

## **Senate Resources Meeting 4.14.21**

### **Board of Game- Nominee's for Appointment**

- Letters of Support for Lynn Keogh Jr.

**From:** Robert Jahnke, Ross Beal, Kenneth Barber, Drew Hilterbrand, John Basile, Lou Mosley, Bryce Saviers, Mike Soik, Bill Iverson, Mike Crawford,

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**From:** A. Jahnke Robert <bobkrisktn@kpunet.net>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 16, 2021 4:41 PM  
**To:** Senate Resources  
**Subject:** confirmation for Lynn Keogh on the Game board

**Follow Up Flag:** Follow up  
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Please confirm Mr. Lynn Keogh for a seat on the Game board. I represent the Alaska Trappers Association members of the southern southeast Chapter here in Ketchikan. We need true Alaskans on the Game Board who have wildlife resource experience such as Lynn has. Thank you. Bob Jahnke

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**From:** rossbeal@gci.net  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 16, 2021 9:41 AM  
**To:** Sen. Joshua Revak; Sen. Peter Micciche; Sen. Click Bishop; Sen. Gary Stevens; Sen. Natasha Von Imhof; Sen. Jesse Kiehl; Sen. Scott Kawasaki  
**Subject:** BOG Appointees

In regards of the appointment of Lynn Keogh to the Alaska State Board of Game.

I very much support the appointment of Lynn Keogh. He has long supported the activities of Alaska's sportsmen as a hunter, guide, fisherman, trapper, and is well suited to make the knowledgeable and sometimes tough decisions of the Alaska Board of game, always considering the wishes of the users and the protection of Alaska's wild game resources.

Ross Beal  
Fairbanks, AK

Sen. Josh Revak, Chair  
Senate Natural Resources Committee  
State Capitol, Rm. 125  
Juneau, AK 99801

March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021

Dear Sen. Revak:

I have known Lynn Keogh for more than 25 years. I know him to be an avid hunter, trapper, and fisherman. He has spent many years on the Anchorage Fish and Game Advisory Committee. Lynn and I were appointed to a 2-year Game Board special committee to address conflicts between users on trails concerning trapping issues.

The violation issued to him on a boating regulation on the Kenai River is nothing more than a speeding violation on the highway. This is not a recent violation and has been resolved. It's wrong to hold that violation against him for this appointment to the Board of Game.

I'm asking for your support of Lynn Keogh to the Board of Game.

Thank you,  
Kenneth Barber  
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(907) 745-4446

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**From:** Drew <brownbear10ft@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 10:47 AM  
**To:** Senate Resources  
**Subject:** In support of Lynn Keogh BoG

To whom it may concern,

I am writing in regards to the appointment of Lynn Keogh to the board of game.

I believe Mr. Keogh will do an excellent job representing the interests of all Alaskans and user groups but more importantly I believe he will protect our resources and help to make sound decisions to manage those resources for the greatest sustainable yield.

Mr. Keogh has shown himself to be an outdoorsman of the utmost integrity and has always been active and professional in his prior endeavors with regards to the protection and management of our resources. I ,for one, will see it as a great disservice to all Alaskans if Lynn Keogh is not appointed to the Board of Game.

Regards,  
Drew Hilterbrand

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** John Basile <johnbasile0269@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 11:14 AM  
**To:** Senate Resources  
**Subject:** Lynn Keogh BOG confirmation

Hello,

Sending a message to urge you to confirm Lynn to the BOG. I have known Lynn for about 18 years. I have used him and his family as fishing guides for many years. They are very knowledgeable and provide a productive, safe and enjoyable service. I am a hunter / trapper and have had correspondence with him many times over these subjects. Lynn is passionate and knowledgeable about Alaskan wildlife management. We were both F&G AC members at the same time as well. I've seen him work through issues at BOG meetings with consideration for all parties involved.

John Basile  
Healy, AK

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** lwmosley@gci.net  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 11:24 AM  
**To:** Senate Resources; Sen. Joshua Revak; Rep. Laddie Shaw  
**Subject:** Support Mr. Lynn Keogh's nomination for position on the Alaska Board of Fish and Game

To Resources Committee Members,

I respectfully request your support for confirming Mr. Lynn B Keogh to the Alaska Board of Game. I have known Lynn for over 25 years and know he will bring a great deal of knowledge and understanding of our State's Fish and Game resources to the table if given a chance to join this very important group. He has an EXCEPTIONAL amount of knowledge and understanding in this field and works very hard at making sure all user groups, both present and future - as well as all citizens of the state have a say in the management and use of this great resource. I give Lynn my highest recommendation for this position and appreciate your support in this important matter.

Respectfully, Lou Mosley 6530 Michigan Blvd Anchorage, Ak 99516

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**From:** Bryce Saviers <b\_saviers@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 3:10 PM  
**To:** Senate Resources; Rep. Andi Story; Sen. Jesse Kiehl  
**Subject:** BOG

I'm writing to voice my support for Lynn Keogh's appointment to the Board of Game. Lynn is a lifelong Alaskan and business owner. He's a responsible trapper and hunter who listens to public input and understands the need to represent all Alaskans. As a Alaskan hunter and trapper, myself, I think it would be beneficial for the State to appoint Mr. Keogh as a member of the BOG. I ask that you consider confirming his appointment when the time comes.

Thank you,  
Bryce Saviers



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**From:** Mike Soik <sockeyes@alaska.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 11:00 PM  
**To:** Senate Resources  
**Subject:** Board of Game Confirmation for Lynn Keogh

Dear Chair Revak and Senate Resources Committee Members,

I ask that you confirm Lynn Keogh to the Board of Game (BOG). Lynn has an extensive and well rounded knowledge of hunting, trapping, and fishing in Alaska which would make him a great resource to have on the BOG. I know Lynn from the trapping community where he promotes responsible trapping practices and advocates for seasons and bag limits based on sustained yield principles. His service on other outdoor boards and committees has shown his ability to work with both consumptive and non-consumptive users when dealing with proposals, policies, and regulations. Thank you for considering my support for Lynn and I look forward to seeing him on the BOG when they resume their meetings.

Sincerely,  
Mike Soik

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**From:** Bill Iverson - AOC <bill@alaskaoutdoorcouncil.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 13, 2021 2:52 PM  
**To:** Senate Resources  
**Subject:** Please Support Lynn Keogh and Jake Fletcher

Please support these highly qualified individuals to the BOG. **Lynn Keogh and Jake Fletcher**  
Both are fair minded and are all about the resource. Please keep the politics out of this.

Thank you,

**Join AOC**



Bill Iverson

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Senator Revak,

This letter is in support of the confirmation of Lynn Keough to the BOG. I have known Lynn longer than I have lived in Alaska. Lynn is truly a outdoorsman in every aspect. He is a hunter, trapper, fisherman, commercial fisherman, hunting and fishing guide. I am sure I have forgotten a few. I also know his wife and children well. They all enjoy the outdoors and the Alaska lifestyle. There have been many bad things said about Lynn, but I think he would be a great addition to the BOG. As a fellow hunter you understand that members of the public will not like you because of your love of a great hunting heritage. The ability to look at something with a different viewpoint, other than just the politically correct view is a important quality that every board member should have. I believe Lynn has those abilities. Having someone on the board with knowledge of south-central Alaska's hunting and trapping issues is especially important to me.

Sincerely,

Mike Crawford

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