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Kuskokwim Bay Fishery Announcement #2

District 4 Subsistence Fishery

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This is an announcement from the Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G) for subsistence fishermen in the Kuskokwim Bay area.

District 4, Quinhagak:

Subsistence fishing gillnets will be restricted to 6-inch or less mesh size not exceeding 50 fathoms in length and 45 meshes in depth; effective 12:01 a.m. Monday, June 1 until 11:59 p.m. Wednesday, July 15, 2026.

Reminder to subsistence fishermen: In accordance with **5AAC 01.260. (c) Fishing seasons and periods** District 4 subsistence fishing is closed on Sundays and **5AAC 01.270 (q) Lawful gear and gear specifications and operation** only one gillnet may be operated per boat from June 1 through July 15.

Further announcements will be made from the Bethel Fish and Game office, on the State of Alaska website (<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main>), local radio stations, and Kuskokwim River Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/KuskoRiverFishingADFG/>). Advisory Announcements will be faxed to area villages.

For additional information concerning this advisory announcement:

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