<u>PROPOSAL 26</u> – 5 AAC 06.200. Fishing districts and sections. Create new general fishing sections that are in effect following achievement of escapement goals, or July 17, until July 27, as follows:

At the end of the season when the escapement goals are met for the Naknek/Kvichak, Egegik and Ugashik Districts, or the 48-hour transfer is no longer required (July 17), fishing will be allowed in two new general district sections. The first would connect the Naknek Section-Johnston Hill Line and the North Line of Egegik running approximately three miles off shore. The second would connect the South Line of Egegik to the North Line of Ugashik running approximately three miles offshore. These new sections would remain open until July 27.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? At the end of the season, the fishery becomes very competitive at the northern and southern boundaries and only a few boats share the harvest.