

# 2019 Ocean Salmon Regulations

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North of Cape Falcon

Columbia  
River Area

Central OR Coast

South of Cape Falcon

Klamath  
Management Zone



# Sacramento fall-run Chinook Salmon

- Recent pattern of over-forecasting.
- Declared “overfished” in 2018 due to three year average escapement below minimum threshold.
- Minimum PFMC spawner escapement goal is 122K.
- PFMC managing for 160K.
- PFMC tentatively adopted draft rebuilding plan for public review.
- Final adoption scheduled for June 2019

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# Commercial Troll Seasons

## North of Cape Falcon

**May 6-June 28**, or 13,200 Chinook Salmon  
( $\leq 1,800$  allowed in Col. R. Area)

**July 1-Sept. 30**, or 13,050 Chinook Salmon  
or 30,400 marked Coho Salmon

## Cape Falcon-Humbug Mountain

**April 20-30**

**May 6-30**

**June 1-Aug. 29**

**Sept. 1-Oct. 31**

## South of Humbug Mountain (OR KMZ)

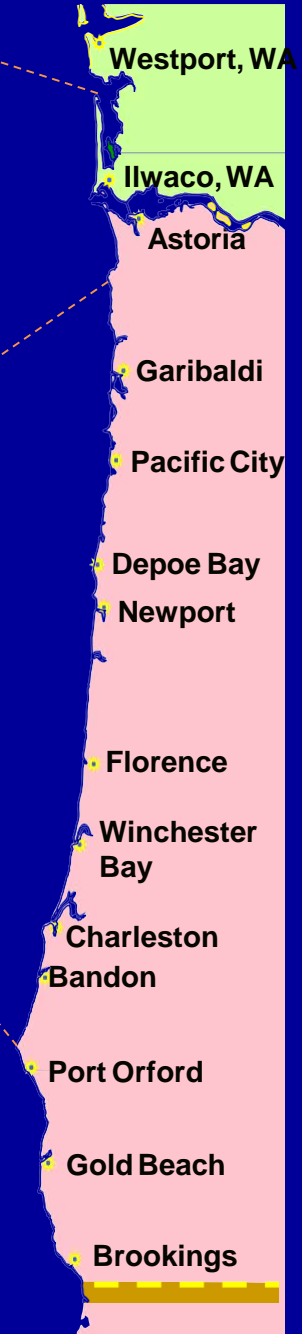
**April 20-30**

**May 6-30**

**June 1-30**, or 3,200 Chinook Salmon

**July 1-31**, or 2,500 Chinook Salmon

**Aug. 1-29**, or 1,200 Chinook Salmon



# Recreational Seasons

## Columbia River Ocean Area

June 22-Sept. 30, or 79,800 marked Coho Salmon  
with guideline of 7,150 Chinook Salmon

## Cape Falcon-Humbug Mountain

March 15-Oct 31, all salmon except Coho Salmon

## Mark-selective Coho Salmon Season:

June 22-Aug. 25, or 90,000 marked Coho Salmon

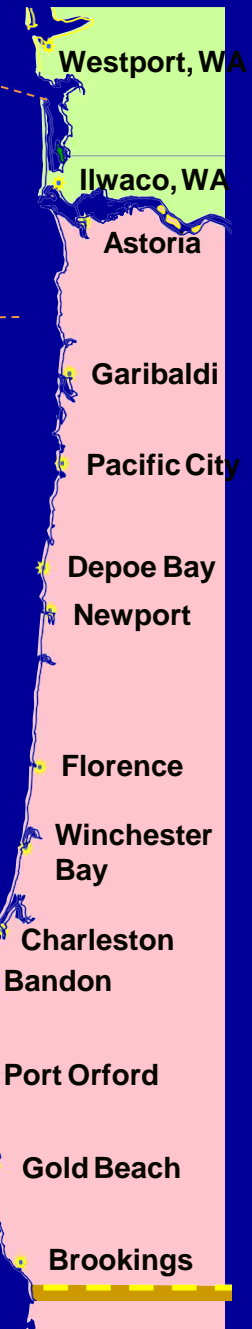
## Non-Mark-Selective Coho Salmon Season:

Aug. 31-Sept. 30 each **Fri-Sun**, or 9,000 Coho Salmon

## Humbug Mountain to OR/CA Border (OR KMZ)

May 18-Sept. 2, all salmon except Coho Salmon

Mark-Selective Coho as above (no Non-Select)



# State Waters Terminal Areas

- Status of Elk and Chetco rivers is down in 2018 and 2019 forecasts
- Draft OARs for adoption reflect closure of both Elk and Chetco terminal fisheries (recreational and commercial)
- Additional discussions underway regarding potential for restrictive fisheries in Elk terminal (in lieu of full closure)
- Restrictions for in-river recreational fisheries are also in development for implementation in fall 2019
- Changes to terminal and in-river fisheries can be implemented by emergency rule during the summer

# Staff Recommendation

Adopt the 2019 regulations for ocean recreational and commercial salmon fisheries as proposed by staff and as reflected in draft OARs shown in Attachment 3.



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