

# Hunting and Trapping

## Emergency Order

Alaska Department  
of Fish and Game

Under the Authority of AS 16.05.060

**Emergency Order** 05-03-11

**Issued at** Nome, Alaska  
January 13, 2011

**Effective Date:** 11:59 p.m.  
January 13, 2011

**Expiration Date:** June 30, 2011

### EXPLANATION:

This Emergency Order closes the State of Alaska subsistence registration hunting season for bull muskox by registration permit RX099 in the Unit 22(C) at 11:59 p.m. on January 13, 2011. In this hunt area, the harvest quota of 20 bull muskox is expected to be reached by the closure date of this announcement and no further harvest is warranted.

### REGULATION:

Therefore, the following regulations in **5 AAC 85.050 (a) (2), HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR MUSKOX**, are superseded by this emergency order, and the following provisions are effective for hunting muskox in Unit 22(C):

<b>Units and Bag Limits</b>	<b>Resident Open Season (Subsistence and General Hunts)</b>	<b>Nonresident Open Season</b>
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Unit 22(C), excluding the area between the east bank of Penny River and the west bank of the Flambeau River extended along Safety Sound to Safety Bridge, the Snake River drainage, and the Nome River drainage below and including Hobson and Rocky Mountain Creek drainages

1 bull by registration  
permit only

Jan. 1 – **Jan. 13**  
(Subsistence hunt only)

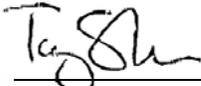
No open season

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All other muskox hunting regulations in Unit 22 remain unchanged by this emergency order.

Cora Campbell  
Commissioner

By delegation to:

  
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Tony Gorn  
Area Biologist

**JUSTIFICATION:**

The Alaska Board of Game created a subsistence registration permit hunt for muskox in Unit 22(C). The Department set a 4% harvest rate which allows 20 bull muskox be harvested based on the 2010 muskox count of 480 muskox in Unit 22C. The harvest quota is expected to be met by the closure date of this announcement.

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