

Division of Commercial Fisheries
Sam Rabung, Director

Dillingham Area Office
P.O. Box 230
Dillingham, AK 99576



Alaska Department of Fish and Game
Doug Vincent-Lang, Commissioner
Headquarters Office
P.O. Box 115526
Juneau, AK 99811-5526
www.adfg.alaska.gov

Advisory Announcement

Date Issued: July 14, 2023

Time Issued: 3:00 p.m.

Contact Information

Tim Sands, Westside Area Biologist
Phill Stacey, Assistant Area Biologist
Phone: (907) 842-5227
Fax: (907) 842-5937

Westside Salmon Announcement 30 **Emergency Order 27**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Togiak District. This is Westside Salmon Announcement number 30 issued Friday, July 14 at 3:00 p.m.

Sockeye salmon harvest in the Togiak District through July 13 is 100,000. The Togiak River sockeye salmon escapement is 45,654 fish through 6:00 a.m. this morning. There are currently 24 vessels registered to fish in the Togiak District.

Commercial fishing opened in all sections of the Togiak District as per the regular and extended weekly schedules at 9:00 a.m. Monday, July 10. The Cape Pierce, Osviak, and Matogak sections will close this week at the regular time of 9:00 a.m. Saturday, July 15. Commercial fishing in the Togiak River section will be extended from 9:00 p.m. Saturday, July 15 until 9:00 a.m. Monday, July 17, which is when the Togiak District opens for its regular weekly schedule. Currently, mesh size in the Togiak District is restricted by regulation (5AAC 06.369d) to 5.5 inches or smaller until 9:00 a.m. Saturday, July 15 for king salmon conservation.

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

EO 2F-T-27-23