drainage" means the area drained by a river system;

(16) "electric bicycle" means a bicycle equipped with fully operable pedals, a saddle or seat for the rider, and an electric motor of less than 750 watts that meets the requirements of one of the following three classes:

(A) "class 1 electric bicycle" means an electric bicycle equipped with a motor of less than 500 watts that provides assistance only when the rider is pedaling, and that ceases to provide assistance when the bicycle reaches the speed of 20 miles per hour;

(B) "class 2 electric bicycle" means an electric bicycle equipped with a motor that may be used exclusively to propel the bicycle, and that is not capable of providing assistance when the bicycle reaches the speed of 20 miles per hour;

(C) "class 3 electric bicycle" means an electric bicycle equipped with a motor that provides assistance only when the rider is pedaling, and that ceases to provide assistance when the bicycle reaches the speed of 28 miles per hour"

(17) "explosive" means a chemical compound, mixture, or device that is commonly used or intended for the purpose of producing a chemical reaction resulting in a substantially instantaneous release of gas and heat; "explosive" includes dynamite, blasting powder,

nitroglycerin, blasting caps, and nitrojelly; "explosive" does not include salable fireworks as defined by AS 18.72.100;

(18) "fat tire bicycle" means a bicycle equipped with tires at least 3 inches wide with a tire pressure of less than 15 pounds per square inch (PSI).

(19) "fat tire electric bicycle" means an electric bicycle as defined by 11 AAC 12.340 (16) that also meets the requirements for a fat tire bicycle as defined by 11 AAC 12.340 (18). Classes of fat tire electric bicycles are the same as the classes of electric bicycles as defined in 11 AAC 12.340(16)(A)-(C);

(20) "firearm" includes a pistol, rifle, shotgun, revolver, mechanical, gas, or air-operated gun;

(21) "firework" means an explosive device or combustible material used to produce lights, smoke, or noise for entertainment;

(22) "ground pressure" means the total pressure exerted by all surfaces of a vehicle upon the ground, and is calculated by dividing the gross vehicle weight by the total area of all surfaces that are normally in direct contact with the ground while the vehicle is in motion;

(23) "hovercraft" means a vehicle supported above the surface of land or water by a cushion of air produced by downward-directed fans;

(24) "hydroplane" means a speed boat with hydrofoils or a stepped bottom, so that the hull is raised wholly or partially out of the water allowing it to skim along the water at a high rate of speed;

(25) "natural resources" means any plants, trees, minerals, water, or land of a state park unit that offer habitat, scenic, aesthetic, or economic value, and that are managed by the division;

(26) "off-road vehicle" means a motorized vehicle, not including snowmobiles:

- (A) designed or adapted for cross-country operation over irregular terrain;
- (B) consisting of more than one drive wheel or track;
- (C) having a gross vehicle weight less than 1,500 pounds or exerting less than eight pounds per square inch ground pressure; and
- (D) that is 64 inches wide or less;

(27) "ordinary high water line" means that line on the shore of a non-tidal river or stream that reflects the highest level of water during an ordinary year and is established by fluctuations of water and indicated by physical characteristics such as a clear, natural line impressed on the bank; shelving; changes in the character of soil; destruction of terrestrial vegetation; the presence of litter and debris; or other appropriate means that consider the characteristics of the surrounding area;

(28) "park officer" means a peace officer authorized by the commissioner under AS 41.21.955(a), whose duties include responsibility for management, protection, and maintenance of a state park or state park facilities and enforcement of state laws and regulations;

(29) "personal watercraft" means a vessel that is

- (A) less than 16 feet in length;
- (B) propelled by a water-jet pump or other machinery as its primary source of motor propulsion; and
- (C) designed to be operated by a person sitting, standing, or kneeling on the vessel, rather than by a person sitting or standing inside it;

(30) "service dog" means a dog specifically trained to aid persons with disabilities;

(31) "snowmobile" means a self-propelled vehicle:

- (A) Primarily designed or altered for travel on snow or ice,

(B) Having a curb weight of not more than 1,500 pounds;

(C) Not more than 72" inches wide; and

(D) supported in part by skis, belts, or cleats;

(32) "state park" means any land or water managed by the division;

(33) "state park unit" means an individual or group of facilities, structures, or natural resources and lands that are managed by the division;

