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Westside Salmon Announcement 10 **Emergency Order none**

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 10 issued Wednesday, June 22 at 9:00 a.m.

Nushagak River escapements through midnight are as follows: sockeye salmon escapement was 40,469 yesterday for a cumulative of 231,227, king salmon escapement was 943 yesterday for a cumulative of 23,917, and chum salmon escapement was 750 yesterday for a cumulative of 16,392. Wood River daily escapement was 24,708 yesterday and 9,468 through 6:00 a.m. this morning for a cumulative of 124,230. There are 494 permits and 380 vessels registered to fish in the Nushagak District.

Reports indicate that fish are starting to move through the district, but counts are still slow currently. We will continue to gather more information before announcing an opening. The earliest possible drift gillnet opening is 9:30 a.m., Thursday, June 23. The earliest possible set gillnet opening is 8:30 a.m., Thursday, June 23.

As previously announced, commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section will close at 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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