



DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANIMAL CONTROL IN THE KALALAU VALLEY PORTION OF THE NA PALI COAST STATE WILDERNESS PARK ON THE ISLAND OF KAUAI

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 Na 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.

The animal control activities will be held on June 1-4, July 20-23 and August 24-27, 2026. Interested participants must apply as a group of 4, with 2 alternates. Applications with less than 4 applicants and 2 alternates will not be accepted. An applicant can only be the primary applicant on one application but may be an alternate on multiple applications. Selected participants must possess a valid hunting license and will be required to sign a wildlife control permit agreement for individual voluntary services. Three (3) groups of 4 participants will be selected by lottery for each control period. Applications can be obtained from the State Building, 3060 Eiwa Street, Ste. 306, Lihue, HI 96766, or various Kauai vendors, as well as at all hunter check stations. **The deadline for submitting applications is 4:00 p.m., May 8, 2026.**

Participants wanting to camp will need to get a camping permit from Division of State Parks. The bag limit will be six (6) goats and four (4) pigs per participant per 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.

Participants in animal control will be required to enter Na 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 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/>

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