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Westside Salmon Announcement 8 **Emergency Order none**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside Salmon Announcement number 8 issued Tuesday, June 21 at 9:00 a.m.

Nushagak River escapements through midnight are as follows: sockeye salmon 75,159 yesterday for a cumulative of 190,758, king salmon 1,435 yesterday for a cumulative of 22,974, and chum salmon 1,045 yesterday for a cumulative of 15,642. Wood River daily escapement was 21,690 yesterday and 7,866 through 6:00 a.m. today for a cumulative of 97,920.

We are still short of the 100,000 sockeye salmon escapement in the Wood River and will delay fishing again. The earliest possible drift gillnet opening is 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, June 22. The earliest possible set gillnet opening is 6:30 a.m., Wednesday, June 22.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section will close at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 21, and reopen from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 22.

Informational updates and announcements are available by calling our recorded message line at 842-5226. This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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