



PUGET SOUND COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERIES HOTLINE

2019-24

Week 45

Wednesday, November 6, at 2:30 p.m.

For the remainder of the week beginning Sunday November 3, all areas are closed except as follows:

Areas 7B (Bellingham Bay) will be open to:

Gillnets using 6 ¼ inch minimum mesh:

7 AM. Monday November 4 to 4 PM Friday, November 8.

Purse seines with a 5 inch strip:

7 AM Monday November 4 to 4 PM. Friday, November 8. Must release Chinook.

Area 8D (Tulalip Bay west of a line from Mission Beach to Hermosa Point) will be open to:

Gillnets using 6.25 inch minimum mesh size:

5 PM Sunday, November 3 – 9 AM Monday, November 4

5 PM Monday, November 4 - 9 AM Thursday, November 7

5 PM Thursday, November 7 - 9 AM Friday, November 8

Purse seines with a 5-inch strip:

7 AM to 5 PM: Tuesday November 5 and Thursday November 7. Purse seines must release all Chinook

Areas 12 & 12B (Hood Canal) will be open to:

Gillnets using 6 ¼ inch minimum mesh:

7 AM - 7 PM, Wednesday November 6

Purse seines with a 5 inch strip:

7 AM – 5 PM, Thursday November 7. Must release all Chinook.

****Beginning Mgt. week 46, November 10, all gillnet and purse seine fisheries in Hood Canal will be closed until further notice.**

NOTICE: The Naval Vessel Protection Zone (NVPZ) is a 500-yard regulated area of water surrounding all large U.S. Naval vessels. Under the NVPZ, vessels coming within 500 yards of a U.S. naval vessel must reduce speed to a minimum safe speed. In addition, all persons and vessels are prohibited from coming within the 100-yard exclusion zone of a naval vessel unless authorized by the PATCOM, SBN CO, USCG

Please note the Hazel Point/Misery Point area is closed to PURSE SEINES.

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