(34) "stationary gear" means all fishing gear left in park waters in contact with tideland, submerged land, or upland for more than 24 hours at a time, except for legal fishing pots;

(35) "structure" means something constructed or built in, or transported to, a state park unit, including a dock, cabin, floatcamp, building, shanty, or facility used for residential or commercial purposes; it does not include a vessel with overnight berthing whose primary use is not as a domicile, but for commercial or sport fishing, general recreational boating, or transportation;

(36) "tethering" means fastening or restraining an animal so that it can range only within a set radius;

(37) "traffic control device" means any physical barrier, including a boulder, ditch, berm, railing, fence, post, gate, or sign;

(38) "vehicle" means any device for carrying persons or objects over land, water, or through the air, including automobiles, motorcycles, snowmobiles, bicycles, electric bicycles, fat tire bicycles, fat tire electric bicycles, off-road vehicles, motorized boats, and aircraft; "vehicle" does not include non-motorized boats, canoes, kayaks, rafts, sailboards, hang gliders, gliders, or parasails;

(39) "weapon" includes a bow and arrow, slingshot, crossbow, or firearm.

(Eff. 8/1/68, Register 27; am 1/13/73, Register 44; am 5/11/85, Register 94; am 8/10/86, Register 99; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 7/1/89, Register 110; am 12/25/91, Register 120; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; Eff. ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 18.200 is repealed and readopted to read:

11 AAC 18.200 Definitions. In this chapter, any terms used have the meaning provided in 11 AAC 12.340, 11 AAC 20.990, or this section.

(1) "client day" means any portion of a day in which a person is receiving commercial services permitted under 11 AAC 18 on state park land or water;

(2) "guide services" include the following: operating a vehicle to provide transportation for any recreational activity including hunting, fishing, hiking, skiing, mountaineering, photography, rafting, kayaking, canoeing, and flying; supplying equipment and personal instruction for its use while in a park; baiting hooks; netting and cleaning fish; cooking meals while in transit; assisting with rod and reel operation; assisting in the taking of wildlife; leading; teaching; training; supervising; protecting; or choosing routes, paths, and recreation use methods;

(3) "permit" means a written authorization, revocable with or without cause, to engage in uses or activities that are otherwise prohibited or restricted;

(4) "professional guide services" means guide services offered or supplied by any person to another person with the intent of receiving valuable consideration through barter, trade, or other commercial means, by accompanying and directing that person's activities for any portion of a trip or activity in a state park;

(5) "sport fishing guide" means a person who provides guide services to another person in pursuit of catching or taking fish, or the experience associated with attempting to catch or take fish;

(Eff. 1/13/73, Register 44; am 5/11/85, Register 94; am 1/28/88, Register 105; Eff.

___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.010 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.010. Use of Weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 1/16/74, Register 48; am 8/11/80, Register 75; am 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.121

11 AAC 20.030 (a) (5) is amended to read:

(5) [SECTION 29, T12N, R2W, S.M., WEST OF THE POWERLINE EASEMENT, EXCEPT THAT ONE TRAIL BETWEEN THE POWERLINE EASEMENT AND THE] **Trails from the** Glen Alps parking lot **except for the powerline access trail posted for use of horses**[WILL BE DESIGNATED FOR SUMMER USE OF HORSES];

(Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am. ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.121
AS 41.21.122 AS 41.21.123

11 AAC 20.030 (a) is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(10) Hemlock Burn trail;

(Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am. ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.121

AS 41.21.122 **AS 41.21.123**

11 AAC 20.040 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.040. Snowmobiles. Repealed.

(Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am 11/15/2017, Register 216; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.121

AS 41.21.123 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 20.050 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.050. Bicycles. Repealed.

(Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 5/24/96, Register 138; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am 11/15/2015, Register 216; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.121

AS 41.21.123 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 AAC 20.070. Seasonal Closures. (a) Closure during snow avalanche season. The paved pathway along Turnagain Arm, from Bird Creek to the state park boundary at Girdwood, may be closed to public use during the snow avalanche season each winter, as posted by the director.

(b) Closure during high bear activity. The Albert Loop trail is closed during periods of high bear activity each summer, as posted by the director.

