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## **Advisory Announcement**

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## KODIAK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY UPDATE # 02

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Kodiak is requesting quotes (bids) to generate revenue by allowing the harvest of commercial salmon in the Kodiak Area (Area K). The department is seeking to generate three lots of \$25,000 each. The quotes must be based on the value at the dock. For example, if fishermen were to bid \$35,000, the fisherman will make \$10,000, and generate \$25,000 of revenue for the department, for a total dock value of \$35,000. Successful contractors will be the parties that quote the lowest value. The max value a contractor may bid is \$50,000 per lot.

## All 3 lots must be completed from July 1 through the end of the 2020 commercial salmon fishing season.

Verbal or written bids must be submitted by 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 30, and will be immediately awarded to the lowest bidder. Fish and Game reserves the right to reject any or all quotes. In the case of equal, low bids, the bid submitted first will be the winning bid. Test fishermen will fish only during times and in areas determined by the department in cooperation with the successful bidder.

If you are interested in finding out how to bid, please contact

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Under Alaska's Health Mandates 10, 11, and 12, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Mandates. COVID-19 Health Mandates may be found here: https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates.