

FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE

REGULATION NUMBER: S25-022

DATE ADOPTED: APRIL 23, 2025
REGULATION(S) REG. #S25-001, SECTION 5
MODIFIED:

CATCH AREAS: CATCH REPORTING AREA 27B:
DUCKABUSH (270286)

FISHERY TYPE: COMMERCIAL

SPECIES: NATIVE LITTLENECK AND MANILA CLAMS

ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

LEGAL GEAR: HAND HELD RAKE, FORK OR SHOVEL

EFFECTIVE DATES: APRIL 30, 2025

DAYS/HOURS: DUCKABUSH TIDELANDS (270286)
MONITORED OPEN FOR CLAMS:
TUES(04/30) 11:00 PM TO 4:00 PM

TRIBAL QUOTA: 3,500 POUNDS.

RESTRICTIONS: AS PER REG. #S25-001, ADDITIONALLY:

1. HARVEST IS LIMITED TO CLAMS 1.5 INCHES IN LENGTH OR GREATER
2. COMMERCIALLY HARVESTED CLAMS MUST BE SOLD WITHIN 12 HOURS OF THE CLOSING TIME OF THE FISHERY, OR PLACED IN REFRIGERATED CONTAINERS.
3. A LABEL ISSUED BY THE FISHERIES OFFICE MUST BE AFFIXED TO EACH BAG OR CONTAINER OF COMMERCIALLY HARVESTED CLAMS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE HARVEST.
4. THIS HARVEST WILL OCCUR WITH AN ON THE BEACH MONITOR ACCOUNTING FOR CATCH AT THE END OF THE FISHERY. THE TOTAL HARVEST AVAILABLE FOR THIS FISHERY IS 3,500 POUNDS. ONCE THE HARVEST LIMIT HAS BEEN REACHED BY ALL TRIBAL DIGGERS, AS DETERMINED BY THE BEACH MONITOR, THE BEACH WILL BE CLOSED. HARVESTING ACTIVITY WILL STOP, WHICH INCLUDES DIGGING, COLLECTING AND SACKING OF CLAMS.
5. ALL DIGGERS MUST ACCURATELY REPORT THEIR HARVEST TO THE MONITOR BEFORE LEAVING THE BEACH. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS PROVISION WILL BE A VIOLATION OF THIS REGULATION.
6. ALL CLAMS HARVESTED ON DUCKABUSH WILL BE TRANSFERRED VIA AN UPLAND ROUTE, THROUGH THE ADJACENT TAYLOR UNITED PROPERTY OR VIA WATER TO THE TRITON COVE BOAT RAMP. IF THE TRITON COVE BOAT RAMP IS USED, THE CLAMS CANNOT BE REMOVED FROM THE BOAT UNTIL THE BOAT IS IN THE TRAILER AWAY FROM THE BEACH AREA.
7. ALL DIGGER MUST NOTIFY YOUR MONITOR WHEN YOU ARRIVE AT BEACH BEFORE YOU START DIG.
ALL DIGGERS PLANNING TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS FISHERY MUST NOTIFY THIS OFFICE 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE TO THE START OF FISHERY.

ANY OPENER ON A WEEKEND OR MONDAY START MUST NOTIFY THIS OFFICE
BY 9:00 AM THE FRIDAY BEFORE.

CATCH REPORTING: ALL COMMERCIAL HARVEST MUST BE REPORTED ON TREATY INDIAN
FISH RECEIVING TICKETS. THE GROWING AREA AND BIDN MUST
BE RECORDED ON THE FISH TICKET AT THE POINT OF SALE.

JUSTIFICATIONS: HARVEST AVAILABLE CLAM RESOURCE.

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