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Westside Salmon Announcement 29 Emergency Order 27

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 29 issued Wednesday, July 9 at 3:00 p.m.

The Wood River sockeye salmon escapement was 100,000 yesterday and 33,000 through 6:00 a.m. today for a cumulative of 2.24 million. The Nushagak River king salmon escapement was 2,022 yesterday, for a cumulative of 32,297. The sockeye salmon escapement was 60,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 2.95 million. Igushik River sockeye salmon escapement was 51,000 yesterday and 7,000 this morning for a total of 413,000.

The reported sockeye salmon harvest on July 8 was 929,000 for a total of 13.4 million. The reported king salmon harvest was 68 for a total of 2,625. There are 379 boats registered to fish in the Nushagak District.

As previously announced, commercial fishing in the Nushagak District with drift gillnets will close at 9:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 9. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District from 12:30 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. Thursday, July 10 and again from 12:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Thursday, July 10.

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

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