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<u>DESTINATION AMERICA DARES TO FIND THE MOST PETRIFYING BEASTS IN</u> <u>AMERICA IN THE ALL-NEW SERIES ALASKA MONSTERS</u>

(Silver Spring, Md.) – Within the Last Frontier lies a region known as the Alaska Triangle, spanning 200,000 unforgiving square miles where more people go missing per capita than anywhere else on earth. Treacherous terrain and unforgiving natural elements have stopped many in their tracks, but some Alaskans hold onto the idea that mysterious monsters snatched them up. Unidentified crypto-creatures wander the state covered by millions of acres of dense wilderness and are known to lift and reposition trees with ease, create seismic activity with their minds, and even decapitate humans with one bite.

Destination America's new series ALASKA MONSTERS travels with a team of native outdoorsmen, who call themselves the Midnight Sons, as they investigate the harsh Alaskan forest in a quest to uncover proof of frightening monsters thought to be living there. ALASKA MONSTERS series premieres

Friday, September 12 at 9/8c on Destination America.

"Alaska is known as one of the least explored states in the country with a thousand things to be frightened from; bears, wolves, unruly weather..." said Marc Etkind, general manager of Destination America. "But the scariest of all is what lives out in the unknown land. ALASKA MONSTERS takes you deep into the wilderness following the determined Midnight Sons as they use their century's worth of mountain know-how and Native American traditions to trap these strange creatures."

In **ALASKA MONSTERS**, the Midnight Sons hunt and trap with the latest 21st-century technologies and investigation tools to shed light on elusive beings from the Saberwolf and the Otterman to the Northern Giant. Follow as this courageous and entertaining group attempts to trap these infamous Alaskan monsters.

Premiere Episode Description Below:

• The Bushmen – Central Alaska's Bigfoot *Premieres Friday, September 12 at 9c/8c*An Alaska based Monster Tracking team heads to Central Alaska to investigate an aggressive Bigfoot who has the locals on edge. Using a drone, they uncover shocking evidence and one of the team members finds himself face to face with an 800-pound beast.

ALASKA MONSTERS is produced for Destination America by American Chainsaws with Colt Straub, Duke Straub, Royal Malloy, and Jay Bluemke as executive producers. For Destination America, Caroline Perez is executive producer, Marc Etkind is general manager, and Henry Schleiff is Group President of Investigation Discovery, Destination America, American Heroes Channel, and Discovery Fit & Health.

About Destination America

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