

Alesek Renewable Resource Council
Regular Meeting 06-09
15 June 2009
6:30 p.m. ARRC Office

Participants:

Wade Istchenko- Chair

Paul Birckel

Boyd Campbell

Hardy Ruf

Rick Mazur

Susan Desjardins-Recorder

Graham Boyd- CAFN

Approve Agenda 06-09

Motion 01-06-09 – Hardy moves to accept the agenda as presented. Paul seconds the motion. Approved unanimously.

Review and Approve Minutes

Motion 02-06-09- Boyd moves to accept ARRC Minutes 04-09 as presented. Rick seconds the motion. Approved unanimously.

Old Business

Shawn Taylor-Kluane Regional Biologist

Moose Willow Enhancement Project

This project is as a result of concern brought forward from the ARRC and the public around enhancing moose habitat. FMB is doing some silviculture trials cut blocks within THPs, scarifying the ground, trenching and mounding in an effort to improve conifer survival. YG has applied for funding to hire a contractor to research increasing moose forage such as willow, and how habitat can be enhanced for moose. Some willows have been planted in Nygren Subdivision, and the contractor will also summarize best practices for willow regeneration from that project. YG will continue to update the ARRC as this project moves forward.

Ungulate Enhancement

Council remains concerned about the moose survey performed in Zone 7 and the results reported back to the Council. The moose of area continue to decline in numbers. Council would like to hold discussions with YG-Kluane Regional Biologist and CAFN-Renewable Resource Manager in the future about options for moose enhancement and encouraging more trapping. Council would also like to discuss the Southern Lakes grizzly bear population study with CAFN as well.

Action 01-06-09- Susan will ask CAFN –Renewable Resource Manager to attend the next ARRC meeting.

Kloo Lake Access

A complaint about access to Kloo Lake was received by CAFN. Privacy was stated to be a strong concern. This access has generally been used by the public, but is within an area that is generally noted as private property. CAFN has placed a sign up asking people to respect this. Other access to the lake will be looked into with CAFN, to allow for some options to have better access into Kloo Lake for fisher people while ensuring the privacy of the local people and harmony.

Susan will follow up on this with CAFN-Lands Manager.

Action 02-06-09- Susan will meet with CAFN-Lands Manager to look at what options are available to access to Kloo Lake.

Finance and Administration

Council remains in a positive fiscal position, first half of contribution funding has been received.

Submitted by:

Executive Director

Approved by:

Chair

Other Member