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SUMMER TROLL TERMINAL HARVEST AREA INFORMATION

Sitka. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the following information on Terminal Harvest Areas (THA) and a Special Harvest Area (SHA) which are currently open to trolling:

<u>Nakat Inlet THA (101-11)</u>: will remain open to trolling through noon, November 10 for all salmon species **except king salmon**.

<u>Herring Cove THA (101-40)</u>: **king salmon 26" or greater** may be retained through August 30, along with other salmon species. The area will remain open to other salmon species as part of the general summer troll fishery after the THA period has expired.

<u>Neets Bay THA (101-95)</u>: the waters of Neets Bay between the longitude of the easternmost tip of Bug Island and the longitude of Chin Point will remain open to trolling for all salmon species **except king salmon** from July 2 until closed by Emergency Order.

<u>Anita Bay THA (107-35)</u>: will remain open to trolling through noon, November 10 for all salmon, though only **king salmon 28" or greater** may be retained.

<u>Hidden Falls THA (112-22)</u>: will remain open to trolling through October 10 for all salmon species **except king salmon**.

<u>Silver Bay SHA (113-35)</u>: **king salmon 26" or greater** may be retained through July 30, along with other salmon species. The area will remain open to other salmon species as part of the general summer troll fishery after the SHA period has expired.

<u>Deep Inlet THA (113-38)</u>: will remain open to trolling each Saturday through July 26 for all salmon species, though only **king salmon 28" or greater** may be retained. From July 27 through August 16, the troll fishery will be open from 12:01 a.m. until 11:59 p.m., Wednesday, and from 3:30 a.m. to 11:59 p.m., Friday of each week. From August 17 through September 27, the troll fishery will be open from 12:01 a.m. to 11:59 p.m., Wednesday, and from 4:30 a.m. to 11:59 p.m., Friday of each week.

When fishing in a THA/SHA that allows king salmon retention, king salmon must be offloaded prior to fishing outside the THA/SHA. Please refer to previous news releases and the 2014 Summer Troll Fishery Management Plan for descriptions and maps of open areas.

The 2014 Summer Troll Fishery Management Plan is available at all regional ADF&G offices and on the troll website at:

http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareasoutheast.salmon_trollsummer

The Emergency Orders corresponding to this news release are 1E0114, 1E0214, 1E0314, 1E0514, 1E1414, 1E1514.

News releases web site: http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main.

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