

**A G E N D A**  
**NEBRASKA GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION**

Broken Bow Municipal Auditorium

314 S 10<sup>th</sup> Street Broken Bow, NE

October 25, 2024

8:00 AM

1. Minutes of the meeting held August 16, 2024
2. Financial vouchers for August & September
3. Director's Report
4. 8:15 AM public hearing to consider amendments to Chapter 2 Fisheries Regulations Section 009 Bait Collecting and Dealer Regulations- Rules relating to bait collection by licensed anglers and bait dealers including listing of legal bait species, harvest methods and limits.
5. 8:25 AM public hearing to consider amendments to Chapter 4 Wildlife Regulations Section 004 Threatened and Endangered Species to include a list of state and federally designated critical habitat, adjust language with regards to seining listed small-bodied fish for scientific and educational research, and additions to the list of stream segments where seining for baitfish is prohibited.
6. 8:35 AM public hearing to consider amendments to Chapter 2 Fisheries Regulations Section 012 Aquatic Invasive Species Rules relating to Aquatic Invasive Species including listing invasive species, inspections, decontamination, impoundments and restrictions.
7. 8:45 AM public hearing to consider amendments to Chapter 4 Wildlife Regulations Section 012 Threatened and Endangered Species Consultation to address changes in Nebraska statutes and update regulations to mirror the Federal Endangered Species Act consultation process, improve clarity, add efficiencies, address new technology and its use in the consultation process, and reduce restrictions.
8. 8:55 AM public hearing to consider amendments to Fisheries Commission Orders C06 Sportfishing regarding daily bag limits, possession limits, and open areas.
9. 9:05 AM public hearing to consider amendments to Wildlife Commission Order C014, Mountain Sheep, regarding the addition of a mountain sheep management hunt season, number of authorized permits, bag limit with definitions, shooting hours, and area open.
10. Public Comment Period

11. Staff recommendation for Commission approval of the board resolution to sign the Supplemental Agreement Number 1 for the Transportation Alternatives Program, funding the Cowboy Trail from Rushville to Mile Marker 400 near Chadron.
12. Staff recommendation for Commission approval of the Recreational Road Program's 1-5 Year Plan. This plan is updated annually by NGPC and Nebraska Department of Transportation and submitted to the Governor's Office.
13. Staff recommendation for Commission approval and adoption of the proposed fee increases for park activities, lodging and rental facilities.
14. Staff recommendation for Commission approval of the 2025 Nebraska Game and Parks Commission meeting schedule
15. Hunter Education 50 years and Volunteer Awards
16. Parks End of Summer Report
17. Executive Session
18. Adjourn