

COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACTACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

April 30, 2015 Revised

Revised to correctly reflect the lower boundary of the Tongue Point/Rocky Point Line

<i>2015 Mainstem Columbia River Spring Chinook Recreational Fisheries</i>	
Downstream of Bonneville Dam	
Season	Open Saturday May 2 through Sunday May 3, 2015
Area:	Tongue Point/Rocky Point line upstream to Beacon Rock (boat and bank) plus bank angling only from Beacon Rock upstream to the Bonneville Dam deadline. Legal upstream boat boundary defined as: "A deadline marker on the Oregon bank (approximately four miles downstream from Bonneville Dam Powerhouse One) in a straight line through the western tip of Pierce Island to a deadline marker on the Washington bank at Beacon Rock."
Daily Bag Limit:	Two adult salmonids per day, but only one may be a Chinook. Only adipose fin-clipped fish may be kept. All other permanent regulations apply.
Additional Regulations	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Effective through-May 15, 2015, the mainstem Columbia River will be open for retention of adipose fin-clipped steelhead and shad ONLY during days and in areas open for retention of adipose fin-clipped spring Chinook.• Effective through – June 15, 2015: On days when the mainstem Columbia River recreational fishery below Bonneville Dam is open to retention of Chinook, the salmonid daily bag limit in Deep River will be the same as mainstem Columbia River bag limits. On days when the mainstem Columbia River fishery is closed to Chinook retention, the permanent salmonid bag limit regulations for Deep River apply.	

The area upstream to Bonneville Dam is currently scheduled to remain open through May 6, 2015.

A Compact hearing has tentatively been scheduled for Tuesday May 5, 2015.