
COLUMBIA RIVER ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

February 7, 2024

The following action was taken:

<i>2024 Treaty Indian Winter Season Commercial Setline Fishery (Bonneville Pool)</i>	
Season:	6 AM Saturday February 10 to 6 PM Monday February 12
Area:	The Bonneville Pool only
Gear:	Setline gear only
Sanctuaries:	Closed areas include standard closed areas applicable to setline gear
Allowable Sales:	Sturgeon from 38 to 54 inches fork length in 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.

<i>2024 Treaty Indian Winter Season Commercial Setline Fishery (The Dalles Pool and John Day Pool)</i>	
Season:	6 AM Tuesday February 13 to 6 PM Tuesday February 20
Area:	The Dalles Pool and John Day Pool only
Gear:	Setline gear only
Sanctuaries:	Closed areas include standard closed areas applicable to setline gear
Allowable Sales:	Sturgeon from 43 to 54 inches fork length in The Dalles Pool and John Day 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

- A Compact Hearing is scheduled for 10 AM February 13, 2024 via teleconference to consider Select Area (winter, spring, and summer season) and treaty commercial fisheries.
- A hybrid Joint State Hearing is scheduled for 10 AM February 21, 2024 to consider mainstem Columbia River recreational spring Chinook fisheries. The hearing will be held at the City of Vancouver Water Resources Education Center (4600 SE Columbia Way, Vancouver, WA 98661) and a teleconference call-in option will be available.