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A Portion of Registration Elk Hunt RE755 Will Not Open

(Kodiak) – Elk hunters on Afognak Island have taken advantage of mild weather to reach established harvest objectives during the fall drawing hunt, which include portions of the RE755 registration hunt area. Consequently, portions of the RE755 hunt area will not open this year.

The closed areas include; Southwest Afognak Island, that portion of Afognak Island and adjacent islands south and west of a line from the head of Back Bay (58° 05.3' N. lat.,152° 45.7' W. long.) to Hatchery Peak (58° 07.2' N. lat., 152° 47.5' W. long.) to the head of Malina Bay (58° 09.3' N. lat., 152° 51.0' W. long.), and that portion of Afognak Island west of the main north-south logging road (1100 Road) from Danger Bay logging camp north to its terminus at Discoverer Bay and east of a line from the head of Danger Bay (58° 13.3' N. lat.,152° 34.6' W. long.) to the head of the North Arm of Paramanof Bay (58° 15.7' N. lat.,152° 43.1' W. long.) along the north shore of the North Arm of Paramanof Bay to the Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge boundary, along the refuge boundary to Waterfall Lake to the head of Little Waterfall Bay (58° 23.5' N. lat.,152° 29.9' W. long.).

Afognak Island elk are managed using established harvest guidelines for individual herds and a 10 percent harvest objective for the overall elk population. As of October 20, hunters had reported taking 30 elk from a quota of 30 in this portion of the Remainder hunt area and Southwest Afognak. Additional harvest could impede herd productivity and growth.

Registration hunts for elk of either sex will open October 23, 2022 in the remaining portions of the RE755 hunt area including Kodiak, Ban and Shuyak islands. Elk hunting on Raspberry Island is restricted to hunters with drawing permits. Permits for RE755 are available in person at Kodiak, Anchorage, Palmer, Soldotna, Fairbanks, and Homer ADF&G offices. Detailed maps are available at the Alaska Department of Fish and Game office in Kodiak.

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