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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon # 07 E.O. # 12, 13

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an announcement for Egegik and Ugashik commercial fishermen. The time of this announcement is **12:00 p.m.** and the date is **Friday, June 20, 2014**.

In Egegik: The inriver test fishery detected a slight increase in passage last night and again this morning. Tower counts from yesterday are 6,500 fish and the midnight to 6 am count this morning was 2,600. Cumulative escapement is 18,000. Cumulative catch is 106,000.

Commercial fishing will be permitted in the Egegik District with set gillnet gear only from 6:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Saturday June 21.....an 8-hour period.

In Ugashik: the inriver test fish crew is preparing to go to the field and scheduled to be operational on Tuesday or Wednesday. The counting tower is scheduled to deploy June 25 and be operational June 27.

Commercial fishing will be permitted in the Ugashik District with set gillnet gear only from 5:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Sunday June 22.....a 12 hour period.

Fishermen in both districts should stand by at 12:00 noon on Saturday June 21 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

Read on VHF 7: June 20, 2014 12:00 p.m. Connected EO's: <u>2F-T-12-14</u> and <u>2F-T-13-14</u>

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