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**2025/26 SOUTHEAST ALASKA COMMERCIAL SEA CUCUMBER FISHERY
ANNOUNCEMENT**

The following area will be open **from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, Monday, November 17, 2025:**

District 1

Revillagigedo Channel and Southern Clarence Strait (Subdistrict 101-21).

The following area will be open **from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Monday, November 17, 2025:**

District 2

Clarence Strait (Subdistrict 102-50).

The following areas will be open **from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday, November 17, 2025:**

District 6

Northern Clarence Strait (Subdistricts 106-10, 20, 22, and 25);

District 12

Eastern Chatham Strait, Wilson Cove, Whitewater Bay, and Chaik Bay (Subdistricts 112-18, 19, 80, and 90).

The following areas will be open **from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday, November 17, and from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, Tuesday, November 18, 2025:**

District 1

Willard and Fillmore Inlets (Subdistrict 101-11-002);

George Inlet, Bold Island, and Carroll Inlet (Subdistricts 101-40, 44, 45, 46, and 48);

Rudyerd Bay, East Behm Canal, and Walker Cove (Subdistricts 101-51, 60, 71, and 73);

North Behm Canal (Subdistrict 101-80);

District 2

Cholmondeley Sound (Subdistrict 102-40);

District 9

Eastern Baranof Island (Subdistrict 109-20);

District 11

Southern Lynn Canal, East Mansfield Peninsula, and Auke Bay (Subdistrict 111-50);

District 12

Freshwater Bay and Western Chatham Strait (Subdistricts 112-12, 13, and 50);

Howard Bay and Couverden Island area (portions of Subdistricts 112-15 and 61 and 114-25);

District 13

Sitka Sound, Krestof Sound, and Nakwasina Sound (Subdistricts 113-40, 41, 42, and 43).

Fishers and processors are reminded that an accurate fish ticket is required at the time of delivery. A fish ticket must be filled out according to 5 AAC 39.130 (c). Fishers must verify at the time of landing with the tender or processor that all information is accurate before signing the fish ticket, including statistical area, pounds of sea cucumbers harvested, and any overages.

For a description of the above areas, please refer to the Southeast Alaska commercial sea cucumber fishery announcement dated August 28, 2025, announcing the open areas and their guideline harvest levels (GHLs). The next advisory announcement following this opening will be available on **Thursday, November 20, 2025**.

The Emergency Order corresponding to this announcement is EO 1M3325.

2025/26 Southeast Alaska Sea Cucumber Fishery
Statistical Week 46

Area Description	Statistical Area(s)	GHL	Harvest to Date	Remaining GHL
Willard and Fillmore Inlets	101-11-002	47,800	32,600	15,200
Revilla Channel and S Clarence Strait	101-21	58,100	35,400	22,700
Revilla Channel and Felice Strait	101-23	179,900	173,800	CLOSED
George Inlet, Bold Island, and Carroll Inlet	101-40,44,45,46,48	120,200	59,900	60,300
Tongass Narrows	101-47	84,100	81,800	CLOSED
Rudyard Bay, E Behm, Walker Cove	101-51,60,71,73	47,500	***	***
North Behm Canal	101-80	69,600	8,100	61,500
Cholmondeley Sound	102-40	228,600	93,600	135,000
Clarence Strait	102-50	86,900	***	***
Northern Clarence Strait	106-10,20,22,25	196,900	182,800	14,100
Eastern Baranof Island	109-20	55,900	0	55,900
S Lynn Canal, E Manfield, and Auke Bay	111-50	42,900	***	***
Freshwater Bay and W Chatham Strait	112-12,13,50	141,900	30,400	111,500
Howard Bay and Couverden Island	112-15,61;114-25	10,800	0	10,800
E Chatham, Wilson, Whitewater & Chaik	112-18,19,80,90	31,900	17,800	14,100
Sitka, Krestof, and Nakwasina Sound	113-40,41,42,43	171,400	***	***
Hoonah Sound	113-55,56,57,58	131,700	123,900	CLOSED
Totals		1,706,100	1,063,000	626,900

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