

# Hunting and Trapping

## Emergency Order

Under the Authority of AS 16.05.060

Alaska Department  
of Fish and Game

**Emergency Order No. R2-16-24**

Issued at Cordova, Alaska  
October 22, 2024

**Effective Date:** 11:59 p.m.  
October 23, 2024

**Expiration Date:** June 30, 2025  
unless superseded by  
subsequent emergency order

### **EXPLANATION:**

This emergency order closes the state resident and nonresident hunting seasons for mountain goat in registration permit hunt area RG232, which includes that portion of Unit 6C west of Scott Glacier and the main channel of Scott River, north of the Copper River Highway.

Mountain goat hunting regulations in all other portions of Game Management Unit 6 are not affected by this emergency order.

### **REGULATION:**

Therefore, the following regulations in **5AAC 85.040 (2), Hunting Seasons and Bag Limits for Goat**, are superseded by this emergency order, and the following provisions are effective:

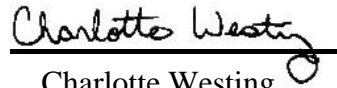
Units and Bag Limits	Resident	Nonresident
	Open Season (Subsistence General Hunts)	Open Season
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Unit 6(C), Hunt RG232: specifically, that portion of unit 6C west of Scott Glacier and the main channel of Scott River, north of the Copper River Highway	Oct. 1- Oct. 23	Oct. 1- Oct. 23

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

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All other mountain goat hunting regulations in Unit 6 are not affected by this emergency order.

Doug Vincent-Lang  
Commissioner



By delegation to: Charlotte Westing  
Area Wildlife Biologist

**JUSTIFICATION:**

The most recent quality aerial survey found 319 goats within the mountain goat hunt area RG232. The maximum allowable harvest is 12 goat points. Each billy counts as one goat point, each nanny counts as two goat points, and each unrecoverable goat counts for 1.5 points. The current harvest is seven billies, two nannies, and one unrecoverable goat for 12.5 goat points, with additional hunters currently in the field. Harvest that exceeds objectives could lead to reduced future hunting opportunity.

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