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Advisory Announcement

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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #23 **Emergency Orders 32, 33**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an announcement for permit holders in the Egegik and Ugashik districts. The time is 3:00 p.m. and the date is Saturday, July 4.

Egegik District

Egegik River total escapement is 1.1 million and the inriver estimate is 100,000 fish. The harvest on July 3 was 697,000 fish for a season total of 4.3 million.

The Egegik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 5 hours from 2:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m. Sunday, July 5 and again for 5 hours from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Sunday, July 5. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 8 hours from 2:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Sunday, July 5 and again for 8 hours from 3:45 p.m. to 11:45 p.m. Sunday, July 5.

Ugashik District

Ugashik River total escapement is 195,000 and the inriver estimate is 200,000 fish. The total season harvest is 2.4 million fish.

The Ugashik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 6 hours from 1:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. Sunday, July 5. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 12 hours from 1:45 p.m. Sunday, July 5 to 1:45 a.m. Monday, July 6.

Permit holders in the Egegik and Ugashik districts should stand by at 3:00 p.m. Sunday, July 5 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon. Happy 4th of July!

Connected EO's: [2F-T-32-26](#), [2F-T-33-26](#)