



# FACT SHEET

WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

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## Columbia River Compact / Joint State Action Notice Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

May 2, 2007

### Columbia River Spring Chinook Sport Fishery Above Bonneville Dam

- The states of Washington and Oregon met today to review the on-going Columbia River spring Chinook sport fishery above Bonneville Dam.
  - No action was taken on this fishery. The fishery will remain open as scheduled through Thursday May 3, 2007.
  - Effective 12:01 AM Friday May 4, 2007 the Columbia River from Bonneville Dam upstream to McNary Dam will close for salmon retention and revert back to permanent regulations.
  - Check the fishing pamphlet for regulations on Chinook retention in Washington tributaries.
  - A Compact is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Monday May 7 via telephone to review upriver Chinook stock status and consider the possibility of additional fishing opportunities in the Columbia River.
  - Check the WDFW hotline for fishery updates at (360) 902-2500  
Or visit our website for current news releases at: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/do/newreal/index.htm>
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