

DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANIMAL CONTROL IN THE KALALAU VALLEY PORTION OF THE NĀ PALI COAST STATE WILDERNESS PARK ON THE ISLAND OF KAUA'I

Pursuant to Title 13, Chapter 123 (13-123-9) the Department of Land and Natural Resources announces the opening of a feral pig and feral goat control opportunity in the Nā Pali Coast State Park —Hunting Unit G. The areas open to animal control will be limited to Kalalau Valley (11 miles). Animal control is necessary for watershed protection purposes.

Animal control activities will be held September 9-11, 2025. Interested participants must apply as a group of 4 with 2 alternates. Applications with less than 4 members will not be accepted. Selected participants must possess a valid 2025-2026 Hawai'i hunting license and will be required to sign a wildlife control permit agreement for individual voluntary services. Four (4) groups of 4 participants will be selected by lottery for the control period. The deadline to apply will be Friday, August 15th, 2025.

Participants wanting to camp will need to get a camping permit from the Division of State Parks. The bag limit will be six (6) goats and four (4) pigs per participant a day. Participants will be permitted to use shotguns with buckshot. Four dogs per group will be required for this animal control. Title 13, Ch. 123 Rules Regulating Game Mammal Hunting shall apply to these control activities.

Animal control participants will be required to enter the Nā Pali Coast State Park by boat. Participants must provide their own round-trip transportation (no helicopter transportation will be permitted).

For additional information, call the Division of Forestry and Wildlife office at 808-274-3433.

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Hunting information: http://dlnr.hawaii.gov/recreation/hunting

Game mammal hunting information and rules: https://dlnr.hawaii.gov/recreation/hunting/mammal/

Hunt Kaua'i: https://dlnr.hawaii.gov/recreation/hunting/kauai/