
Columbia River Fishery Notice

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

August 20, 2013

Joint State Action

In joint Oregon and Washington state action the states discussed the following recreational fisheries and took the following action:

Buoy 10 Salmon Fishery

Modified the retention regulation for the ongoing recreational Buoy 10 fishery. Modification in **bold**.

- **Effective Friday August 23 through Sunday September 1, 2013 retained Chinook must have a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the location of the fin or a completely removed left ventral fin and a healed scar at the location of the fin.**

Modifications to these rules may be necessary as the season progresses. A review is scheduled on Tuesday August 27 and may result in changes regarding Chinook retention.

Previously adopted regulations remain in effect including:

- The combined daily bag limit for adult Chinook salmon (longer than 24-inches), adult adipose fin-clipped coho (longer than 16-inches), and adipose fin-clipped steelhead is two fish of which only one may be a Chinook. Jacks may not be retained between August 1 and September 30, 2013 under permanent rules.
- Area defined by a north-south line through Red Buoy #10 near the mouth of the Columbia River, upstream to a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through Red Buoy #44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank.

All other permanent rules apply.

FUTURE MEETINGS

- A Compact hearing is scheduled for 1 PM Thursday August 22, 2013 via teleconference to consider non-Indian commercial fisheries.
- A Joint State hearing is scheduled for 2 PM Tuesday August 27, 2013 via teleconference to review the ongoing Buoy 10 fishery.
- September 5, 2013 has been reserved for a Compact hearing to consider commercial treaty Indian fisheries.
- For information concerning this hearing see the August 20, 2013 Fall Fact Sheet #4 at http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp