



Advisory Announcement
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**CENTRAL SOUTHEAST OUTSIDE (CSEO) SECTION LINGCOD BYCATCH
CLOSURE FOR SALMON TROLL FISHERY**

The retention of lingcod bycatch in the commercial salmon troll fishery will close in the entire Central Southeast Outside (CSEO) Section at 11:59 p.m., Friday, September 4, 2026. The 16,800 lb guideline harvest level (GHL) for the CSEO area salmon troll lingcod bycatch fishery is estimated to be taken at the time of closure.

Lingcod bycatch in the salmon troll fishery remains open in the Icy Bay Subdistrict (IBS), Northern Southeast Inside (NSEI) Subdistrict, and Southern Southeast Internal Waters (SSEIW) Sector.

Updates of area closures for all lingcod bycatch fisheries are available on the Groundfish Hotline at 907-747-4882. Lingcod catches will be closely monitored, and fishers should expect additional area closures on short notice. Closure notices will be announced by ADF&G advisory announcement, United States Coast Guard marine broadcast, and the National Weather Service marine broadcast.

The emergency order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1G1826.

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