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## Westside Salmon Announcement 1 Emergency Order 1

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding subsistence fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside salmon announcement number 1 issued Wednesday, May 27 at 3:00 p.m.

By regulation, subsistence fishing in the commercial fishing district will close at midnight on May 31. Subsistence fishing will reopen by emergency order June 1, at 12:00 a.m. and remain open until further notice. This announcement pertains to the commercial fishing district only; subsistence fishing on the Dillingham beaches is not affected by this closure.

Permit holders are also reminded that **Blue and Green Registration Cards** must be filled out and filed with the department before they begin commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. Blue and green cards may be obtained at the Anchorage, King Salmon or Dillingham offices or downloaded from the internet. Cards may be returned by mail or in person.

Informational updates and announcements are available by calling our recorded message line at 842-5226. This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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