



**Advisory Announcement**  
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**DISTRICTS 6 AND 8 DRIFT GILLNET FISHERY EXTENSION**

District 6: **will be extended for 24 hours and will close at 12:00 noon, Wednesday, August 2, 2023**, with the following restriction:

Salmon Bay: will be closed west of a line from Point Colpoys at 56°20.18' N lat, 133°11.90' W long to Rookery Island Light at 56°18.86' N lat, 133°06.34' W long to the westernmost tip of Fire Island at 56°14.04' N lat, 133°03.59' W long to a point on Prince of Wales Island at 56°14.04' N lat, 133°04.41' W long.

District 8: **will be extended for 24 hours and will close at 12:00 noon, Wednesday, August 2, 2023**, with the following restrictions:

Frederick Sound: will be closed south and west of a line from a point 1.0 nautical mile (nmi) off the Kupreanof Island shoreline on the District 10 boundary at 56°57.27' N lat, 132°58.96' W long to Sukoi Islets Light at 56°53.73' N lat, 132°56.64' W long to Frederick Point at 56°47.55' N lat, 132°49.27' W long;

Stikine River: will be closed south and east of a line from Bear Creek at 56°42.93' N lat, 132°44.53' W long to a point 800 yards north of Japanese Creek on the mainland shore at 56°46.62' N lat, 132°37.11' W long, north and east of a line from a point east of Blind Slough on Mitkof Island at 56°31.88' N lat, 132°40.66' W long to a point on Vank Island at 56°29.38' N lat, 132°37.60' W long, north and east of a line from Vank Island Light at 56°26.92' N lat, 132°36.00' W long to Point Ancon Light at 56°24.30' N lat, 132°33.32' W long, and north of a line from East Point at 56°23.10' N lat, 132°24.20' W long to a point on the Wrangell Island shoreline located at the latitude of East Point at 56°23.10' N lat, 132°21.28' W long.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S5123.

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