Advisory Announcement

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KODIAK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ADVISORY ANNOUNCEMENT # 04
For Emergency Order #4-FS-K-04-20

There will be a 57-hour commercial salmon fishing period from noon Saturday, June 27 to 9:00 p.m. Monday, June 29 in the following areas:
- The Cape Alitak, Humpy-Deadman, Alitak Bay, Moser Bay, Olga Bay, and Dog Salmon Flats sections of the Alitak District;
- The Outer Ayakulik of the Southwest Kodiak District; and
- The Izhut Bay Section north of a line from Haystack Rock (at 58° 10.58’ N lat., 152° 17.36’ W long.) to Pillar Cape (at 58° 08.90’ N lat., 152° 06.77’ W long.).

The Spiridon Bay Special Harvest Area (Telrod Cove) will open to commercial salmon fishing at noon Saturday, June 27 and remain open until further notice.

Closed Water Adjustments:
Closed waters are reduced in the Dog Salmon Flats Section of the Alitak District from noon Saturday, June 27 to 9:00 p.m. Monday, June 29 to the ADF&G markers located at the stream terminus of Dog Salmon Creek (stream #257-403).

Closed waters will be expanded near Horse Marine Lagoon, from noon Saturday, June 27 to 9:00 p.m. Monday, June 29 in the Dog Salmon Flats Section of the Alitak District, east of a line bounded by a point from 57° 07.24’ N lat., 154° 00.30’ W long, to a point at 57° 06.495’ N lat., 154° 00.30’ W long, to a point at 57° 06.38’ N lat., 154° 00.00’ W long (see attached map).

As Previously Announced:
The following areas remain open until further notice:
- The Foul Bay Special Harvest Area; and,
- The Waterfall Bay Special Harvest Area.

Fishermen are reminded that in the Kodiak Area (including the Mainland District) until further notice, Chinook (king) salmon 28 inches or greater in length may not be retained by purse seine gear in the commercial fishery and must be returned to the water unharmed.

Closed Water Adjustments:
Closed waters are reduced until further notice in the following locations:

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- In **Foul Bay** to the stream terminus at Hidden Lake Creek (stream #251-406); and,
- In **Waterfall Bay** to the stream terminus at Little Waterfall Creek (stream #251-822) and to the stream terminus at Big Waterfall Creek (stream #251-821).

Other closed waters are as shown on the Kodiak Area Salmon Statistical Chart and detailed in the Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations (5AAC 18.350). Statistical Charts, Harvest Strategies, and Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations are available at the Kodiak Fish and Game office. Recent salmon fishery information may be obtained by calling the Department’s 24-hour record-a-phone at 486-4559.

Under Alaska’s Health Mandates 10, 17, and 18, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska’s Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Mandates. COVID-19 Health Mandates may be found here: [https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates](https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates).