



# POINT NO POINT TREATY COUNCIL

Port Gamble S'Klallam \* Jamestown S'Klallam

## Fishery Services Program

April 23, 2015

### POINT NO POINT TREATY COUNCIL IN-COMMON HERRING REGULATIONS #F15-008

The following regulations apply to herring fishing by the Port Gamble and Jamestown S'Klallam Tribes for any commercial purpose. All areas not specifically opened shall remain closed. All gear not specifically mentioned shall be considered unlawful, in accordance with Tribal Ordinances.

NOTE: These regulations shall not apply to herring roe fisheries.

#### TOPIC 1. EFFECTIVE DATES

May 1, 2015 through April 30, 2016

#### TOPIC 2. DAYS AND TIMES OPEN

7 days a week, 24 hours a day, except as noted below.

#### TOPIC 3. AREAS

Washington Marine Fish and Shellfish Areas: 22A, 23A, 23B, 23C, 23D, 25A, 25B, 25C (except Port Gamble Bay), 25D, 25E, 27A, 27B, 29.

#### TOPIC 4. LAWFUL GEAR

Beach seine: 350' max. length; ½" min. mesh.  
Dip net (3 ft. max. diameter).  
Ring Net (6 ft. max diameter).  
Herring rake.  
Snag lines.

#### TOPIC 5. SPECIAL AREA AND TIME CLOSURES

The following areas are closed to all gear except dip net during the following time periods:

- 1) Closed February 1 through April 30:
  - a) Orcas Island; West Sound, East Sound north of a line drawn westward from Cascade Bay.
  - b) San Juan Island; Roche Harbor, Westcott Bay, Mosquito Pass.
  - c) Lopez Island; Mud Bay, Hunter Bay.
  - d) Hood Canal between a line drawn east from Hazel Point and a line connecting Triton Head and Tekiu Point (including Dabob and Quilcene Bay).
  
- 2) Closed February 1 through March 31.
  - a) Discovery Bay.
  - b) Sequim Bay.
  - c) Port Townsend and Kilisut Harbor west and south of a line connecting Point Hudson and Marrowstone Point.

TOPIC 6. INCIDENTAL CATCHES

Salmon and steelhead, caught incidentally, must be released unharmed, unless such retention is permitted under salmon regulations.

TOPIC 7. IDENTIFICATION AND SALES


Vessels and gear must be marked in accordance with Tribal Ordinances. Additionally, live boxes must be marked legibly with the owners name and I.D. number (lettering not less than 3" high). All sales must be reported on Treaty Indian Fish Receiving Tickets.

TOPIC 8. EMERGENCY REGULATIONS

The above regulations may be amended at any time by emergency regulations.

TOPIC 9. AUTHORITY

The above in-common regulations are promulgated by the Point No Point Treaty Council under authority delegated by the member Tribes.

  
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 Finfish Program Manager  
 Point No Point Treaty Council

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