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Westside Salmon Announcement 15 **Emergency Order 15**

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 15 issued Monday, June 29 at 3:00 p.m.

The Nushagak River king salmon escapement was 6,726 yesterday, for a cumulative of 17,150. The sockeye salmon escapement was 787,000 yesterday for a cumulative of 2 million. The Wood River sockeye salmon daily escapement was 454,000 yesterday, and 68,500 through 6:00 a.m. today for cumulative of 1.3 million.

The Nushagak District harvest was 933,000 sockeye salmon yesterday for a cumulative harvest of 1.8 million. The cumulative harvest percentages are 75% drift, 25% set. There are 504 vessels and 710 permits registered to fish in the Nushagak District.

As previously announced, commercial fishing in progress for drift gillnets in the Nushagak District and set gillnets in the Nushagak Section will close as scheduled at 10:00 p.m. Monday, June 29. Commercial fishing with set gillnets will open in the Nushagak section of the Nushagak District from 1:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, June 30, a 9.5-hour opening. Commercial fishing with drift gillnets will open in the Nushagak District from 5:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, June 30, a 6-hour opening.

Commercial fishing with set gillnets in the Igushik Section of the Nushagak District is extended for 25 hours from 4:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 30, until 5:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 1.

Commercial fishing in the Wood River Special Harvest Area is extended from 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 30, until 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 1.

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

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