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**Draft Copper Basin Community Subsistence
Harvest Permit Hunt Conditions**

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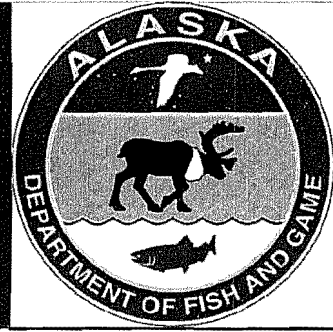
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Outline

- Timeline.
- Possible application process.
- Draft hunt conditions.
 - Caribou.
- Next steps.



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Possible Copper Basin CHP Application Process

- Pending actions taken by the board.
- Applications still being developed.
- Possibly due March 15-May 1.
- Possibly identification information.
- Possible criteria for rejection:
 - Fewer than 25 or more participants.
 - Incomplete, false statement.
 - FTR list.
- Participants probably should comply with hunt conditions.



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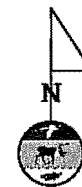
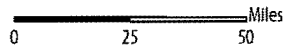
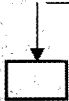
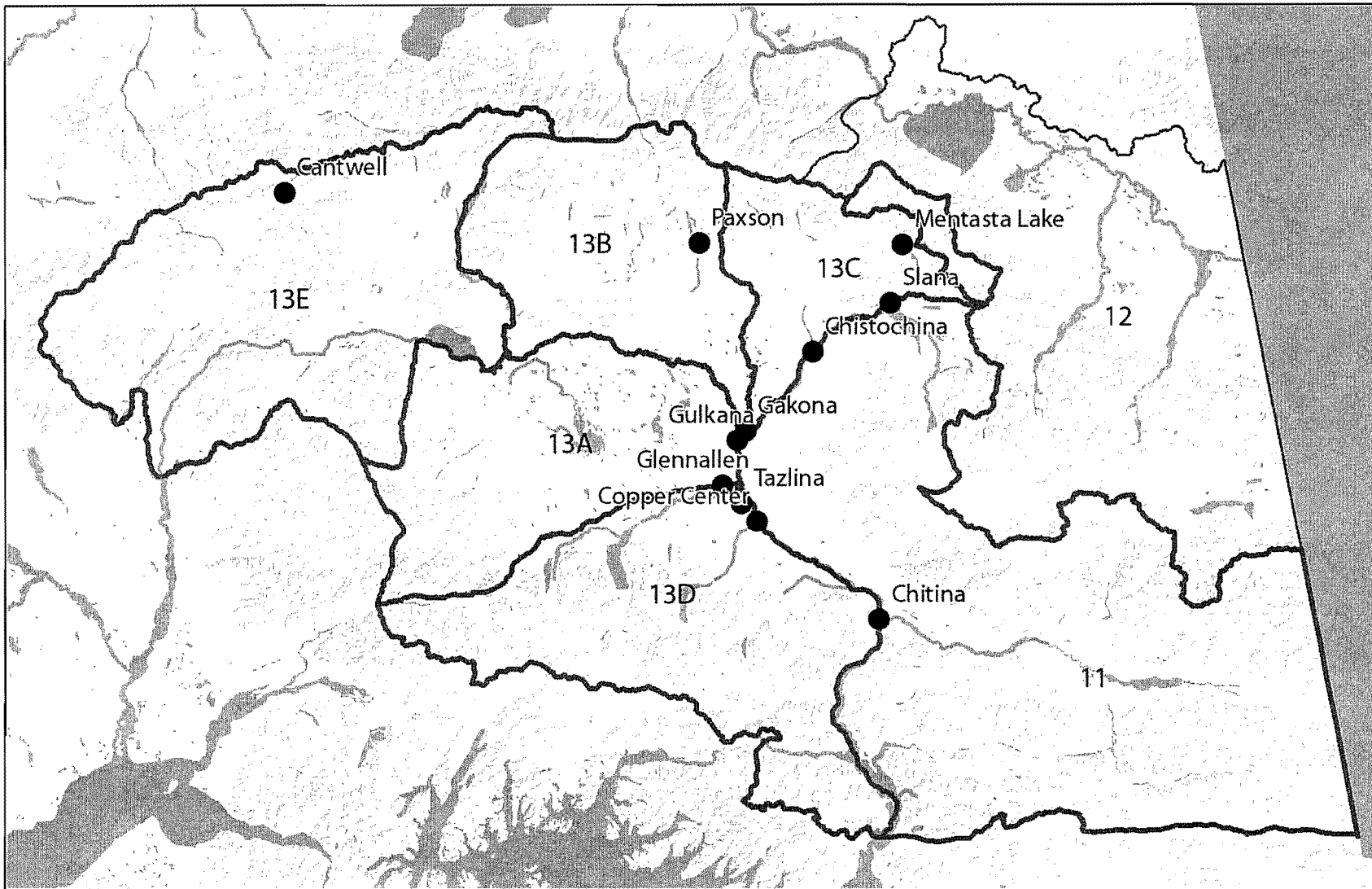
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- Use of animal.
- Sharing.
- Reporting.
 - Similar to 5 AAC 93.200 Educational fishery program.



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