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## CHIGNIK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT # 20

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The Chignik Bay, Central, Eastern, Western and Perryville districts will remain open to commercial salmon fishing from 11:59 p.m. Saturday, August 8 until further notice. The Chignik Lagoon markers will be located at Mensis Point.

## **Closed waters:**

The Agripina Section (272-92 and 272-96) of the Eastern District will remain closed to commercial salmon fishing.

As a reminder, a commercial salmon fishing license holder may not subsistence fish for salmon during the 12 hours before a commercial salmon fishing period or during the 12 hours following the closure of a commercial salmon fishing period.

Statistical charts, harvest strategies, and subsistence fishing permits are available at the Chignik weir and the Kodiak regional ADF&G offices. Commercial fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at <a href="http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareachignik.salmon">http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareachignik.salmon</a> and by calling the 24-hour record-a-phone at 845-2235. Fishermen are encouraged to standby on VHF Channel 6 at 9:15 a.m. and 6:15 p.m. daily for fishery updates.