(Eff. ___/___/____, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.123

11 AAC 20.100 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.100. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 1/16/74, Register 48; am 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.200 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.200. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 1/16/74, Register 48; am 5/11/85, Register 94; repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.250 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.250. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 12/25/91, Register 120; repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.494

11 AAC 20.260 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.260. Snowmobiles. Repealed. (Eff. 12/25/91, Register, 120; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.494

11 AAC 20.370 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.370. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 8/19/2009, Register 191, repealed ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.160

11 AAC 20.385 is amended to read:

11 AAC 20.385. Campfires. Open fires are allowed on **non-vegetated** gravel bars **and beaches.**

(Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.160

11 AAC 20.390 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.390. Snowmobiles. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.160
AS 41.21.167

11 AAC 20.400 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.400. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 12/20/2002, Register 164, repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.151

11 AAC 20.425 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.425. Snowmobiles. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; repealed ___/___/2009, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.151

11 AAC 20.437 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.437. Bicycles. Repealed. (Eff. 5/18/97, Register 142; repealed ___/___/____, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.151

11 AAC 20.440 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.440. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94, repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.435

11 AAC 20.460 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.460. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94, am 7/1/89, Register 110; am 5/24/96, Register 138; am 1/16/2005, Register 173; repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.490 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 20.465 is amended to read:

11 AAC 20.465. Off-road vehicles. (a) Except as provided in (b) of this section, the [THE] use of off-road vehicles is allowed in the Chena River State Recreation Area on trails officially designated and marked as open to off-road vehicles. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 12/25/91, Register 120; am ___/___/____, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.475
AS 41.21.490

11 AAC 20.465 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(b) The following trails are open to the use of off-road vehicles except when posted as closed due to trail conditions during spring break-up, the absence of adequate ground frost, or the opening to snowmobile use under 11 AAC 20.480:

- (1) Angel Creek Hillside Trail;
- (2) Compeau Trail;
- (3) Stiles Trail;

(4) Chena Hot Springs Winter Trail (also known as the Yukon Quest Winter Trail). (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 12/25/91, Register 120; am ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.475
AS 41.21.490

11 AAC 20.480 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.480. Snowmobiles. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.475

11 AAC 20.490 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.490. Bicycles. Repealed. (Eff. 2/3/88, Register 105; am 5/18/97, Register 142; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.475

11 AAC 20.500 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.500. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.540 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.540. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.455

11 AAC 20.550 (c) is amended to read:

(c) A person may use an electric trolling motor on South Rolly Lake **and Tanaina Lake**.
(Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 7/1/89, Register 110; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am
___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.455
AS 41.21.460

11 AAC 20.555 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.555. Snowmobiles. repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am
___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.455

11 AAC 20.600 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.600. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88,
Register 105; Eff. ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.415

11 AAC 20.625 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.625. Snowmobiles. Repealed. (Eff. 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.415

11 AAC 20.650 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.650. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 12/25/91, Register 120; am 11/15/2015, Register 216; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.111 AS 41.21.112 AS 41.21.181
AS 41.21.183 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 20.700 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.700. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 4/20/2002, Register 162; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.185 AS 41.21.188

11 AAC 20.720 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.720. Bicycles. Repealed. (Eff. 4/20/2002, Register 162; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.185 AS 41.21.188

11 AAC 20.750 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.750. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.300 AS 41.21.302

11 AAC 20.780 is amended to read:

11 AAC 20.780. Snowmobiles. **If the director finds that the snow depth is adequate to protect underlying vegetation, the director may post officially designated and marked areas of the** [THE USE OF SNOWMOBILES IS ALLOWED IN THE] Hatcher Pass East Management Area **as open to the use of snowmobiles** [IN OFFICIALLY DESIGNATED AND MARKED AREAS TO THE EXTENT THE DIRECTOR FINDS THAT THE SNOW DEPTH IS ADEQUATE TO PROTECT UNDERLYING VEGETATION]. (Eff. 5/24/96, Register 138; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am ___/___/____, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.110 AS 41.21.120 AS 41.21.130

11 AAC 20.800 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.800. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 5/24/96, Register 138; repealed ___/___/____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.170
AS 41.21.174 AS 41.21.176 AS 41.21.950

11 AAC 20.850 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.850. Use of weapons. Repealed. Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 8/6/2010, Register 195; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040
AS 41.21.506

11 AAC 20.857 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.857. Snowmobiles. Repealed. (Eff. 4/20/2002, Register 162; repealed ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.506

