



## Advisory Announcement

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### Lower Cook Inlet Salmon Fishery Announcement #18

This announcement corrects an error made in Announcement #17 concerning closed waters in the Windy Bay Subdistrict of the Outer District. Effective August 4, closed waters in this subdistrict are those north or west of a point on the promontory between Windy Left and Windy Right creeks. Corrected wording is below.

Beginning at 6:00 AM on August 4, regulatory closed waters defined in 5AAC 21.350(f)(2) in Windy Bay are suspended. Fishing is permitted south and east of a point at 59° 13.77'N. lat., 151° 33.37'W. long. Waters in Windy Bay that are north or **WEST** of this point are **CLOSED** to commercial fishing. See Figure 1 at right.

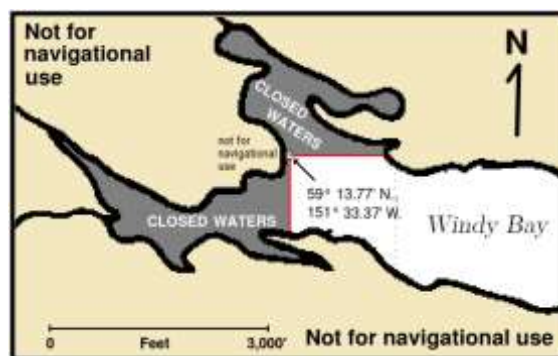


Figure 1.- Waters closed to commercial fishing in Windy Bay.

**COVID-19:** 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/> and may also be accessed by scanning the quick read (QR) code at right using a smart phone.



### The next scheduled commercial salmon fisheries announcement is anticipated to be on Friday, August 7.

Announcement recordings are available on the 24-hour telephone recording in the Homer office at 907/235-7307.

2020 Cook Inlet Commercial Fishing regulation books are available at ADF&G offices, and online here: [https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/static/regulations/fishregulations/pdfs/commercial/2020\\_2022\\_cf\\_cook\\_inlet\\_salmon.pdf](https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/static/regulations/fishregulations/pdfs/commercial/2020_2022_cf_cook_inlet_salmon.pdf)

This website may also be accessed by scanning the QR code at right.

Additionally, announcements, inseason harvest data, and escapement data are available at the following web address:

<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyarealci.salmon>,

which may also be accessed by scanning the adjacent QR code,

