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Permits Available for Interior Alaska Hunts

Surplus drawing permits for moose hunting in Interior Alaska will be issued on a first come-first served basis to hunters whose faxed applications are received at the Fairbanks Fish and Game office beginning April 11, 2011 at 8:00 am Alaska time. The application deadline is June 10 at 5:00 pm Alaska time.

Permit applications are available from any Fish and Game office, and on the internet at "http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=huntlicense.undersubscribed", but the website does not allow hunters to apply online at this time. Applications must be faxed to the Fish and Game office in Fairbanks at (907) 459-7332. Hunters must complete and sign the application themselves. Faxes received before April 11 at 8:00 am Alaska time are not eligible.

"Drawing permits are usually issued by random lottery, but we received fewer applications for these particular hunts this year, so not all of the permits were awarded," said Management Biologist Doreen Parker McNeill. "The Board of Game allows us to decide whether or not to issue unused permits, and this year we will again make them available."

Some of the permits are reserved by regulation for guided nonresident hunters. Guide–client agreements must be in place prior to applying for these permits.

McNeill cautioned hunters that getting to the hunt areas can be difficult and expensive. Antler restrictions, requirements to leave meat on the bone, and other limiting conditions apply in most of these hunts. "It's a good idea to read the specific hunt conditions and season dates before applying," she said. For example, permits available for the eastern headwaters of Unit 20B is for hunters using muzzleloading firearms only. Hunters should understand accessibility limitations before applying for these hunt areas. Specific information for these hunts can be found in the "2010–2011 Alaska Winter Drawing Permit Hunt Supplement" available at Fish and Game offices and online at "www.hunt.alaska.gov" under "Undersubscribed Draw permits available in Interior," or go directly to "http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=huntlicense.undersubscribed". Hunters with questions about the application process for these hunts can call (907) 459-7272.

Permits are available for the following hunts:

Hunt Number	Location	Bag Limit	Hunt Dates	Permits Available	Eligible Applicants
DM692	Unit 20A central Wood River Controlled Use Area	antlerless moose	Aug 25– Oct 31	27	residents only
DM693	Unit 20A eastern Wood River Controlled Use Area	antlerless moose	Aug 25– Oct 31	7	residents only
DM695	Unit 20A east-central mountains	antlerless moose	Aug 25– Oct 31	42	residents only
DM743	Unit 20B, Middle Fork Chena	antlerless moose	Aug 15– Aug 31	26	residents only
DM744	Unit 20B, Middle Fork Chena	antlerless moose	Sep 1– Sep 20	24	residents only
DM782	Unit 20B, Eastern Headwaters,	adult moose	Nov 1– Nov 30	10	residents only, by muzzle- loader only
DM786	Unit 20B Fairbanks Management Area	antlerless moose	Sep 1– Nov 27	16	residents and nonresident disabled veterans only
DM802	Unit 21B East of Nowitna corridor	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	33	residents and nonresidents
DM808	Unit 21B West of Nowitna corridor	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	62	residents and nonresidents
DM812	Unit 21C, Dulbi River	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	19	residents and nonresidents
DM814	Unit 21D Bear Creek	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	9	residents only
DM817	Unit 21D Nulato River and Kaiyuh Flats	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	10	residents and nonresidents
DM818	Unit 21D Papa Willie Creek	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	20	residents and nonresidents
DM819	Unit 21D Bear Creek	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	2	guided nonresidents only
DM837	Unit 21E	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	12	unguided nonresidents only
DM839	Unit 21E	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	7	guided nonresidents only
DM892	Unit 24D, Huslia and Dakli River drainages	bull moose	Sep 5– Sep 25	18	residents and nonresidents
	Unit 24C, Hogatza and		Sep 5-	3	residents and