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Federal Subsistence Board Cancels Work Session on Memorandum of Understanding with the State of Alaska

The Federal Subsistence Board has cancelled its December 14, 2012 work session on the Memorandum of Understanding to allow additional time for State Fish and Game Advisory Committees to meet and provide comments. The Board has been in the process of accepting comments on the Memorandum of Understanding through the winter Subsistence Regional Advisory Council and State Fish and Game Advisory Committee public meetings. At this time, not all the State Fish and Game Advisory Committees have held their winter meetings. By postponing this work session, the Board is providing additional time for comment. The Board will reschedule the work session at a later date. The goal is to have revisions finalized by May of 2013.

The Memorandum of Understanding establishes guidelines to coordinate in managing subsistence uses of fish and wildlife resources on Federal public lands in Alaska. The review of the Memorandum of Understanding was requested by the Secretaries of the Interior and Agriculture following their review of the Federal Subsistence Management Program.

The Memorandum of Understanding and additional information on the Federal Subsistence Management Program can be found at <http://alaska.fws.gov/asm/home.html>.

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