



Advisory Announcement
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SOUTHEAST ALASKA SALMON DRIFT GILLNET FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT

Section 1-B: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 29, through 12:00 noon, Thursday, July 3, 2025**, with the following restriction:

Pearse and Portland Canals: will be closed north of the latitude of Akeku Point at 54°50.03' N lat.

District 6: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 29, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, July 2, 2025**, with the following restriction:

Gillnet mesh restriction: maximum allowed mesh size is 6 inches.

District 8: **will be open from 12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 29, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, July 2, 2025**, with the following restrictions:

Section 8-A: will be closed south of a line from Horn Cliffs at 56°50.61' N lat, 132°47.31' W long to a point on McDonald Island at 56°50.75' N lat, 132°49.25' W long and south and west of a line from a point on McDonald Island at 56°50.75' N lat, 132°49.25' W long to Sukoi Islets Light at 56°53.73' N lat, 132°56.64' W long to 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;

Section 8-B: will be closed east of a line from Craig Point Light at 56°27.40' N lat, 132°42.95' W long to a point on Mitkof Island at 56°30.41' N lat, 132°44.88' W long;

Gillnet mesh restriction: maximum allowed mesh size is 6 inches.

Section 11-B: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 29, through 12:00 noon, Tuesday, July 1, 2025**, with the following restrictions:

Taku Inlet: will be closed north of the latitude of Jaw Point at 58°16.81' N lat;

Limestone Inlet: will be closed east of a line from a point on the north shore at 58°02.04' N lat, 133°59.60' W long to a point on the south shore at 58°01.75' N lat, 133°59.40' W long (outside markers);

Port Snettisham: will be closed east of a line from Point Styleman at 57°58.42' N lat, 133°53.93' W long to Point Anmer at 57°56.09' N lat, 133°51.01' W long.

There will be no night closures or mesh size restriction in District 11.

Section 15-A: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 29, through 12:00 noon, Tuesday, July 1, 2025**, with the following restrictions:

Lynn Canal: will be closed north of the latitude of Eldred Rock Light at 58°58.25' N lat, 135°13.26' W long and west of a line from Eldred Rock Light to a point 2.0 nmi from the eastern shoreline at 58°51.00' N lat, 135°12.79' W long (the latitude of Sherman Rock);

Gillnet mesh restriction: maximum allowed mesh size is 6 inches;

Night closure: closed between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m.

Section 15-C: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 29, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, July 2, 2025**, with the following restrictions:

Lynn Canal: will be closed north of 58°36.96' N lat (approximately 1.5 nmi north of the latitude of Vanderbilt Reef Light) and west of a line from 58°36.96' N lat, 135°01.13' W long to Vanderbilt Reef Light at 58°35.46' N lat, 135°01.13' W long to Little Island Light at 58°32.41' N lat, 135°02.83' W long;

Gillnet mesh restriction: maximum allowed mesh size is 6 inches;

Night closure: closed between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m.

Section 15-C: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 29, through 12:00 noon, Wednesday, July 2, 2025**, in the waters of the Boat Harbor Terminal Harvest Area (THA) within 1.0 nmi of the western shoreline of Lynn Canal south of the latitude of Lance Point at 58°43.95' N lat and north of the latitude of a regulatory marker at 58°36.96' N lat, with the following restrictions:

William Henry Bay: will be closed south of 58°42.93' N lat;

Gillnet mesh restriction: maximum allowed mesh size is 6 inches;

Night closure: closed between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m.

Section 15-C: the Boat Harbor THA will remain open until further notice in the waters of Boat Harbor west of 135°09.57' W long, with no restrictions.

The Deep Inlet THA will close to all common property harvest from June 29 through August 2 to allow for cost recovery operations to take place. Please refer to the Deep Inlet THA advisory announcement issued on April 15 for more details.

Fishermen and processors are reminded that all salmon, including steelhead, commercially harvested but retained for personal use and not sold, must be reported on fish tickets at the time of delivery.

All Chinook salmon harvested in the commercial drift gillnet fisheries may be retained and sold. Chinook salmon less than 28 inches in length and those of Alaska hatchery origin will not be counted against Southeast Alaska's all gear harvest limit of the Pacific Salmon Treaty. Therefore, fishermen and tenders are requested to keep Chinook salmon harvested in THAs separate from those harvested in traditional fishing areas. Separating these harvests will allow for better accounting of harvests and assist in sampling the harvests to identify Alaska hatchery-produced Chinook salmon.

The next gillnet announcement will be issued on **Thursday, July 3, 2025**.

The Emergency Order corresponding to this announcement is EO 1S1925.

Southeast Alaska Drift Gillnet Harvest Estimates
Statistical Week 26 (June 22 through June 28)
Preliminary Estimates Compiled June 26, 2025

NUMBER OF SALMON								Days Open
District	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total	Boats	
District 1	400	1,600	150	400	30,000	32,550	30	4
District 6	150	1,900	100	800	5,000	7,950	26	3
District 8	80	700	30	10	500	1,320	8	3
District 11	500	1,500	25	250	24,000	26,275	30	3
District 15	260	1,400	100	140	91,000	92,900	110	2
Total	1,390	7,100	405	1,600	150,500	160,995		

FISH PER BOAT FOR THE PERIOD

District	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
District 1	13	53	5	13	1,000	1,085
District 6	6	73	4	31	192	306
District 8	10	88	4	1	63	165
District 11	17	50	1	8	800	876
District 15	2	13	1	1	827	844

Carroll Inlet THA harvest to date: 700 Chinook salmon.

Nakat Inlet THA harvest to date: 9,000 chum salmon.

Anita Bay THA harvest to date: 1,000 Chinook and 100 chum salmon.

Deep Inlet THA: 1,900 Chinook and 23,400 chum salmon.

Southeast Cove THA: no reported harvest.

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