
COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACT/JOINT STATE ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

August 26, 2014

THE FOLLOWING SEASONS WERE SET:

<i>2014 Non-Indian Mainstem Commercial Early Fall Fishery</i>	
Season:	9 PM Thursday August 28 to 6 AM Friday August 29 (9 hours) 9 PM Monday September 1 to 6 AM Tuesday September 2 (9 hours)
Area:	Zones 4-5. The deadline at the lower end of Zone 4 is defined as a straight line projected from the Warrior Rock Lighthouse on the Oregon shore easterly through the green navigation Buoy #1 and continuing to the Washington shore.
Sanctuaries:	Washougal and Sandy Rivers
Gear:	Drift gillnets only. 9-inch minimum mesh size restriction. Multiple net rule NOT in effect: nets not authorized for this fishery may not be onboard. Lighted buoys required.
Allowable Sales:	Chinook, coho, pink, and sockeye salmon and shad
Additional Rules:	<u>24-hour quick reporting</u> required for Washington buyers, pursuant to WAC 220-69-240. 24-hour quick reporting required for Washington buyers, pursuant to WAC 220-69-240 except that landings must be reported within 24-hours of completing the fish ticket. Submission of a report is not complete until the report arrives at the designated department location. Reports can be made via fax at 360-906-6776 or 360-906-6777; via e-mail at crfishtickets@dfw.wa.gov ; or via phone at 1- 866-791-1281. Faxing or reporting electronically in portable document format (PDF) a copy of each fish receiving ticket used, within the previously indicated time frames specified per area, satisfies the quick reporting requirement.

- A Joint State hearing is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Wednesday August 27 via teleconference to review the ongoing Buoy 10 fishery.
- A Compact/Joint State hearing is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Wednesday September 3 to review salmonid stock status and ongoing non-Indian fisheries. An update on both commercial and recreational fisheries will be provided. Additional commercial periods, or modifications to existing recreational regulations may be considered.