



**Advisory Announcement**  
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**SOUTHEAST ALASKA SALMON PURSE SEINE FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT**

District 1

The following area will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:**

Section 1-F: will be open south of a line from the southernmost tip of Cone Point at 55°14.46' N lat, 131°18.87' W long to the northernmost tip of Harbor Point at 55°13.03' N lat, 131°25.18' W long **to a point on the western shore of Gravina Island at 55°14.91' N lat, 130°50.40' W long (the latitude of the northernmost tip of Cone Point)**, then due west to the District 2 boundary with the following restriction:

Boca de Quadra: will be closed south of a line from Quadra Point at 55°05.15' N lat, 130°59.10' W long to Slate Islands Light at 55°05.29' N lat, 131°03.17' W long, east of a line from Slate Islands Light to Black Rock Light at 55°01.42' N lat, 131°03.59' W long, and north of a line from Black Rock Light to a point on the mainland shore at 55°01.40' N lat, 131°00.20' W long;

Nichols Passage: will be closed north of the latitude of the southernmost tip of Dall Head at 55°07.75' N lat.

District 2

The following area will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:**

District 2: will be open south of the latitude of the **northern tip of Windy Point at 55°13.10' N lat** with the following restrictions:

Moira Sound: will be closed west of the longitude of the easternmost entrance of Menefee Anchorage at **132°00.35' W long**;

Cholmondeley Sound and contiguous waters: all waters will be closed.

District 3

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:**

Section 3-A: will be open south of the latitude of the northernmost tip of Webster Point at 54°58.28' N lat with the following restrictions:

Dall Island Shore: will be closed west of a line from the southernmost tip of Reef Point at 55°03.62' N lat, 132°58.33' W long to Shoe Island Light at 54°57.07' N lat, 132°44.68' W long to the westernmost tip of Datzkoo Point at 54°43.80' N lat, 132°41.83' W long;

Kassa Inlet: will be closed east of the longitude of Kassa Point at 132°31.62' W long;

**Klakas Inlet, Hunter Bay, and contiguous waters:** will be closed in all waters north and east of a line running from a point near Ruth Cutoff located at 54°54.43' N lat, 132°24.86' W long to the southernmost tip of Klakas Island at 54°53.16' N lat, 132°24.56' W long to a point on Prince of Wales Island at 54°49.67' N lat, 132°20.50' W long.

**Section 3-B:** will be open west of a line from the Cape Lynch Light at 55°46.87' N lat, 133°42.10' W long to the northernmost tip of Point Animas at 55°32.04' N lat, 133°27.36' W long to Point Arboleda at 55°19.09' N lat, 133°27.81' W long with the following restrictions:

**Port Asumcion:** will be closed north and west of a line from Point Cosinas at 55°21.80' N lat, 133°30.64' W long to a point west of Point Maria located at 55°22.04' N lat, 133°30.26' W long;

**Portillo Channel:** will be closed north of a line from the southernmost tip of Point Amargura at 55°27.00' N lat, 133°21.64' W long to Arrecife Point at 55°26.93' N lat, 133°25.90' W long and south of a line from the northernmost tip of Point Animas at 55°32.04' N lat, 133°27.36' W long to Point Delgada at 55°30.81' N lat, 133°28.76' W long.

#### District 4

The following area will be open to purse seining from 5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:

District 4: will be open.

#### District 7

District 7: will be closed.

#### District 10

The following areas will be open to purse seining from 5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:

**Section 10-A:** will be open with the following restrictions:

**Pybus Bay:** will be closed north and west of a line from Point Pybus at 57°18.29' N lat, 133°58.74' W long to the southern entrance of Cannery Cove at 57°18.34' N lat, 134°07.88' W long;

**Gambier Bay (including all waters of Snug Cove), Big Bend, and contiguous waters:** will be closed north of the latitude of the Point Gambier Light at 57°26.13' N lat.

**Section 10-B:** will be open with the following restrictions:

**Windham Bay:** will be closed east of a line extending from Point Windham at 57°33.75' N lat, 133°33.82' W long to a point on the southern entrance shoreline at 57°32.85' N lat, 133°30.75' W long;

**Port Houghton:** will be closed east of the longitude of the easternmost tip of Robert Island at 133°27.88' W long.

District 12

The following area will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:**

Section 12-A: will be open in the following areas:

Point Augusta: will be open within 1.0 nmi of the Chichagof Island shoreline north of the latitude of a regulatory marker at 58°01.63' N lat (located 1.0 nmi south of Point Augusta Light);

Tenakee Inlet: **will be open to normal markers west of a line from East Point at 57°48.33' N lat, 134°56.92' W long to a point at 57°46.34' N lat, 134°56.07' W long to South Passage Point at 57°45.85' N lat, 134°56.32' W long;**

Admiralty Island shoreline: will be open within 1.0 nmi of the Admiralty Island shoreline **south of the latitude of Point Couverden at 58°11.39' N lat and north of the latitude of Point Hepburn at 57°55.70' N lat.**

District 13

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:**

Section 13-A: will be open in the following area:

Lisianski Inlet **and Lisianski Strait:** Lisianski Inlet will be open south of a line from the northernmost tip of Soapstone Point at 58°06.33' N lat, 136°29.86' W long to the westernmost tip of Column Point at 58°07.21' N lat, 136°26.88' W long, and north of 57°54.54' N lat, **and Lisianski Strait will be open north of the latitude of 57°50.97' N lat.**

