COLUMBIA RIVER ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

February 12, 2019

THE FOLLOWING SEASONS WERE SET:

2019 Treaty Indian Winter Season Commercial Gillnet Fishery

Season: Extend the ongoing fisheries until 6 PM Tuesday February 19

Area: The Dalles and John Day pools only

Gear: Gillnets with no minimum mesh size restriction

Sanctuaries: Closed areas include standard dam and river mouth areas applicable to gillnet gear

Allowable Sales: Salmon (any species), steelhead, shad, yellow perch, bass, walleye, catfish, and carp may

be sold or retained for subsistence. Sturgeon from 43 to 54 inches fork length in The Dalles and John Day pools may be sold or kept for subsistence purposes. Fish landed

during the open periods are allowed to be sold after the period concludes.

Additional: 24-hour quick reporting required for Washington buyers, pursuant to WAC 220-352-315

except that landings must be reported within 24-hours of completing the fish ticket.

FUTURE MEETINGS

- The treaty tribes may request a Compact Hearing on February 19 to address any needed actions for treaty fisheries.
- A Compact hearing is scheduled for 10:00 AM Wednesday February 20, 2019 at the Shilo Inn (11707 NE Airport Way, Portland, Oregon 97220) to consider Select Area and recreational spring Chinook fisheries.