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TECKK Outfitters

Bear Research in Alaska Units:

Cordova- Biologist David Crowley (Dave.crowley@alaska.gov) stated that although there was not a count on the Bear in the unit, he knows that there is overpopulation of brown bear.

Dillingham- No Bear count there. Their objective is to take 50% of the male bear. The reason for this is to reduce the number bear thereby helping the moose, caribou, and deer population. Bear predation on the young of the 3 species is a major concern.

Montague Island (unit 6)- With a count of 100 bear, 7 to 10 are taken each year.

King Salmon (unit 9 & 10)-With a count of 8000 bear, 6 to 10 % of bear are taken each year. Verify information with Biologist Lem Butler (861-2105). Talked to him about the recent law suit that was filed against the state of Montana about the Mt Lion attacks that make the state liable and personal property owners liable

Soldotna- No bear official bear count, approximately 250 to 350 bear. Brown Bear hunting is closed when 10 sows capable of reproduction are taken. Biologists there really heavily on the experience of a 90 year old, life -long resident who says the number of bear in the region has doubled in her lifetime.

Hi, My name is Keith Skatsted was born & raised in Alaska. My father & his side of the family comes from Glacier Bay. I'm part Tlingit native & my family has been in for thousands of years. I wish I was there and sorry for my bad hand writing. I'm in the process of trapping and have over 500 Martin for the year. I have been in the field every day but the Dec 25. Since Nov 25 till now. Please look at these proposals that are good for the State & not good for personal groups & gain.

1. Martins are planted on Chukicoff Island and are killing our meat birds

2. Got Pictures of Bear & tracks in the city of Hoonah last Pic was Dec 31

3. More Bear now than ever talked to Adam ^{91 age} Greenwood, Ken ^{70 age} Dietzinger, FAGGREN ^{72 age} Skuffstedt Ken ⁷⁹ Willard all say we have Double the amount of bear as when they were kids.

4. Why are we protecting the bear and closing Down Doe season with deer as main Diet in the small towns are deer

5. Why doesn't the state in unit four go like the rest of the united states and go drawing on Brown bear and stop the unjust ways of the Guides dictating how the Brown bear management is going.

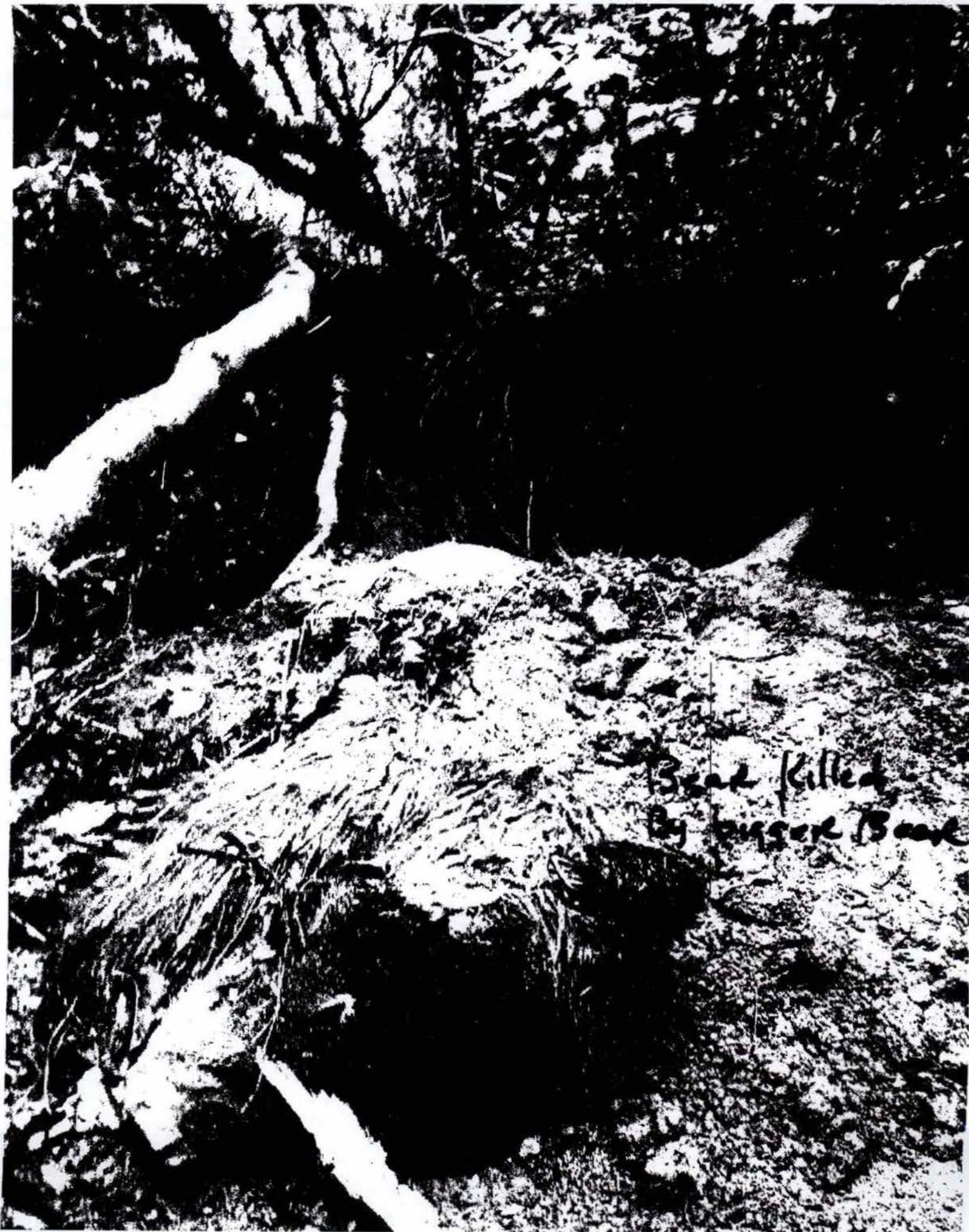
6. * IF you are not able to
get a state dividend you can't kill
a Brown Bear, but if you are a
non Resident you can guide for bear
but can't kill your own personal
bear? Doesn't make sense to non
Resident that are in the business
and are trying to ~~get~~ ~~away~~ get
into the business. This is not a
fair or ethical

December 14, 2012



November 15, 2012





Bear Killed
By Sugar Bear

Lights out in Hoonah! This island is dark haha

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[Redacted name]

November 30, 2012

So I've been pretty down lately about never getting to see a bear before winter started.

So you could imagine my excitement when I saw FOUR of the little guys last night! Oh my gosh, so cool! And then one stuck around to give us a little show!

Thank you to the best bear guide ever! Lol --- Kilian Skaflestad.

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[Redacted name]

November 29, 2012