HUNTING-TRAPPING

Emergency Order

ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

Under Authority of AS 16.05.060

Emergency Order No. R1-22-24

Issued at Douglas, Alaska November 15, 2024

Effective Date: November 16, 2024

Expiration Date: 30 June 2025 (unless superseded by a subsequent emergency

order)

EXPLANATION:

This emergency order closes the state of Alaska resident and nonresident mountain goat hunting season for that portion of Unit 1C from the point of land northeast of Harbor Island along the north side of Endicott Arm to Dawes Glacier including Fords Terror and all drainages on the north side of Endicott Arm. This emergency order (R1-22-24) takes effect at 11:59pm, Saturday, November 16, 2024.

REGULATORY TEXT:

Therefore, the provisions of 5 AAC 85.040, HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR GOAT, are superseded by this emergency order, and the following provisions are effective for hunting mountain goats in Unit 1(C):

> Resident Open Season

(Subsistence and Nonresident General Hunts) Open Season

1 Aug. - 16 Nov.

Units and Bag Limits

(1)

Unit 1(C), that portion

1 Aug. – 16 Nov.

of Endicott Arm (General hunt only)

from the point of land northeast of Harbor Island along the north side of Endicott Arm to Dawes Glacier including Fords Terror and all drainages on the north side of Endicott Arm.

1 goat by registration permit only, the taking of nannies with kids is prohibited

The remainder of Unit 1(C) mountain goat seasons, other than those previously closed by emergency order, are not affected by this emergency order.

Douglas Vincent-Lang

Commissioner

By delegation to:

Carl H. Koch Area Management

JUSTIFICATION:

The were 9 goat points (billy = 1 point; nanny = 2 points) available in the North Endicott Arm area this year. As of Friday, November 15, 2024, all of the available points have been harvested in this area. Due to the vulnerability of goats in this area to overharvest, the area will be closed by E.O. taking affect at 11:59 pm, Saturday, November 16, 2024. The last aerial survey of this area was conducted on October 28, 2023. At that time 203 adult goats and 42 kids observed. In order to help preserve this area for future goat hunting opportunities, this hunt will be closed at this time.

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