

Proposed Puget Sound Marine Area Salmon Seasons 2022-23 *Draft version:*
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WATER	SEASON	MIN. SIZE	DAILY LIMIT	ADDITIONAL RULES
MARINE AREA 5				
Mouth of the Sekiu River east to Low Point, mouth of the Lyre River				
Entire area	July 1 – Aug. 15	22"	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook. Season may close earlier if Chinook guideline is attained
	Aug. 16 – Sept. 30	N/A	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release Chinook, chum, and wild coho.
	Mar. 1 – Apr. 30	22"	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Release coho and wild Chinook
MARINE AREA 6				
Low Point east to the Partridge Point – Point Wilson line north to the line from Trial Island (near Victoria B.C.) – Vessel Traffic Separation Buoy “R” – Smith Island to the Lawson Reef Buoy to Northwest Island to the Initiative 77 marker on Fidalgo Island and west of the line from Reservation Head to West Point				
Chinook Selective Fishery – West of a true north/south line through the #2 Buoy immediately east of Ediz Hook.	July 1 – Aug. 15	22"	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.
Chinook Release Area – East of a true north/south line through the #2 Buoy immediately east of Ediz Hook.	July 1 – Aug. 15	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release Chinook, chum, and wild coho.
Entire Area	Aug. 16 – Sept. 30	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release Chinook, chum, and wild coho.
Dungeness Bay Fishery - Waters of Dungeness Bay inside of a line from Dungeness Spit Lighthouse to the #2 Red Buoy, then to the Port Williams boat ramp	Oct 1. – Oct. 31	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2 hatchery coho only. Release wild coho.
MARINE AREA 7				
All marine waters north of the Trial Island line described under Area 6 to the United States-Canada boundary				
Entire Area	Jul. 14 – Jul 16	22"	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 hatchery Chinook may be retained. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook. Additional days may be added based on in-season updates.

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	Aug. 16 – Sept. 30		2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release chum, wild coho, and Chinook.
Bellingham Bay Fishery - Waters of Bellingham and Padilla bays south and east of a line from Sandy Pt. to the northern most point of Lone Tree Island, easterly to the northeast point of Sinclair Island, then from the southeastern most point on Sinclair Island to Clark Pt. and true west from Yellow Bluff (southwest corner of Guemes Island) to Yellow Bluff Reef Range Marker to Washington State Dept. of Transportation ferry terminal dock east of Shannon Pt. and north of the railroad bridges at Swinomish Slough.	Aug. 16 – Sept. 30	22"	4	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 4. Up to 2 Chinook may be retained.
MARINE AREA 8-1				
From West Point to Reservation Head eastward through Deception Pass, including all waters of Swinomish Slough and Skagit Bay, and the portion of Saratoga Passage north and west of a line from East Point Light to light on Camano Island (Saratoga Pass light #4 FI Red 4 Sec)				
Entire Area	Aug. 1 – Oct. 31	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release Chinook and chum.
MARINE AREA 8-2				
East of East Point Light-Camano Island Light line (described in Area 8-1) and north of the Possession Point-Shipwreck line				
Entire Area - Fishing for salmon limited to the area south and west of a line between Clinton and Mukilteo ferry docks.	Aug. 1 – Sept. 19	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release Chinook, chum, and wild coho.
Tulalip Terminal Area Fishery - Waters west of a line from Mission Point to Hermosa Point and contained within 2,000' off shore between the pilings at Old Bowers Resort	May 28 – Sept. 7, 2022	22"	2	Open Fridays through Noon Mondays ONLY. Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Anglers may fish with two poles with Two-Pole Endorsement. July 15 – August 15, intermittent

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(48°02.88'N, 122°16.42'W) to 2,000' from shore (48°02.63'N, 122°16.79'W) and north to 2,000' from shore (48°04.36'N, 122°19.06'W) of the boundary marker approximately 1.4 miles north of Hermosa Point (48°04.57'N, 122°18.64'W)				closures may be needed to hatchery broodstock goals.
	Sept. 12 – Sept. 27	22"	2	Open Saturdays and Sundays only. Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Anglers may fish with two poles with Two-Pole Endorsement.
MARINE AREA 9				
All waters inside and south of the Partridge Point – Point Wilson line, south and west of a line from Possession Point 110° true to shipwreck, north of the Hood Canal Bridge, and north of the Apple Cove Point-Edwards Point line.				
Entire Area	Jul. 14 – Jul. 23	22"	2	Open Thursday, Friday, and Saturday only. Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook. Season may close earlier if Chinook quota is attained.
	July 28 – Sep. 30	22"	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook. Season may close earlier if Chinook quota is attained.
Edmonds Public Fishing Pier	Year-round	22"	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained. Aug. 1-Sept. 30: release chum.
MARINE AREA 10				
From the Apple Cove Point-Edwards Point to a line projected true east-west through the north tip of Vashon Island				
Entire Area	June 16 – July 15	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release Chinook and chum.
	July 16 – Aug. 31	22"	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained. Release chum and wild Chinook. Season may close earlier if Chinook quota is attained.
	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release chum and Chinook. Sept. 1-Sept. 15: release chum.

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	Feb. 1 – Mar. 31	22”	1	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 1. Release wild Chinook. Season may close earlier if Chinook guideline is attained.
East Elliot Bay Fishery - Waters of Elliott Bay east of a line from Duwamish Head to Pier 91 up to the mouth of the Duwamish River including Harbor Island (Duwamish Waterways)	Aug. 6 – Aug. 9	22”	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Release chum. Additional openings may occur.
	Aug. 20 – Aug. 31	None	2	Daily limit 2. Release Chinook and chum.
Sinclair Inlet Fishery - Waters of Sinclair Inlet and Port Orchard south of the Manette Bridge in Bremerton, south of a line drawn true west from Battle Point, and west of a line drawn true south from Point White	July 16 – Sept. 30	22”	3	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 3. Release wild Chinook. Aug. 1-Sept. 15: release chum. Anglers may fish with two poles with Two-Pole Endorsement.
Bremerton Boardwalk, Illahee State Park Pier, Seacrest Pier, and Waterman Pier	Year-round	22”	2	Chinook – min. size 22”. Other salmon species – no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained. Aug. 1-Sept. 15: release chum.
MARINE AREA 11				
From the north tip of Vashon Island to the Northernmost Tacoma Narrows Bridge				
Entire Area	June 1 – Sept. 30	22”	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained. Release chum and wild Chinook. Season may close earlier if Chinook quota is attained.
	Oct 1. – Oct. 31	None	2	No min. size. Daily limit 2. Release chum and Chinook.

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	Nov. 1 – Dec. 31	22”	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained. Release chum, coho and wild Chinook. Season may close earlier if Chinook quota is attained.
Dash Point Dock, Des Moines Pier, Les Davis Pier, Point Defiance Boathouse Dock, and Redondo Pier	Year-round	22”	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained.
MARINE AREA 12				
All waters south of the Hood Canal Bridge				
North of Ayock Point – Quilcene Bay Only	Aug. 1 – Aug. 31	None	4	No min. size. Daily limit 4. Release chinook and chum.
North of Ayock Point	Sept. 1 – Oct. 31	None	4	No min. size. Daily limit 4. Release chinook and chum.
South of Ayock Point	July 1 – Sept. 30	20”	4	Chinook - min. size 20". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 4. Release chum and wild Chinook. Anglers may fish with two poles with Two-Pole Endorsement.
Entire Area	Nov. 1 – Nov. 30	None	4	No min. size. Daily limit 4. Release Chinook. Oct. 1-Oct. 15:.
Hoodsport Hatchery Zone - Waters within a 2,000' arc seaward of the yellow marker buoys at the mouth of Finch Creek	July 1 – Nov. 30	None	4	No min. size. Daily limit 4. Release wild Chinook. Night closure. July 1-Oct. 15: release chum. Oct. 1-Nov. 30: release Chinook.
MARINE AREA 13				
All waters south of northernmost Tacoma Narrows Bridge				
Entire Area	July 1 – Sept. 30.	20”	2	Chinook - min. size 20". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Release wild coho and wild Chinook. Anglers may fish with two poles with Two-Pole Endorsement.
	Oct. 1 – June 30	22”	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Release wild coho, wild Chinook and chum. Anglers may fish with two poles with Two-Pole Endorsement
Fox Island Public Fishing Pier	Year-round	22”	2	Chinook - min. size 22". Other salmon species - no min. size. Daily limit 2. Only 1 Chinook may be retained.