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**PROPOSALS TO CHANGE THE 2010 MIGRATORY BIRD SUBSISTENCE HARVEST
IN ALASKA**

This is a reminder that the annual period to submit proposals to change migratory bird subsistence harvest regulations for the **2010** April-August season opens on **November 1 and extends through December 15, 2008**. Forms and instructions are available on the web at <http://alaska.fws.gov/ambcc/regulations.htm> or by calling the toll-free number at 1-877-229-2344.

Petitions will also be accepted during this open period to request a change in “included/excluded” community status for the **2010** harvest season. A detailed description of the process for community petitioning is available on the website above.

All proposals and petitions received to change **2010** harvest regulations will be reviewed and acted on by the Alaska Migratory Bird Co-Management Council at their **April 2009** meeting.

Partner Members: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, Alaska Department of Fish & Game, Aleutian/Pribilof Islands Association, Bristol Bay Native Association, Association of Village Council Presidents, Southeast Inter-tribal Fish & Wildlife Commission, Copper River Native Association, Chugach Regional Resources commission, Sun'aq Tribe of Kodiak, Kawerak Inc, Maniilaq Association, North Slope Borough, Tanana Chiefs Conference

