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Westside Salmon Announcement 33
Emergency Order 35

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 33 issued Thursday, July 11, at 12:00 noon.

Wood River escapement was 91,000 yesterday and 37,000 at 6:00 a.m. this morning for a cumulative of 1.5 million. Nushagak sockeye salmon escapement was 29,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 554,000. Nushagak king salmon escapement was 35 yesterday for a cumulative of 39,900. Harvest in the Nushagak District was 545,000 sockeye salmon yesterday for a cumulative of 12.3 million. King salmon harvest was 177 for a cumulative of 19,200. There are currently 499 permits and 405 vessels registered for the Nushagak District.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with set gillnets in the WRSHA will close at 1:30 p.m. July 11. Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the WRSHA will open from 9:00 p.m. July 11, until 2:30 a.m. July 12, and again from 8:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. July 12.

Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section will open from 9:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. July 12.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with drift gillnets will close at 3:30 p.m. July 11. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak Section only from 10:00 p.m. July 11, until 6:00 a.m. July 12, and again from 10:00 a.m. until 6:30 p.m. July 12. Tenders and processors please use stat area 325-30 for drift gillnet fish tickets.

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

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