

Hunting and Trapping

Emergency Order

Alaska Department
of Fish and Game

Under the Authority of AS 16.05.060

Emergency Order 05-12-11

Issued at Nome, Alaska
December 6, 2011

Effective Date: 12:01 a.m.
January 01, 2012

Expiration Date: June 30, 2012

EXPLANATION:

This Emergency Order opens the State of Alaska season for antlered bull moose by registration permit hunt RM849 in Unit 22(D) Southwest and Unit 22(D) within the Kuzitrin River drainage at 12:01 a.m. on January 1, 2012. The combined harvest quota of 54 bulls in these portions of Unit 22(D) was not met during the fall 2011 season leaving a surplus of 10 antlered bulls available for harvest during the winter hunt. The hunt is open to residents only by registration permit and it has a harvest quota of 10 antlered bulls.

REGULATION:

Therefore, the following regulations in **5 AAC 85.045 (a) (20), HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR MOOSE** are superseded by this emergency order as follows:

Units and Bag Limits	Resident Open Season (Subsistence and General Hunts)	Nonresident Open Season
(20)		
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Unit 22(D), that portion within the Kougarok, Kuzitrin, and Pilgrim River drainages		
RESIDENT HUNTERS:		
1 bull by registration permit only; or	Sept. 1 - Sept. 14	
1 antlered bull by registration permit only; during the period Jan. 1- Jan. 31, a season may be announced by emergency order	Jan. 1 – Jan. 31	

NONRESIDENT HUNTERS:

No open season

Unit 22(D) Southwest, that portion west of the Tisuk River drainage, west of the west bank of the unnamed creek originating at the unit boundary opposite the headwaters of McAdam's Creek to its confluence with Canyon Creek, and west of the west bank of Canyon Creek to its confluence with Tuksuk Channel

RESIDENT HUNTERS:

1 bull by registration permit only; or Sept. 1 - Sept. 14

1 antlered bull by registration permit only; during the period Jan. 1- Jan. 31, a season may be announced by emergency order Jan. 1 – Jan. 31

NONRESIDENT HUNTERS:

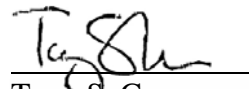
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All other moose hunting regulations in Unit 22 remain unchanged by this emergency order.

Cora Campbell
Acting Commissioner

By delegation to:


Tony S. Gorn
Unit 22 Area Biologist

JUSTIFICATION:

The Alaska Board of Game established a registration moose hunt in Unit 22(D) Southwest and Unit 22(D) that portion within the Kuzitrin River drainage. During the 2011 fall hunting season the combined harvest quota of 54 bulls set by the department was not met during the normal 14-day season. Total fall harvest from the two hunt areas was 44 bulls leaving a surplus of 10 antlered bulls available for harvest. The season will be closed by emergency order if the harvest quota is reached before the season ending date of January 31, 2012.

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