

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES
NEWS RELEASE**



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**Westside Salmon Announcement 11
Emergency Order 13**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside salmon announcement number 11 issued Saturday, June 23 at 12:00 p.m.

Nushagak sockeye salmon escapement was 11,744 yesterday for a cumulative of 76,222. Nushagak king salmon escapement was 3,285 for a cumulative of 40,162. Wood River sockeye salmon escapement was 25,578 yesterday and 5,232 this morning for a cumulative of 140,496. Harvest in the Nushagak District yesterday was 67,000 sockeye salmon. There are 873 permits and 648 vessels registered for the Nushagak District.

Commercial fishing in progress will close as scheduled at 3:30 p.m. Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Nushagak District, that is both the Igushik and Nushagak Sections, will open at 9:45 p.m. June 23, until 4:00 p.m. June 24. Drift gillnet fishing will open in the Nushagak District, both the Nushagak and Igushik Sections, from 11:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. June 24. Processors and tenders please use stat area 325-00 for drift gillnet fish tickets.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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