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Advisory Announcement

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PORT MOLLER COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ADVISORY ANNOUNCEMENT #18 **For Emergency Orders #4-FS-M-PM-18-21**

That portion of the Bear River Section that has been closed to commercial salmon fishing will open to commercial salmon fishing at 6:00 a.m. Friday, July 9. Commercial fishing will not be permitted within 1,000 yards of the stream terminus at the ocean shoreline at Bear River from 6:00 a.m. Friday, July 9 until further notice. The Bear River Section will remain open to commercial salmon fishing until 6:00 p.m. Saturday, July 10 as per previous Advisory Announcement. All other regulatory markers are as described in regulation.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon>

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channel 72 daily at 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Port Moller at 375-2716.

Under Alaska's Health Advisories 1, 2, 3, and 4, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Advisories. COVID-19 Health Advisories may be found here: <https://covid19.alaska.gov/health-advisories/>.