

CABMW Recommendations for the March 2021 Wildlife Commission Meeting
(Month/year)

Clark County Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife meeting results

Submitted by Chairman: Paul Dixon

To the Wildlife Commission, c/o Brandy Arroyo, bdarroyo@ndow.org and Megan Manfredi, mmmanfredi@ndow.org

CABMW Members Present: Paul R. Dixon, J. Michael Reese, Moly DiBlasi, Jacob Thompson, Therese Campbell
Dave Talaga and Dan Gilbert

CABWM member absent: none

Commissioners Present: none

NDOW Present: 1

NDOW Game Warden Present: 1

Members of the public signed in: 9

THIS WAS A TELEPHONIC MEETING

Commission Agenda Action Items:

- 1) **Commission General Regulation 498, NAC 503.147 – Ms. Cathy Smith - Petition Bear Hounds.**

Recommendation

In Support ___ In Opposition X See comment below X

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

In a split vote (6-1) vote, the Clark CABMW recommends the continued use of hounds and does not support the Kathy Smith petition as presented.

The dissenting vote is against bear hunting and believes it to be a trophy hunt. This board member also feels the use of hounds violates fair chase.

- 2) **Petition – Mr. Perry ‘Rob’ Pierce – Special Hunt Season for Disabled Persons.**

Recommendation

In Support ___ In Opposition ___ See comment below X

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

In a unanimous vote (7-0) vote, the Clark CABMW tabled this action item due to lack of backup material.

3) Commission Regulation 21-13, 2021-2022 Seasons, Bag Limits and Special Regulations for Migratory Game Birds.

Recommendation

In Support X In Opposition _____ See comment below X

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

In a unanimous vote (7-0) vote, the Clark CABMW supports Commission Regulation 21-13, 2021-2022 Seasons, Bag Limits and Special Regulations for Migratory Game Birds as presented with the following comment:

Under “Special Youth Waterfowl Hunt” daily bag limits, snipe and scaup need to be added.

4) Second Draft Fiscal Year 2021 Predation Management Plan.

Recommendation

In Support X In Opposition _____ See comment below X

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

In a split vote (6-1) vote, the Clark CABMW recommends supporting the Draft 2022 Predation Management Plan as presented with the following recommendations.

- 1) The Clark CABMW recommends that the department show in their 2020 or 2021 yearend report how much predator fee funding has been applied to raven control and studies over the past 10 years and what has been the results of those expenditures. The public continues to see increasing raven populations and questions if the expenditures to date are having any impact.**
- 2) The Clark CABMW want to know why project 38 is for statewide coyote removal and not focused on areas with the highest at risk deer populations?**

The dissenting view is because the board member disagrees with any mountain lion removal, and with all Pinion and Juniper removal projects in the Predation Management Plan.

5) **Commission General Regulation 496, NAC 503 Simplification**

Recommendation

In Support X In Opposition _____ See comment below _____

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

In a unanimous (7-0) vote, the Clark CABMW recommends approving Commission General Regulation 496, NAC 503 Simplification as presented.

6) **Wildlife Killing Contests**

Recommendation

In Support X In Opposition _____ See comment below X

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

In a split vote (6-1) vote, the Clark CABMW recommends that the Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners take no action on the resolution by the Clark County Commission to ban coyote killing contests in the state of Nevada.

The dissenting vote felt that the CABMW should support the Clark County Commission resolution to ban coyote killing contests.