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Advisory Announcement
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Flower and Porcupine Mountain Area Closed to Mountain Goat Hunting

(Juneau) – An emergency order (R1-15-26) has been issued to close the mountain goat hunting season in the area bounded by the Klehini River on the north, the Tsirku River on the south, the Canadian border west, and the Chilkat River on the east side at **11:59 P.M., on Wednesday, November 18, 2026**.

Based on aerial survey counts, a harvest guideline level of 2-3 points was established by ADF&G for the area described above. As of Tuesday, November 17, 2026, the harvest guideline has been met. Because the harvest guideline level has been met, this emergency order is being issued.

Those portions of Unit 1D not affected by this emergency order, and not previously closed by emergency order, will remain open until the harvest guidelines are reached or the seasons come to their scheduled conclusions.

Biologists encourage hunters to target male goats to allow for higher sustainable harvest in the future. For additional information concerning mountain goat hunting in Game Management Unit 1D contact Hannah Manninen at 907-465-4329 or Hannah.manninen@alaska.gov

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