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Sand Point Commercial Salmon Fishery Advisory Announcement #19
For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-16-23

Commercial salmon fishing by **set gillnet** and **seine gear** will be allowed for 36 hours from 6:00 a.m. Sunday, July 30 until 6:00 p.m. Monday, July 31 in the following districts and sections:

Unimak District;
Southwestern District;
South Central District; and
Beaver Bay, Balboa Bay, Southwest Stepovak, Northwest Stepovak, East Stepovak, and Shumagin Islands Sections of the Southeastern District.

A reminder that in Stepovak Bay from July 29 through September 30, waters north of a line extending east from Dent Point at 55° 47.25' N. lat., 159° 52.00' W. long. to a point on the Kupreanof Peninsula at 55° 46.93' N. lat., 159° 38.70' W. long are closed by regulation.

Commercial salmon fishing by **drift gillnet gear** will be allowed for 36 hours from 6:00 a.m. Sunday, July 30 until 6:00 p.m. Monday, July 31 in the following districts and sections:

Unimak District; and
Ikatan Bay Section of the Southwestern District.

All closed waters in the above locations will be as described in the regulation book or as adjusted by emergency order.

A copy of the *South Alaska Peninsula Salmon Management Strategy, 2023*, can be found at [South Alaska Peninsula salmon management strategy, 2023](#). Hard copies of the management strategy can be obtained at ADF&G offices in Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller.

Statistical charts and management strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller ADF&G offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at: <http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon>.

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channels 6 and 73 daily at 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Sand Point at 383-2334 (383-ADFG).

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