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Westside Salmon Announcement 24 Emergency Order 22

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside Salmon Announcement number 24 issued Friday, July 4 at 9:00 a.m.

The Wood River sockeye salmon escapement was 156,000 yesterday and 18,000 through 6:00 a.m. today for a cumulative of 1.72 million. The Nushagak River king salmon escapement was 522 yesterday, for a cumulative of 27,369. The sockeye salmon escapement was 102,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 2.63 million.

The reported sockeye salmon harvest on July 2 was 923,000 for a total of 9.1 million. The reported king salmon harvest was 115 for a total of 2,156. Harvest information from July 3 is not yet available. There are 537 boats registered to fish in the Nushagak District.

As previously announced, commercial fishing in the Nushagak District with drift gillnets will close as scheduled at 5:00 p.m. Friday, July 4. Commercial fishing in the Nushagak Section of the Nushagak District with set gillnets is extended from 4:00 p.m. Friday, July 4 until 5:00 p.m. Saturday, July 5. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District from 10:00 p.m. Friday, July 4 until 5:30 a.m. Saturday, July 5 and again from 9:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. Saturday, July 5.

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

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