Note: The Board of Game can only allow the take of wolf same day airborne under a predator control plan for which a permit is required.

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5 AAC 92.085 Unlawful methods for taking big game.

Allow same day airborne take of brown bear and wolves Unit 17 as follows:

Allow same day airborne hunting of brown bear and wolves Unit 17.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Increased liberalization of bag limits: continually meeting the harvest goals of brown bear annually warrant increased means and methods.

Record salmon returns since 2017 have likely increased bear survival and productivity.

Same day airborne would facilitate increased harvest especially in a predator control zone / area.

No conservation concerns for brown bears relatively minimal harvest primarily by nonresidents.

Did you develop your proposal in coordination with others, or with your local fish and game advisory committee?

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