

Quinault Indian Nation

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2023 Quinault River Commercial Fishery Spring Regulation-01

TO:

Quinault Tribal Members

Quinault Fisheries Enforcement

FROM:

Quinault River Fish Committee

DATE:

April 12, 2023

SUBJECT:

Quinault River Commercial Gillnet Fishery – Week 19-26

<u>FISHERY/PURPOSE</u>: To establish the 2023 Quinault River Spring season commercial gillnet fishery.

SCHEDULE: All Set-in times are 6 AM and Pull-out times are 6 PM.

Note: Weeks 19-20 and 26 are scheduled with a double stagger. Weeks 21-25 are scheduled with a triple stagger.

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Week	Grounds 43-44 and above Set in		Grounds below 19-20 up to 43-44 Set in		Grounds below 19-20 Set-in		Pull-out (All Grounds)	
19	Monday,	5/8/2023	Tuesday,	5/9/2023	Tuesday,	5/9/2023	Thursday,	5/11/2023
20	Monday,	5/15/2023	Tuesday,	5/16/2023	Tuesday,	5/16/2023	Thursday,	5/18/2023
21	Monday,	5/22/2023	Tuesday,	5/23/2023	Wednesday,	5/24/2023	Friday,	5/26/2023
22	Monday,	5/29/2023	Tuesday,	5/30/2023	Wednesday,	5/31/2023	Friday,	6/2/2023
23	Monday,	6/5/2023	Tuesday,	6/6/2023	Wednesday,	6/7/2023	Friday,	6/9/2023
24	Monday,	6/12/2023	Tuesday,	6/13/2023	Wednesday,	6/14/2023	Friday,	6/16/2023
25	Monday,	6/19/2023	Tuesday,	6/20/2023	Wednesday,	6/21/2023	Friday,	6/23/2023
26	Monday,	6/26/2023	Tuesday,	6/27/2023	Tuesday,	6/27/2023	Thursday,	6/29/2023

GEAR: Mesh size restriction is set to a maximum 5" stretch measure.

All nets must be marked on outside corks with personal tribal identification number. No "sinker nets" are allowed on the Quinault River. All nets must be buoyed by a cork line the full length of the net. Stakes and tail-stakes are required at all fishing locations except those approved otherwise by the Quinault River Committee.

<u>SALE OF FISH</u>: A fishermen may only sell their catch to authorized Quinault Nation Buyers with the following exception: a fisherman may sell no more than a daily total of 3 salmon and steelhead (combined) directly to consumers.

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REPORTING: All catch must be reported each day for each ground. A daily catch sheet for reporting take-home catch will be provided at Quinault Pride Seafood.

LeRoy Black (Apr 20, 2023 11:30 PDT)

Quinault River Fish Committee

Quinault Fisheries Policy Spokesman

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