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## NEWS

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### **Ship Creek Moose Hunt Closes**

**Anchorage** – Registration permit hunt RM435 for bull moose in the Ship Creek drainage will close at one minute before midnight on November 2, 2011, by emergency order of the Alaska Department of Fish and Game. Anchorage Assistant Area Wildlife Biologist David Battle said sixteen bull moose were reported taken as of November 1 from a population of about 215 animals. The take of sixteen bulls is consistent with the goal of maintaining appropriate bull:cow ratios and population levels in this hunt area. No further harvest is warranted at this time.

The hunt area includes the Ship Creek drainage in Unit 14(C). All other moose hunts in Unit 14 are unaffected by the emergency order.