

Middle Nenana River
Fish & Game Advisory Committee Meeting
Thursday, January 8th, 2026 at 6:00 pm
in the Taiga Room at the Aurora Denali Lodge
249.5 mile Parks Hwy, Healy, AK and by web/teleconference

Join the meeting online: <https://bit.ly/middlenenanariverACian8>

Dial in: (669) 444-9171

Meeting ID: 826 3169 2654

Passcode: MNRAC

- I. **Call to Order:**
- II. **Roll Call:** Healy: Jacob Matilla (chair), Erik Haugen, Matt Nustvold, John Basile, Coke Wallace
Clear: Allan Mortenson, Leroy Sutton, Nathan Goodin
Ferry: Andrew LaBar (vice chair)
McKinley Village: Alex Buetow (secretary)
Undesignated: Paul Nyberg
Alternates: Mike Green, Ethan Graham
- III. **Number Needed for Quorum on AC: 6**
- IV. **Introduce Fish and Game Staff Present**
- V. **Introduce Guests Present**
- VI. **Approval of Agenda**
- VII. **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes:** December 2nd, 2025
- VIII. **Reports**
 - a. Chair's Report
 - b. ADFG staff reports
 - i. Jeff Wells (Division of Wildlife Conservation)
 - ii. Linsdey Dreese (Division of Wildlife Conservation)
 - iii. Others
 - c. Other Reports/Updates
- IX. **Public Comment**
- X. **Old Business**
 - a. Board of Fisheries AK Pen (Area M) Proposal comments due Feb 3, 2026
- XI. **New Business**
 - a. Board of Game Southcentral Region Proposal comments due March 6, 2026
 - b. 2026-2027 Board of Game proposals (includes interior region) due May 1, 2026
 - c. Other fisheries, wildlife, and committee business as needed
- XII. **Set next meeting date:**
- XIII. **Adjourn**

2025-2026 Board Meeting Dates and Comment Deadlines:



Board of Fisheries Meeting: Bristol Bay Finfish

January 13-17, 2026 in Anchorage, AK

Comment Deadline: **December 29, 2025**

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fisheriesboard.meetinginfo&date=01-13-2026&meeting=anchorage>



Board of Game Meeting: Work Session

January 22, 2026 in Wrangell, AK

Comment Deadline: **January 16, 2026**

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.meetinginfo&date=01-22-2026&meeting=wrangell>



Board of Game Meeting: Southeast Region

January 23-27, 2026 in Wrangell, AK

Comment Deadline: **January 9, 2026**

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.meetinginfo&date=01-23-2026&meeting=wrangell>



Board of Fisheries Meeting: Alaska Peninsula/Aleutian Island/Chignik Finfish

February 18-24, 2026 in Anchorage, AK

Comment Deadline: **February 3, 2026**

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fisheriesboard.meetinginfo&date=02-18-2026&meeting=anchorage>



Board of Fisheries Meeting: Statewide Finfish & Supplemental Issues

March 17-20, 2026 in Anchorage, AK

Comment Deadline: **March 2, 2026**

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fisheriesboard.meetinginfo&date=03-17-2026&meeting=anchorage>



Board of Game Meeting: Southcentral Region

March 20-25, 2026 in Kodiak, AK

Comment Deadline: **March 6, 2026**

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=gameboard.meetinginfo&date=03-20-2026&meeting=kodiak>



Board of Fisheries 2026-2027 Proposal Deadline: **April 10th, 2026**

Cook Inlet Area Finfish

Kodiak Area Finfish

Statewide (except Southeast/Yakutat, and Prince William Sound Tanner Crab) King and Tanner Crab



Board of Game 2026-2027 Proposal Deadline: **May 1st, 2026**

Interior Region (GMUs 12, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25 26B, 26C)

Arctic/Western Region (GMUs 18, 22, 23, 26A)