



Advisory Announcement

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Lower Cook Inlet Salmon Fishery Advisory Announcement #6

KAMISHAK DISTRICT: The Chenik Subdistrict including the portion of Chenik Lagoon east of 154° 08.33' W. long. (Figure 1) will open for two 8-hour fishing periods on the following days,

- on Wednesday, July 2 from 4:00 AM to Noon, and
- on Thursday, July 3 from 5:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

An aerial survey flown on June 28 documented over 5,000 sockeye salmon in Chenik Lagoon.

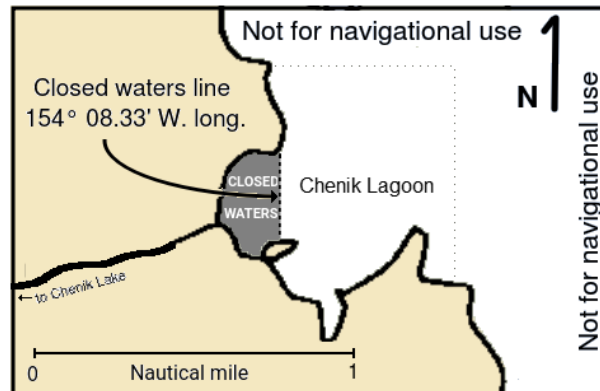


Figure 1.- Chenik Lagoon, west of 154° 08.33' W. long. is closed.

Other subdistricts of the Kamishak District as defined in 5AAC 21.299(e), remain closed to commercial common property salmon harvest. Sockeye salmon escapement monitoring into Chenik Lake using satellite relayed video began on June 12 with 3 fish counted to date. Preliminary escapement counts into Chenik Lake are available online here:

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyarealci.salmon#fishcounts>.

As a reminder, unless otherwise specified in regulation or by emergency order, commercial fishing for salmon is prohibited at all times within 500 yards of the fresh water of a salmon stream and over the beds or channels of streams and rivers at all stages of the tide. Fresh water is considered separated from salt water, at the mouth of streams and rivers, by a line drawn between the seaward extremities of the exposed tideland banks at the present stage of the tide, (5AAC 39.975(a)(26)).

The next scheduled commercial salmon fisheries announcement is anticipated to be on Friday, July 4.

Announcement recordings are available on the 24-hour telephone recording in the Homer office at 907/235-7307.

Current Cook Inlet Commercial Fishing regulation books are available at ADF&G offices, and online here:

https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/static/regulations/fishregulations/pdfs/commercial/2024_2027_cf_cook_inlet_salmon.pdf

This website may also be accessed by scanning the QR code at right.

Additionally, announcements, inseason harvest data, and escapement data are available at the following web address:

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

which may also be accessed by scanning the adjacent QR code,

