

FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE

The following regulation is promulgated by the Lower Elwha Treaty Council and shall govern the commercial shrimp fisheries conducted off-reservation and on subtidal public lands by Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe. The term of this regulation is from March 1, 2021 through February 28, 2022, and is intended to regulate harvest by these member Tribes in shrimp management region 3 under provisions of Paragraph 4.6 of the U.S. District Court Order of August 28, 1995 (Implementation Order) in U.S. v Washington, Sub-proceeding 89-3. In the event the regional shrimp management plans is completed before the end of this regulation term, this regulation will be superseded by a new regulation conforming to the provisions of the region 3 shrimp harvest management plan.

REGULATION NUMBER: S22-029

DATE ADOPTED: JUNE 3, 2022

REGULATION MODIFIED: REG. #S22-008, SECTION 3

REGULATION SUPERCEDED: NONE

CATCH AREAS: SHRIMP MANAGEMENT REGION 1, CATCH AREA 1A (AREA 20B WEST OF A LINE FROM POINT DOUGHTY ON ORCAS ISLAND TO THE BELL BUOY ON THE INTERNATIONAL BORDER, AND ALL WATERS OF AREA 22A WEST OF A LINE PROJECTED TRUE NORTH AND SOUTH THROUGH THE WESTERN TIP OF CRANE ISLAND, WEST OF A LINE PROJECTED FROM THE NUMBER 2 BUOY AT FISHERMANS BAY ON LOPEZ ISLAND TO THE SOUTHERN TIP OF SHAW ISLAND, AND WEST OF A LINE PROJECTED DUE SOUTH FROM POINT COLVILLE EXCEPT THAT PORTION OF 22A SOUTH OF A LINE FROM LIMEKILN POINT DUE WEST TO THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY AND SOUTH OF SAN JUAN AND LOPEZ ISLANDS AND A LINE FROM CATTLE POINT TO DAVIS POINT),

SHRIMP MANAGEMENT REGION 1, CATCH AREA 1B (AREA 20B EAST OF A LINE FROM POINT DOUGHTY ON ORCAS ISLAND TO THE BELL BUOY ON THE INTERNATIONAL BORDER, AND ALL WATERS OF AREA 22A EAST OF A LINE PROJECTED TRUE NORTH AND SOUTH THROUGH THE WESTERN TIP OF CRANE ISLAND,

EAST OF A LINE PROJECTED FROM THE NUMBER 2 BUOY AT FISHERMANS BAY ON LOPEZ ISLAND TO THE SOUTHERN TIP OF SHAW ISLAND, AND EAST OF A LINE PROJECTED TRUE SOUTH FROM POINT COLVILLE).

FISHERY TYPE: COMMERCIAL AND SUBSISTENCE

SPECIES: COONSTRIPE, SIDESTRIPE, HUMPBACK SHRIMP

ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

EFFECTIVE DATE: MAY 29TH TO OCTOBER 15, 2022

DAYS/HOURS:

1. FOR CATCH AREA 1A: OPEN 9:00 AM FRIDAY, APRIL 29, AND CONTINUING DAILY THROUGH 5:00 PM SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022, OR UNTIL THE TREATY SHARE IS TAKEN, WHICHEVER COMES FIRST.
2. FOR CATCH AREA 1B: OPEN 9:00 AM FRIDAY, APRIL 29, AND CONTINUING DAILY THROUGH 8:00 PM MONDAY, JUNE 6, 2022.

LEGAL GEAR:

AS PER REG. #S22-008, SECTION 5

1. THE MAXIMUM TOTAL NUMBER OF POTS AND/OR RING NETS COMBINED PER VESSEL IN THIS FISHERY WILL BE 100 POTS.
2. ALL POTS AND RING NETS SHALL HAVE BUOYS ATTACHED. BUOYS MAY BE ANY COLOR EXCEPT YELLOW OR ANY COMBINATION OF RED AND WHITE. BUOYS MUST REMAIN FLOATING AT ALL TIMES EXCEPT DURING EXTREME TIDES. BUOYS WILL ALSO BE MARKED WITH THE TRIBE'S INITIALS AND WITH THE FISHER'S ID NUMBER. BUOY LINES WILL BE WEIGHTED TO KEEP THE LINES FROM FLOATING

HARVEST RISTRCTIONS:

THE TRIBAL QUOTAS FOR NON SPOT SHRIMP IN REGION 1:
COONSTRIPE QUOTA-
1A- 5,000LBS
1B- 39,400
THIS FISHERY WILL CLOSE PRIOR TO OCTOBER 15TH IF HE TRIBAL QUOTA HAS BEEN TAKEN.

THE DAILY SUBSISTENCE HARVEST LIMIT IS 20 LBS PER FISHER. ALL FISHERS MUST BE REGISTERED FOR THIS FISHERY WITH THE FISHERIES OFFICE BEFORE

PARTICIPATING.

- HARVEST REPORTING:
- 1) AS PER REGULATION #S22-008 SECTION 8.
 - 2) ALL DAILY HARVEST INFORMATION WILL BE REPORTED TO THE RESPECTIVE TRIBAL FISHERIES OFFICE WITHIN 24 HOURS OF EACH HARVEST. HARVEST INFO SHALL INCLUDE THE DATE, VESSEL NAME, NUMBER OF POTS, MESH SIZE, POT SOAK TIMES, CATCH AREA, LOCATION FISHED, POUNDS LANDED BY SPEICES AND TOTAL POUNDS LANDED. HARVEST INFORMATION WILL BE UPLOADED ON THE NWIFC TICKET DATABASE WITHIN 7 DAYS OF REPORTING.
 - 3) ALL COMMERCIAL AND SUBSISTANCE CATCHES SHALL BE REPORTED ON TREATY INDIAN FISH RECIEVING TICKETS AS SPECIFIED IN TRIBAL FISHERIES ORDINANCES. ALSO, ALL COMMERCIAL SHRIMP POT LANDINGS MUST BE RECORDED ON RECIEVING TICKETS AS A WHOLE WEIGHT.

JUSTIFICATION: COMMENCE HARVEST THE TREATY SHARE OF NON-SPOT SHRIMP REGION 1. CLOSING 1B ONLY

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