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Westside Salmon Announcement 39 Emergency Order 34

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 39 issued Thursday, August 10 at 12:00 noon.

The Cape Pierce, Osviak, and Matogak sections will close this week at the regular time of 9:00 a.m. Saturday, August 12. Commercial fishing in the Togiak River section will be extended for the maximum allowable 48 hours, from 9:00 a.m. Friday, August 11 until 9:00 a.m. Sunday, August 13. All sections of the Togiak District will open for their regular weekly schedules at 9:00 a.m. Monday, August 14.

Sockeye salmon harvest in the Togiak District through August 9 is 434,326. The Togiak River sockeye salmon counting tower stopped counting at midnight on August 8, for a final escapement of 268,218 fish. With tower operations completed, this will be the final Togiak River section extension for the 2023 salmon season.

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

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