## ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

## **NEWS RELEASE**



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## SOUTHEAST ALASKA GEODUCK CLAM FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT

Ketchikan. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the following information regarding the Southeast Alaska commercial geoduck clam fishery.

<u>Davidson Inlet (Subdistrict 103-90-004)</u>: will be open for a remaining harvest of 9,000 pounds of whole geoduck clams **from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Thursday, December 14, 2017**.

Geoduck PSP results from District 1 are not available at this time. A separate news release may be issued when the results of those samples have been received.

All companies buying geoduck clams must contact the Fish and Game, Ketchikan office before 12:00 noon on Friday, December 15, 2017.

All geoducks harvested must be clearly labeled with the date of harvest, the harvester's name, and the location of harvest. Geoduck logbooks are required to be completed daily and before leaving the harvest site. Logbooks must be submitted to the Department within seven days of a commercial landing.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1M4517.

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