
Columbia River Fishery Notice

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

April 20, 2010

Compact Action

The Columbia River Compact agencies of Oregon and Washington met today and took the following actions:

Non-Indian Fisheries

Select Area Commercial Fisheries

The following fisheries were rescinded by Compact action in concurrent OR/WA jurisdiction waters.

Blind Slough/Knappa Slough Fishery (Zone 74)

- Rescinded all previously adopted spring season fishing periods scheduled for Thursday April 22 to Friday June 11, 2010.

Tongue Point/South Channel Select Area Fishery (Zone 71)

- Rescinded all previously adopted spring season fishing periods scheduled for Thursday April 22 to Friday June 11, 2010.

Deep River Fishery (Zone 80)

- Rescinded all previously adopted spring season fishing periods scheduled for Wednesday April 21 to Thursday June 10, 2010.

Oregon State Action

The state of Oregon took the following actions:

Youngs Bay Commercial Salmon Fishery (Zone 7)

- Open waters in Youngs Bay are under Oregon State jurisdiction.
- Rescinded the previously adopted spring season fishing periods scheduled for Thursday April 22 to Friday June 11, 2010.

Youngs Bay Recreational Fishery

- Effective 12:01 AM Saturday April 24 through June 15, 2010 the Youngs Bay fishing area as described in the "2010 Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations Pamphlet" will be closed to angling for salmon and steelhead.

In joint Oregon and Washington state action the states reviewed the following Select Area recreational fisheries and took the following actions:

Blind Slough/Knappa Slough Spring Chinook Recreational Fishery

- Effective 12:01 AM Saturday April 24 through June 15, 2010 the Blind Slough/Knappa Slough fishing area as described in the "2010 Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations Pamphlet" will be closed to angling for salmon and steelhead.

Deep River Spring Chinook Recreational Fishery

- Effective 12:01 AM Saturday April 24 through June 15, 2010 the Deep River fishing area will be closed to angling for salmon and steelhead.

Recreational fishing in state waters outside of the Select Area fishing sites remain as described in the "2010 Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations Pamphlet".

FUTURE MEETINGS

- No Compact or Joint State hearings have been scheduled at this time. The Joint Staff will continue to monitor the run size and provide updates as necessary.
- For information concerning these decisions see the April 20, 2010 Spring Fact Sheet #1 at: http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp
- Recorded Mainstem Commercial, Select Area Commercial, and Sport Fishery Updates and Action Notices can be accessed by calling (971) 673-6000 and following recorded instructions.
- Note: Joint Staff Reports, Fact Sheets, and Columbia River Action Notices are also available through the Internet at: <http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/index.asp>