

NOTICE

AMENDMENTS TO THE NEZ PERCE TRIBAL CODE

This notice is being posted April 11, 2024, according to the Nez Perce Tribal Code § 1-4-2 to request written comments for the following proposed amendments:

Proposed amendments to the Nez Perce Tribal Code, Title 3 Natural Resources & Environment — specifically:

Ch. 3-1 FISH AND WILDLIFE CODE

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:

The Nez Perce Tribe received a CTAS grant to update and revise the Nez Perce Tribal Code. Prior to the first comment period in 2023, much work has been done to reorganize and clarify different provisions of the Code. The updates and clarifications to the Fish and Wildlife Code at Chapter 3-1 is now ready for another round of public comment.

On January 24, 2023, NPTEC extended the comment period from January 17, 2023, to March 8, 2023. Beneficial written comments have been received, and the NPTEC has taken those comments into consideration during nine work sessions. The NPTEC would like to give tribal membership additional time to review and make any comments on the proposed amendments since the first posting of this code.

On April 9, 2024, NPTEC took action to extend the comment period for 60 days. This is the third posting for review allowing for submission of any additional comments on the proposed amendments. This version of the Fish and Wildlife Code includes revisions resulting from the NPTEC review and consideration of comments received from the two previous postings (October 17, 2022, and January 25, 2023), and the nine working sessions.

If you want to review the full version online, go to the Tribal Code webpage at https://nezperce.org/resources/tribal-code/. Also, hard copies will be available at the NPTEC front office.

WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD:

The Law and Order & Intergovernmental Affairs Subcommittee will be accepting written comments on the proposed amendments and reorganization being applied to the Code. Please submit written comments by mail, e-mail, fax or hand delivery to:

Chairman, Law & Order Subcommittee P. O. Box 305, Lapwai, Idaho 83540

E-mail to TribalCode@nezperce.org • Fax to (208) 843-7354

Hand Deliver to the NPTEC offices in Lapwai.

The DEADLINE for receipt and consideration of such comments is **Thursday**, **July 11**, **2024** at **4:30** p.m.