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Sand Point Commercial Salmon Fishery Advisory Announcement #22 For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-19-23

Commercial salmon fishing by **set gillnet and seine gear** will be allowed for 61 hours from 8:00 a.m. Saturday, August 12 until 9:00 p.m. Monday, August 14 in the following districts and sections:

Unimak District;

Southwestern District, **excluding** the inside waters of the Volcano Bay Section north and west of a line from Arch Point at 55° 12.30′ N. lat., 161° 54.30′ W. long. to a point on Belkofski Peninsula at 55° 09.50′ N. Lat, 161° 57.80′ W. long. (Statistical Area 284-36), and those waters in Belkofski Bay, north of a line extending from Indian Head (55° 05.25′ N. lat., 162° 12.16′ W. long.) to Kitchen Anchorage (55° 06.77′ N. lat., 162° 08.24′ W. long.);

South Central District; and

Shumagin Islands Section of the Southeastern District.

Commercial salmon fishing by **drift gillnet gear** will be allowed for 61 hours from 8:00 a.m. Saturday, August 12 until 9:00 p.m. Monday, August 14 in the following districts and sections:

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

A copy of the *South Alaska Peninsula Salmon Management Strategy, 2023*, can be found at <u>South Alaska Peninsula salmon management strategy, 2023</u>. 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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