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Advisory Announcement

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Whale Bay/Necker Bay Mt. Goat Hunt Zones Closed

(Sitka) – Hunt managers set a harvest quota of 3 males or 1 female for the combined Whale Bay and Necker Bay hunt zones of mountain goat hunt RG150 on Baranof Island. Quotas are based on the most recent aerial surveys.

To date, five male goats have been harvested in the Whale Bay and Necker Bay zones of RG150. The management objective for these zones has been exceeded and no further harvest is warranted. Additional harvest could lead to reduced hunting opportunities in the future.

Therefore, these two zones are being closed by emergency order (EO) at 11:59 PM, Friday, November 25, 2022.

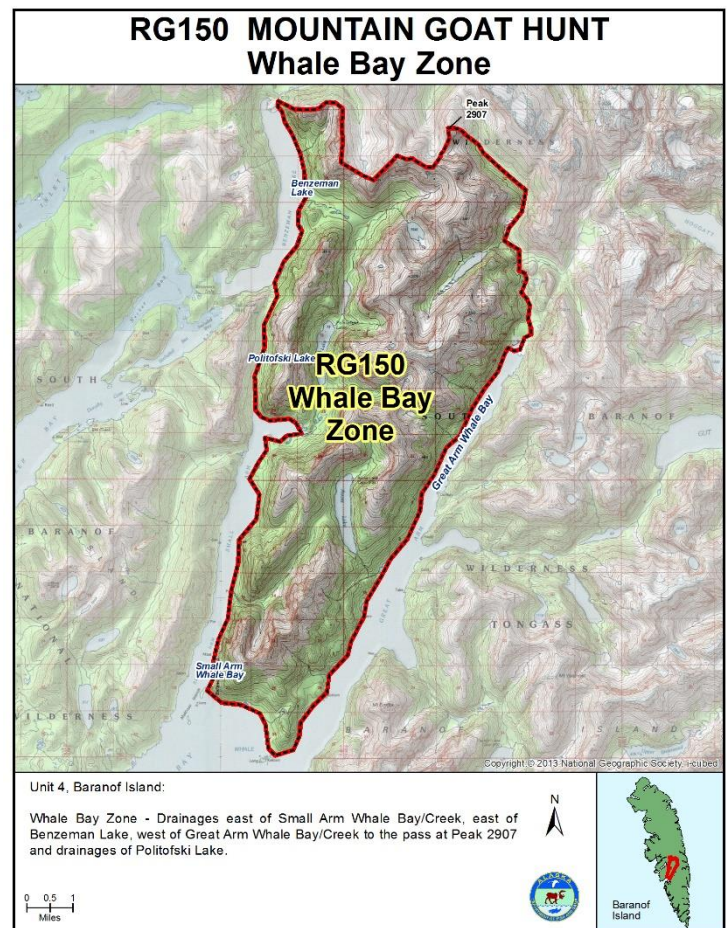
Emergency Order 01-20-22 was issued to close the mountain goat season in the Whale Bay and Necker Bay Zones of RG150 on Friday, November 25, 2022 @ 11:59 PM.

Those portions of Unit 4 not affected by this emergency order will remain open until harvest quotas are reached or the season concludes.

Previous EO's are listed online at:

<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=wcnews.main>.

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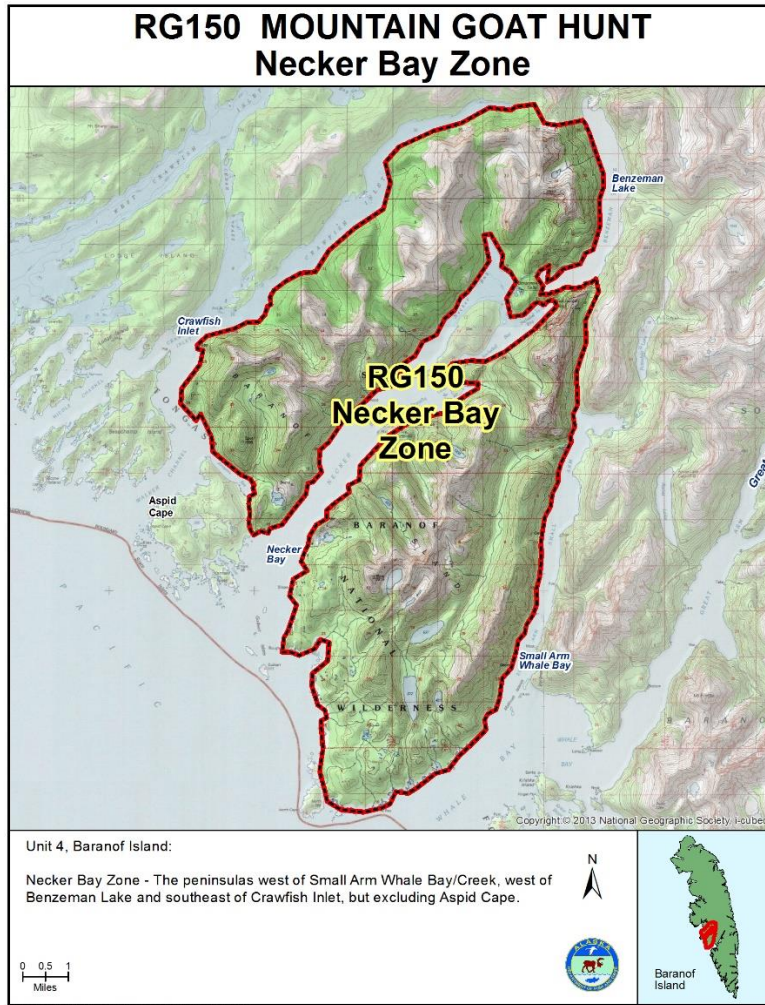
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