March 19, 2019

Supervisor Rex Bohn, Chairperson Humboldt County Board of Supervisors 825 5th St Eureka, CA 95501

RE: January 31st Duck Season Ending Date for 2019/20 Season - Support

Dear Supervisor Bohn:

It has come to our attention that the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has authorized states to extend their duck season until January 31st of each year, so long as they do not exceed the maximum number of hunt days currently allowed (which in California is 107 days).

At our last HCF&GAC meeting on March 19, 2019, we heard from Commissioner Ted Romo, regarding "January 31st Duck Season Ending Date for 2019/20 Season - Support." We discussed this topic; and a motion for support was made and seconded. The vote was then called, and it passed to ask you to email the attached letter of support to Mr. Eric Sklar, President; California Fish and Game Commission; email: fgc@fgc.ca.gov.

Would you please put this action item on the agenda for your earliest Board of Supervisor's meeting for discussion and possible approval? Any correspondence on this new closing date proposal needs to be received by the California Fish and Game Commission at least 10 days before their next meeting, which is April 17th. Therefore, this is time sensitive. Commissioner Ted Romo would like to attend the supervisor's meeting in case there are any questions. Would you please contact him at 496-0525?

Thank you.

Carly Chair

Humboldt County Fish and Game Advisory Commission