Advisory Announcement

Date Issued:  July 12, 2022
Time Issued:  3:00 p.m.

Westside Salmon Announcement 36
Emergency Order 32

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 36 issued Tuesday, July 12 at 3:00 p.m.

Nushagak River escapements through midnight are as follows: sockeye salmon escapement was 81,639 yesterday for a cumulative of 3,231,915, king salmon escapement was 43 yesterday for a cumulative of 42,815, and chum salmon escapement was 1,693 yesterday for a cumulative of 85,149. Wood River cumulative escapement through 6:00 a.m. this morning was 3,316,152. Igushik River cumulative escapement through 6:00 a.m. this morning was 204,990.

There are 505 permits and 370 vessels registered to fish in the Nushagak District. Harvest on July 11 was 866,000 for a cumulative harvest of 20.1 million sockeye salmon.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with drift gillnets in the Nushagak District will close Tuesday, July 12 at 7:00 p.m. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets in the Nushagak District will open Wednesday, July 13 from 12:30 a.m. until 8:30 a.m. and again Wednesday, July 13 from 1:00 p.m. until further notice.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with set gillnets in the WRSHA will close Wednesday, July 13 at 8:30 a.m. Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the WRSHA will open Wednesday, July 13 from 12:30 p.m. until Thursday, July 14 at 9:30 a.m.

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

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