



MARINE MAMMALS HUNTING REGULATIONS **SEA OTTERS**

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HARVESTING GUIDELINES

ONLY ALASKA NATIVE PEOPLE CAN HUNT YEAR ROUND

NO FEDERAL PERMIT REQUIRED. FEDERAL TAGGING AND REPORTING NEEDED. CHECK IN TRIBAL GOV. FOR PERMIT, TAG, AND/OR REPORT.

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NO HARVEST LIMIT
REMEMBER OUR TRADITIONAL WAYS - ONLY TAKE WHAT YOU NEED

NO AGE LIMIT

FEMALES WITH PUPS

TARGET ADULT MALES

ALL MARINE MAMMAL PARTS MUST BE SIGNIFICANTLY ALTERED

MADE INTO AUTHENTIC NATIVE ARTICLES

CAN BE SOLD TO NON-ALASKA NATIVE PEOPLES OR SOLD IN INTERSTATE COMM

UNALTERED HIDE
ALASKA NATIVE PERSON - REGISTERED AGENT

ALTERED HIDE IS NO RECOGNIZABLE AS A WHOLE SEA OTTER HIDE

HIDE DEVOID OF THE HEAD, FEET, AND TAIL

HEAD, TAIL, FEET, OR OTHER PARTS DEVOID OF THE HIDE

NO COMMERCE OR TRADE SEA OTTERS PRODUCTS WITH OTHER COUNTRIES

VIOLATION OF THE MMPA IS A CLASS A FEDERAL MISDEMEANOR

MAXIMUM PENALTY UP TO \$100,000 AND UP TO ONE YEAR IN JAIL

HUNTING OR ACCESS RESTRICTIONS AREAS

NATIONAL PARKS

STATE GAME SANCTUARIES

PRIVATE LAND

SOME AREAS HAVE STATE OR LOCAL ORDINANCES LIMITING WHERE FIREARMS CAN BE DISCHARGED.
WE ENCOURAGE YOU SPEAK WITH THE LOCAL TRIBAL GOVERNMENT TO FIND OUT THIS INFORMATION.

QUALIFIED USERS

ANY ALASKA NATIVE WHO LIVES IN ALASKA AND WHO DWELLS ON THE COAST OF THE NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN OR THE ARCTIC OCEAN IF

IS FOR SUBSISTENCE PURPOSES

IS FOR CREATE AND SELL AUTHENTIC NATIVE HANDICRAFTS AND CLOTHING ARTICLES

NOT IN A WASTEFUL MANNER

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