Advisory Announcement

For Immediate Release:
Monday, July 13, 2020
Time: 12:00 p.m.

Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #39
Emergency Order 62 & 63

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an announcement for permit holders in the Egegik and Ugashik districts. The time is 12:00 noon and the date is Monday, July 13, 2020.

Egegik District

Escapement through the Egegik River tower on July 12 was 130,000 for a cumulative escapement of 1.8 million fish. Harvest on July 12 was 650,000 for a cumulative of 8.6 million fish.

Egegik District will open to commercial fishing with both set and drift gillnet gear for 8 hours from 5:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 14 and again for 8 hours from 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, July 14 until 3:45 a.m., Wednesday, July 15.

Ugashik District

Escapement through the Ugashik River tower on July 12 was 125,000 for a cumulative of 435,000 fish. Harvest on July 12 was approximately 9,000 for a cumulative of 556,000 fish.

Ugashik District will open to commercial fishing with both set and drift gillnet gear for 12 hours from 4:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 14, 2020.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

COVID-19

Under Alaska’s Health Mandates 10, 17, and 18, Commercial fishing is Essential and is part of Alaska’s Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Mandates. COVID-19 Health Mandates may be found here: https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates/

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