CABMW RECOMMENDATIONS for the 2010 Wildlife Commission Meeting

Eureka County Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife meeting results

Submitted by Chairman Chris Torres via Eureka Natural Resources Department
To the Wildlife Commission, c/o Executive Assistant to Director Suzanne Scourby, sscourby@ndow.org
Board members present: Chris Torres, Chad Bliss, and Dale Hornickle
Absent member: Jim Evans and Mike Taylor
Others Present: Mike Podborny-NDOW, Kathy Porter- Secretary, and Scott Raine

1. **Action Item**: 10 **Upland Game Stamp Request- Game Division Biologist Shawn Espinosa and Wildlife Staff Specialist Elmer Bull**
   The Commission will review and be asked to approve 10 projects submitted for funding from upland game stamp funds.

   Recommendation
   In Support __X___ In Opposition_____
   (place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

   Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

   Mr. Hornickle moved to support the projects. Mr. Bliss seconded, motion carried unanimously.

2. **Action Item: 2010 and 2011 Heritage projects: Request to Modify Predator management Projects-Secretary Ken Mayer**
   Recommendation
   In Support _____ In Opposition_____ **NO RECOMMENDATION**
   (place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

   Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

   NO ACTION was taken due to a lack of support material.

3. **Action Item**:**18-A Commission General Regulation Number 389, LCB File No. R083-10 Chief Game Warden Buonamici**
   The Commission may adopt a regulation relating to wildlife; prohibiting a person from interfering with the use of a guzzler or other water development; providing an exception.

   Recommendation
   In Support __X___ In Opposition_____
   (place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

   Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

Mr. Bliss moved to approve language as hand written. Mr. Hornickle seconded, motion carried unanimously.

4. **Action Item**:**18-B Commission General Regulation Number 391- LCB File No. Temporary- Program Officer III Maureen Hullinger**

The Commission may adopt a regulation relating to revising provisions governing eligibility for the main draw if the application applied for the Restricted Nonresident Deer tag draw.

Recommendation

In Support _____ In Opposition ___X____

(place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

Mr. Bliss explained his reasons for not supporting revising the provisions governing eligibility for main draw being the language provisions give an unsuccessful guide draw applicant the opportunity to receive a bonus point to be used in the general big game draw of the same year, giving the non-resident a greater chance to draw in the general big game draw.

Mr. Bliss moved to oppose the language change. Mr. Hornickle seconded, motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Bliss moved to recommend that if the language stays as written, the restricted non-resident deer tags be drawn at the same time as the general big game draw, this would incorporate those applicants into the Silver State Tag draw. Mr. Hornickle seconded, motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Hornickle moved to recommend if the language change is accepted and the language is changed to the original language that the bonus point is not given to the applicant until after the general big game draw. Mr. Bliss seconded, motion carried unanimously.

5. **Action Item**: **18-C Commission Regulation Number 10-03- Waterfowl Seasons 2010-2011- Game Division Chief Larry Gilbertson**

The Commission may establish hunting season dates and bag limits for waterfowl, snipe, falconry seasons for migratory game birds, and a youth waterfowl season for the 2010-2011 hunting season.

Recommendation

In Support __X___ In Opposition_____

(place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

Mr. Bliss moved to approve regulation number 10-03. Mr. Hornickle seconded, motion carried unanimously.

6. **Action Item**:**19 White Pine County Elk Incentive Arbitration Panel Selection- Game Division Chief Larry Gilbertson**

Recommendation
In Support __X___ In Opposition_____
(place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

Mr. Hornickle moved to support the White Pine County arbitration panel selection. Mr. Bliss seconded, motion carried unanimously.

7. **Action Item: 20 Petition**
Patricia Swain for TrailSafe Nevada has petitioned the Commission to revise the current Nevada Administrative Code to prevent trapping in all Washoe County firearm congested areas. The Commission may accept and initiate regulatory action or deny the petition.

Recommendation
In Support _____ In Opposition_____ **NO RECOMMENDATION**
(place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

Unsure what designated firearm congested areas means. Unable to take action until heard.

8. **Action Item: Wildlife Damage Management Committee- Commissioner Scott Raine**
The Commission will hear a report from its Wildlife Damage Management committee and may take action on the committee's draft plan recommendations that identify predator management proposals for the predator Management Plan for Fiscal Year 2011.

Recommendation
In Support _____ In Opposition_____ **NO RECOMMENDATION**
(place an X in the appropriate recommendation)

Other comments, including a dissenting viewpoint (different than the majority) or issue brought up during discussion:

No action was taken due to not having the final language.

9. **Action Item: Finance Committee Report and Recommendation for the Department's Biennial Budget**

The Finance Committee will report on its meeting and recommendations for the Department's fiscal year 2010 and 2013 budget in accordance with NRS 501.337.

Recommendation
In Support _____ In Opposition_____ **NO RECOMMENDATION**
(place an X in the appropriate recommendation)