

**Idaho Fish and Game Commission
Annual Meeting – July 16-17, 2025
Idaho Department of Fish and Game
Panhandle Regional Office
2885 W. Kathleen Ave.
Coeur d’Alene, Idaho 83815**

Note: Times on the agenda are approximate and subject to change.

July 16

- 7:00 a.m. Commissioner Field Tour – Coeur d’Alene
- 5:30 p.m. Dinner
- 7:00 p.m. Public Meeting

July 17

- 8:00 a.m. 1. Opening Comments
–Chairman Dave Bobbitt
- 8:10 a.m. 2. Agenda Changes (Action)
–Chairman Dave Bobbitt
- 8:15 a.m. 3. Review of Public Comment
–Chairman Bobbitt and Director Fredericks
- 8:35 a.m. 4. Consent Calendar (Action)
 - a. Minutes
 - b. Financial Report
 - c. Winter Feeding Advisory Committee Appointments
- 5. Action Items for Commission Approval (Action Requested by Department)
- 8:50 a.m. A. Non-Resident Tag Draw Framework & Tag Issuance
–Tara Reichert, Automated System Manager
- 9:10 a.m. B. Rulemaking (Action)
–Amber Worthington, Deputy Director
- 9:40 a.m. C. 2026 Outfitter Allocation and Non-resident Tags (Action)
–Rick Ward, State Wildlife Manager
- 10:00 a.m. Break
- 10:15 a.m. D. Sage-grouse Season Setting (Action)
–Jennifer Struthers, Wildlife Staff Biologist

10:35 a.m.	E. Sage-grouse Discount Order #25-19 – Falconry (Action) –Jennifer Struthers, Wildlife Staff Biologist
10:45 a.m.	F. Mountain Goat Management Plan (Action) –Hollie Miyasaki, Wildlife Staff Biologist
11:05 a.m.	G. Release of Bighorn Sheep Auction and Lottery Tags for Auction/Lottery (Action) –Hollie Miyasaki, Wildlife Staff Biologist
11:15 a.m.	H. Elk Controlled Hunt Area 36A-3 Addition (Action) –Rick Ward, State Wildlife Manager
11:25 a.m.	I. CWD Management (Action) –Stacey Dauwalter, Wildlife Health Program Coordinator
11:45 a.m.	J. Duck Hunter Survey and Zone Changes (Action) –Jeff Knetter, Upland/Migratory Game Bird Coordinator
12:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m.	K. Recipients of the Commission Community Challenge Grant (Action) –Ellary TuckerWilliams
1:05 p.m.	L. FY27 Budget Forecast (Action) –Jon Oswald, Bureau Chief, Administration
1:40 p.m.	6. Idaho Code Clean-up –Amber Worthington, Deputy Director
1:50 p.m.	7. Wolf Population Estimation –Matt Mumma, Wildlife Research Manager
2:20 p.m.	8. Hatchery Program Overview –Beau Gunter, Hatchery Program Manager
2:40 p.m.	9. Kootenai River Fish Research –Sean Wilson, Principal Fisheries Research Biologist
3:00 p.m.	Break
3:15 p.m.	10. Director’s Report –Director Fredericks
3:30 p.m.	11. Commissioner Reports –Commissioners
3:45 p.m.	12. Planning for Next Meeting –Chairman Bobbitt

3:50 p.m. 13. Executive Session I.C. 74-206 (1) (c) (f) (Action Item -votes for convening/ending session; no final action will occur in executive session.)

A. Litigation Position

5:00 p.m. Adjourn

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