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Westside Salmon Announcement 9 **Emergency Order 6 and 7**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside Salmon Announcement number 9 issued Saturday, June 21 at 12:00 p.m.

The Nushagak River king salmon escapement was 116 yesterday, for a cumulative of 6,645; sockeye salmon escapement was 55,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 458,000, the 10:00 a.m. count this morning was 27,000. The Wood River sockeye salmon escapement was 30,000 yesterday and was 10,000 through 6:00 a.m. today for a cumulative of 114,000. There are currently 155 boats registered to fish in the Nushagak District but that number may change significantly.

Subsistence fishing in the Nushagak Section of the commercial fishing district will close at 11:00 p.m. Saturday, June 21. This applies to the commercial fishing district not the Dillingham beaches.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section will close at 11:00 p.m. Saturday, June 21. Commercial fishing with set gillnets only in the Igushik Section only, will reopen from 9:00 a.m. until 11:30 p.m. Sunday, June 22.

Commercial fishing in the Nushagak Section of the Nushagak District will open to commercial fishing with set gillnets from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Sunday, June 22. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District, that is the Nushagak and Igushik sections, from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Sunday, June 22. Permit holders are reminded that mesh size is restricted to 5.5-inch mesh or smaller.

Informational updates and announcements are available by calling our recorded message line at 907 842-5226. This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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