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**Westside Salmon Announcement 23
Emergency Order 25**

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 23 issued Tuesday, July 2, at 3:00 p.m.

Wood River escapement was 147,000 yesterday and 27,000 at 6:00 a.m. this morning for a cumulative of 882,000. Nushagak sockeye salmon escapement was 71,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 380,000. Nushagak king salmon escapement was 1,075 yesterday for a cumulative of 36,300. Harvest in the Nushagak District was 711,000 sockeye salmon yesterday for a cumulative of 5.57 million and 572 king salmon for a cumulative of 16,500. There are currently 828 permits and 632 vessels registered for the Nushagak District.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with drift gillnets will close at 9:30 p.m. July 2. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District from 1:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. July 3, and again from 1:30 p.m. until 10:30 p.m. July 3. 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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