

**Yakima River / Hanford Reach
Salmon Reports and Ringold Steelhead Reports**

Yakima River Fall Salmon Fishery: September 1 – 27

The salmon fishery in the lower Yakima River continues to improve. WDFW staff interviewed 159 anglers with 52 adult chinook and 3 jacks. An estimated 736 anglers fished for salmon in the Yakima River harvesting 269 adult fall chinook and 10 jacks. Anglers averaged 8 hours of fishing per chinook. This season, 406 adult chinook, 29 jacks, and 3 coho have been harvested.

This fishery should continue to improve over the next two weeks.