

**Petersburg Advisory Committee**  
**Date: Wednesday January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 5pm**  
**Location: Petersburg Borough Assembly Chambers and Zoom**

- I. Call to Order:
- II. Roll Call:

Name	Seat	Present	Excused or Unexcused
Heather Bauscher	Chair		
Don Spigelmyre	Vice Chair		
Megan O'Neil			
Joel Randrup			
Bob Martin			
Nyle Thomas			
Jacob Rasmussen			
Ted Sandhofer	Archery		
Paul Menish	Crab/Conservation		
Anthony Taiber	Gillnet		
David Benitz	Hunting/Trapping		
Jerry Dahl	Seine		
Brandon Ware	Sport/Charter		
Ben Case	Sport/Personal Use		
Kaleb Baird	Troll		
Eric Castro	Alternate		
Vacant	Alternate		

Number Needed for Quorum on AC: **8**

List of User Groups Present:

- III. Fish and Game Staff Present:
- IV. Guests Present:
- V. Elections
  - a. Fill the vacant alternate seat
  - b. Officer election – secretary
- VI. Approval of Agenda
- VII. Approval of last meeting minutes – Dec 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- VIII. Reports
  - a. Chair's report
  - b. ADF&G
  - c. Continuation of Board of Game Southeast Proposal

- i. Last meeting Proposals 1-46, 57, 64, 65, and 69 were discussed
- d. If time allows, Discussion of Board of Fisheries Proposal will occur
  - i. Statewide Proposal
- e. Discussion outcome of RAC Proposals and Federal Subsistence Board Issues
  - i. Meeting occurred in mid-December
- f. Other fishery and wildlife business as needed

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Proposal Number	Proposal Description		
Support, Support as Amended, Oppose, No Action	Number Support	Number Oppose	Comments, Discussion (list Pros and Cons), Amendments to Proposal, Voting Notes
<i>Note: Effective September 2019, when abstentions occur, the action or decision of a majority of the remaining members at a meeting at which a quorum is present is an act of the committee. For example, a vote tally of 7-6-2 means the motion carries. Members abstaining from voting must provide an explanation that is included in the committee record.</i>			
<b>47 and 48 will be grouped together</b>			
47	Increase the Unit 2 wolf population objective		
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<b>55 and 56 will be grouped together</b>			
55	Prohibit the use of night vision and infrared devices for taking furbearers in Unit 2		
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58	Open a registration hunt for elk on Zarembo Island in Unit 3		
59	Limit the nonresident permit allocation for the Unit 3, elk drawing hunt DE318, to “up to” 10% of the available permits		
60	Limit the nonresident permit allocation for the Unit 3 elk drawing hunt DE321, to “up to” 10% of the available permits		
61	Limit the nonresident permit allocation for the elk drawing hunt DE323, to “up to” 10% of the available permits		

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62			Limit nonresident permit allocation for the Unit 3 elk drawing hunt DE324, to “up to” 10% of the available permits
63			Adjust the season dates for the DE318 elk hunt in Unit 3, and open a new drawing hunt in September
66			Change the bag limit for hunting brown bear in Unit 3 to one bear every regulatory year
67			Repeal the Petersburg Road System Closed Area in Unit 3, and add the area to the Petersburg Management Area, to allow for big game hunting by archery only
68			Repeal the Blind Slough Closed Area in Unit 3, and add the area to the Petersburg Management Area, to allow for big game hunting by archery only

IX. Public Comment:

X. Old Business:

XI. New Business:

a. Board of Game Wrangell Meeting

i. Who will go....

XII. Set next meeting date:

XIII. Other:

Adjournment:

Minutes Recorded By: \_\_\_\_\_

Minutes Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_