



April 4, 2013

Re: Bristol Bay Area Plan – Additional Community Meetings UPDATE

Dear Alaskan,

The Department of Natural Resources (DNR), has **extended the public comment period** for the Public Review Draft (PRD) of the Determination of Reclassification and Plan Amendment to the 2005 Bristol Bay Area Plan (2005 BBAP) for an additional 30 days until **May 6, 2013** to provide the public with a greater opportunity to review and comment on the PRD.

The state would like to hear from the public regarding these actions. To facilitate this, DNR will host a series of community meetings to discuss the issues addressed through these two actions, explain the review and approval processes for these actions, and indicate the how and when comments are to be submitted to DNR. There will be the opportunity for the public to ask questions and provide comment.

The community meetings are scheduled as follows:

<u>Community</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Kokhanok	The Old School	04/17/2013	1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
Nondalton	Tribal Council Community Building	04/17/2013	5:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Koliganek	Village Council Building	04/18/2013	1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
New Stuyahok	Traditional Council Community Building	04/18/2013	5:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Dillingham	Dillingham Middle School	04/19/2013	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM

If you would like to review the 1984 BBAP, the current 2005 BBAP, and PRD of the Determination of Reclassification and Plan Amendment or submit comments online, please visit the webpage listed below. Your written comments are encouraged and must be submitted by **May 6, 2013** via mail, email or online at our webpage: <http://dnr.alaska.gov/mlw/planning/areaplans/bristol/amend>.

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