JUNEAU AREA (11-A) SUMMER PERSONAL USE RED AND BLUE KING CRAB FISHERY CLOSURE ANNOUNCEMENT

Douglas. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today that the summer personal use red and blue king crab season in Section 11-A (Juneau area) will **not open on July 1, 2020**, as provided in regulation.

Once the 2020 red and blue king crab stock assessment survey data have been analyzed, **an advisory announcement will be issued in late July 2020**, explaining survey results and, if appropriate, announcing an opening date for the fishery, associated bag and pot limits, and information on obtaining a personal use fishing permit required to participate in the Section 11-A fishery.

Information regarding the red and blue king crab personal use fishery outside Section 11-A is addressed in a separate advisory announcement. For questions, please contact Southeast Alaska Shellfish Project Staff at 907-465-4853.

Fishermen are reminded that the regionwide personal use fishing season for Tanner and golden king crab in Southeast Alaska closes at 11:59 p.m. on June 15, 2020, and will reopen at 12:01 a.m. on July 1, 2020.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1C1420.