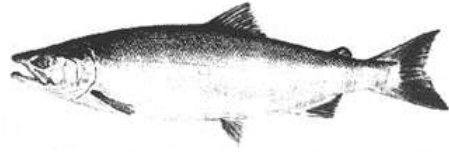


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**Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement # 54
Emergency Order 65**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an announcement for Egegik district and an update for the Ugashik district fishermen. The time is 12:00 noon and the date is Sunday, July 14, 2019.

In Egegik - Harvest on July 13 was 600,000 for a cumulative harvest of 10.9 million fish. Escapement on July 13 was 172,000 for a cumulative escapement of 1.8 million fish.

Commercial fishing will be allowed in the Egegik District with drift and set gillnet gear from 9:45 a.m. until 5:45 p.m. Monday, July 15...an 8 hour period and from 11:00 p.m. Monday, July 15 until 7:00 a.m. Tuesday, July 16, 2019...a 8 hour period.

As a reminder - Having exceeded the mid-point of the escapement goal range the 48-hour transfer waiting requirement into the Egegik District has been waived. Permit holders wishing to transfer out of the Egegik District and all other transfers must still serve a 48-hour waiting period prior to fishing in another district.

In Ugashik – Escapement for July 13 was 7,900 for a cumulative total of 100,000 fish. Current escapement levels are below what is needed for this time. The department will continue to monitor inseason indicators to determine additional fishing opportunity.

Egegik and Ugashik district fishermen should stand by at 12:00 p.m. Monday, July 15 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

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