

FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE

REGULATION NUMBER: S26-060

DATE ADOPTED: SEPTEMBER 4TH, 2026

REGULATION(S) REG. #S26-005, SECTION 3.
SUPERSEDED/MODIFIED: NONE

CATCH AREAS: SHRIMP MANAGEMENT REGION 3, 25A
OUTSIDE DISTRICT 1

FISHERY TYPE: COMMERCIAL

SPECIES: SPOT SHRIMP

ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

EFFECTIVE DATES: SEPTEMBER 5TH, 2026 - SEPTEMBER 15TH, 2026

DAYS/HOURS: FOR THE LOWER ELWHA TRIBE ONLY, THE FISHERY
WILL

OPEN 7:00 AM SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH AND REMAIN OPEN
UNTIL 7:00PM TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH, OR UNTIL TREATY
SHARES HAVE BEEN REACHED, WHICHEVER COMES FIRST.

DAYLIGHT HOURS ONLY

LEGAL GEAR: AS PER REGULATION #S26-005 SECTION 5

NETS 1. THE MAXIMUM TOTAL NUMBER OF POTS AND/OR RING

COMBINED PER VESSEL IN THIS FISHERY WILL BE 25

POTS

ATTACHED

2. ALL POTS AND RING NETS SHALL HAVE BUOYS

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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

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ID NUMBER. BUOY LINES WILL BE WEIGHTED TO KEEP

THE LINES

FROM FLOATING.

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3. THE MINIMUM MESH SIZE FOR SHRIMP POTS AND RING NETS

ONE INCH, AS DEFINED IN REGULATION #S23-014.

EXCEPT FOR FLEXIBLE (WEB) MESH POTS, FOR WHICH

THE MESH

MEASURE. THERE
TUNNELS

MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 1 3/4 INCH STRETCH
IS NO MINIMUM MESH SIZE FOR ENTRY TUNNELS, BUT
CAN ONLY BE LOCATED ON THE SIDES OF THE POTS.

HARVEST RISTRCTIONS: 1) FISHERS MUST NOT EXCEED THEIR ASSIGNED
INDIVIDUAL QUOTAS.

DURING THE TERM OF THIS REGULATION THE EXPECTED
HARVEST WILL NOT EXCEED THE
FOLLOWING AGREED-TO TREATY SHARES: 26,250

2) ALL COMMERCIAL CATCHES SHALL BE REPORTED ON
TREATY INDIAN FISH
RECEIVING TICKETS. ALSO, ALL COMMERCIAL SHRIMP POT
LANDINGS
MUST BE RECORDED ON RECEIVING TICKETS AS A WHOLE
WEIGHT.

3) FISHERS MUST BE REGISTERED FOR THIS FISHERY WITH
THE ELWHA TRIBAL FISHERIES OFFICE BEFORE
PARTICIPATING IN THE FISHERY. FISHERS MAY NOT FISH IN
ANY
REGION 3 OR REGION 1 SUB-AREA OTHER THAN THOSE THAT
ARE
LISTED IN THIS REGULATION.

4) FISHERS MUST PROVIDE 24 HOURS ADVANCE NOTICE TO
THE ELWHA TRIBAL FISHERIES OFFICE PRIOR TO
PARTICIPATING
IN THIS OPENING

JUSTIFICATION: HARVEST THE TREATY SHARE OF SPOT SHRIMP IN THE SPECIFIED
AREAS OF REGION 3.

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