
COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACT/JOINT STATE ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

June 9, 2011

<i>Treaty Indian Summer Chinook Commercial Fishery</i>		
Season	6:00 AM June 16 through 6:00 PM June 18, 2011	2.5 days
	6:00 AM June 20 through 6:00 PM June 23, 2011	3.5 days
Gear	Gillnets, no minimum mesh size restriction	
Area:	SMCRA 1F, 1G, 1H (Zone 6 _Bonneville Dam upstream to McNary Dam)	
Sanctuaries:	Standard river mouth and dam sanctuaries applicable to these gear types, except no Spring Creek Hatchery Sanctuary in effect.	
Allowable Sales:	Salmon, steelhead, shad, walleye, yellow perch, bass, catfish and carp may be sold, or retained for subsistence. Sturgeon may not be sold. Sturgeon between 43-54 inches in fork length in The Dalles and John Day pools may be retained for subsistence. Sturgeon between 38-54 inches in fork length in the Bonneville pool may be retained for subsistence.	
Additional	24-hour Quick Reporting rule in effect for Washington buyers	

<i>Treaty Indian Summer Chinook Fishery Below Bonneville Dam</i>		
Season	6 AM Thursday June 16 until further notice – During days of week as defined by each tribe’s MOU/MOA	
Area	Downstream of Bonneville Dam – as defined by each tribe’s MOU/MOA	
Gear:	Hook and line or as defined by each tribe’s MOU/MOA	
Allowable Sales:	Salmon, steelhead, shad, walleye, yellow perch, bass, catfish and carp may be sold or retained for subsistence. Sturgeon may not be retained for any purpose. No commercial sales are allowed on COE property at Bonneville Dam. Fish must be transported elsewhere prior to sale.	
Additional:	24-hour Quick Reporting rule is in effect for Washington buyers.	

- Platform hook and line fisheries in the Columbia River, and Yakama Nation tributary fisheries are ongoing.

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<i>Non-Indian Summer Chinook Commercial Fishery</i>		
Season	9 PM Thursday June 16 to 5 AM Friday June 17, 2011	(8 hours)
	9 PM Wednesday June 22 to 5 AM Thursday June 23, 2011	(8 hours)
Area	SMCRA 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D & 1E (Zones 1-5)	
Sanctuaries:	Grays River, Elokomina-A, Cowlitz River, Kalama-A, Lewis-A, Washougal and Sandy Rivers as applicable.	
Gear:	Drift gill nets. 8-inch minimum mesh size.	
Multi- Net	Nets not specifically authorized for use in this fishery may be onboard the vessel if properly stored. A properly stored net is defined as a net on a drum that is fully covered by a tarp (canvas or plastic) and bound with a minimum of ten revolutions of rope with a diameter of 3/8 (0.375) inches or greater.	
Allowable Sales:	Chinook, sockeye, white sturgeon, and shad. A maximum of five white sturgeon may be possessed or sold by each participating vessel during each calendar week (Sunday through Saturday) that the fishery is open. Limit applies to mainstem only. Select Areas remain open under a two white sturgeon weekly retention limit.	
Additional:	A 24-hour quick reporting rule is in effect for Washington buyers.	