

Hunting and Trapping Emergency Order

Under the Authority of AS 16.05.060

Alaska Department
of Fish and Game

Emergency Order No. R3-12-26

Issued at: McGrath, Alaska
9/21/2026

Effective Date: 12:00 A.M.
9/22/2026

Expiration Date: 11:59 PM
9/25/26

EXPLANATION:

This emergency order extends the TM680 tier II moose season in Unit 19A until 11:59 P.M. on September 25, 2026.

REGULATION:

Therefore, the following regulations in **5AAC 85.045(a)(17)(B), HUNTING SEASONS AND BAG LIMITS FOR MOOSE IN UNIT 19**, are superseded by this emergency order, and the following provisions are effective:

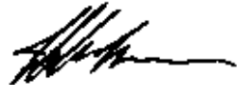
Units and Bag Limits	Resident	
	Open Season (Subsistence and General Hunts)	Nonresident Open Season
(17)		
Unit 19(A)		
RESIDENT HUNTERS:		
1 antlered bull by Tier II permit only; up to 300 permits may be issued	Aug. 25 – Sept. 20 <u>Sept. 22 – Sept. 25</u> (Subsistence hunt only)	
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JUSTIFICATION:

Due to unusually high water and flooding in the Kuskokwim River drainage moose harvest is anticipated to be below average this year. The Unit 19A moose population has experienced significant growth over the past 9 years. To take advantage of this growth the department has issued 250 permits annually for the last 2 years compared to 200 permits annually prior to

that. There are additional moose available for harvest and this season extension will allow subsistence hunters who have been unsuccessful to hunt for 4 more days.

Doug Vincent-Lang
Commissioner

By delegation to: _____

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