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YAKUTAT COMMERCIAL SET GILLNET OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

Yakutat...The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the following information concerning the Yakutat Area set gillnet fishery.

Alsek River: will be open from **12:01 p.m., Sunday, June 14 through 12:00 noon, Monday, June 15, 2020**, with the following restriction:

Gillnet mesh size: maximum mesh is six inches.

Yakutat Bay: will be open from **6:00 a.m., Sunday June 14 through 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 16, 2020.**

Dangerous River: will be open from **6:00 a.m., Sunday June 14 through 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 16, 2020.**

The department is requesting that any live Chinook salmon caught in the Alsek River be released.

Under Alaska’s Health Mandates 10, 17, and 18, 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: <http://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates/>.

The Emergency Order corresponding to this announcement is EO 1Y0320.

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