

PROPOSAL 142 – 5 AAC 85.045(a)(15). **Hunting seasons and bag limits for moose.** Shift the resident fall hunting season dates for moose in a portion of Unit 17A as follows:

Unit 17(C), that portion east of the Weary River

Resident Hunters: Aug. 20–Sept. 15

1 bull by registration permit only; however during the period Sept. 1–Sept. 15, spike-fork bulls and bulls with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 3 or more brown tines on one side may be taken with a harvest ticket, or

1 antlered bull by registration permit only Dec. 1–Dec. 31

Unit 17(C), that portion west of the Weary River

Resident hunters **Aug. 25–Sept. 20**

1 bull by registration permit only; however during the period of Sept. 1–Sept. 20, spike-fork bulls and bulls with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 3 or more brow tines on one side may be taken with a harvest ticket

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What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? I would like to see the fall moose hunt for that portion of Unit 17C west of the Weary River changed from the present season dates of August 20 – September 15 to August 25 – September 20.

We want to allow for more time during the early rut period to allow for safer and easier harvest location near the river because the terrain near Manokotak differs from the Nushagak River.

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