

MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH

MSB Fish and Wildlife Commission
MARCH 26, 2026, SPECIAL MEETING 4:00 p.m.

MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 4:01pm

II. ROLL CALL – DETERMINATION OF QUORUM

Present

Pete Probasco

Andy Couch

Gabe Kitter

Bill Gamble

Kendra Zamzow

Marty Van Diest

Jim Sykes

(Michael Bowles arrived at 4:07pm)

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

AC moves, GK second, no objections, agenda approved

V. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION (*three minutes per person*)

Stephen Braund

VI. STAFF/AGENCY REPORTS & PRESENTATIONS

A. Staff Report

B. Chair Report

VII. ITEMS OF BUSINESS

A. Board of Fisheries 2026 March Meeting

1. After Action Review

AC moved to change the word “Prepare” to “Consider” in policy recommendations of the action report and remove items C. and F., MVD second. No objection, motion carried.

AC moved to accept action report as amended, GK second. No objections, motion passed.

Pete would like to send all Assembly members the after-action report and get on an agenda to provide a short presentation on the FWC's success, the importance of a good budget next year, and good staff support. Andy could serve as a back-up.

2. Next Steps

B. Prep for 2027 Board of Fisheries

1. Draft proposals

2. Goals

C. Providing a Letter of support for HB 321 "Fish & Game Wildlife Refuges"

FWC discussed various concerns with the bill as currently written and decided to take no action at this meeting, but leave it on the agenda for further discussion.

Follow-up action is to ask Rep McCabe if he has any comments regarding HB 321

VIII. MEMBER COMMENTS (10 minutes)

IX. NEXT MEETING DATE: Regular Meeting, April 9, 4:00 PM at 533 E Fireweed

X. ADJOURNMENT

KZ moves to adjourn, AC seconds, no objections, meeting adjourned at 5:22pm.



Peter Probasco, FWC Chair

May 18, 2026

Date



Paul Clark, MSB Staff

MAY 18, 2026

Date