
Columbia River Fishery Notice

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife September 30, 2020

Joint State Action

The states of Oregon and Washington discussed the following recreational fisheries and took the following actions:

Mainstem Columbia River Recreational Salmon Fisheries

Columbia River mouth to the Highway 395 Bridge

Effective Thursday October 1 through Thursday December 31, 2020, the daily adult bag limit of two salmon for the ongoing recreational fishery in the Columbia River from Buoy 10 to the Highway 395 Bridge near Pasco, WA may include up to two Chinook. All Coho retained downstream of the Hood River Bridge must be hatchery-origin. All other regulations remain in effect including those specific to retention of jacks and previously adopted steelhead retention closures and bag limits.

FUTURE MEETINGS

- A Compact hearing is scheduled for 10 AM Thursday October 1, 2020 to consider additional Treaty commercial gillnet fisheries.
- A Compact hearing is scheduled for 10 AM Tuesday October 6, 2020 to consider additional non-treaty commercial fisheries.
- Staff will continue to monitor the fisheries and stock status and recommend additional hearings as needed.