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## Kenai Peninsula Registration Goat Hunts Open November 1; Permits Available October 27

(Homer) – Mountain goat numbers on the Kenai Peninsula and low harvest during the drawing hunts earlier this fall have led to late-season registration hunt opportunities in Units 7 and 15. Permits will be available beginning October 27 at 8:00 A.M. online at <a href="http://hunt.alaska.gov">http://hunt.alaska.gov</a>, or in person at department offices in Anchorage, Palmer, Homer, or Soldotna.

The following hunts are scheduled to open November 1- November 14:

- RG346, Resurrection Peninsula (limited to 32 permits)
- RG359, Bradley Lake (limited to 16 permits)
- RG360, Dixon Glacier (limited to 32 permits)
- RG363, Port Dick (limited to 16 permits)

Late-season harvest opportunities are based on success rates during the drawing hunt season. Goat harvest objective points are calculated using one unit for billies and two units for nannies. Hunters are reminded that the bag limit is one goat and hunters are encouraged to select a billy. Hunters who harvest a nanny are prohibited from hunting goats in Units 7 and 15 for five regulatory years. The taking of nannies accompanied by a kid is prohibited. Seasons will close November 14, 2022, at 11:59 P.M., unless closed earlier by Emergency Order (EO) if quotas are reached.

More information on identifying mountain goats in the field can be found on the ADF&G site: <a href="https://www.adfq.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfq=qoathunting.resources">https://www.adfq.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfq=qoathunting.resources</a>

Emergency orders will be published online: https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=wcnews.main