

# Proposed fishing closure opposed by AMA officials

The Alaska Miners Association opposes the proposed closure of Glacier Bay National Park to subsistence and commercial fishing.

The AMA Board of Directors passed a resolution opposing the proposed restrictions on fishing around the park.

"The Park Service has used every possible means to shut down miners and run them out, and now they are beginning to do the same with the fishermen," said Neil MacKinnon, AMA President.

The AMA sent its resolution to National Park Service officials, the Alaska Congressional delegation, and Gov. Steve Cowper.