COLUMBIA RIVER ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

March 11, 2019

THE FOLLOWING SEASONS WERE SET:

2019 Treaty Indian Winter Season Commercial Gillnet Fishery	
Season:	Extend the ongoing fishery through 6 PM Wednesday March 20
Area:	The Bonneville pool 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 38 to 54 inches fork length in the
	Bonneville Pool 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 March 19 to address any needed actions for treaty fisheries.