

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES ON WATERS IMPORTANT TO
ANADROMOUS FISHES IN THE REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
FISH AND GAME

BRIEF DESCRIPTION

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game proposes to change regulations on waters important to the spawning, rearing, or migration of anadromous fishes.

Summary of proposed changes: The Alaska Department of Fish and Game proposes to adopt regulation changes in 5 AAC 95.011 of the Alaska Administrative Code, dealing with waters important for the spawning, rearing, or migration of anadromous fishes, as required by AS 16.05.871, including the following:

- (1) 5 AAC 95.011(a) is proposed to be changed as follows: The *Atlas to the Catalog of Waters Important for the Spawning, Rearing, or Migration of Anadromous Fishes and Catalog of Waters Important for Spawning, Rearing, or Migration of Anadromous Fishes*, adopted by reference in 5 AAC 95.011, will be updated to incorporate the June 2026 editions.

Written comments: You may comment on the proposed regulation changes, including the potential costs to private persons of complying with the proposed changes, by submitting written comments to Beth Evers, Alaska Department of Fish and Game – Habitat Section, 333 Raspberry Road, Anchorage, AK 99518. Additionally, the Alaska Department of Fish and Game will accept comments by facsimile at (907) 267-2499 and by electronic mail at dfg.hab.anadromous@alaska.gov. Comments may also be submitted through the Alaska Online Public Notice System by accessing this notice on the system and using the comment link.

Written comment deadline: The written comments must be received not later than 5:00 p.m. on June 14, 2026

Questions: You may submit written questions relevant to the proposed action to Beth Evers, Alaska Department of Fish and Game – Habitat Section, 333 Raspberry Road, Anchorage, AK 99518. The questions must be received at least 10 days before the end of the public comment period. The Alaska Department of Fish and Game will aggregate its response to substantially similar questions and make the questions and responses available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System and agency website <http://awc.adfg.alaska.gov>.

Public nature of comments and questions: Public comments and questions, once submitted, are public records and subject to disclosure under the Alaska Public Records Act. See AS 40.25.100 - 40.25.295. Do NOT include in your comments or questions any information that you do not want made public.

Accommodations: If you are a person with a disability who needs a reasonable accommodation in order to participate in this process, please contact Beth Evers at beth.evers@alaska.gov or (907) 267-2143 not later than June 8, 2026, to ensure that any necessary accommodation can be provided.

Obtaining copies of proposed regulations: A copy of the proposed regulation changes is available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System and by contacting Beth Evers at beth.evers@alaska.gov or (907) 267-2143.

A copy of material proposed for adoption by reference is available on the Alaska Online Public Notice System. A copy of material proposed for adoption by reference for all six regions of Alaska (Arctic, Interior, Southcentral, Southeast, Southwest, and Western) may be viewed for inspection and copying at the following locations: at the Anchorage ADF&G office at 333 Raspberry Road; at the Alaska Resource Library at 3211 Providence Drive; in the Fairbanks ADF&G office at 1300 College Road; and in Juneau at the Alaska State Library at 395 Whittier Street. The ADF&G offices in Craig, Delta Junction, Douglas, Homer, Ketchikan, Nome, and Soldotna have copies of the proposed changes and draft Atlas maps for their region only.

Final version of regulations. After the public comment period ends, the Alaska Department of Fish and Game will either adopt the proposed regulation changes or other provisions dealing with the same subject, without further notice, or decide to take no action. The language of the final regulation may be different from that of the proposed regulation.

Statutory authority: AS 16.05.020; AS 16.05.871

Statutes being implemented, interpreted, or made specific: AS 16.05.871

Fiscal information: The proposed regulation changes are not expected to require an increased appropriation.

How to receive further notices: The ADF&G Habitat Section keeps a list of individuals and organizations interested in its regulations. Those on the list will automatically be sent a copy of all of the ADF&G Habitat Section notices of proposed regulation changes. To be added to or removed from the list, send a request to the ADF&G Habitat Section at dfg.hab.anadromous@alaska.gov, giving your name, and either your e-mail address or mailing address, as you prefer for receiving notices.

Individuals can also sign up to receive automated notifications of all State of Alaska notices, including public notice for regulation changes, by subscribing to the Alaska Online Public Notices System: <https://aws.state.ak.us/OnlinePublicNotices/Default.aspx>.

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You can electronically undertake the TRANSACTION only if you confirm that you meet the following requirements by selecting the box next to “I agree to use electronic records and signature” (the “AGREE BOX”):

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5. you are authorized to undertake the TRANSACTION. (Please note that falsely undertaking the TRANSACTION may subject you to civil liabilities and penalties and/or to criminal penalties.)

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Paper Option for Undertaking the TRANSACTION

You may undertake the TRANSACTION with the State of Alaska using paper records. (State of Alaska employees who want to undertake the TRANSACTION in paper should contact the agency responsible for the TRANSACTION.) Print the paper records on the website of the State of Alaska agency responsible for the TRANSACTION, or request them from the agency. The State of Alaska homepage is at <http://alaska.gov/>.

Copies of TRANSACTION Records

After completing the TRANSACTION but before closing your web browser, you should download the TRANSACTION records. Or you can download the records within 30 days after

completing the TRANSACTION using the link in the DocuSign email sent to the email address you used to complete the TRANSACTION. The State of Alaska will not provide a paper copy of the TRANSACTION records as part of the TRANSACTION. Under the Alaska Public Records Act (APRA), AS 40.25.100–.295, you can request a copy from the agency responsible for the TRANSACTION, but if too much time has passed, the agency may no longer have the records when you make your request. If required under the APRA, the agency will charge a fee.

Required Hardware and Software

For the minimum system requirements to electronically undertake the TRANSACTION, including accessing and thereby retaining the TRANSACTION records, visit <https://support.docusign.com/guides/signer-guide-signing-system-requirements>. These requirements may change. In addition, you need access to an email account.

How to Contact the State of Alaska

To ask a question on this ERSD or the DocuSign document generated after you complete the TRANSACTION or on using DocuSign to electronically undertake the TRANSACTION, contact the Alaska Department of Administration at either of the following addresses:

State of Alaska
Department of Administration
550 West 7th Avenue
Suite 1970
Anchorage, AK 99501
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doa.commissioner@alaska.gov
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To ask any other question on the TRANSACTION records or to update the information for contacting you electronically, contact the State of Alaska agency responsible for the TRANSACTION using the contact information in the TRANSACTION records or, if those records contain no contact information, using the contact information on the agency's website. Again, the State of Alaska homepage is at <http://alaska.gov/>.