



Advisory Announcement
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YAKUTAT COMMERCIAL SET GILLNET OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

East Alsek River: will open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Alsek River: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Akwe River: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Yakutat Bay: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Dangerous River: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Lost River: will remain closed until further notice.

Situk-Ahrnklin Inlet: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022, with the following restrictions:**

Lost River: will be closed to commercial set gillnet fishing north of a line from an ADF&G regulation marker located at 59°27.38' N lat, 139°36.55' W long (approximately 500 yards southeast from the Lost River-Situk Inlet confluence) to a regulation marker at 59°27.82' N lat, 139°37.46' W long (approximately 600 yards northwest from the Lost River-Situk Inlet confluence);

Situk River mouth (including upstream Johnson Slough marker): will be closed to commercial set gillnet fishing west of a line from an ADF&G regulation marker located at the eastern bank of Johnson Slough at 59°26.73' N lat, 139°33.25' in a circumference, to a regulation marker west of the Yakutat Seafoods buying station at 59°26.73' N lat, 139°34.64' W long on Sunny Point.

Chinook salmon retention: the Situk River commercial fishery for Chinook salmon is open. Chinook salmon may be retained for sale or personal use.

Manby Shore-Outside Waters: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Manby Shore-Inside Waters: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Remainder of the Yakutat District: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, September 18, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Yakataga District: will be open from **9:00 a.m., Sunday, September 18, through 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Kaliakh River: will be open from **7:00 a.m., Sunday, September 18, through 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Tsiu River: will open from **9:00 a.m., Sunday, September 18, through 9:00 a.m., Monday September 19, 2022, and 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, September 20, through 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 21, 2022.**

Seal River: will open from **9:00 a.m., Sunday, September 18, through 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 21, 2022, with the following restriction:**

Seal River River: waters of the Seal River will be closed upstream of the confluence of the East Fork Tributary of the Seal River (located downstream of Vitus Lake).

Dual Permits: Current inseason escapement for coho salmon to the Situk River and surrounding area is below the escapement threshold that would allow for the use of dual permits in the Situk-Ahrnklin Inlet and Yakutat Bay north of a line from Point Manby to Ocean Cape.

The Emergency Order corresponding to this announcement is EO 1Y2422.

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