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# Columbia River Fishery Notice

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Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

July 6, 2023

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## Compact Action

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

### Treaty Indian Fisheries

Modified the allowable commercial sales for the following ongoing fisheries (modification in **bold**):

#### ***Zone 6 Platform and Hook and Line Fishery***

Season: 6:00 AM Friday June 16 through 11:59 PM Monday July 31

Area: Zone 6

Sanctuaries: Standard sanctuaries in place for these gear types.

Gear: Hoop nets/bag nets, dip nets, and rod and reel with hook-and-line.

Allowable Sales: **Salmon (all species) and steelhead harvested after 6:00 PM Saturday, July 8 may not be sold.** Shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish, and carp may be sold.

Sturgeon may not be sold. Sturgeon between 38-54 inches in fork length in Bonneville Pool and sturgeon between 43-54 inches in fork length in The Dalles and John Day pools may be kept for subsistence use.

#### ***Yakama Nation Tributary Commercial Fisheries***

Season: 6:00 AM Friday June 16 until further notice and only during those days and hours when the tributaries listed below are open under lawfully-enacted Yakama Nation tribal subsistence fishery regulations for enrolled Yakama Nation members.

Area: Wind River, Drano Lake, and Klickitat River.

Gear: Hoop nets/bag nets, dip nets, and rod and reel with hook-and-line.  
Gillnets may only be used in Drano Lake.

Allowable Sales: **Salmon (all species) and steelhead harvested after 6:00 PM Saturday, July 8 may not be sold.** Shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish, and carp may be sold.

Sturgeon may not be sold. Sturgeon between 38-54 inches in fork length in Bonneville Pool may be kept for subsistence use.

## ***Downstream of Bonneville Dam Platform and Hook and Line Commercial Fishery***

Season: 6:00 AM Friday June 16 through 11:59 PM Monday July 31 and only during those days and hours when the area is open under lawfully-enacted tribal fishery regulations for enrolled tribal members in accordance with each tribe's MOA/MOU.

Area: As defined in tribal/state MOUs/MOAs.

Gear: Hook and line and/or platform gear identified in tribal rules.

Allowable Sales: **Salmon (all species) and steelhead harvested after 6:00 PM Saturday, July 8 may not be sold.** Shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish, and carp may be sold.

Sturgeon retention is prohibited downstream of Bonneville Dam.

Sales of fish is not authorized on COE property downstream of Bonneville Dam. Fish must be transported elsewhere for sale.

### **The following regulations apply to all Treaty Indian fisheries referenced above:**

Allowable Sales: Fish landed during open fishing periods may be sold after the period concludes.

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

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## **FUTURE MEETINGS**

- A hybrid Compact hearing is scheduled for 10 AM Tuesday July 18, 2023 to consider fall-season Treaty and non-Treaty commercial fisheries. The meeting will be held at the WDFW Ridgefield office (5525 S. 11th Street, Ridgefield, Washington 98642) and a teleconference option will be available.
- For information concerning these decisions see the July 6, 2023 Summer Fact Sheet No.3 at: [https://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact\\_sheets.asp](https://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp).