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## **Advisory Announcement**

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## **Westside Salmon Announcement 16** **Emergency Order 16**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an announcement regarding commercial fishing in the Nushagak District. This is Westside Salmon Announcement number 16 issued Tuesday, June 30 at 12:00 noon.

The Nushagak River king salmon escapement was 1,287 yesterday, for a cumulative of 18,437. The sockeye salmon escapement was 269,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 2.3 million. The Wood River sockeye salmon daily escapement was 410,000 yesterday, and 34,000 through 6:00 a.m. today for cumulative of 1.7 million.

The Nushagak District harvest was 631,000 sockeye salmon yesterday for a cumulative harvest of 2.5 million. The cumulative harvest percentages are 73.6% drift, 26.3% set. There are 500 vessels and 708 permits registered to fish in the Nushagak District.

Commercial fishing with set gillnets will open in the Nushagak section of the Nushagak District from 2:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 1, a 9.5-hour opening, and again from 2:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 1 a 9-hour opening. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District from 5:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 1, a 6-hour opening and again from 4:30 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 1 a 6.5-hour opening.

Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section of the Nushagak District is extended until further notice.

Commercial fishing in the Wood River Special Harvest Area is currently open for set gillnets until 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 1. We will reevaluate harvest percentages tomorrow morning to determine which gear type will fish in the Wood River after the scheduled closure.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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