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Copalis River Commercial Fishery Regulation – 01 2025 Fall Season

TO: Quinault Tribal Fishers
Quinault Fisheries Enforcement

FROM: Quinault Off-Reservation Fish Committee

DATE: August 6, 2025

SUBJECT: Copalis River Fall Fishery Weeks 36-48

The Copalis River will be open for gillnet fishing for one authorized Quinault Tribal fisher, **Jon Pink** under Catch Reporting Procedures described below. The fishery will begin at **12:00 Noon** on the opening day and will end at **12:00 Noon** on the closing day of each week.

Opening and closing dates are as follows:

<u>Stat Wk</u>	<u>Open</u>	<u>Close</u>
36	Sun. August 31, 2025	Wed. September 03, 2025
37	Sun. September 07, 2025	Wed. September 10, 2025
38	Sun. September 14, 2025	Wed. September 17, 2025
39	Sun. September 21, 2025	Wed. September 24, 2025
40	Sun. September 28, 2025	Wed. October 01, 2025
41	Sun. October 05, 2025	Wed. October 08, 2025
42	Sun. October 12, 2025	Wed. October 15, 2025
43	Sun. October 19, 2025	Wed. October 22, 2025
44	Sun. October 26, 2025	Wed. October 29, 2025
45	Sun. November 02, 2025	Wed. November 05, 2025
46	Sun. November 09, 2025	Wed. November 12, 2025
47	Sun. November 16, 2025	Wed. November 19, 2025
48	Sun. November 23, 2025	Wed. November 26, 2025

Maximum mesh size restriction of 6 1/2 inches. The authorized fisher will be limited to two (2) nets, one of which may be a drift net.

Sales of Fish: 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.

Fish Tickets: Fish tickets shall be issued at the time of purchase using the Quinault Electronic Fish Ticket System (QEFTS) per QIN Business Committee Resolution No. 18-104-97. Two receipts will be printed at the time of the transaction, each signed by the fisher (seller) and the buyer and each keeping a copy for their records. The electronic fish ticket will record the person that actually caught the fish under a valid QIN permit or authorization; his or her ID number; and the ground location number, if applicable, or a notation of drift netting. If a person is signing a fish ticket as an assistant, helper, or hired fisherman, the electronic fish ticket shall also include the name and identification number of the fisher being assisted.

Quinault Fisheries Division requests that the fisher contacts our technicians (276-8211, ext.7221) to arrange for catch sampling.

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