State restricted areas:

1. Wrangell Road System Closed Area: a strip 1/4 mile wide on each side of the Stikine (Zimovia) Hwy. from the Wrangell city limits to Tongass National Forest Service boundary; the area is closed to taking big game.

2. Petersburg Road System Closed Area: a strip 1/4 mile wide on each side of the Mitkof Hwy from Petersburg city limits to Crystal Lake Campground; the area is closed to taking big game except wolves.

3. Petersburg Creek Closed Area: Petersburg Creek drainage on Kupreanof Island; the area is closed to taking black bears.

4. Petersburg Management Area: that portion of Unit 3 on Mitkof Island, north and west of a line from Frederick Point to the highest point in Section 8, T59S, R80E; to the highest point in Section 7, T59S, R80E; to the highest point in Section 13, T59S, R79E; to the highest point in Section 23, T59S, R79E; then due south to Petersburg city boundary; and at least 1/4 mile from an airport property, dwelling, business, highway, road or street within the corporate city limits; is open to hunting with bow and arrow only. IBEP certification required for big game, small game hunting by falconry is allowed.

5. Blind Slough Closed Area: 1/4 mile wide on each side of Blind Slough from the hunting closure markers at Milepost 15.1 of the Mitkof Highway to the hunting closure markers at Milepost 18.4 of the Mitkof Highway, including the waters of Blind Slough between those hunting closure markers; the area is closed to hunting.

Unit 3
Petersburg-Wrangell

Game Management Units / Special Management Areas

- Closed Areas
- Controlled Use Areas
- Management Areas
- State Refuges, Sanctuaries, & Critical Habitat Areas
- National Parks
- National Preserves & Other Federal Lands
- Unit Boundary
- Subunit Boundary
- Other State Lands
- City Boundary
- Military Boundary
- Military Closure
- Tangle Lakes Archaeological District
- Roads
- Railroads
- Trails
Unit 3 Petersburg-Wrangell See map on page 46 for state restricted areas in Unit 3.

All islands west of Unit 1B, north of Unit 2, south of the center line of Frederick Sound, and east of the center line of Chatham Strait, including Coronation, Kuiu, Kupreanof, Mitkof, Zarembo, Kashevarof, Woronofskoi, Etolin, Wrangell, and Deer islands and all seaward waters and lands within three (3) miles of these coastlines.

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Black Bear

- See pages 24-28, for bear information and salvage requirements.
- Evidence of sex must remain naturally attached as required.
- Nonresidents must report to Petersburg (907) 772-3801 within 5 days of taking a black bear on Kuiu Island and seal the bear within 14 days.

**R**

- Two bears but not more than one may be a blue or glacier bear
  - HT Sept 1-Jun 30

**N**

- One bear
  - Nonresident hunters using registered guides
    - HT Sept 1-Jun 30

- One bear by permit
  - Nonresident hunters not using registered guides
    - DL029-DL031 Sept 1-Jun 30

Brown/Grizzly Bear

- See pages 24-28 for bear information and salvage requirements.
- Evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to hide.

**R**

- One bear every four regulatory years by permit, available in person in Douglas, Ketchikan, Petersburg, Sitka and Wrangell, or online at http://hunt.alaska.gov or by mail from Petersburg beginning Mar 4
  - RB075 Mar 15-May 31

**N**

- no open season

Deer

- Same-day airborne hunting of deer allowed.
- Harvest tickets must be validated in sequential order, and unused tickets must be carried when you hunt.
- In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the meat or antlers must remain naturally attached to the carcase with or without viscera.

**B**

- Mitkof Island, Petersburg Management Area
  - Two bucks by bow and arrow only. IBEP required.
    - HT Oct 15-Dec 15

- remainder of Mitkof, Woewodski, Butterworth Islands
  - One buck
    - HT Oct 15-Oct 31

**R**

- that portion of Kupreanof Island on the Lindenberg Peninsula east of the Portage Bay-Duncan Canal Portage
  - One buck
    - HT Oct 15-Oct 31

**N**

- no open season

**B**

- remainder
  - Two bucks
    - HT Aug 1-Nov 30

Elk

- Report to Petersburg (907-772-3801) within five days of taking an elk for hunts in Remainder of Unit 3.

**B**

- Zarembo, Bushy and Shrubby islands and the Kashevarof Islands
  - no open season

- Etolin Island area bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Stikine Strait and Clarence Strait, running southeast following the midline of Clarence Strait, down to its intersection with Ernest Sound, then north-east following the midline of Ernest Sound, excluding Niblack Islands, to its intersection with Zimovia Strait, then northwest following the western shoreline of Zimovia Strait to its intersection with Chichagof Passage, then west along the midline of Chichagof Passage to its intersection with Stikine Strait, then west and south along the midline of Stikine Strait back to the point of beginning
  - One bull by bow and arrow only by permit
    - DE318 Sept 1-Sept 30
  - One bull by permit
    - DE321/323 Oct 1-Oct 31

  - OR
    - One bull by permit available in Douglas, Kake, Ketchikan, Petersburg, Sitka and Wrangell, or by mail from Petersburg or online at http://hunt.alaska.gov beginning Nov 3
      - RE325 Nov 15-Nov 30

- remainder
  - One elk
    - Aug 1-Dec 31

## 2014-2015 Alaska Hunting Regulations

Effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015

**Kerry Watson with the goat she shot in Sept. 2013, with a permit on Revillagigedo Island. It was her first goat and a beautiful day for a hunt! Photo by Ken Arriola.**

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| **Moose** | **B 3** | - In Unit 3, a damaged, broken, or altered antler is not considered a spike-fork antler.  
- Spike-fork, 50-inch antlers, and brow tines are defined on pages 30-31.  
- In bag limit, “moose” means an animal of either sex; “bull” means a male moose.  
- In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the meat. | RM038 | Sept 15-Oct 15 |
| **Wolf** | **B 3** | A portion of this unit is within a predator control area and special regulations apply. See predator control supplement.  
- No nonresident tag required.  
- Hides must be sealed within 30 days of kill. | | Aug 1-May 31 |
| **Wolverine** | **B 3** | Hides must be sealed within 30 days of kill. | | Sept 1-Feb 15 |