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To Haines Borough Assembly Members and Mayor,

Due to substantive changes in this ordinance since its first public hearing, I suggest that this be set for another public hearing to allow the public full consideration of the current proposal.

Some initial thoughts about this ordinance are that the proposed membership of the committee is lacking in stakeholder representatives. If there are going to be 2 or more members chosen from Haines Borough residents, it would be more meaningful if they would be applying in various categories of stakeholders, i.e., backcountry non-motorized recreationist seat, wildlife/hunting seat, residential impacts seat. This would give the committee a broader representation than is currently proposed.

In section (c), I would add that "wildlife biologists from ADF&G will be notified in advance of all committee meetings and invited to attend by teleconference or in person."

The heli-ski company representative should not have a vote on this committee since they would effectively be voting on issues that affect their business which is a clear conflict of interest.

A seat that has been removed from this ordinance draft is a non-voting seat for a Klukwan representative. This seat should be included to broaden the scope of discussion. While this seat would not have a vote, the representative could provide knowledge and insights to the current and proposed heli-ski areas.

This ordinance needs further public discussion and I hope the assembly will hold another public hearing.

Thank you for considering my comments,

Carolyn Weishahn