

FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE
REGULATION NUMBER: S26-019
DATE ADOPTED: MAY 12, 2026
REGULATION(S) REG. #S26-006, SECTION 3.
SUPERSEDED/MODIFIED: NONE
CATCH AREAS: CATCH REPORTING AREA 27A, AND THAT PORTION OF
AREA 27B NORTH OF AYOCK PT.
FISHERY TYPE: SUBSISTENCE
SPECIES: SPOT SHRIMP
ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

LEGAL GEAR: SHRIMP POTS, AS PER REG. #S26-006

EFFECTIVE DATES: APRIL 15 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2026

DAYS/HOURS: THE FISHERY WILL OPEN SATURDAY
MAY 9TH AND CONTINUE THROUGH
THURSDAY AUGUST 31ST PROVIDED
THAT THE FISHERY FOR EACH TRIBE
MAY CLOSE SOONER IF THE INDIVIDUAL
TRIBAL TARGET HARVEST IS TAKEN
PROIR TO THIS DATE.

ADDITIONAL OPENINGS AND CLOSURES
WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN SUPERSEDING
REGULATIONS

DAILY OPENING WILL OCCUR FROM
SUNRISE TO SUNSET EACH DAY.

OTHER RESTRICTIONS: AS PER REG. #S26-006, ADDITIONALLY:

1. SHRIMP POTS: THE MAXIMUM TOTAL NUMBER OF POTS AND/OR RING
NETS COMBINED WILL BE 5 POTS PER VESSEL. SHRIMP POTS
REGISTERED TO A PARTICULAR VESSEL MUST BE SET AND PULLED
BY THAT VESSEL, UNLESS OTHERWISE APPROVED BY THE FISHERIES
OFFICE.
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.
3. THE DAILY SUBSISTENCE HARVEST LIMIT IS 20 LBS PER FISHER.
THE CATCH MUST BE RECORDED ON A SUBSISTENCE CARD PRIOR TO LEAVING
THE HARVEST AREA.
4. ALL FISHERS MUST BE PREPARED TO HAUL OUT ANY REFUSE CREATED BY
THEIR OWN ACTIONS DURING AND IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE FISHERY.
REFUSE DISPOSAL FACILITIES MAY BE LIMITED IN CERTAIN AREAS OF
HOOD CANAL.

HARVEST RESTRICTIONS:

- 1) THE ELWHA TRIBAL HARVEST
FOR AREA 27A AND 27B IS 1400 LBS FOR BOTH AREAS
COMBINED.

JUSTIFICATION: HARVEST 1400 LBS SUBSISTENCE QUOTA.

(LOWER ELWHA FISHERIES
760 STRATTON RD
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