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# Columbia River Fishery Notice

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Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

February 28, 2019

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## Compact Action

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

### Treaty Indian Fisheries

#### ***Winter Season Commercial Gillnet Fishery***

- Allowed commercial sales of fish landed in the following fisheries:

**Season:** 6 AM Friday March 1 through 6 PM Tuesday March 12

**Area:** Bonneville Pool only

**Gear:** Gillnets (no minimum mesh restriction)

**Allowable Sales:** Salmon (all species), steelhead, shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish, and carp may be sold or retained for subsistence use.

Only sturgeon between 38-54 inches in fork length may be sold or kept for subsistence use.

Fish landed during an open commercial period may be sold after the period concludes.

**Sanctuaries:** Standard dam and river mouth areas applicable to the above fishery are in effect.

**Washington Reporting Rule:** 24-hour quick reporting required for Washington wholesale dealers, per WAC 220-352-315 except landings must be reported within 24-hours of completing the fish ticket.

### **FUTURE MEETINGS**

- No additional Compact/Joint State Hearings are currently scheduled.
- For information concerning these decisions see the February 28, 2019 Winter Fact Sheet #5 at: [http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact\\_sheets.asp](http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp)