

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
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NEWS RELEASE**



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**2014 Kuskokwim Bay Salmon Fishery News Release #3
Districts 4 and 5 to Open to Commercial Salmon Fishing
Emergency Order #3-S-WB-06-14**

This is an announcement from the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Bethel for commercial salmon fishermen in the Kuskokwim Area.

District 4, Quinhagak

District 4, Quinhagak, will open to commercial salmon fishing for 12 hours from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. on Monday, July 14 and Wednesday, July 16.

In District 4 subsistence salmon fishing will be closed 16 hours before, during, and 6 hours after each commercial fishing period.

District 5, Goodnews Bay

District 5, Goodnews Bay, will open to commercial salmon fishing for 12 hours from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. on Monday, July 14 and Wednesday, July 16.

In District 5 subsistence salmon fishing will be closed 16 hours before, during, and 6 hours after each commercial fishing period.

The Department will be closely monitoring commercial fishing periods to assess fishery performance and anticipates announcing additional commercial fishing periods as warranted. Further announcements will be made from the Bethel Fish and Game office, on the state web site (<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main>), and local radio stations. News releases will be faxed to area villages and local fish processing companies.

Commercial fishermen are encouraged to consult Fish and Game regulations prior to beginning commercial fishing operations.

For additional information or questions regarding Districts 4 and 5 and Kuskokwim Area fisheries, contact the Alaska Department of Fish and Game office in the Bethel at 543-2433 or toll free at 855-933-2433.