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Advisory Announcement

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Village Visit Schedule to Issue Subsistence Salmon Permits and Customary Trade Permit Requirements.

Department staff will be visiting the following villages to issue subsistence salmon permits:

- **Golovin:** June 16, 2025, at the IRA building,
- **White Mountain:** June 17, 2025, at city hall,
- **Teller:** June 18, 2025, at the bingo hall,
- **Brevig Mission:** June 20, 2025, at the multipurpose room,
- **Elim:** June 24, 2025, at the IRA building.

Staff will be available to answer questions about the upcoming salmon season.

Any subsistence fisherman who intends on selling, for cash, any portion of their subsistence finfish harvest in Norton Sound or Port Clarence must first obtain a Customary Trade Permit as outlined in 5 AAC 01.188.

In the Norton Sound-Port Clarence Area, a person who sells subsistence finfish harvest must:

- obtain a customary trade permit from the department before selling any subsistence harvest and must record any cash sale within 24-hours;
- return the customary trade permit to the department as prescribed by the department;
- display the customary trade permit upon request by a local representative of the department or a peace officer of the state.

Additionally, a person may not sell more than \$500 total per household in a calendar year, the buyer may not resell the fish, and sale or purchase may occur only in the Norton Sound-Port Clarence Area.

Additionally, subsistence salmon permits are available online at www.adfg.alaska.gov/store. All Norton Sound subsistence permits are free, and all Alaska resident households are qualified to receive a permit. The department is encouraging everyone to get their permits online. If you are unable to get your permit online the department can issue a permit at the Nome office. Village residents can call the office at 1-800-560-2271 if they are unable to get their permit online.

For any questions regarding this Advisory Announcement please call Fish & Game in Nome at 907-443-5167 or 1-800-560-2271.