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Eklutna Lake Management Area Moose Hunt RM445 Closes in Unit 14C

(Anchorage) – Registration permit hunt RM445 for bull moose in the Eklutna Lake Management Area (Game Management Unit 14C) will close at one minute before midnight on September 29th, 2018 by emergency order of the Alaska Department of Fish and Game. Three bull moose were reported taken as of September 28 from a population of approximately 80 animals (including the Eklutna and Thunderbird drainages) and hunters remain in the field. To maintain appropriate bull:cow ratios and the overall population objective in this hunt area, the department has determined harvest should not exceed four bulls.

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