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Westside Salmon Announcement 10 Emergency Order 8

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 10 issued Tuesday, June 25 at 12:00 noon.

The Nushagak River escapement for king salmon was 513 yesterday for a total of 10,236 through June 24, and for sockeye salmon it was 760 yesterday for a cumulative of 93,150. The Wood River sockeye salmon escapement was 3,200 yesterday and was 354 through 6:00 a.m. today for a cumulative of 157,100. Commercial harvest from the Igushik Section is confidential at this time. There are currently 224 boats registered to fish in the Nushagak District.

Triggers are not yet projected to be met in either the Nushagak or Wood Rivers. Nushagak District fishermen should be ready to fish as early as Wednesday, June 26 at 3:45 a.m. with set gillnets and at 5:00 a.m. with drift gillnets. There will be another announcement tonight to update the fleet after we gather additional information.

Commercial fishing in progress with set gillnets in the Igushik Section is extended until 7:00 a.m. Friday, June 28.

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

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