

FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE

REGULATION NUMBER: F23-004

DATE ADOPTED: APRIL 6, 2023

REGULATION(S)
SUPERSEDED/MODIFIED: F23-003 SECTION II,2,(B) MODIFIED

CATCH AREAS: AS PER ANNUAL HALIBUT REGULATION
F23-003

FISHERY TYPE: RESTRICTED COMMERCIAL HALIBUT

SPECIES: PACIFIC HALIBUT

ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

LEGAL GEAR: SET LINES HANDLINES, BOTTOMFISH TROLL,
JIGS,AS PER ANNUAL HALIBUT REGULATION
F23-003

3,000 HOOKS PER VESSEL 500 HOOKS PER
SKATE. AS PER ANNUAL HALIBUT REGULATION F23-003.

EFFECTIVE DATES: APRIL 11TH TO APRIL 12TH 2023

DAYS/HOURS: OPEN 12:00 PM TUESDAY APRIL 11TH TO
12:00 PM WEDNESDAY APRIL 12TH 2023 (24 HOURS).

LANDING RESTRICTIONS: ALL HALIBUT MUST BE LANDED DRESSED WITH THE HEAD
ON.

OTHER RESTRICTIONS: 1. NO MORE THEN 500 POUNDS PER VESSEL MAY BE
LANDED WITHIN A SINGLE CALENDAR DAY.
2. FISH MAY NOT BE HELD ACROSS MULTIPLE
DAYS. ANY FISH CAUGHT THE FIRST DAY MUST BE
LANDED BEFORE PURSUING THE NEXTS DAYS
LANDING LIMIT.
3. ANY PORTION OF LANDED CATCH (UP TO 100
POUNDS) THAT EXCEEDS THE LANDING LIMIT MUST
BE DELIVERED TO THE TRIBE FOR CEREMONIAL
PURPOSES.
4. NO MORE THAN 4 FISH PER VESSEL FOR TAKE
HOME PURPOSES.

CONTACT ENFORCEMENT OFFICER PRIOR TO
LANDINGS FOR SAMPLING PURPOSES.
PHILLIP CHARLES 912-5158,
DANIEL POINT 461-2082, &
DETAVIUS WOODS 912-1626

ALL HALIBUT MEASURING LESS THAN 32 INCHES
(HEAD AND TAIL ON) MUST BE RETURNED
TO WATER UNHARMED.

NO LONGLINE C&S FISHING ALLOWED 14 DAYS PRIOR
TO START OF MANAGEMENT PERIOD.

EXPECTED EFFORT: BOATS 13

JUSTIFICATIONS: HARVEST OF TRIBAL SHARE OF HALIBUT IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE IPHC, PFMC, AND THE
TRIBAL HALIBUT FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN.
IN COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATION IN 50 CFR
301.19 AND 301.21.

(LOWER ELWHA FISHERIES
760 STRATTON RD
PORT ANGELES, WA 98363)