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Veteran Iditarod musher Cindy Gallea scratches at Skwentna checkpoint

Anchorage, Alaska — Veteran Iditarod musher Cindy Gallea (bib #46), of Wykoff, Minnesota, scratched at 5:33 a.m. today at the Skwentna checkpoint.

Gallea became ill (non-COVID-19-related) and made the decision to scratch in the best interest of her race team.

Gallea had 14 dogs in harness at the time she made the decision to scratch.

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