



# FACT SHEET

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## Columbia River Compact / Joint State Hearing Announcement Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

## Columbia River Compact/Joint State Hearing

A COMPACT HEARING WILL OCCUR TODAY, MONDAY, MARCH 31, AT 11:00 AM VIA  
TELECONFERENCE

Please refer to the following notice for future Compacts in April:

#### Columbia River Compact hearing

- As we move into the spring Chinook season Compact hearings will occur during March and April to consider Commercial fishing periods. Consistent with the pre-season plan, test fishing will occur on Sundays, with the potential for a Compact hearing on Mondays to consider fishing periods for Tuesdays. Test fishing results will dictate the need for a Compact hearing on Monday.
  - Compact hearings via telephone will occur at 11AM on Monday's if the test fishing results warrant a hearing. Potential hearing dates are:
    - March 31
    - April 7
    - April 14
    - April 21
    - April 28
  - There will be very short notice for these hearings. Participants are advised to set aside the date and time in advance. Staff will confirm hearing Monday mornings via email.
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