
COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACT/JOINT STATE ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

May 26, 2015

The Joint States met today and took the following action:

<i>Recreational sturgeon Fishery – John Day Pool</i>
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Effective Wednesday June 3, 2015: the retention of sturgeon in the John Day Pool and adjacent tributaries is prohibited.
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- Catch and release remains allowed when the John Day Pool closes to sturgeon retention except sturgeon fishing is prohibited from May through July in the sturgeon spawning sanctuary that runs from McNary Dam downstream to the I-82 Bridge.

A Compact is scheduled for via teleconference Monday June 1 to consider treaty fisheries and potentially non-Indian fisheries. The time will be announced in a future Notice of Hearing.