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## Advisory Announcement

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### **KODIAK SUBSISTENCE SALMON FISHERY ADVISORY ANNOUNCEMENT #04 For Emergency Order #4-FS-K-Sub-04-23**

Through June 11, only 601 sockeye salmon have been counted through the Pasagshak River weir. Historically by this date, approximately thirty percent of the sockeye salmon escapement has passed the weir. It is not expected that the Pasagshak sockeye escapement goal of 3,000 fish will be achieved. The commercial fishery is restricted, and the sport fishery will be closed.

To conserve Pasagshak sockeye salmon, the following area will **close** to subsistence salmon fishing at **12:01 a.m. Friday, July 14** until further notice:

**In Pasagshak Bay to those waters northeast of a line from a point at 57° 26.04' N lat. 152° 31.13' W long. to a point at 57° 25.44' N lat. 152° 29.39' W long.**

#### **As previously announced:**

**Until 11:59 p.m. Sunday, December 31, 2023, Chinook salmon in the Karluk River drainage, including the Karluk River lagoon, may not be retained in the subsistence fishery.**

To conserve Buskin Lake sockeye salmon, the following area is **closed** to subsistence salmon fishing until **12:01 a.m. Saturday, July 15:**

- **At Buskin River:** all waters of Chiniak Bay west of a line from Cliff Point (57° 43.51 N. lat., 152° 26.60' W. long.) to the southern most tip of Near Island (57° 46.32' N. lat., 152° 25.00' W. long.) and south of a line from the southern most tip of Near Island (57° 46.32' N. lat., 152° 25.00' W. long.) to a point near Gibson Cove (57° 46.62' N. lat., 152° 26.80' W. long.).

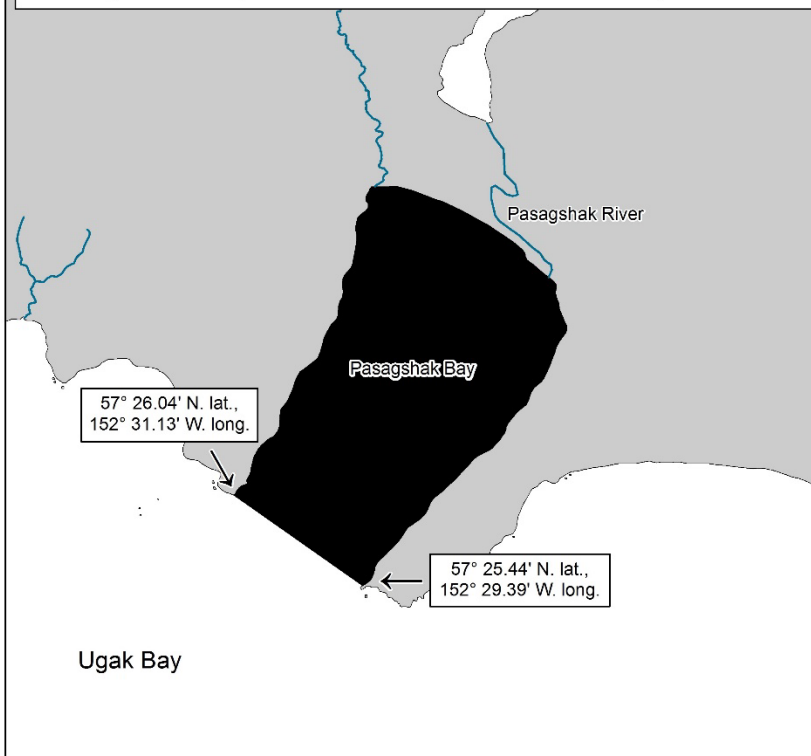
#### **Closed Water Adjustments**

**Until further notice**, closed waters are **reduced** for subsistence fishing in the following locations:

- At Saltery Creek (stream #259-415) to the stream terminus; and,
- At Ouzinkie Harbor to the stream terminus of stream #259-396.

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game, under the direction of the Alaska Board of Fisheries, manages sport, commercial, personal use, and state subsistence harvest on all lands and waters throughout Alaska.

### Pasagshak Bay Subsistence Salmon Fishery Closure



### Buskin Subsistence Salmon Fishery Closure

