How the Tundra Swan Preference Point Drawing Process Works

Drawing Parties Under the Tundra Swan Preference Point System

Step 1

- 2,500 (50%) of the current 5,000 available tundra swan permits will be awarded first, to those parties who have a preference point. In this initial drawing, parties with preference points are drawn until all those parties are awarded a permit.

  - If the allotted 2,500 permits are not exhausted after all parties with preference points are awarded a permit, the remaining permits are then made available for the second drawing.

  - If the allotted 2,500 permits are exhausted before all parties with preference points are awarded a permit, the remaining parties would become part of the second drawing’s pool of applicants.

Step 2

- The remaining 2,500 tundra swan permits, plus any permits leftover from the initial drawing described in Step 1, will be utilized in a second drawing.

- The second drawing pool of applicants includes all parties currently not assigned a preference point, and any parties from the initial drawing (Step 1) not awarded a permit.

- In the second drawing, parties are drawn at random without respect to preference points until all the remaining permits are exhausted.

After the Drawing - Adjusting Individual Applicant’s Tundra Swan Preference Points

- Individual applicants with a preference point(s) who were awarded a tundra swan permit will have their preference point status reset to “0”.

- Individual applicants not awarded a tundra swan permit will be assigned one preference point.

- Preference points are cumulative, and are maintained with an individual applicant’s WRC Customer Number.

- As individual applicant’s (i.e. member’s) preference points can accumulate, those parties with higher numbers of preference points, after averaging, will be given preference in the initial drawing (Step 1) over parties with lower numbers of preference points.