

2018 Ocean Salmon Regulations

Exhibit E

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N of Falcon



Col. R. Area

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ORCA



Sacramento Fall Chinook

- 3 yrs of significant over-forecasting.
- Escapement goal is 122-180K spawners.
- Declared “overfished” due to three year average escapement below minimum threshold.
- PFMC structured fisheries to target 151,000 escapement to river.
- Rebuilding plan underway.

Troll Seasons

North of Falcon

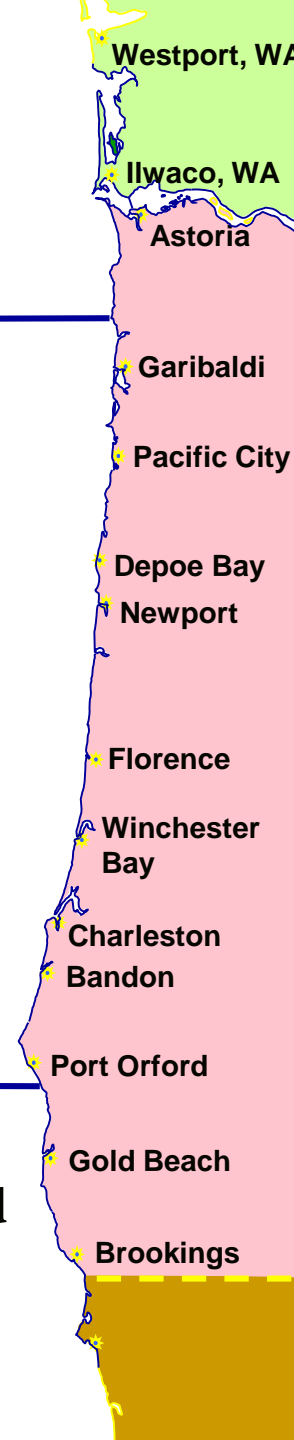
**May 1-Jun 30 or 16,500 Chinook;
Jul 1- Sep 19 or 11,000 Chinook or 5,600
Coho**

Falcon-Humbug

**May 4-14 and 19-31; Jun 4-12 and
16-30; Jul 5-12 and 16-31; Aug 3-7,
13-17, and 25-29; Sep 1-Oct 31
shoreward of 40-fa only.**

South of Humbug (OR KMZ)

**May 4-14 and 19-31; Jun 4-12 and 16-30 and
1,500 quota; Jul 5-12 and 16-31 and 2,000
quota; Aug 3-7, 13-17, and 25-29 and 500
quota;**



Columbia R. Subarea

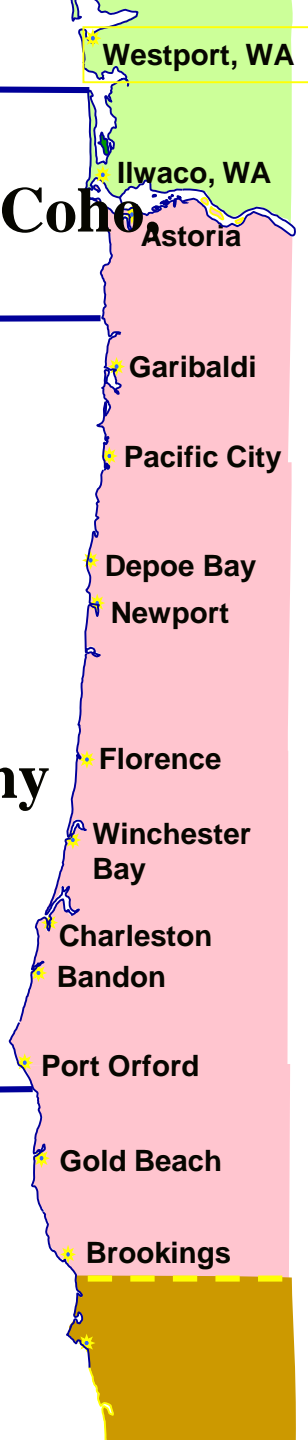
**June 23-Sep 3; 20,000 marked Coho
8,000 Chinook**

Falcon to Humbug

**Mar. 15-Oct. 31 Chinook; Jun 30-Sep 3
or 35,000 marked Coho; Fri and Sat
only Sep 7 through Sep 29 or 3,500 any
Coho. Oct 1-31 shoreward of 40-fa**

South of Humbug Sport

May 19-Aug 26, Chinook only



Sport Seasons

Staff Recommendations for 2018 Ocean Terminal Areas

Area	Staff Recommendation
Elk	Sport- 2 Chinook per day, only 1 wild. 10 wild seasonal aggregate. Nov. 1-30. Commercial- <u>Nov. 1-30</u> , <u>10</u> fish daily landing limit. 26 inch size limit.

Staff Recommendations for 2018 Ocean Terminal Areas

Area

Staff Recommendation

Chetco Sport- 1/day; Oct 6-7 and 13-14. Minimum size 28”.

Commercial- Oct. 8-12 and 15-31 or 300 chinook quota, 5 fish per day landing limit. Minimum size 28”.

Staff Recommendations

Issue 1 – State waters ocean salmon fisheries

Staff Recommendation: Option 1

Issue 2 - Chinook terminal fisheries

Staff Recommendation: Option 1

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