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Westside Salmon Announcement 6 **Emergency Order 5**

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 6 issued Monday, June 20 at 9:00 a.m.

Current cumulative Nushagak River escapements through midnight are as follows: sockeye salmon 115,945, king salmon 21,774, and chum salmon 14,597. Wood River daily escapement was 43,890 yesterday and 5,520 through 6:00 a.m. today for a cumulative of 73,884.

We are still short of the 100,000 sockeye salmon escapement in the Wood River and will delay fishing again. The earliest possible drift gillnet opening is 7:30 a.m., Tuesday, June 21. Earliest possible set gillnet opening is 6:30 a.m., Tuesday, June 21.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section will close at 6:00 p.m. Monday, June 20. Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section will open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 21, and from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 22.

Informational updates and announcements are available by calling our recorded message line at 842-5226. This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham.

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