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## **Advisory Announcement**

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## Prince William Sound Salmon Fishery Announcement #42

**SEINE FISHERIES:** The last reported purse seine delivery occurred on August 15. The PWS purse seine fishery will close for the 2024 season at 8:00 pm Friday, September 13.

Preliminary common property purse seine harvest estimates for PWS are as follows: 4.86 million pink, 820,000 chum, 88,800 sockeye, 3,440 coho, and 190 Chinook salmon.

The next scheduled salmon fisheries announcement is anticipated to be at 2:00 pm Wednesday, September 18.

Announcement recordings are available for gillnet fisheries at 907-424-7535 and seine fisheries at 907-424-7345. In addition, announcement recordings are available in Anchorage at 907-267-2843.