

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME  
DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES  
NEWS RELEASE**



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**SAND POINT COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT # 20  
For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-19-15  
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Commercial salmon fishing will be allowed in the Unimak, Southwestern, and South Central districts, as well as, the Shumagin Islands Section of the Southeastern District for 85 hours from 8:00 a.m. Monday, August 3 until 9:00 p.m. Thursday, August 6, 2015.

Commercial salmon fishing will be allowed in Beaver Bay, Balboa Bay, Southwest Stepovak, Northwest Stepovak, East Stepovak sections of the Southeastern District for 85 hours from 8:00 a.m. Monday, August 3 until 9:00 p.m. Thursday, August 6, 2015

**Closed waters**

The Volcano Bay (284-36) section as well as the Belkofski Bay Section north of a line extending from Belkofski Point at 55° 04.31' N. lat., 162° 03.40' W. long. to Slavna Point at 55° 03.72' N. lat., 162° 11.42' W. long., **will remain closed.**

**As previously announced:**

Commercial salmon fishing is allowed within **Orzinski Bay**, those waters northwest of a line from Elephant Point at 55° 41.92' N. lat., 160° 03.20' W. long. to Waterfall Point at 55° 43.18' N. lat., 160° 01.13' W. long. **until further notice.** The closed waters of Orzinski Bay are reduced to the stream mouth.

Commercial salmon fishing will be extended in the Canoe Bay, East Pavlof Bay (north of the latitude of Black Point 55° 24.48' N. lat.), and Mino Creek-Little Coal Bay (283-15 and 283-17) sections of the South Central District from 6:00 p.m. Friday, July 31 **until further notice.**

All closed waters in the above locations will be as described in the regulation book or as adjusted by emergency order.

Subsistence permits for the Alaska Peninsula are available in the ADF&G offices in Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller. Subsistence fishermen must obtain a permit and have it in their possession while harvesting salmon under subsistence guidelines.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon>.

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channels 6 and 73 daily at 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Sand Point at 383-2334 (383-ADFG).

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