Section 13-B: will be open in the following areas:

**Sitka Sound and contiguous waters: will be open north of a line from Inner Point on the Kruzof Island shoreline at 57°05.52' N lat, 135°34.25' W long to Sentinel Rock at 57°02.83' N lat, 135°24.62' W long to a point on the Baranof Island shoreline at 57°04.09' N lat, 135°22.08' W long with the following restrictions:**

**Olga Strait: will be closed north of the latitude of 57°11.01' N lat and south of the latitude of Creek Point at 57°12.94' N lat;**

**Neva Strait: will be closed north of the latitude of 57°14.06' N lat;**

**Mosquito Cove unnamed salmon stream: waters will be closed within 200 yards of the freshwater of an unnamed salmon stream located within Mosquito Cove at 57°08.54' N lat, 135°22.33' W long (stream channels remain closed at any stage of the tide).**

Crawfish Inlet Terminal Harvest Area (THA): will be open east of line from 56°45.34' N lat, 135°11.05' W long to 56°44.87' N lat, 135°11.05' W long with the following restrictions:

**Crawfish Inlet: will be closed north of a line from 56°47.41' N lat, 135°06.61' W long to 56°47.36' N lat, 135°07.13' W long;**

**Crawfish Inlet head stream: no restrictions will be in effect for the Crawfish Inlet head stream (all freshwaters and stream channels remain closed);**

**All other salmon streams: will be closed to within 200 yards of freshwater (stream channels remain closed at any stage of the tide).**

**Section 13-C: will be open east of 135°03.73' W long with the following restriction:**

**Sitkoh Bay and Florence Bay: will be closed north and west of line from Point Craven at 57°27.95' N lat, 134°52.18' W long to Point Hayes at 57°28.83' N lat, 134°50.33' W long.**

The following area will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m., Sunday, July 20, through 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 23, 2025:**

Section 13-B: Redoubt Bay, Kanga Bay, and contiguous waters will be open east of 135°22.76' W long.

#### District 14

The following areas will be open to purse seining from **5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025:**

Section 14-B: will be open south of the latitude of Crist Point at 58°10.27' N lat;

Section 14-C: will be open within 1.0 nmi of the Chichagof Island shoreline.

Chinook Salmon Landing Restrictions: All Chinook salmon harvested in the Anita Bay THA may be retained and sold. For all other fishing areas, Chinook salmon 28 inches or greater in length may NOT be retained and Chinook salmon less than 28 inches may be retained but not sold. These restrictions may be in effect until at least the third week of July.

In areas under nonretention of Chinook salmon 28 inches or larger, purse seine fishermen are encouraged to quickly release Chinook salmon in a manner that minimizes mortality. If Chinook salmon greater than 28 inches (large) are retained, the fisherman is in violation and may be issued a citation. Retained large Chinook salmon will be donated, and the fisherman may be subject to the cost associated with processing the fish for donation. On the fish ticket, the number and weight of the fish must be recorded and the disposition code "86-Donated" must be used.

Fishermen, tenders, and processors are reminded that all salmon, including steelhead, commercially harvested but retained for personal use and not sold, must be reported on fish tickets at the time of delivery.

**The Southeast Cove THA (109-41) will be open to purse seining from 5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, July 20, 2025, as will be announced in a separate advisory announcement later today. An opening to common property fisheries is warranted due to a buildup of hatchery chum salmon within the THA.**

Fishermen, tenders, and processors are reminded that harvest from the Kendrick Bay THA should be kept and reported on a separate fish ticket from harvest outside of the Kendrick Bay THA. The statistical area for the Kendrick Bay THA is 102-15 and includes the waters of McLean Arm and Kendrick Bay. The statistical areas for portions of District 2 open outside of the Kendrick Bay THA are 102-10 (outside Kendrick Bay and south) and 102-20 (Kendrick Bay north).

The next seine announcement will be issued on **Tuesday, July 22, 2025.**

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S4025.

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**Southeast Alaska Purse Seine Harvest Estimates**  
**Statistical Week 29 — Midweek**  
**Preliminary Estimates Compiled July 18, 2025**

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NUMBERS OF SALMON							
Area	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total	Boats
District 1	0	1,400	400	70,000	21,000	92,800	55
District 2	0	2,800	900	30,000	44,000	77,700	26
District 7	0	400	35	44,000	31,000	75,435	16
District 12	0	500	300	70,000	12,000	82,800	25
District 14	0	1,400	400	140,000	21,000	162,800	20

FISH PER BOAT						
Area	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
District 1	0	25	7	1,273	382	1,687
District 2	0	108	35	1,154	1,692	2,988
District 7	0	25	2	2,750	1,938	4,715
District 12	0	20	12	2,800	480	3,312
District 14	0	70	20	7,000	1,050	8,140

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Districts 4, 13, and Thomas Bay THA: confidential.

Kendrick Bay THA harvest to date: 230,000 chum salmon.

Anita Bay THA harvest to date: 5,000 Chinook and 80,000 chum salmon.

Crawfish Inlet THA harvest to date: no reported harvest.

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