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Westside Salmon Announcement 13

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an update regarding commercial fishing in the Togiak District. This is Westside Salmon Announcement number 13 issued Saturday, June 27 at 12:00 noon.

The Togiak Tower crew starts next week and we expect to have the first full day of tower counts take place on July 4. Effort has been low up to this point in the Togiak District and with the forecasted winds in the next week we expect effort to remain low through this week.

As a result, commercial fishing will open in all sections of the Togiak District as per the regular and extended weekly schedules at 9:00 a.m. Monday, June 29.

Subsistence users are reminded that subsistence fishing is open during commercial openings.

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

"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/."

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