

5 AAC 85.050 Seasons and bag limits for musk oxen.

<u>Units and Bag Limits</u>	<u>Resident Open Season (Subsistence and General Hunts)</u>	<u>Nonresident Open Season</u>
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Unit 18, Nelson Island		
1 musk ox by registration permit only	Feb. 1 - Mar. 25 (General hunt only)	Feb. 1 - Mar. 25

5 AAC 92.008 Harvest guideline levels.

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(4) musk oxen: the harvest of musk oxen in Unit 18 Nelson Island shall be managed by registration permit hunts based on the harvestable portion of the population, as follows:

- (i) **45% of the available permits will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis in the 5 villages of Nightmute, Tunumak, Newtok, Chefornak and Toksook Bay on an annual rotating basis; remaining permits after issuance will be issued as follows;**
- (ii) **15% of the available permits will be issued in Bethel; and**
- (iii) **40% of the available permits will be issued online, with a 8% allocation to nonresidents;**
- (iv) **In order to achieve the desired number of permits, allocations will be adjusted proportionately until the allocation for Nightmute, Tunumak, Newtok, Chefornak and Toksook Bay reaches no less than 40 permits; the allocation for online and Bethel will then continue to be reduced proportionately.**

# permits	50	75	100	150	200	250	300
Nelson I.	40	40	45	63	90	113	135
Bethel	1	4	15	23	30	38	45
online	9	30	37	59	74	91	111
Nonresident	0	1	3	5	6	8	9

45% Nelson, 15% Bethel, 45% online (8% nonresident)