

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA  
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

ROBERT CASSELL,

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

STATE OF ALASKA BOARD OF  
GAME,

Defendant(s).

3AN-19-07460CI


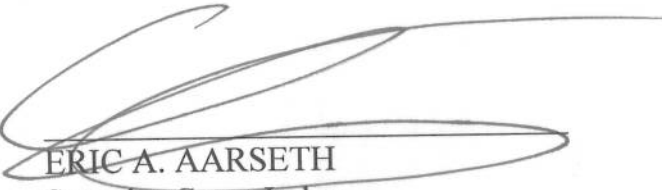
**Order Denying Motion for Intervention by Alaska Professional Hunters Association**

Alaska Professional Hunters Association (APHA) moved for intervention of right under Alaska Civil Rule 24(a), or in the alternative, permissive intervention under Alaska Civil Rule 24(b). Rule 24(a) does not apply because the APHA does not have a direct interest to intervene as of right. State v. Weidner, 684 P.2d 103, 113 (Alaska 1984). Rule 24(b) does not apply either because (1) the guides have not raised “new issues” that the Board in the original action could not raise, and (2) the intervention may unduly delay or prejudice the adjudication of the rights of the original parties. The court thereby DENIES APHA’s motion to intervene.

APHA “could more effectively and expeditiously participate as *amici curiae*.” Alaskans for a Common Language, Inc. v. Kritz, 3 P.3d 906 (Alaska 2000). IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that APHA may participate as *amici curiae* by filing an *amicus* brief. The parties are to serve counsel for *amici* with all motions and memoranda. Movants may also present oral argument in support of any *amicus* brief they have filed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED at Anchorage, Alaska this 7 day of October, 2019.

ERIC A. AARSETH  
Superior Court Judge

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