
Columbia River Fishery Notice

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

June 10, 2026

Compact Action

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

Treaty Indian Fisheries

Allowed commercial sales of fish landed in the following fisheries:

Zone 6 Summer Gillnet Commercial Fishery

Season: 6:00 AM Tuesday June 16 through 6:00 PM Friday June 19 (3.5 days)
6:00 AM Monday June 22 through 6:00 PM Wednesday June 24 (2.5 days)
6:00 AM Monday June 29 through 6:00 PM Wednesday July 1 (2.5 days)

Area: Zone 6

Sanctuaries: All standard river mouth and dam sanctuaries applicable to gillnet gear, except the Spring Creek Hatchery sanctuary is not in effect.

Gear: Set and drift gillnets. 7-inch minimum mesh size restriction.

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

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.

Zone 6 Summer Platform and Hook-and-Line Commercial Fishery

Season: 12:01 AM Tuesday June 16 through 11:59 PM Friday 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). Steelhead caught after 6:00 AM on June 16 may be sold or retained for subsistence. Shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish, and carp may be sold or retained for subsistence.

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.

Downstream of Bonneville Dam Summer Platform and Hook-and-Line Commercial Fishery

Season: 6:00 AM Tuesday June 16 through 11:59 PM Friday 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), steelhead, shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish, and carp caught after 6:00 AM on June 16 may be sold or retained for subsistence.

Sturgeon retention is prohibited downstream of Bonneville Dam. Sale of fish is not authorized on COE property downstream of Bonneville Dam. Fish must be transported elsewhere for sale.

Yakama Nation Tributary Summer Commercial Fishery

Season: 6:00 AM Tuesday June 16 through 11:59 PM Friday July 31, 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), steelhead, shad, carp, catfish, walleye, bass, and yellow perch.

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

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

Allowable Sales: Fish landed during the open periods are allowed to be sold after the period concludes.

Reporting Rule: Oregon buyers are required to electronically submit fish receiving tickets pursuant to OAR 635-006-0210.

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

For information concerning these decisions see the June 10, 2026 Summer Fact Sheet No.1 at: https://www.dfw.state.or.us/fish/OSCRP/CRM/fact_sheets.asp.

Future Meetings

No Compact/Joint State hearings are scheduled at this time.