

Summary of Federal Subsistence Special Actions in the Southeastern Alaska and Yakutat Areas

2013 Calendar Year

Special Action Number	Area & Species Affected	Summary of Action	Authorized By
FSA 13-EU-01-13	District 1 eulachon	Closed Federal public waters draining into District 1 to the taking of eulachon by all users from March 1, through April 29, 2013.	USFS Ketchikan District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
FSA 13-KS-02-13	Yakutat Area Situk River Chinook salmon	Closed the Chinook salmon fishery in the Situk River and prohibited fishing with gillnet gear and the use of bait when fishing with rod and reel in the Situk River. The closure was effective from May 19 through July 18, 2013.	USFS Yakutat District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
FSA 13-01	District 8 Stikine River Chinook Salmon	Closed the May 15-June 20, 2013 subsistence Chinook salmon fishery on the Stikine River and delegated authority to the Wrangell District Ranger to reopen the fishery if the in-season Chinook salmon terminal area abundance estimate allows a directed fishery	Federal Subsistence Board
FSA 13-KS-03-13	District 8 Stikine River Chinook Salmon	Reopened the Chinook salmon fishery on the Stikine River on June 15, 2013.	USFS Wrangell District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
FSA 13-RS-04-13	District 6 Hatchery Creek sockeye salmon	Closed the sockeye salmon fishery in the Hatchery Creek drainage from June 26 through August 23, 2013. Closed the portion of the Hatchery Creek drainage, from 100 feet upstream of the upper falls to 100 feet downstream of the lower falls to all Federal subsistence fishing. The remainder of the drainage was open to subsistence fishing with rod and reel or dip net gear, however, any sockeye caught had to be released. Beginning August 1, Federally qualified users could fish for coho salmon with rod and reel or dip net gear at the upper and lower falls. Any sockeye caught must be immediately released.	USFS Thorne Bay District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
WSA 13-BD-05-13	Unit 3 Lindenberg Peninsula, Kupreanof, Island deer	Reduced the deer season from August 1-November 30 to October 15-31 and reduced the harvest limit from two bucks to one buck in the Lindenberg Peninsula portion of Kupreanof Island near Petersburg effective August 1, 2013	USFS Petersburg District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
FSA 13-KS-06-13	Yakutat Area Situk River Chinook salmon	Reopened the Chinook salmon fishery in the Situk River on July 12, 2013.	USFS Yakutat District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
WSA 13-MG-07-13	Unit 4 Baranof Island mountain goat	Closed the watersheds of Blue Lake, Medveje Lake and the South Fork Katlian River watershed on Baranof Island to the harvest of mountain goats from August 1 through December 31, 2013.	USFS Sitka District Ranger via

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WSA 13-MG-08-13	Unit 4 Baranof Island mountain goat	Closed the Federal goat hunting season within the Nakwasina River watershed on Baranof Island August 28 through October 26, 2013.	USFS Sitka District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
WSA 13-MG-09-13	Unit 4 Baranof Island mountain goat	Closed the Federal goat hunting season within the Redoubt-Necker Bay zone on Baranof Island September 12 through November 10, 2013.	USFS Sitka District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
WSA 13-MG-10-13	Unit 4 Baranof Island mountain goat	Extended previous Federal goat hunting closures in the watersheds of Blue Lake, Medvejie Lake, South Fork Katlian River and Nakwasina River watersheds and the Redoubt-Necker Bay zone on Baranof Island in Unit 4 for the remainder of the 2013 season.	USFS Sitka District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
WSA-13-MO-11-13	Unit 5A Yakutat moose	Established the moose harvest quota for Unit 5A except the Nunatak Bench at 55 bulls, with no more than 25 of those bulls to be taken from the area west of the Dangerous River for the 2013 Federal moose season which is October 8-November 15.	USFS Yakutat District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board
WSA-13-MO-12-13	Unit 5A Yakutat moose	Closed the moose season for that portion of Unit 5A west of the Dangerous River, except the Nunatak Bench, effective October 27.	USFS Yakutat District Ranger via authority delegated by the Federal Subsistence Board