
Columbia River Fishery Notice

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

May 11, 2022

Joint State Action

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

Mainstem Columbia River Spring Chinook Recreational Fishery

- Adopted the following fishery:

Downstream of Bonneville Dam

Dates: Thursday May 12 through Sunday May 22, and 23 days
Saturday June 4 through Wednesday June 15

Area: Tongue Point/Rocky Point line upstream to Beacon Rock (boat and bank) plus bank angling only from Beacon Rock upstream to the Bonneville Dam deadline.

Legal upstream boat boundary defined as: A deadline marker on the Oregon bank (approximately four miles downstream from Bonneville Dam Powerhouse One) in a straight line through the western tip of Pierce Island to a deadline marker on the Washington bank at Beacon Rock.

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

- Current regulations are available at:
<https://myodfw.com/recreation-report/fishing-report/columbia-zone>
- All other permanent regulations in the 2022 Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations pamphlet remain in effect, including catch limits for jack salmon.
- Season modifications may be required to remain within harvest guidelines.

FUTURE MEETINGS

- A Compact/Joint State hearing is scheduled for 2 PM Wednesday May 18, 2022 via teleconference to consider additional non-treaty spring Chinook fisheries.
- For information concerning these decisions see the May 11, 2022 Spring Fact Sheet #2 at: http://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp