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Westside Salmon Announcement 17 Emergency Order 16

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 17 issued Saturday, June 28 at 3:00 p.m.

The Wood River sockeye salmon escapement was 105,000 yesterday and 7,000 through 6:00 a.m. today for a cumulative of 1.27 million. The Nushagak River king salmon escapement was 3,427 yesterday, for a cumulative of 22,485. The sockeye salmon escapement was 188,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 2 million. There are currently 604 boats registered to fish in the Nushagak District. Reported king salmon harvest in the Nushagak District yesterday was 132 for a total of 1,267. Reported sockeye salmon harvest was 698,000 for a total of 3.6 million.

As previously announced, commercial fishing in the Nushagak Section with set gillnets opened at 3:00 p.m. and will close as scheduled at 9:00 p.m. Saturday, June 28. Commercial fishing in the Nushagak District with drift gillnets will open as scheduled at 4:00 p.m. and close at 9:00 p.m. Saturday, June 28. Commercial fishing in the Nushagak Section of the Nushagak District will open to commercial fishing with set gillnets from 3:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. Sunday, June 29 and again from 4:30 p.m. Sunday, June 29 until 12:30 a.m. Monday, June 30. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District from 5:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. Sunday, June 29 and again from 6:00 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. Sunday, June 29. Processors and tenders please use stat code 325-00 for Nushagak District drift openings. These shorter openings and extended closures between openings, allow for flood tide with no nets in the water, and are an effort to allow king salmon passage.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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