

FWS Form 3-2381-5, OMB Control Number 1018-0124, Expires ##/##/20##

Instructions for Bird and Egg Household Harvest Survey

TO AVOID FUTURE NOTIFICATIONS, PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS SURVEY NOW. It is important that you participate in this survey even if your household did not harvest birds or eggs.

Harvest estimates from this survey are used to:

- Show the importance of subsistence uses of migratory birds.
- Protect subsistence harvests.
- Assess whether harvest regulations are appropriate.
- Plan for the conservation of birds.
- 1. Please complete one survey per household, including harvests by all household members listed on your registration.
- 2. Respond to questions 1 through 4 in the blue box at the top of the survey form.
- 3. In the fields provided next to the bird drawings, report the numbers of all birds and eggs harvested by your household members, including those that you gave to other household(s).
- 4. Do not report in your survey birds or eggs that you received from other household(s).
- 5. If you harvested with people from other household(s), report in your survey only your household's share of the harvest.
- 6. Report numbers of birds and eggs as individual units. If you harvested eggs using a 5-gal bucket or other kind of container, specify how many eggs.
- 7. Write comments in the green box provided at the bottom of the survey form (weather, hunting conditions, access to hunting areas, unusual birds seen, household registration and survey process, etc.).
- 8. Use the provided postage-paid envelope to mail your completed survey.

Thank you for participating in this survey! We'll share survey results in your community.

Questions? Give us a call:

Division of Subsistence, Alaska Department of Fish and Game: 907-267-2302 (Anchorage) Alaska Migratory Bird Co-Management Council, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service: 907-227-2942 (Anchorage)



Paperwork Reduction Act Statement: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), please note the following information. This survey is authorized by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703 et seq.) and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act Protocol Amendment (1995) and its letter of submittal from the Department of State to the White House, which specifies the need for harvest monitoring. Your participation in the survey is voluntary. We will use the information your household provides to estimate subsistence migratory bird harvest in subsistence eligible areas of Alaska. Household harvest reports are anonymous and no names are used on harvest report forms. We may not conduct or sponsor and you are not required to respond to a survey unless it displays a current OMB control number. OMB has approved this information collection and assigned Control No. 1018-0124.

Estimated Burden Statement: We estimate public reporting for this collection of information to average 5 minutes, including time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments to the Service Information Collection Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 5275 Leesburg Pike, Mailstop: PRB (JAO/3W), Falls Church, VA 22041-3803, or via email at Info_Coll@fws.gov. Please do not send your completed survey to this address.