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## **Advisory Announcement**

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## **Hogan Lake Mt. Goat Hunt Zone Closed**

(Sitka) – Hunt managers set a harvest quota of 5 males or 1 female for the Hogan Lake hunt zone of mountain goat hunt RG150 on Baranof Island. Quotas are based on the most recent aerial surveys. Fifty goats were observed in this zone during an October 2022 survey.

To date, two female goats have been harvested in the Hogan Lake zone of RG150. The management objective for this zone has been exceeded and no further harvest is warranted. Additional harvest could lead to reduced hunting opportunities in the future.

Therefore, this zone is being closed by emergency order (EO) at 11:59 PM, Friday, December 23, 2022.

Emergency Order 01-21-22 was issued to close the mountain goat season in the Hogan Lake Zone of RG150 on Friday, December 23, 2022 @ 11:59 PM.

Those portions of Unit 4 not affected by this emergency order will remain open until harvest quotas are reached or the season concludes.

Previous EO's are listed online at: <a href="http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg="http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm]adfg="http://www.adfg.alaska.

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