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SOUTHEAST ALASKA COMMERCIAL GEODUCK FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT

The following areas will be open for the commercial harvest of geoduck for live sale **from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 23, and from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Thursday, October 24, 2024:**

Cat and Dog Islands (Subdistricts 101-23-005, 101-41-005): will open for a guideline harvest level of 50,200 pounds of whole geoduck;

Kelp Island (Subdistrict 101-21-001): will be open for a remaining harvest of 27,00 pounds of whole geoduck;

For a description of the above areas, please refer to the Southeast Alaska commercial geoduck fishery announcement dated September 13, 2024, announcing the open areas and their guideline harvest levels. **All geoducks harvested must be clearly labeled with the date of harvest, the harvester's name, and the location of harvest.** Companies buying geoduck must contact the Fish and Game, Ketchikan office with a harvest report before 12:00 noon on Friday, October 25, 2024.

The emergency order corresponding to this announcement is EO 1M2824.

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