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KODIAK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ADVISORY ANNOUNCEMENT #34 For Emergency Order #4-FS-K-34-24

There will be a **54-hour** commercial salmon fishing period in the **Inner Karluk Section** of the **Southwest Kodiak District** from **noon Friday, September 20 to 6:00 p.m. Sunday, September 22.**

Closed water adjustment:

Closed waters will remain **as described in regulation** at Karluk Lagoon (stream #255-101).

As previously announced:

The following areas remain **open** to commercial salmon fishing **until further notice:**

- The **Cape Alitak, Alitak Bay, Moser Bay, and Olga Bay Sections** of the **Alitak District;**
- The **Outer Karluk Section** of the **Southwest Kodiak District;** and
- The **Central and North Cape Sections** of the **Northwest Kodiak District.**

Until further notice, in the **Kodiak Area (including the Mainland District) Chinook (king) salmon 28 inches or greater in length may not be retained by purse seine gear** in the commercial fishery and must be returned to the water unharmed.

Other closed waters are as shown on the Kodiak Area Salmon Statistical Chart and detailed in the Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations (5AAC 18.350). Statistical Charts, Harvest Strategies, and Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations are available at the Kodiak Fish and Game office. Recent salmon fishery information may be obtained by calling the Department's 24-hour record-a-phone at 486-4559.