

NANA REGIONAL CORPORATION LANDS DEPARTMENT POLICIES

Gaming Policies

Hunting and Fishing

NANA policies on hunting and fishing address who may enter NANA lands to engage in these activities. The State of Alaska and the federal government regulate the actual harvest of fish and game on all land in the State, including NANA's land.

The maintenance of subsistence hunting and fishing activities on NANA lands is of highest priority. NANA lands are therefore closed to hunting and fishing except for the groups listed below.

Subsistence hunting is allowed without a permit for the following groups:

Shareholders

Shareholder spouses

Shareholder descendants

Natives living outside the region who traditionally hunt in the region.

Hunting and fishing by non-shareholders who have been a permanent resident in the region for at least five (5) years and have traditional and customary use of fish and game may hunt and fish on NANA lands with a permit from NANA or a designated representative of the village IRA.

Trapping

All shareholder trapping may continue on NANA lands without a permit.



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Non-shareholders may be required to obtain a permit from the local IRA Council to trap on NANA lands. A fee may be charged for the permit.

NANA does not settle trapline disputes; it refers them to the appropriate village IRA Council or to KIC Land Committee to be settled.

Guides

Hunting

Hunting guides are prohibited from operating on NANA lands.

Recreational and Fishing

Recreational and fishing guides and outfitters must obtain a permit from NANA for the use of any NANA lands other than designated public easements. A fee will be charged for such permits; the amount will vary depending on the use.