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Westside Salmon Announcement 21

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dillingham with an update regarding commercial fishing in the Togiak District. This is Westside Salmon Announcement number 21 issued Saturday, July 4 at 12:00 noon.

The Togiak tower camp has deployed but has not yet begun doing counts. We expect counts to begin at some point this weekend. Harvest in the Togiak District was 1,465 sockeye salmon yesterday for a cumulative of 9,889. There are currently 36 permits and 36 vessels registered for the Togiak District.

As per the extended weekly schedule, commercial fishing will close in the Togiak River Section at 9:00 p.m. Saturday, July 4. Commercial fishing will then open in all sections of the Togiak District as per the regular and extended weekly schedules at 9:00 a.m. Monday, July 6.

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

“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:

[https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates/.](https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates/)”

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