

STAFF SUMMARY FOR FEBRUARY 6, 2019

14. UPLAND (RESIDENT) GAME BIRD**Today's Item****Information** **Action**

Consider authorizing publication of notice of intent to amend upland game bird regulations for the 2019 season.

DFW, WRC, and FGC staff recommend that this rulemaking be removed from the rulemaking timetable under Agenda Item 31B.

Summary of Previous/Future Actions

- WRC vetting and recommendation Jan 10, 2019; WRC, Ontario
- **Today's notice hearing Feb 6, 2019, Sacramento**

Background

Annually FGC considers changes to the upland (resident) game bird regulations, soliciting recommendations from DFW, WRC, and public petitions. This year DFW recommends "no change" from the current upland (resident) game bird regulations for the 2019-2020 hunting season and there are no public petitions to consider at this time.

No action is necessary under this agenda item. FGC will consider removing upland (resident) game bird from the rulemaking timetable under Agenda Item 31B.

Significant Public Comments (NA)**Recommendation**

FGC staff: Staff recommends removing upland (resident) game bird from the rulemaking timetable under Agenda Item 31B.

Committee: WRC recommends that upland (resident) game bird be removed from the rulemaking timetable.

DFW: DFW recommends no change to current upland game regulations and recommends removing upland (resident) game bird from the timetable for anticipated regulatory actions under Agenda Item 31B.

Exhibits (NA)**Motion/Direction (NA)**