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## **Advisory Announcement**

***For Immediate Release: June 30, 2026***  
**Time: 3:00 p.m.**

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### **Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #15** **Emergency Orders 22, 23**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an update for permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak District and an announcement for permit holders in the Egegik, and Ugashik districts. The time is 3:00 p.m. and the date is Tuesday, June 30.

#### **Naknek-Kvichak District**

The Naknek River total escapement is 198,000, the Kvichak River total escapement is 300,000, and the Kvichak inriver estimate is 300,000 fish. Harvest on June 29 was 194,000 fish. We are assessing results from the current fishing period and additional escapement counts before announcing how fishing will be scheduled for tomorrow. Permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak District should stand by at 6:00 p.m., 8:00 p.m., and 9:00 a.m. for the next possible announcement.

#### **Egegik District**

Egegik River total escapement is 520,000 and the inriver estimate is 100,000 fish. The harvest on June 29 was 295,000 fish.

The Egegik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 5 hours from 12:15 a.m. to 5:15 a.m. Wednesday, July 1 and again for 5 hours from 12:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 1. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 8 hours from 12:15 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. Wednesday, July 1 and again for 8 hours from 12:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 1.

#### **Ugashik District**

Ugashik River total escapement is 4,000. Inriver test fish indices show a large amount of passage into the river, which has yet to reach the counting tower. An aerial survey is being conducted today to assess inriver fish abundance. The harvest on June 29 was 330,000 fish.

The Ugashik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 8 hours from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 1. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 12 hours from 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 1.

Permit holders in the Egegik, and Ugashik districts should stand by at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 1 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon.

Connected EO's: 2F-T-22-26, 2F-T-23-26