
COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACT/JOINT STATE ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

June 26, 2013

The States met today and took the following action:

<i>2013 Treaty Indian Summer Chinook Commercial Fishery</i>		
Season	6 AM Monday July 1 to 6 PM Wednesday July 3, 2013	(2.5 days)
Area	Zone 6	
Sanctuaries:	Standard river mouth sanctuaries applicable to gillnet gear. No Spring Creek sanctuary necessary	
Gear:	Gill nets. 7- Inch minimum mesh size.	
Allowable Sales:	Salmon, steelhead, shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish and carp may be sold or retained for subsistence. Sturgeon may not be sold, but sturgeon from 43 to 54 inches fork length in The Dalles and John Day Pools and from 38 to 54 inches fork length in the Bonneville Pool may be kept for subsistence purposes. Sales of fish are allowed after the open period concludes, as long as the fish were landed during the open period.	
Additional:	24-hour quick reporting rule is in effect for Washington buyers.	

<i>2013 Treaty Indian Zone 6 Platform and Hook and Line Fishery and Fisheries Downstream of Bonneville Dam</i>

Effective June 29 through July 31 - The Zone 6 Platform and Hook and Line fisheries and tribal fisheries downstream of Bonneville Dam will be closed each Sunday and Monday. Fish harvested in open fishing periods may continue to be sold during closed periods.
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- A fall Compact hearing is scheduled for 10 AM Thursday July 25 in Cathlamet, Washington.