

## Federal Subsistence Board Meeting Announcement



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## Federal Subsistence Board to Hold Meeting on Fisheries Temporary Special Action Request FSA22-05 Regarding the Lower Copper River Subsistence Salmon Fishery

The Federal Subsistence Board (Board) will hold a teleconference on Thursday, May 19, 2022, to take action on Fisheries Temporary Special Action Request FSA22-05. The teleconference will be held from 2 p.m. until 3 p.m. or until the Board completes its work.

Temporary Special Action Request FSA22-05, submitted by the Office of Subsistence Management, asks the Board to temporarily enact the Lower Copper River subsistence salmon fishery recently adopted by the Board and to delegate authority to the Wrangell-St. Elias National Park and Preserve Superintendent to implement the fishery. This administrative action is necessary because the newly adopted regulations will not be published in the Federal Register in time for the start of this year's fishery. The temporary special action and delegation of authority would expire upon publication of the regulations in the Federal Register.

## **Board Teleconference Meeting Information is as follows:**

Thursday, May 19 from 2-3 p.m. (or until the Board completes its business)

Teleconference Toll Free: 888-942-9690

Passcode: 6071806

A public hearing on FSA22-05 was conducted on May 5, 2022, via teleconference.

The Board is committed to providing access to this public meeting for all participants. Please direct requests for accommodation needs to the Office of Subsistence Management at (800) 478-1456 or (907) 786-3888 or by e-mail subsistence@fws.gov at least seven business days prior to the meeting.

Additional information on the Federal Subsistence Management Program may be found on the web at <a href="https://www.doi.gov/subsistence">www.doi.gov/subsistence</a> or by visiting <a href="https://www.facebook.com/subsistencealaska">www.facebook.com/subsistencealaska</a>.

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