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Advisory Announcement

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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #24 **Emergency Orders 53, 54, & 55**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an announcement for permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak, Egegik, and Ugashik districts. The time is 12:00 noon and the date is Friday, July 8, 2022.

Naknek-Kvichak District

On July 7, Naknek River escapement was 60,000 fish for a cumulative of 997,000; Alagnak River escapement was 93,000 for a cumulative of 433,000; and Kvichak River escapement was 304,000 for a cumulative of 1.2 million. The Kvichak inriver estimate is 600,000. The Naknek-Kvichak District harvest on July 7 was 800,000 fish for a total catch of 6.0 million. There are 272 vessels registered to fish in the district.

The Naknek-Kvichak District will open to drift gillnet gear for an 8-hour period from 8:00 p.m. Friday, July 8 until 4:00 a.m. Saturday, July 9 and again for an 8-hour period 7:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Saturday, July 9. Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Naknek-Kvichak District is extended until further notice.

Egegik District

Egegik Tower passed 96,000 fish on July 7, bringing the season total to 1.1 million. The inriver estimate is 90,000. Egegik District harvest from July 7 was 768,000, for a season total of 10.5 million fish.

Egegik District will open to commercial fishing with set gillnet gear for 19.5 hours from 7:00 p.m. Friday, July 8 until 2:30 p.m. Saturday, July 9. Commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear will open for 8 hours from 7:00 p.m. Friday, July 8 until 3:00 a.m. Saturday, July 9 and again for 8 hours from 6:15 a.m. until 2:15 p.m. Saturday, July 9.

Ugashik District

The Ugashik River tower passed 108,000 on July 7, bringing the season total to 362,000 fish. The inriver estimate is 250,000. Harvest from July 7 was 319,000 fish, for a season total of 2.7 million.

Ugashik District will open to commercial fishing with both set and drift gillnet gear for 16 hours from 4:45 a.m. until 8:45 p.m. Saturday, July 9.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

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Connected EO: 2F-T-53-22, 2F-T-54-22, 2F-T-55-22