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**2024/25 SOUTHEAST ALASKA COMMERCIAL SEA CUCUMBER FISHERY
ANNOUNCEMENT**

The following area will be open from **8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Monday, October 21, 2024:**

District 1

Percy Islands (Subdistrict 101-25).

The following areas will be open from **8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday, October 21, 2024, and from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, Tuesday, October 22, 2024:**

District 1

Tree Point (Subdistricts 101-10 and 11);

West Behm Canal (Subdistricts 101-90 and 95);

District 2

Lower Clarence Strait (Subdistrict 102-20);

Kasaan Bay and Skowl Arm (Subdistrict 102-60);

Cleveland Peninsula (Subdistrict 102-80);

District 3

Hetta Inlet, Nutkwa Inlet, and Keete Inlet (Subdistricts 103-23 and 25);

Trocadero Bay (Subdistrict 103-60);

District 6

Snow Pass (Subdistrict 106-30);

District 12

Chatham Strait and Kelp Bay (Subdistricts 112-11, 21, and 22);

Eastern portion of Tenakee Inlet (Subdistricts 112-41 and 42);

Western portion of Tenakee Inlet (Subdistricts 112-43, 44, 45, 46, 47, and 48);

District 13

Salisbury Sound and Peril Strait (Subdistricts 113-62, 63, 64, 65, and 66).

Fishers and processors are reminded that an accurate fish ticket is required at the time of delivery. A fish ticket must be filled out according to 5 AAC 39.130(c). Fishers must verify at the time of landing with the tender or processor that all information is accurate before signing the fish ticket, including statistical area, pounds of sea cucumbers harvested, and any overages.

For a description of the above areas, please refer to the Southeast Alaska commercial sea cucumber fishery announcement dated August 28, 2024, announcing the open areas and their guideline harvest levels (GHLs). The next advisory announcement following this opening will be available on **Thursday, October 24, 2024**.

Please be aware that the Alaska Department of Fish and Game offices will be closed Friday, October 18, for the Alaska Day Holiday.

The Emergency Order corresponding to this announcement is EO 1M2724.

2024/25 Southeast Alaska Sea Cucumber Fishery

Statistical Week 42

Area Description	Statistical Area(s)	GHL	Harvest to Date	Remaining GHL
Tree Point	101-10 and 11	228,700	66,183	162,517
Percy Islands	101-25	153,000	133,774	19,226
West Behm Canal	101-90 and 95	175,000	42,484	132,516
Lower Clarence Strait	102-20	13,000	0	13,000
Kasaan Bay & Skowl Arm	102-60	304,000	76,806	227,194
Cleveland Peninsula	102-80	65,100	9,593	55,507
Hetta, Nutkwa, & Keete Inlet	103-23 and 25	102,600	0	102,600
Trocadero Bay	103-60	23,200	***	***
Snow Pass	106-30	152,900	***	***
Chatham Strait & Kelp Bay	112-11, 21, and 22	193,700	***	***
E Tenakee Inlet	112-41 and 42	49,900	9,944	39,956
W Tenakee Inlet	112-43 to 48	85,900	14,970	70,930
Salisbury Sound & Peril Strait	113-62 to 66	212,900	90,958	121,942
Totals		1,759,900	501,481	1,258,419

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