NISQUALLY INDIAN TRIBE EMERGENCY REGULATION 3-2024/2025

Suly 29th, 2024

In accordance with Section 14.23.02 of Nisqually Tribal Code, Title 14-Chapter 2, as amended by the Tribal Council effective 7/1/91, the Nisqually Fish Commission has adopted the following fishery modification effective August 8th, 2024 for the Nisqually River 83D.

Regulation Modified: None

SPECIES: HATCHERY CHINOOK

Fishery Type: Hatchery Selective Drift Fishery – Release all wild Chinook into recovery bag at end of drift

Days:Thursdays: 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.August 8th-September 5th.

7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday September 8th Thursday September 12th

-OR UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE-

Gear Type: Drifted Gill Net 70ft max Mesh Restriction: 6 inch only.

Area: Upstream from Reuben's Camp to Flagging at Clear Creek. 83D

Special Provisions:

- 1. Please check in with Natural Resources staff at Reuben's camp prior to fishing for season.
- 2. Launching and pulling out from Reuben's Camp only.
- 3. All Chinook with adipose fins will be released into recovery bag at end of drift for sampling. Those with CWT will be harvested.
- 4. All harvested fish will be sampled at Reuben's Camp.
- 5. Fishery will close when 10 unmarked and unclipped Chinook are determined dead or if water temperature in river meets or exceeds 20 degrees Celsius.

Justification: Harvestable Hatchery Chinook