

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 3/3/2020

File #: 20-247

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Rex Bohn

Agenda Section: Consent

SUBJECT:

Letter of Support to California Fish and Game Wildlife Branch Regarding the Goose Season Date Changes (Supervisor Rex Bohn)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the Chair to sign the letter of support.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

DISCUSSION:

Currently the proposed North Coast Special Management Area goose season is back-calculating available hunt days from the last day of duck season to the first available hunt day in October or November. The Humboldt County Fish and Game Advisory Commission has reviewed and considered this information at their monthly meeting and are recommending that the Board of Supervisors send a letter of support to the State Fish and Wildlife Commission asking that goose season be opened the same day as duck season which is the third Saturday in October. This would allow for better hunting and for reducing depredation on agricultural land while protecting the geese during breeding season.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK:

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by providing community-appropriate levels of service

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

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Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS:

Letter of Support

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: N/A

Meeting of: N/A File No.: N/A