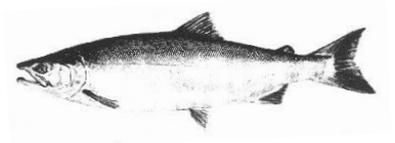


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**2015 Yukon River Fall Salmon Fishery News Release # 46
Fall Announcement # 40, District 6 Commercial Fishing Schedule**
Districts Affected: Upper Yukon Area

District 6

Effective 6:00 p.m. Friday, September 11, commercial salmon fishing in District 6 of the Tanana River will be open for two 42-hour fishing periods per week from 6:00 p.m. Fridays until 12:00 noon Sundays, and from 6:00 p.m. Mondays until 12:00 noon Wednesdays. Commercial fishermen may use either set gillnets or fish wheels to target fall chum salmon. Gillnets are restricted to a mesh size of 6 inches or less.

Commercial fishermen must confirm their market prior to commercial fishing. All salmon harvested during commercial fishing operations must be recorded on a fish ticket at the time of sale. Salmon harvested and not sold should be recorded on the fish ticket as "not sold". Other fish species caught but not sold must also be recorded on the fish ticket.

Processors, catcher sellers, or direct marketers should notify the department of their intent to operate by contacting the Fairbanks office at 459-7274.

These commercial fishing periods do not affect the current subsistence and personal use fishing schedules.

Recorded fishery announcements and updates are available 24 hours a day at **1-866-479-7387** or in Fairbanks call **459-7387**. If you have any questions regarding this report, please call the Fairbanks ADF&G office at 459-7274.

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