11 AAC 20.862 (d) is amended to read:

(d) A person may [MOMENTARILY] leave an anchored buoy unattended [WHILE PURSUING A HOOKED FISH] so long as the person returns to the anchored buoy within **45** [20] minutes. **A person may not leave an anchor buoy unattended to add to the number of occupants of a boat or change occupants of a boat after the anchor buoy was initially set. The buoy must be marked with the boat registration numbers of the vessel utilizing the buoy.**

(Eff. 5/24/96, Register 138; am 7/1/98, Register 146; am 1/16/2005, Register 173; am 8/19/2009, Register 2009; am ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.506

11 AAC 20.885 (c) (5) is amended to read:

(5) must be in compliance with relevant Alaska Department of Fish and Game requirements[AS 16.40.260 - 16.40.299 (Sport Fishing Services)];

(Eff. 7/1/89, Register 110; am 5/24/96, Register 138; am 3/13/2006, Register 177; am 8/6/2010, Register 195; am 7/1/2018, Register 227; am ___/___/___, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.506

11 AAC 20.905 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(10) Chena River State Recreation Site. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 5/24/96, Register 138; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 11/15/2015, Register 216; am ___/___/___, Register ___.)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20 is amended by adding a new section to read:

11 AAC 20.914. Old Kasilof Landing boat launching and retrieval. A person may not launch a boat into the Kasilof River at the Old Kasilof Landing State Recreation site unless permitted by the director under 11 AAC 18. A person may only retrieve a boat from the Kasilof River at the Old Kasilof Landing State Recreation Site if the boat is:

(a) non-motorized; or

(b) equipped with not more than one motor, with a total propeller shaft

horsepower rating of 10 horsepower or less. (Eff. ___/___/___, Register ___).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.935 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.935. Snowmobiles. Repealed. (Eff.5/18/97, Register 142; am 7/1/98, Register 146; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ____).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.940 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.940. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ____)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.950 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.950. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 2/3/88, Register 105; am 12/25/91, Register 120; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ____)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.958 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.958. Use of bicycles on Perseverance State Trail. Repealed. (Eff. 5/24/96, Register 138; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ____)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.970 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.970. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 5/24/96, Register 138; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ____)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.022 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.971 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.971. Use of bicycles at state recreation areas. Repealed. (Eff. 5/24/96, Register 138; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.980 is repealed:

11 AAC 20.980. Use of weapons. Repealed. (Eff. 7/1/98, Register 146; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; repealed ___/___/_____, Register ___)

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040

11 AAC 20.990 is repealed and readopted to read:

11 AAC 20.990. Definitions. In this chapter, any terms used have the meaning provided in 11 AAC 12.340, 11 AAC 18.200, or this section.

(1) "drift fishing channel" means a channel commonly used by boats drifting downstream with the current;

(2) "Hatcher Pass East Management Area" means the state lands described in AS 41.23.130, Hatcher Pass Management Area Plan, and within the Little Susitna River watershed, including Summit Lake State Recreation Site and Independence Mine State Historic Park;

(3) "primary traffic channel" means a channel of a river commonly used by motorized boats for travel;

(Eff. 5/11/85, Register 94; am 2/3/88, Register 105; am 7/1/89, Register 110; am 12/25/91, Register 120; am 5/24/96, Register 138; am 7/1/98, Register 146; am 5/3/2001, Register 158; am 4/20/2002, Register 162; am 12/20/2002, Register 164; am 3/13/2006, Register 177; am 8/19/2009, Register 191; am 11/15/2015, Register 216; amended ___/___/_____, Register _____).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.040 AS 41.21.506

11 AAC 21.015 (a) is amended to read:

11 AAC 21.015. Use of weapons. (a) The use and discharge of weapons for the purpose of lawful hunting or trapping is allowed in the preserve, except within one-quarter[ONE-HALF] mile of a developed facility, or as otherwise provided by this section; (Eff. 2/3/88, Register 105; amended ___/___/_____, Register _____).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.616 AS 41.21.610
AS 41.21.618

11 AAC 21.015 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(c) A person may discharge a bow and arrow in the preserve for the purpose of lawful hunting except that a person may not discharge a bow and arrow within 300 feet of a developed facility. (Eff. 2/3/88, Register 105; amended ___/___/_____, Register _____).

Authority: AS 41.21.020 AS 41.21.616 AS 41.21.610
AS 41.21.618