

Hunting and Trapping

Emergency Order

Under the Authority of AS 16.05.060

Alaska Department
of Fish and Game

Emergency Order 05-01-14

Issued at Nome, Alaska
January 3, 2014

Effective Date: 11:59 p.m.
January 3, 2014

Expiration Date: June 30, 2014

EXPLANATION:

This Emergency Order closes the antlered bull moose season in hunt areas Unit 22(D) Southwest and Unit 22(D) within the Kuzitritin River drainage covered under registration permit hunt RM849.

The State resident winter season for antlered bull moose by registration permit Hunt RM849 closes at 11:59 p.m. on January 3, 2014. The winter harvest quota of 8 antlered bull moose is expected to be reached by the season closing date announced in this emergency order and no further harvest is warranted.

The fall combined harvest quota of 54 bulls in these portions of Unit 22(D) was not filled during the fall RY2013-14 season leaving a surplus of 8 antlered bulls available for harvest in the winter hunt.

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Therefore, the following regulations in **5 AAC 85.045 (a) (20), HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR MOOSE**, are superseded by this emergency order and the following provisions are effective for hunting moose in Unit 22(D):

Units and Bag Limits	Resident Open Season (Subsistence and General Hunts)	Nonresident Open Season
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Unit 22(D), that portion within
The Kougarok, Kuzitritin, 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. 3**

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. 3**

NONRESIDENT HUNTERS:

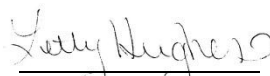
No open season

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

Cora Campbell
Commissioner

By delegation to:



Letty Hughes
Assistant 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. The fall combined harvest quota of 54 bulls in these portions of Unit 22(D) was not filled during the fall RY2013-14 season leaving a surplus of 8 antlered bulls available for harvest in the winter hunt.

The State resident winter season by registration permit Hunt RM849 was announced to open by emergency order with a harvest quota of 8 antlered bull moose. The harvest quota of 8 antlered bull moose is expected to be reached by the season closing date announced in this emergency order and no further harvest is warranted.

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