



# United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
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## Bear Encounter/Firearms Use Report

Please report any bear encounters, ranging from sightings to serious incidents. Check the box that applies and explain the situation in the narrative section. Please ensure this report is completed and submitted to the respective Zone Duty Officer or the Alaska Fire Service (AFS) Safety Officer.

**Fire name/number or project:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

- Bear sighted.
- Presence of bear resulted in behavior change of personnel.
- Damage to property or equipment caused by bears.
- Measures taken to deter the bear (chainsaw, firearm discharge, helicopter, etc.).
- Bear shot/killed.
- Preventative measures (electric fence, etc.).
- Accidental firearm discharge.

**Narrative:**

**Please return this form with the fire report and ensure the AFS Safety Officer receives it.**