

**RESPONSE TO COMMENTS  
SUPERINTENDENT'S COMPENDIUM  
2019**

**GLACIER BAY NATIONAL PARK AND PRESERVE**

The compendium is a list of designations, closures, permit requirements and other restrictions adopted pursuant to authority in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) applicable to areas administered by the National Park Service (NPS). On February 25, the NPS published proposed changes for the 2019 compendium and invited public comment on those proposed changes through March 28. A summary of comments and NPS responses is provided below.

**Process Comments and Responses**

Public notice

**36 CFR 13.170 - General public use cabins**

The NPS proposes the East Alsek Cabin at Dry Bay is designated as a public use cabin except from September 15 to September 30.


*Comments:*

The NPS received one comment that recommended the Service return to allowing subsistence and non-subsistence users to reserve the cabin for a specified timeframe so that they can be assured availability of the cabin.

*Response:*

The NPS is committed to providing shared access to all preserve users except for specific subsistence use dates to allow federal subsistence use opportunities and guarantee the opportunity to harvest this important resource and provide a safe base to local hunters. Therefore, non-subsistence users may not reserve the public use cabin between September 15 and September 30 of each year.

**The Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve compendium is approved and all previous versions are rescinded.**

 (ACTING) 4/16/19  
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Philip N. Hooge Date  
Superintendent

 16 April 2019  
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Herbert C. Frost, Ph.D. Date  
Regional Director