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Advisory Announcement

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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #23 **Emergency Order 34**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an announcement for permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak District. The time is 9:00 a.m. and the date is Sunday, July 4, 2021.

On July 3, Naknek River escapement was 277,000 for a cumulative of 616,000; Alagnak River escapement was 26,000 for a cumulative of 79,000; and Kvichak River escapement was 48,000 for a cumulative of 223,000. The Kvichak inriver estimate is 500,000. Harvest on July 3 was an estimated 270,000 for a cumulative of 1.2 million.

The Naknek Section will open to drift gillnet gear for a 19-hour period from 9:30 p.m. Sunday, July 4 until 4:30 p.m. Monday, July 5. The current set gillnet period in the Naknek-Kvichak District will be extended for 24.5-hours from 4:00 p.m. Sunday, July 4 until 4:30 p.m. Monday, July 5.

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

COVID-19

Under Alaska's Health Mandates 1, 2, 3, and 4, 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 in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Advisories. COVID-19 Health Advisories may be found here: <https://covid19.alaska.gov/health-advisories/>

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