



Advisory Announcement

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Lower Cook Inlet Salmon Fishery Advisory Announcement #20

OUTER DISTRICT: Effective at 6:00 AM on Wednesday, July 30 waters of the Rocky Bay Subdistrict are open to commercial common property purse seine harvest on a schedule of daily 16-hour fishing periods starting at 6:00 AM.

KAMISHAK DISTRICT: Effective at 6:00 AM on Wednesday, July 30 waters of the Kirschner Lake special harvest area are open to commercial purse seine harvest on a daily schedule of 24-hour per day fishing periods.

In addition, regulatory closed waters restrictions that pertain to the Iniskin Subdistrict (5AAC 21.350(e)(3)) are suspended effective at 6:00 AM on Wednesday, July 30. Commercial salmon fishing is permitted in Iniskin Bay south of 59° 46.30' N. latitude on a schedule concurrent with other areas in the Kamishak District.

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, August 1.

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,

