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# **Advisory Announcement**

For Immediate Release: Saturday, June 27, 2020

Time: 3:00 p.m.

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# **Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #13 Emergency Orders 21 & 22**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an announcement for permit holders in the Egegik and Ugashik districts, as well as an update for permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak District. The time is 3:00 p.m. and the date is Saturday, June 27, 2020.

#### **Egegik District**

Egegik River escapement through 2:00 p.m. today was 9,000 for a cumulative of 143,000 fish.

Egegik District will open to commercial fishing with set gillnet gear for 8 hours from 4:45 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. Sunday, June 28. Commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear will open for 6 hours from 4:45 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. Sunday, June 28, 2020.

### **Ugashik District**

Assessment projects began operations this morning. Escapement data will be available starting tomorrow June 28.

Ugashik District will open to commercial fishing with both set and drift gillnet gear for 8 hours from 3:30 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. Sunday, June 28, 2020. Permit holders are reminded that the northern boundary has been adjusted due to the presence of walrus in the Cape Greig area.

### **Naknek-Kvichak District**

The Naknek River escapement at 2:00 p.m. today was for 23,600 for a cumulative of 95,500. There are 284 vessels registered to fish in the District. Permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak District should stand by at 9:00 a.m. Sunday, June 28.

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

#### COVID-19

Under Alaska's Health Mandates 10, 17, and 18, Commercial fishing is Essential and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities 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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Connected EO's: 2F-T-21-20, 2F-T-22-20