

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME  
DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES  
NEWS RELEASE**



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**Westside Salmon Announcement 12  
Emergency Order 15**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside salmon announcement number 12 issued Sunday, June 23, at 12:00 noon.

Wood River escapement was 21,700 yesterday and 14,000 at 6:00 a.m. this morning for a cumulative of 238,000. Nushagak sockeye salmon escapement was 14,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 117,000. Nushagak king salmon escapement was 1,800 yesterday for a cumulative of 24,000. Harvest in the Nushagak District was 410,000 sockeye salmon yesterday for a cumulative of 730,000. There are currently 837 permits and 636 vessels registered for the Nushagak District.

Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Nushagak District, that is both the Nushagak and Igushik Sections, is extended until further notice.

As previously announced, the drift gillnet opening in progress will close as scheduled at 1:00 p.m. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District, that is both the Nushagak and Igushik Sections, from 7:30 p.m. June 23, until 1:30 a.m. June 24, and again from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. June 24. Tenders and processors please use stat area 325-00 for drift gillnet fish tickets.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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