
Columbia River Fishery Notice

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

May 8, 2019

Compact Action

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

Select Area Fisheries

- The following fisheries were adopted by Compact action in concurrent OR/WA jurisdiction waters and by the state of Oregon or Washington in state waters.

Tongue Point/South Channel Commercial Salmon Fishery (Zone 71)

- Adopted the following spring season periods:

Tongue Point	Open 7 PM to 7 AM (12 hours) on the following nights:	
and	Wednesday May 15 – Thursday May 16	(1 night)
South	Wednesday May 22 – Thursday May 23	(1 night)
Channel	Wednesday May 29 – Thursday May 30	(1 night)
	Wednesday June 5 – Thursday June 6	(1 night)
	Wednesday June 12 – Thursday June 13	(1 night)

- All other previously adopted fishing periods and regulations remain in effect.
- Permanent regulations including rules related to transportation and lighted buoys remain in effect.

Joint State Action

The states of Oregon and Washington discussed the following recreational fishery and took the following action:

Mainstem Columbia River Spring Chinook Recreational Fishery

Bonneville Dam to Oregon/Washington Border

Dates: Saturday May 11 – Sunday May 12, 2019.

Area: Tower Island powerlines (approximately 6 miles below The Dalles Dam) upstream to Oregon/Washington, border plus bank angling only between Bonneville Dam and the Tower Island power lines.

Catch Limits: Two adult hatchery salmonids (Chinook or steelhead only) per day, only one of which may be a Chinook.

- All other permanent regulations in the 2019 Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations pamphlet remain in effect, including catch limits for jack salmon.

FUTURE MEETINGS

- No additional Compact or Joint State Hearings are currently scheduled. The Joint Staff will monitor fisheries and recommend additional hearings as needed.
- For information concerning these decisions see the May 8, 2019 Spring Fact Sheet #4 at: http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp