

Table 1. 2019 Washington Recreational Halibut Season Dates

Marine Subarea	Initial Season Dates	Dates Added	Total Days
Columbia River (MA 1)	May 2, 5, 9, 12, 24	May 26, June 20, 28	8
South Coast/Westport (MA 2)	May 2, 5, 9, 12, 24	June 6, 20, 28, 29	9
North Coast/Neah Bay – La Push (MA 3 and 4)	May 2, 4, 9, 11, 18, 24, 26, June 6, 8, 20, 22	June 15, 27, 28, 29	15
Puget Sound (MA 5 – 10)	May 2, 4, 9, 11, 18, 24, 26, June 6, 8, 20, 22	May 30, June 1, 13, 15, 27, 28, 29	18

Table 2. 2019 Washington Recreational Halibut Subarea Quota and Catch

Marine Subarea	Subarea Quota	Subarea Catch	Quota Remaining
Columbia River (all depth)	14,627	17,040	-2,412
Columbia River (nearshore)	500	219	281
South Coast	62,896	74,801	-11,905
North Coast	128,187	141,608	-13,421
Puget Sound ¹	77,550	38,082	39,468
Total	283,760	271,750	12,011

1/ Puget Sound estimate is preliminary and does not include catch from Marine Areas 7 – 10.

2019 General Season Structure

- North Coast and Puget Sound: ¹⁻²¹
 - Thursday, Saturday and ~~Saturday~~ and Sunday during Memorial Day weekend
- South Coast and Columbia River (all depth):
 - Thursday, Sunday and Friday before Memorial Day weekend
- Columbia River (nearshore):
 - Monday through Wednesday during the all depth fishery, seven days per week if quota remains after the all depth fishery is closed.

2020 Season Structure Discussion

- Season opening date:
 - Marine Areas 1 – 5: Open early May
 - Marine Areas 6 – 10: open mid-April (Thursday, Friday, Saturday)
- Days of the week:
 - North coast and Puget Sound: Thursday, Saturday
 - South Coast and Columbia River: Thursday, Sunday
- Other?

Washington Recreational Halibut Meeting
Montesano City Hall
SIGN IN SHEET
August 29, 2019

	Name
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