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Dear Statewide Stocking Plan Reviewer:

Each year the Division of Sport Fish develops a 5-year stocking plan to guide production at its hatcheries. A draft of the 2024-2028 Stocking Plan is now ready for review and can be accessed at:

http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishingSportStockingHatcheries.stockingPlan

Approximately 7 million fish are planned for release at hundreds of sites throughout the state to maintain and improve sport fish angling opportunities. We believe the objectives, species, and sites listed for stocking in this draft plan represent a comprehensive program providing a wide range of opportunity for sport anglers in Alaska. To solicit further public input, we offer a 30-day departmental and public review of this new plan before it becomes final. The review period for the 2024 SSP draft will run from January 2nd, 2024 through January 31st, 2024. The objectives, species, and sites listed for stocking in this new plan represent a comprehensive program that will provide thousands of hours of sport fishing opportunities for anglers in Alaska.

If you have any comments, corrections, or concerns, please email Summer Woods-Tunney at summer.woods@alaska.gov; or contact her before Wednesday, January 31, 2024 at:

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As comments are received, they will be routed to the appropriate staff member for review. The final plan will be complete in February and an electronic copy will be placed on the State of Alaska, Department of Fish and Game, Division of Sport Fish Hatchery website. Hard copies of the final plan will be available for review at Fish and Game area offices.

Sincerely,

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