

## WSR 21-18-015

## AGENDA

DEPARTMENT OF  
FISH AND WILDLIFE

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Following is the semi-annual rule-making agenda for the Washington department of fish and wildlife (WDFW) for publication in the Washington State Register pursuant to RCW 34.05.314.

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SEMI-ANNUAL RULES DEVELOPMENT AGENDA  
July - December 2021

WAC Chapter	Rule Title or Subject	Agency Contact	Tentative Timeline			Short Description
			CR-101	CR-102 CR-105	CR-103	
220-460	Commercial whale watching licenses	Julie Watson <a href="mailto:Julie.watson@dfw.wa.gov">Julie.watson@dfw.wa.gov</a>	Not applicable	CR-105 WSR 21-11-095 Filed May 19, 2021	August- September 2021	Amend rules directed in state statute by updating and aligning the definitions and language in WAC 220-460 with the 2021 amendments to RCW 77.65.615, and correct typographical errors and clarify language of the rule without changing its effect.
220-500	Shed animal parts	Scott Bird <a href="mailto:Scott.bird@dfw.wa.gov">Scott.bird@dfw.wa.gov</a>	August 1, 2021	October 20, 2021	December 11, 2021	Amend rules to prohibit the collection of shed animal parts on WDFW lands or public lands.
220-353	Testing commercial fishing gear	Scott Bird <a href="mailto:Scott.bird@dfw.wa.gov">Scott.bird@dfw.wa.gov</a>	August 1, 2021	October 20, 2021	December 11, 2021	Amend rules to clarify the requirements for notifying department law enforcement officers about testing commercial fishing gear.
220-359	Clarifying language	Scott Bird <a href="mailto:Scott.bird@dfw.wa.gov">Scott.bird@dfw.wa.gov</a>	August 1, 2021	October 20, 2021	December 11, 2021	Amend rules to ensure regulatory consistency with <i>US v. Oregon</i> Policy Committee.
WAC 220-200-100 and 220-610-010	Ferruginous hawk	Heather Bonagofski <a href="mailto:Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov">Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov</a>	October 14, 2020	June 22, 2021	August 2021	Up-listing of species classification from threatened to endangered.
220-415	Spring black bear	Heather Bonagofski <a href="mailto:Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov">Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov</a>	July 7, 2021	October 20, 2021	November 19, 2021	Update rules with the appropriate season dates.
WAC 220-200-100 and 220-610-010	White pelican	Heather Bonagofski <a href="mailto:Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov">Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov</a>	October 14, 2020	September 1, 2021	November 19, 2021	Proposed down-listing from classified as endangered species to wildlife classified as protected.
WAC 220-200-100 and 220-610-010	Island marble murrelet	Heather Bonagofski <a href="mailto:Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov">Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov</a>	October 14, 2020	September 1, 2021	November 19, 2021	Change of species classification.
WAC 220-200-100 and 220-610-010	Cascade red fox	Heather Bonagofski <a href="mailto:Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov">Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov</a>	October 14, 2020	September 1, 2021	November 19, 2021	Change of species classification.

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WAC 220-200-100 and 220-610-010	Western snowy plover	Heather Bonagofski Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov	October 14, 2020	September 1, 2021	November 19, 2021	Change of species classification.
220-400	2022 Hunting season setting	Heather Bonagofski Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov	November 2021	January 2022	February 2022	Annual update for the 2022 hunting permits and regulations.
220-500	Domestic sheep and goat on department lands	Heather Bonagofski Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov	September 1, 2021	On or after October 15, 2021	November 23, 2021	Permanent rule to limit use of pack goats on department lands in order to protect bighorn sheep from disease transmission.
WAC 220-413-030 and 220-413-180	Importation of animal parts	Heather Bonagofski Heather.bonagofski@dfw.wa.gov	May 23, 2021	August 3, 2021	October 2021	Updating list of prohibited states for importation of animal parts due to chronic wasting disease. Minor text change for game management area designations.
220-400	Wolf—Livestock conflict deterrence	Julia Smith Julia.Smith@dfw.wa.gov	October 13, 2020	January 2022	May 2022	Regulations related to the management of wolf-livestock conflict.
WAC 220-352-035, 220-352-305, 220-352-060, 220-352-140, 220-340-430, 220-340-480, and 220-353-020	Commercial crab fishing	Heather Hall Heather.hall@dfw.wa.gov	April 5, 2021	June 23, 2021	October 2021	Amend coastal Dungeness crab fishing regulations and mandatory electronic fish ticket reporting for several Puget Sound and coastal shellfish fisheries.
Title 220 WAC	Recreational fishing	Kelly Henderson Kelly.henderson@dfw.wa.gov	July 20, 2021	September 22, 2021	January 2022	Address critical conservation objectives and to provide harvest opportunities consistent with conservation objectives.
Title 220 WAC	Nontreaty fisheries in Columbia River	Charlene Hurst Charlene.hurst@dfw.wa.gov	May 19, 2021	December 2021	April 2022	Expand the types of gears available for commercial harvesting of salmon in the Columbia River and reduce the number of Washington nontreaty commercial licenses participating in the Columbia River gillnet fishery.
Title 220 WAC	Fish passage	Gabrielle Stilwater Gabrielle.stilwater@dfw.wa.gov	June 17, 2020	March 9, 2022	May 18, 2022	Implement the fishway, flow and screening statute (chapter 77.57 RCW), and the 2019 ESHB 1109 (chapter 415, Laws of 2019).

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