
Columbia River Fishery Notice

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

February 27, 2012

Compact Action

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

Treaty Indian Fisheries

Mainstem Winter Commercial Fishery

- **Modified** the ongoing treaty Indian winter commercial season in the John Day Pool as follows. Modification in **bold**.

Season: **Effective 6 PM Thursday March 1, 2012 the winter commercial gillnet fishery in the John Day Pool will close.**

Fish caught in the platform/hook and line fishery may not be sold, but may be kept for subsistence purposes.

- Adopted the following rule change:
Effective 6 PM Wednesday February 29, 2012, Chinook salmon harvested in tribal mainstem fisheries above and below Bonneville Dam may not be sold, but may be retained for subsistence purposes.

FUTURE MEETINGS

- Staff is not recommending a hearing at this time.
- For information concerning these decisions see the February 27, 2012 Winter Fact Sheet #3 at: http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp