#### WSR 12-15-026 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-071.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: WAC 468-38-120 Transport of extra-legal manufactured housing, this WAC provides specific rules and vehicle load requirements for the transport of manufactured housing on state highways.

Hearing Location(s): Washington State Department of Transportation, Commission Board Room 1D2, 310 Maple Park Avenue S.E., Olympia, WA 98504, on August 22, 2012, at 1:30 p.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: August 22, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: James L. Wright, P.O. Box 47367, Olympia, WA 98504-7367, e-mail wrightji@wsdot.wa.gov, fax (360) 704-6345, by August 17, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Grant Heap by August 17, 2012, TTY (360) 705-7760 or (360) 705-6808

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The proposed change will allow the movement of mobile homes exceeding the current seventy-five foot length. There are special cases where manufactured homes are built longer than seventy-five feet and this proposal will authorize their movement on a case-by-case basis dependent on approval by affected maintenance areas along the route. The extra length will be limited to eighty feet.

This proposal mirrors the requirements for manufactured homes traveling in the state of Oregon. The state of Idaho authorizes eighty feet length without special approval.

This proposal will only affect WAC 468-38-120 by adding language to approve manufactured homes in excess of seventy-five feet long but not to exceed eighty feet long.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 46.44.090 and 46.44.093.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 46.44.090.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Agency Comments or Recommendations, if any, as to Statutory Language, Implementation, Enforcement, and Fiscal Matters: There is no fiscal impact with this proposal. Authorization to move the extra length manufactured homes will be dependent on affected maintenance area approvals. This proposal was initiated by the manufactured home industry.

Enforcement will be by commercial vehicle enforcement officers, primarily the Washington state patrol, commercial vehicle division.

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Enforcement: Captain Jason Berry WSP, 210 11th Street, GA Building, Olympia, WA, (360) 596-3800.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. This proposal increases the length limitations for a manufactured home for transport but has no impact on reporting, recordkeeping, and any other compliance requirements or costs to businesses small or large.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. There are no additional costs or requirements for moving a manufactured home with implementation of this proposal. The proposal adds an authorization for manufactured homes exceeding seventy-five feet long but not exceeding eighty feet long to be moved with the approval of affected maintenance areas. Authorization is dependent on determining that the safety of other highway users is not impaired and adjacent states authorize the move if it is continuing into that adjacent state.

July 11, 2012 Stephen T. Reinmuth Chief of Staff

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 06-07-025, filed 3/7/06, effective 4/7/06)

WAC 468-38-120 Transport of extra-legal manufactured housing. (1) How many vehicles can be combined in the move of a manufactured home? The vehicle combination is limited to two vehicles, a towing unit, sometimes referred to as a "toter," and the semi-trailer designed housing unit.

- (2) What are the dimensional limits of the combination? While the overall combination is not limited by dimension, the following limits are established:
- (a) **Length:** The length of the manufactured housing unit may not exceed seventy-five feet, including the length of the tongue.
- (i) The department's administrator for commercial vehicle services, or designee, is authorized to issue permits, on an individual basis, authorizing the transport of a unit when the length exceeds that specified in (a) of this subsection, but the housing unit will not exceed eighty feet in length, including the length of the tongue.
- (ii) In issuing permits under this rule, the administrator will determine the following:
- (A) The safety of other highway users will not be impaired; and
- (B) The adjacent states, through which the manufactured home may be transported, must also authorize the movement.
- (b) **Width:** The width of the manufactured housing unit must not exceed a box (base) width of sixteen feet. The unit may have an eave provided it does not extend beyond either side by:
- (i) More than thirty inches for units with a box width less than sixteen feet wide; or
- (ii) More than sixteen inches for a unit with a box width of sixteen feet; however, the overall width shall not, under any circumstances, exceed eighteen feet.
- (c) Width exemptions: External features, such as door-knobs, window fasteners, eave cap, clearance lights, and load

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securing devices, that extend no more than two inches on each side of the unit, are exempt from the overall width measurement.

- (d) **Height:** The height of the unit is limited to the actual overhead clearance of the route.
- (3) What are the criteria for receiving an annual/monthly special permit versus a single trip special permit?
- (a) **Annual/monthly permits** are issued only to dealers or manufacturers described in chapter 46.70 RCW or licensed transporters described in chapter 46.76 RCW. Use of the annual/monthly permit is restricted to the movement of housing units with a box width not exceeding fourteen feet wide, plus an eave not to exceed twelve inches, and a height not to exceed fifteen feet measured from level ground when in transit mode.
- (b) Single trip permits are required when the permit applicant is not a qualified dealer or transporter as described in (a) of this subsection, or when the width of the housing unit box exceeds fourteen feet wide, the overall width exceeds fifteen feet wide, and/or the height exceeds fifteen feet measured from level ground when in transit mode. Housing units that exceed sixteen feet wide and/or sixteen feet high must also comply with the requirements of WAC 468-38-405 Superloads, prior to the issuance of a special permit.
- (4) When is it necessary to include a pilot/escort vehicle(s) in the movement of a manufactured house? The requirements for a pilot/escort vehicle escorting a manufactured home are the same as those found in WAC 468-38-100, except that the use of a height measuring device (pole) on the front pilot/escort vehicle is not required until the overall height of the housing unit exceeds fifteen feet. The vehicle or load width referenced in WAC 468-38-100 is to be interpreted as overall width when measuring a manufactured home
- (5) What are the insurance requirements, and what special reporting responsibilities does the transporter have in case of an accident?
- (a) Insurance requirements for the movement of a manufactured home are outlined in RCW 46.44.180.
- (b) When an incident occurs while transporting a manufactured house under special permit, the transporter must immediately notify the nearest state patrol office if the damage to the manufactured home is greater than two hundred fifty dollars or if the damage to other vehicles or structures exceeds one hundred dollars. The transport of the home must not resume without permission from the state patrol.
- (6) What requirements must a manufactured home meet for axles, brakes, tires and other suspension components before it can be transported?
- (a) **Axles** on each housing unit in transport must be in sufficient number to support enough tires to comply with (c)(i) and (ii) of this subsection. Any housing unit exceeding fourteen feet wide must have a minimum of four axles.
- (b) **Brakes** must be designed and installed to activate if the housing unit accidentally breaks away from the towing vehicle. The brakes on all vehicle/housing unit combinations must be capable of complying with the braking performance requirements of RCW 46.37.351. In addition, there must be compliance with the following special installation criteria:

(i) For housing units manufactured prior to June 15, 1976, brake installation must, at a minimum, comply with the following table:

Width of Unit at Base	Number of Axles Required	Wheels w/ Brakes
> 8' 6" but < 10'	2 or more	All wheels on 2 axles (a towing unit w/min- imum. 9,000 GVWR all wheels on 1 axle)
10' to 14' (under 60' in length)	2 or more (3 or more if > 60' long)	All wheels on 2 axles (tires w/minimum 8:00 x 14.5, 10 ply)

- (ii) For all vehicle/housing unit combinations exceeding fourteen feet wide, all wheels on at least three of the axles must be properly equipped with brakes.
- (c) **Tire** loadings are dependent on when the housing unit was manufactured and must comply as follows:
- (i) **Tire loadings** on housing units manufactured **after January 1, 2002,** (labeled pursuant to *Code of Federal Regulation*, 24 C<sub>.</sub>F<sub>.</sub>R<sub>.</sub> 3282.362 (c)(2)(i)) may not exceed the manufacturer's rating as marked on the sidewall. In the absence of a sidewall marking, the tires on the housing unit must comply with the load rating specified in any of the publications of any organization listed in the *Federal Motor Carrier Safety Standard (FMCSS) No. 119* (49 C<sub>.</sub>F<sub>.</sub>R<sub>.</sub> 571.119, S5.1 (b)). Housing units with no verifiable date of manufacture must also not exceed the manufacturer's tire load rating.
- (ii) **Tire loadings** on housing units manufactured **before January 1, 2002**, (labeled pursuant to 24 C\_F\_R\_ 3282.362 (c)(2)(i)) must not exceed more than eighteen percent above the manufacturer's rating as marked on the sidewall. In the absence of a sidewall marking, the tires on the housing unit must not exceed eighteen percent above the load rating specified in any of the publications of any organization listed in the *Federal Motor Carrier Safety Standard (FMCSS) No. 119* (49 C\_F\_R\_ 571.119, S5.1 (b)). Housing units transported on tires overloaded by nine percent or more must not be moved at speeds exceeding fifty miles per hour (eighty kilometers per hour).
- (d) Tow **spare tires**, inflated and ready for use, must be carried during transport.
- (e) The manufacturer's rating must not be exceeded for any wheel, axle, drawbar, hitch, or other suspension device.
- (7) Does a tow vehicle (toter) have any special requirements? Yes. The tow vehicle must:
  - (a) Be equipped with dual wheels on the drive axle.
- (b) Have a combined minimum gross axle weight rating, assigned by the manufacturer, of thirty-two thousand pounds, if the housing unit being transported exceeds fourteen feet wide.
- (c) Have sufficient engine horsepower to maintain towing speeds of forty-five miles per hour on the interstate and thirty-five miles per hour on other highways.
- (8) What unique travel requirements must be complied with? Requirements for signs, lights, unit covering, routes, speed, moving multiple units at the same time and lane of travel are as follows:

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- (a) **Signs** for the towing unit and housing unit must comply with WAC 468-38-155(7). The sign for the housing unit must be mounted on the rear of the unit, on a horizontal plane, between five and seven feet above the road surface.
- (b) In addition to any other **lighting** requirements in law or rule, two six-inch flashing amber lights, with a minimum of thirty-five candle power, a flashing cycle of sixty to one hundred twenty times per minute during transit, must be mounted on the rear of the housing unit, on a horizontal plane, at least ten feet above the road surface. An additional two lights, of the same specifications, must be mounted above the roofline of the towing vehicle, either on the towing vehicle roof or the front of the housing unit. The two lights at each location, front and rear, must be located as close to the outside extremities of the housing unit as practical.
- (c) **Coverings** of open sides may be with a rigid material such as plywood or hardboard, or a sufficiently strong ply plastic. When plastic is used, a grillwork of lumber or similar material must be applied to prevent tears and/or billowing of the material.
- (d) Routes of travel with restrictions must be strictly adhered to. Housing units in transport mode that exceed sixteen feet high or sixteen feet wide must be approved for travel on a case-by-case basis, as per WAC 468-38-405, Superloads. Dealers selling extra-legal manufactured homes must advise the prospective purchaser in writing that not all state highways are approved for the transport of manufactured homes in excess of twelve feet wide.
- (e) **Speed** of the in-transit housing unit is governed by WAC 468-38-175(5).
- (f) **Multiple housing units moving together** must comply with WAC 468-38-175(6), Moves in convoy.
- (g) The **right-hand lane must be used for travel,** except when passing or avoiding an obstruction. On two-lane highways, housing units must not pass other vehicles except when required to pass a slow moving vehicle that is hindering safe traffic flow.
- (9) Is a decal from the county treasurer required before a manufactured home can be transported? Yes, except as provided for in RCW 46.44.170 (2)(a) and (b), a decal issued by the county treasurer must be displayed on the rear of the manufactured home during transport on public highways of this state. If the manufactured home is being transported as multiple units (double-wide or more), an individual decal must be displayed on each unit being transported.
- (10) **How is the county treasurer decal issued?** The decal is issued at the same time the county treasurer issues the tax certificate that shows all taxes have been paid to date.
- (11) RCW 46.44.170 requires the department to design the decal for uniform implementation. What are the design specifications? The decal must:
  - (a) Be at least eight and one-half inches square.
- (b) Be printed on Appleton Radiant ((Floreseent)) Fluorescent Bristol (weight .010) or paper of comparable quality.
  - (c) Be fluorescent orange in color.
- (d) Disclose the make, model and serial number of the manufactured home, the date issued, the name of the transporter, the transporter's WUTC permit number ID required,

- the department of transportation special motor vehicle permit number, and the name of the county issuing the decal.
- (e) Clearly display the expiration date of the decal, which must not be more than fifteen days after the date issued.
- (12) Can decals be transferred to other housing units? Under no circumstance can the decal be transferred.
- (13) What other vehicles are treated like manufactured housing for permitting purposes? Any enclosed structure built on a manufactured housing type chassis with its own axles must comply with the provisions of this section to receive an overlegal permit, including, but not limited to: Portable construction offices, portable classrooms, and "park-model" trailers.

#### WSR 12-15-030 PROPOSED RULES PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

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Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-04-037.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The public disclosure commission's (PDC) public records rules at chapter 390-13 WAC, General provisions relating to public records of state and local agencies; chapter 390-14 WAC, Access to public records of the public disclosure commission; and chapter 390-37 WAC, Enforcement hearing (adjudicative proceeding) rules.

Hearing Location(s): 711 Capitol Way, Room 206, Olympia, WA 98504, on August 23, 2012, at 9:30 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: August 23, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Nancy Krier, 711 Capitol Way, Room 206, Olympia, WA 98504, e-mail nancy.krier@pdc.wa.gov, fax (360) 753-1112, by August 1, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jana Greer by e-mail at jana.greer@pdc.wa.gov, (360) 586-0544 or (360) 753-1111.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The PDC is updating its public records rules to provide access to the public to the agency's records under the Public Records Act at chapter 42.56 RCW. The proposed amendments and new rules address the PDC's jurisdiction, role of public records officer, hours for inspection and copying records, making and processing public records requests, electronic records, copying records, exemptions from disclosure including records of pending investigations, internal reviews of denials of records, and the records index. The PDC also proposes to repeal a rule providing an optional format for requests for lists of individuals because under chapter 42.56 RCW the PDC does not adopt model rules for other agencies.

The proposed amendments and new rules implement the recodification of the Public Records Act to chapter 42.56 RCW and modernize the PDC's public records rules in light of changes in technology, and laws and court decisions related to public records. As directed in RCW 42.56.100, this proposal will assist the public in accessing the PDC's records, guide the public and PDC staff on records requests, and pro-

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vide procedures to protect public records and prevent excessive interference with agency functions.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 42.56.100, 42.56.040, 42.17A.110.

Statute Being Implemented: Chapter 42.56 RCW.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Agency Comments or Recommendations, if any, as to Statutory Language, Implementation, Enforcement, and Fiscal Matters: The proposed amendments and new rules implement the recodification of the Public Records Act to chapter 42.56 RCW and modernize the PDC's public records rules. The rules are required by RCW 42.56.100, and also are authorized under RCW 42.56.040 and 42.17A.110.

Name of Proponent: PDC, governmental.

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No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. The implementation of these rule amendments has minimal impact on small business. The PDC is not subject to the requirement to prepare a school district fiscal impact statement, per section 1, chapter 210, Laws of 2012 (adding a new section to chapter 28A.305 RCW and amending RCW 34.05.320).

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. The PDC is not an agency listed in subsection (5)(a)(i) of RCW 34.05.328. Further, the PDC does not voluntarily make that section applicable to the adoption of these rules pursuant to subsection (5)(a)(ii), and to date, the joint administrative rules review committee has not made the section applicable to the adoption of these rules.

July 11, 2012 Nancy Krier General Counsel

#### **REPEALER**

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

WAC 390-13-010

Optional format for requests for lists of individuals.

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WAC 390-14-011 Purpose of this chapter—To implement the Public Records Act and describe the commission. (1) The purpose of chapter 390-14 WAC is to establish the commission's procedures to provide full access to its public records and to implement the provisions of the Public Records Act under chapter 42.56 RCW for the commission.

(2) The commission implements and enforces chapter 42.17A RCW, the laws governing campaign finance, lobbying, reporting by public treasurers, and personal financial affairs disclosures. A description of the commission organi-

zation, general operations and procedures is under chapter 390-12 WAC. More information is located on its web site at www.pdc.wa.gov. The commission does not implement or enforce the Public Records Act for other public agencies.

- (3) If you wish to obtain general information or copies of records, you do not need to submit a formal public records request. You will often find such information on the commission's web site, or you may make an informal routine inquiry by contacting the commission office.
- (a) The commission is a disclosure agency. The commission is required to operate a web site. Therefore, the commission routinely places numerous categories of records on its web site. You are strongly encouraged to review the web site prior to making a public records request. The web site provides records and other information that can be viewed at no cost, including: The agency's organizational chart; contact information; statutes; rules and rule-making activity; final orders; enforcement case information and records; declaratory orders; interpretive statements; external policies; manuals; fact books; brochures; videos; commission meeting agendas, materials, and minutes; strategic plans; reports; campaign finance data, reports, and forms; lobbying data, reports and forms; other forms and reports; news releases; and, filer information. Information on the web site is updated regularly.
- (b) You may also contact the commission office to make an informal routine inquiry for a record.
- (i) For example, informal routine inquiries generally seek a particular form, brochure, manual, report, lobbyist directory, or other similar readily available record specifically filed or created for the public under chapter 42.17A RCW and they can often be responded to on the same or next business day by providing the record. Informal routine inquiries do not seek a record that includes any exempt information, require any clarification, require providing records in installments, or require a search of different types of agency records or records sent to storage. In addition, informal routine inquiries do not provide any fair notice that the inquiry is a formal public records request submitted under the Public Records Act under chapter 42.56 RCW.
- (ii) If your informal routine inquiry concerns a record or information on the commission's web site, agency staff may direct you to its on-line location.
- (iii) Informal routine inquiries are not subject to the time periods or other procedures in the Public Records Act.
- (4) If you want to make a formal request for a record under the Public Records Act, see WAC 390-14-025.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-03-002, filed 1/4/12, effective 2/4/12)

WAC 390-14-015 Public records officer. ((The executive director is the commission's public records officer.)) (1) The commission's public records officer is responsible for implementing the commission's ((administrative)) rules regarding release of public records, coordinating the staff of the commission in this regard, and insuring the agency's compliance ((by the staff)) with the public records disclosure requirements of chapter 42.56 RCW. In fulfilling these responsibilities, the public records officer may contact you to

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confirm receipt of your request. Depending upon the nature of the request, the public records officer may also do any of the following: Contact you to clarify your request, if needed, and let you know whether the records will be provided in one or more installments; contact you to provide you an estimate of time for further response; notify other persons or agencies of your request; oversee the search for potentially responsive records and the review of whether any information in the records may be exempt from disclosure; make arrangements with you for inspection, copying, payment, and pickup or delivery of the records; or deny your request.

- (2) You may contact the public records officer through any of the following means:
  - By e-mail at pdc@pdc.wa.gov;
- In writing at P.O. Box 40908, 711 Capitol Way, Room 206, Evergreen Plaza Building, Olympia, Washington 98504-0908
  - By facsimile at 360-753-1112;
- By telephone at 360-753-1111, toll-free 1-877-601-2828.
- (3) The name of the current public records officer is on file with the code reviser in accordance with RCW 42.56.580 and is published in the *Washington State Register* which is available on-line at www.leg.wa.gov/codereviser.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 99-12-058, filed 5/27/99, effective 6/27/99)

WAC 390-14-020 ((Hours for records inspection and copying.)) Procedures and hours for inspecting and copying records. ((Publie)) (1) You can inspect and copy public records ((shall be available for inspection and copying weekdays, excluding legal holidays, between)) in the commission office during customary business hours. Customary business hours are typically 8:00 a.m. ((and)) to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays or other days the agency is closed. Contact the public records officer to make arrangements for inspection or copying of records at the commission office.

- (2) Records and information posted on the commission web site are available to you at any time for inspection and copying from your personal computer or computer terminals publicly available, such as public libraries. A public computer terminal is available in the commission office for you to inspect commission web site records. The terminal is available on a no cost, first-come, first-served basis.
- (3) The commission will take reasonable actions to protect records from damage and disorganization while records are being inspected and copied including, but not limited to, the following:
- (a) If you seek time at the commission office to inspect records, or if more than one person wants to use the agency's public computer terminal to inspect records on the commission's web site, the public records officer will work with you to provide a schedule. The schedule will take into account the space or time needed to inspect the records, any staff assistance needed, and other demands on the agency.
- (b) You may not remove public records from the area the public records officer makes available for inspection. The

- public records officer has the discretion to designate the means and the location for the inspection of records.
- (c) Inspection of any public record must be conducted in the presence of a designated agency employee.
- (d) Public records may not be marked or altered in any manner during inspection.
- (e) After inspection is complete, the public records officer or designee will make requested copies or arrange for copying and pickup or delivery. Copying and mailing charges apply. See WAC 390-14-030.
- (f) Public records that are maintained in a file or jacket, or in chronological order, may not be dismantled except by a designated agency employee for purposes of copying.
- (g) Depending upon the specific nature or scope of the request, the public records officer may make other arrangements or provide other procedures to provide full public access to public records, protect public records from damage or disorganization, and prevent excessive interference with other essential functions of the agency or unreasonable disruption of the agency. The public records officer may take into account the volume of records responsive to your request, the availability of staff, and other factors. Such procedures may include making records available on a partial or installment basis.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-03-002, filed 1/4/12, effective 2/4/12)

WAC 390-14-025 ((Requests for public records.)) How do I make a public records request for commission records under the Public Records Act? (1) ((In accordance with requirements of chapter 42.56 RCW that agencies provide full public access to public records, protect public records from damage or disorganization, and prevent excessive interference with essential functions of the agency, requests)) Making a public records request. You may make a request to inspect or copy public records ((may be made)) in person((-,)) by completing the public records request form, or by sending the form or a letter, ((by telephone)) fax or ((by electronic means)) e-mail to the public records officer.

The commission office is located at 711 Capitol Way, Room 206, Evergreen Plaza Building, Olympia, Washington. The mailing address is: Public Disclosure Commission, P.O. Box 40908, Olympia, ((\(\frac{WA}\)\)) Washington 98504-0908. Telephone number: 360-753-1111. Toll-free telephone number: 1-877-601-2828. Facsimile number: 360-753-1112. ((\(\text{Electronic mail}\)\)) E-mail: pdc@pdc.wa.gov. Mark your request to the attention of the public records officer. Include contact information such as your name, address, e-mail address and telephone number, or other contact information. Your request must identify the public records requested, the date of your request, and describe whether you want copies or if you want only to inspect the records. The public records officer may ask you to confirm that you will pay for the records or ask you for a deposit.

(2) **Form.** A public records request form is available for you at the commission office and on-line at www.pdc.wa. gov.

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#### (3) E-mail requests.

- (a) Send your e-mail request to pdc@pdc.wa.gov. Do not send your request to other commission e-mail addresses. This procedure helps the agency see your request so it can respond timely. Include the information described in subsection (1) of this section. E-mail requests sent to agency e-mail addresses other than pdc@pdc.wa.gov will not be considered a public records request under chapter 42.56 RCW but will be responded to as an informal routine inquiry or a general request for information.
- (b) Public records requests received via e-mail after regular business hours or on nonbusiness days will be considered received the next business day.
- (4) Making oral requests. To avoid misunderstandings about what records you seek, you are strongly encouraged to make a public records request in writing. If you make an oral request, the public records officer will ask you to confirm it before beginning to process it. Your request will be processed after the agency verifies your request in writing.
- (5) Records posted on the commission web site. You are strongly encouraged to review the commission's web site at www.pdc.wa.gov prior to making a request to see if the records you seek are already posted.
- (6) Assistance. (((2))) Whenever ((a member of the publie)) you request((s)) assistance in making a public records request, the ((staff member to whom the request is made shall)) public records officer will assist ((the member of the publie)) you in identifying the appropriate public record.

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- WAC 390-14-027 How will my public records request be processed? (1) The public records officer may confirm receipt of your request for public records within five business days. Depending upon the nature of the request, the public records officer may also take any of the steps listed in WAC 390-14-015. A search for potentially responsive records begins when the public records officer determines that your request seeks clearly identifiable records. The public records officer may determine that a search can begin when the records you seek are clearly identifiable in the text of your initial request, or when you have provided the officer adequate clarification about your request.
- (2) The commission will generally provide records in the format you request, to the extent feasible and reasonable and within current resources. If the commission cannot provide the records to you in the format you request, the commission at its option may provide the records in another format. See WAC 390-14-028. The commission may provide records in a format in which the record is maintained by the commission for its business purposes. The commission is not required to create new records in order to respond to your request. The public records officer will explain why any records are withheld in whole or in part. See WAC 390-14-035. You must pay applicable charges for records you receive. See WAC 390-14-030. There is no cost to you for inspecting records at the commission office or on the web site.
- (3) The public records officer will close your request when:
  - (a) You have been provided the requested records;

- (b) You withdraw the request or ask that the processing end: or
  - (c) You fail to:
- (i) Provide clarification or otherwise respond to the public records officer when requested;
  - (ii) Inspect or pay for an installment of records; or
  - (iii) Pay any requested deposit.

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- WAC 390-14-028 How are public records requests for electronic records processed? (1) Requesting electronic records. The process for you to request an electronic public record is the same as for requesting paper public records. See WAC 390-14-025.
- (2) **Providing electronic records.** The commission may provide records to you electronically if you request them to be provided electronically, to the extent feasible and reasonable and within current resources. Given technology and resource changes, the commission may adjust at any time how or in what specific format records may be provided electronically, and those adjustments may not be set out in rule. However, the following general procedures apply:
- (a) Records provided on the commission's web site have been provided to you electronically. The commission will not provide those records in another electronic format. The public records officer will identify the link to the web site location of the records you request.
- (b) If you request an electronic record that is not on the web site and not reasonably translatable into the format you request, or the commission cannot provide the record in electronic format you request given the commission's current technology and resources, then at the commission's option either:
- (i) Electronic copies will be provided to you in a format currently used by the commission; or
  - (ii) Paper copies will be provided to you.
- (c) The commission does not have an obligation to convert an electronic record to a digital format that is different than a format maintained by the commission.
- (d) The commission does not have an obligation to purchase additional software, equipment, licenses or other items to respond to your requests for records.
- (3) Exempt information in electronic records. When electronic records you request require redaction to withhold exempt information and redactions cannot be provided electronically, or the records are contained in a data base or program that contains exempt or proprietary information, the commission may provide you paper copies with any redactions noted on those copies.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 99-12-060, filed 5/27/99, effective 6/27/99)

- WAC 390-14-030 What are the charges for inspecting or copying ((of)) public records((-))? ((No fee shall be charged)) (1) The commission does not charge a fee for the inspection of public records((. The commission shall charge a fee of:
- Ten cents per page for paper copies of public records maintained on paper or electronically;

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- Twenty-five cents per film for copies of public records maintained on microfiche;
- Twenty cents per diskette for copies of electronically maintained public records; and
- \* Two dollars per CD ROM for copies of electronically maintained public records.

The commission shall charge persons who use agency equipment to make paper copies from microfiche ten cents per page. These charges are the amounts necessary to reimburse the commission for its actual costs incident to copying, including the use of the commission's equipment. Charges will not be assessed if the total cost involved in a particular request is less than one dollar)) made available in the commission office or on the commission web site.

- (2) The commission does not charge a fee for locating public records and making them available to you for copying.
- (3) The commission may charge a published fee for copying records, if you order copies. The commission's schedule of charges for copies is published on the commission's web site at www.pdc.wa.gov and is available by contacting the public records officer. The executive director may revise the schedule periodically as needed.
- (4) Before beginning to make copies, the public records officer may require you to deposit up to ten percent of the estimated costs of copying and mailing all the records selected by you. The public records officer may also require you to pay the remainder of the copying costs before providing you all the records, or require you to pay the costs of copying an installment before providing you that installment. If you do not retrieve or pay for an installment of records within the time frame set by the public records officer, the balance of the request will not be fulfilled and your request will be closed.
- (5) If it is reasonable and feasible to do so, the commission may provide copies of records electronically. See WAC 390-14-028. Charges for electronic records, if any, are provided in the commission's schedule. Electronic disclosure of records includes providing them on the commission's web site.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-03-002, filed 1/4/12, effective 2/4/12)

WAC 390-14-035 ((Exempting records from public inspection.)) What records are exempt from public inspection and copying? (1) The public records officer ((shall delete)) may redact information from any record prior to permitting public inspection or copying if the information is exempt from disclosure according to RCW 42.56.210, another section of chapter 42.56 RCW or other applicable law. After such ((data)) information is ((deleted)) redacted, the remainder of the record ((shall)) may be made available. It is possible a record may be withheld in its entirety.

(2) ((All denials of requests for public records must be accompanied by)) If the agency denies all or part of your request, you will be provided a written statement specifying the reason for the denial, including a statement of the specific exemption authorizing the withholding of the record and a brief explanation of how the exemption applies to the record withheld.

- (3) Examples of exemptions that the agency may cite include, but are not limited to: Records related to a pending investigation (RCW 42.56.240(1)); records protected by the attorney client privilege or attorney work product (RCW 42.56.290 and 5.60.060); personal information in any files maintained for employees, appointees or elected officials to the extent that disclosure would violate their right to privacy (RCW 42.56.230); and bank account, credit card or similar numbers (RCW 42.56.230).
- (4) During the course of any investigation, records generated or collected as a result of that investigation are exempt from public inspection and copying under RCW 42.56.-240(1), until the investigation is completed. See WAC 390-37-060(4).
- (5) If you make a request for a record that implicates the privacy of an individual as defined in RCW 42.56.050, the agency may provide written notice of the request to allow the individual to request a protective order from a court under chapter 42.56 RCW.
- (6) The commission is required by law to return certain documents provided to the commission by candidates, campaigns, or political committees within one week of the completion of an audit or field investigation; therefore, those records may not be in the agency's possession if a records request is made after that time. See RCW 42.17A.105.
- (7) The agency is prohibited by RCW 42.56.070 from disclosing lists of individuals for commercial purposes. If you request such records you may be required to sign an affidavit attesting that you will not use those records for commercial purposes.
- (8) The commission may, in its discretion, release requested records despite the applicability of exemptions, if it determines that it is in the public interest and that the rights of third parties will not be prejudiced. This provision does not apply to releases of lists of individuals for commercial purposes.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-03-002, filed 1/4/12, effective 2/4/12)

WAC 390-14-040 ((Internal review of denials of)) What happens if my public records request((s-)) is denied? (1) ((Any person who)) If you object((s)) to the denial of ((a)) all or part of your request for a public record you may petition the commission chair for prompt review of such decision by ((tendering)) submitting a written request for review to the public records officer. ((The written request shall specifically refer to the written statement by the public records officer or other staff member which constituted or accompanied the denial.)) Your request for review must be in writing and address the specific reasons given by the agency when it denied your original public records request. Because of the risk of misunderstandings in oral communications, the commission will not consider an oral request for review.

(2) ((Immediately after receiving a)) The public records officer will immediately refer your written request for review of a decision denying a public record((, the public records officer shall refer it)) to the chair of the commission or the chair's designee. The chair ((shall)) or chair's designee will immediately consider the matter and either affirm or reverse,

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in whole or in part, such denial or call a special meeting of the commission as soon as legally possible to review the denial. In any case, the ((request shall be returned)) agency will provide you with a final decision within two business days following your petition for review of the original denial in accordance with RCW 42.56.520 unless you and the agency agree to a longer time period for this review.

- (3) The agency may also consider, and you are encouraged to consider, using alternative dispute resolution mechanisms to address the issues in your request for review.
- (4) If the agency denies you access to public records because it claims the record is exempt in whole or in part from disclosure, you may request the attorney general's office to review the matter under RCW 42.56.530. See WAC 44-06-160.
- (5) You may seek court review of a denial of a public records request under RCW 42.56.550 beginning two business days after the agency initially denies your request, regardless of any internal administrative appeal.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 02-03-018, filed 1/4/02, effective 2/4/02)

- WAC 390-14-045 What is the records index((=))? (1) The commission has ((established and)) implemented ((a)) an indexing system ((of indexing)) for the identification and location of the following records:
- (a) All records issued before July 1, 1990, for which the commission has maintained an index.
- (b) Final adjudicative orders and declaratory orders issued after June 30, 1990, that contain an analysis or decision of substantial importance to the commission in carrying out its duties.
- (c) Interpretive and policy statements ((that were)) issued after June 30, 1990.
- (2) Final and declaratory orders ((shall be)) <u>are</u> evaluated by the executive director or executive director's designee. Those orders which are determined to have substantial importance ((shall be)) <u>are</u> indexed <u>and posted on the agency's web site</u>.
- (3) Final orders ((shall be)) <u>are</u> indexed by the name of the person against whom the order was issued and by citation to the law involved.
- (4) Declaratory orders ((shall be)) are indexed by number, subject matter, phrase describing the issue or holding and citation to the law involved.
- (5) Interpretive statements and policy statements ((shall be)) are indexed by number and subject matter and are available on the agency's web site.
- (6) <u>Most indexes are available on-line and the indexes</u> are available for public inspection and copying weekdays, excluding legal holidays <u>or other days the agency is closed</u>, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. at the Public Disclosure Commission, 711 Capitol Way, Room 206, Evergreen Plaza Building, Olympia, Washington 98504-0908.
- (7) The indexes ((shall be)) are updated ((quarterly)) periodically. In addition to the indexing system, the commission also maintains and continually updates its web site at www.pdc.wa.gov, which includes commission rules, manu-

als and brochures; commission meeting agendas and materials; historical data, reports and other agency documents.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 03-22-065, filed 11/4/03, effective 12/5/03)

WAC 390-37-001 Enforcement cases—Jurisdiction. The commission enforces ((the sections of)) chapter 42.17A RCW concerning campaign financing, lobbyist reporting, reporting of public officials' financial affairs, reporting by public treasurers, political advertising, ((and)) campaign contribution limitations and the other provisions in chapter 42.17A RCW. The commission does not enforce the Public Records ((provisions of)) Act under chapter ((42.17)) 42.56 RCW ((because RCW 42.17.340)). RCW 42.56.550 provides for direct review by the superior courts for persons seeking to enforce chapter 42.56 RCW.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-03-002, filed 1/4/12, effective 2/4/12)

- WAC 390-37-060 Enforcement procedures—Investigation of complaints—Initiation of hearing (adjudicative proceeding). (1) Upon receipt of a complaint ((not)) the following will occur:
- (a) The executive director will conduct an initial review of the complaint to determine if it is obviously unfounded or frivolous((;)) or appears on its face to have merit. An initial review is a preliminary investigation to determine if there is sufficient ground indicating that a material violation of chapter 42.17A RCW may have occurred and/or the respondent may not be in substantial compliance with the relevant statutes and rules.
- (b) Whenever an initial review of a complaint indicates that a material violation of chapter 42.17A RCW may have occurred and/or the respondent may not be in substantial compliance with the relevant statutes and rules, the executive director ((shall)) may direct ((an)) a formal investigation be conducted.
- (c) If ((after an initial review of the complaint it is determined that a complete and thorough)) the executive director determines a formal investigation will require the expenditure of substantial resources, the executive director may request review and concurrence by the commission before ((continuing the investigation)) proceeding.
- (2) The executive director shall initiate an adjudicative proceeding or provide a report to the commission whenever an investigation reveals facts that the executive director has reason to believe are a material violation of ((the sections of)) chapter 42.17A RCW ((under the commission's jurisdiction,)) and do not constitute substantial compliance.
- (3) The respondent shall be notified of the date of the adjudicative proceeding no later than ten calendar days before that date. The notice shall contain the information required by RCW 34.05.434. The complainant shall also be provided a copy of this notice.
- (4) It is the policy of the commission during the course of any investigation that all records generated or collected as a result of that investigation are exempt from public inspection and copying under RCW 42.56.240(1).
  - (a) The records are exempt until:

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- (i) The enforcement matter is scheduled for an adjudicative proceeding;
- (ii) After receiving a report on an enforcement matter, the commission accepts the investigation as complete and moves the matter forward to an adjudicative proceeding, or dismisses the complaint, or refers the matter to law enforcement authorities under RCW 42.17A.105 or 42.17A.755(3);
- (iii) The commission or chair concur in a dismissal by the executive director; or
- (iv) The commission or executive director otherwise finally disposes of the complaint.
- (b) Without waiving any exemptions from public disclosure that are otherwise available for pending investigations, the commission may make public:
- (i) A copy of a complaint filed with or submitted to the commission, including any attachments; and
- (ii) Materials concerning an enforcement matter that are placed on the commission's web site with a commission meeting agenda.
- (c) If a request is made for any such record that implicates the privacy of an individual as defined in RCW 42.56.-050, written notice of the records request ((will)) may be provided to the individual in order that such individual may request a protective order from a court under RCW 42.56.-540.
- (d) Certain documents <u>provided to the commission</u> shall be returned to candidates, campaigns, or political committees as required by RCW 42.17A.105 within seven calendar days of the commission's final action upon completion of an audit or field investigation.

#### WSR 12-15-031 PROPOSED RULES CLARK COLLEGE

[Filed July 12, 2012, 8:48 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-07-050

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: First amendment activities for Community College District 14.

Hearing Location(s): Ellis Dunn Community Room, Gaiser Student Center, Clark College, 1933 Fort Vancouver Way, Vancouver, WA 98663, on August 22, 2012, at 5:00 p.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: August 22, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Mr. Bob Williamson, Vice-President of Administrative Services, Clark College, Mailstop BRD 159, 1933 Fort Vancouver Way, Vancouver, WA 98663, e-mail bwilliamson@clark.edu, fax (360) 992-2884, by August 17, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Tami Jacobs by August 17, 2012, TTY (360) 992-2835 or (360) 992-2580

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The proposed new code clarifies the "time, place and manner" of first amendment activities such as rallies, speeches and the distribution of flyers on college property and in college facilities consistent with what has been deemed acceptable by the courts

Reasons Supporting Proposal: Last year, the college adopted an official policy on the subject of first amendment activities using a template prepared by the state's attorney general's office. This policy balances the rights given under the first amendment with the college's responsibility to provide a safe and orderly environment in which to learn and work. The college is seeking to codify the policy as a new rule

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 28B.50.140. Statute Being Implemented: RCW 28B.50.140.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: [Clark College], governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting, Implementation and Enforcement: Bob Williamson, Clark College, Mailstop BRD 159, 1933 Fort Vancouver Way, Vancouver, WA 98663, (360) 992-2289.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. Not required - there will be no impact on small business if the proposed code is adopted.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. Costs associated with implementing and enforcing these rules are already accounted for in the college's budget.

July 11, 2012 Robert D. Williamson Vice-President of Administrative Services

#### Chapter 132N-153 WAC

### FIRST AMENDMENT ACTIVITIES FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT 14

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 132N-153-010 Title. WAC 132N-153-010 through 132N-153-090 shall be known as use of Community College District 14 facilities by college groups and noncollege groups for first amendment activities.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 132N-153-020 Statement of purpose. Clark College District 14 is an educational institution provided and maintained by the people of the state of Washington. The public character of the college does not grant to individuals an unlimited license to engage in activity which limits, interferes with, or otherwise disrupts the normal activities for and to which the college's buildings, facilities and grounds are dedicated and said buildings, facilities and grounds are not available for unrestricted use by noncollege groups. While said buildings, facilities and grounds are not available for unlimited use by college groups, it is recognized that Clark College students and employees should be accorded opportunity to utilize the facilities and grounds of the college to the fullest extent possible. The purpose of these time, place, and

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manner regulations is to establish procedures and reasonable controls for the use of college facilities for both noncollege and college groups. It is intended to balance the college's responsibility to fulfill its mission as a state educational institution of Washington with the interests of noncollege groups or college groups who wish to use the college for purposes of constitutionally protected speech, assembly, or expression.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 132N-153-030 **Definitions.** College facilities - All buildings, structures, grounds, office space, and parking lots.

College groups - Individuals who are currently enrolled students or current employees of Clark College or who are affiliated with a recognized student organization or a recognized employee group of the college.

First amendment activities - Include, but are not necessarily limited to, informational picketing, petition circulation, the distribution of information leaflets or pamphlets, speechmaking, demonstrations, rallies, appearances of speakers in outdoor areas, mass protests, meetings to display group feelings or sentiments and/or other types of constitutionally protected assemblies to share information, perspective or viewpoints.

Limited public forum areas - Those areas of each campus that the college has chosen to open as places for expressive activities protected by the first amendment, subject to reasonable time, place and manner. Limited public forum does not include college buildings, walkways or athletic fields. College buildings, rooms, and athletic fields may be rented in accordance with the college's facilities use policy.

Noncollege groups - Individuals, or combinations of individuals, who are not currently enrolled students or current employees of Clark College or who are not officially affiliated or associated with a recognized student organization or a recognized employee group of the college.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 132N-153-040 Request for use of facilities. (1) Subject to the regulations and requirements of this policy, college or noncollege groups may use the college limited forums for those activities protected by the first amendment.

- (2) Noncollege groups that intend to be at the college to engage in first amendment activities (hereinafter "the event") shall provide notice to and register with the security office no later than forty-eight hours prior to the event along with the following information:
- (a) The name, address, and telephone number of the individual, group, entity or organization sponsoring the event (hereinafter "the sponsoring organization").
- (b) The name, address, and telephone number of a contact person for the sponsoring organization.
  - (c) The date, time, and requested location of the event.
  - (d) The nature and purpose of the event.
- (e) The type of sound amplification devices to be used in connection with the event, if any.
- (f) The estimated number of people expected to participate in the event.

- (3) Policies established by the college regarding the use of facilities for events include: Clark College Administrative Policies and Procedures Manual 501.010 - Violation and/or Termination of Agreement (WAC 132N-150-270 Violation and/or termination of facilities use agreement); Clark College Administrative Policies and Procedures Manual 535.001 -Bulletin Boards/Posting of Signs and Flyers (WAC 132N-150-100 Bulletin boards); Clark College Administrative Policies and Procedures Manual 535.015 - Sites for Distribution of Public Information Materials (WAC 132N-150-090 Commercial use/solicitation); Clark College Administrative Policies and Procedures Manual 535.035 - Sale or Distribution of Materials (WAC 132N-150-090 Commercial use/solicitation); Clark College Administrative Policies and Procedures Manual 510.056 - Overnight Use (WAC 132N-150-200 Overnight use); and Clark College Administrative Policies and Procedures Manual 510.057 - Temporary Structures (WAC 132N-150-210 Temporary structures). Additional guidelines established by the college regarding the use of facilities, property or grounds for first amendment activities include the following:
- (a) Signs shall be no larger than three feet by five feet and no individual may carry more than one sign.
- (b) On the college's main campus, the event must be held in the open lawn area south and east of the Chime Tower, north and west of the Chime Tower to include the Fountain area, or east of the O'Connell Sports Center. The designated free speech area at Clark College at the Columbia Tech Center is the circle pad west of the main entry door. The designated areas at the Clark Center at WSU Vancouver are determined by WSU Vancouver policy. All proposed first amendment activities that are at locations other than Clark College must first be approved by the property owner. Please contact the vice-president of administrative services for more information.
- (c) The use of sound amplification devices is restricted to the limited public forum area as long as the sound amplification device is used at a volume which does not disrupt or disturb the normal use of classrooms, offices or laboratories or any previously scheduled college event or activity.
- (d) College groups are encouraged to notify security no later than forty-eight hours in advance of an event. However, unscheduled events are permitted so long as the event does not interfere with any other function occurring at or around the facility, property or grounds.
- (e) First amendment activities at the college's main campus and at the Columbia Tech Center shall not last longer than five hours from beginning to end.
- (f) Information may be distributed as long as it does not advocate unlawful conduct. The sponsoring organization is encouraged, but not required, to include its name and address on the distributed information. To avoid excessive littering of the college and/or greatly increased work requirements for college employees, groups are asked to cooperate with the college in limiting the distribution of information leaflets or pamphlets to the limited public forum site. In addition, material cannot be forced upon any member of the college community, including visitors, nor may individuals verbally or physically harass or intimidate anyone into accepting their material.

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- (g) Speech that does no more than propose a commercial transaction shall not occur in connection with the event.
- (h) The limited public forum used by the group should be cleaned up and left in its original condition and may be subject to inspection by a representative of the college after the event. Reasonable charges may be assessed against the sponsoring organization for the costs of extraordinary clean-up or for the repair of damaged property.
- (i) All fire, safety, sanitation or special regulations specified for the event are to be obeyed. The college cannot and will not provide utility connections or hook-ups for purposes of first amendment activities conducted pursuant to this policy.
- (j) The event must not obstruct vehicular, bicycle, pedestrian or other traffic or otherwise interfere with ingress or egress to the college, or to college buildings or facilities, or to college activities or events.
- (k) The event must not create safety hazards or pose unreasonable safety risks to college students, employees or invitees to the college.
- (l) ADA compliance of the facilities is the responsibility of the college; however, accommodations related to the event and any materials distributed are the responsibility of the sponsoring organization, as required by state and federal law.
- (m) The event must not interfere with educational activities inside or outside any college building or otherwise prevent the college from fulfilling its mission and achieving its primary purpose of providing an education to its students.
- (n) The event must not materially infringe on the rights and privileges of college students, employees or invitees to the college.
- (o) The event must also be in accordance with any other applicable college policies and regulations, local ordinances and/or state or federal laws.

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WAC 132N-153-050 Additional requirements for noncollege groups. The limited public forum may not be used on the same date as any previously scheduled college event or activity at the site (aside from regularly scheduled classes) where it is reasonably anticipated that more than five hundred people will attend the college event or activity.

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WAC 132N-153-060 The role of the president in first amendment decisions. The president of the college or designee may authorize first amendment activities which are reasonably determined not to cause disruption of college activities despite a literal violation of this policy statement. Such determinations shall be made without consideration of the content or message of the first amendment activities.

The president of the college or designee may at any time, terminate, cancel or prohibit the event if it is determined, after proper inquiry, that the event does constitute or will constitute imminent and incendiary danger to the college's orderly operation.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 132N-153-070 Criminal trespass. Any person determined to be violating these regulations is subject to an order from security to leave the college. Persons failing to comply with such an order to leave the college are subject to arrest for criminal trespass.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 132N-153-080 Posting of a bond and hold harmless statement. When using college buildings or athletic fields, an individual or organization may be required to post a bond and/or obtain insurance to protect the college against cost or other liability in accordance with the college's facility use policy.

When the college grants permission to a college group or noncollege group to use its facilities, it is with the express understanding and condition that the individual or organization assumes full responsibility for any loss or damage.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 132N-153-090 Disclaimer. Groups or individuals who are invited or permitted to engage in first amendment activities at the college do not represent an endorsement by Clark College or the board of trustees.

#### WSR 12-15-040 PROPOSED RULES GAMBLING COMMISSION

[Filed July 13, 2012, 11:02 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-041.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: WAC 230-06-020 Restrictions on alcohol as prizes.

Hearing Location(s): Grand Mound Great Wolf Lodge, 20500 Old Highway 99 S.W., Grand Mound, WA 98531, (360) 254-3100, on September 13 or 14, 2012, at 9:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m. NOTE: Meeting dates and times are tentative. Visit our web site at www.wsgc.wa.gov and select public meeting about ten days before the meeting to confirm meeting date/location/start time.

Date of Intended Adoption: September 13 or 14, 2012. NOTE: Meeting dates and times are tentative. Visit our web site at www.wsgc.wa.gov and select public meeting about ten days before the meeting to confirm meeting date/location/start time.

Submit Written Comments to: Susan Arland, P.O. Box 42400, Olympia, WA 98504-2400, e-mail SusanA@wsgc. wa.gov, fax (360) 486-3625, by September 1, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Gail Grate, executive assistant, by September 1, 2012, TTY (360) 486-3637 or (360) 486-3453.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: During the 2012 legislative session, SB 6465 passed amending RCW

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9.46.0315 to allow *members-only* raffles to exceed \$5,000 in yearly gross revenue, if the charitable or nonprofit organization obtains a raffle license. The law became effective June 7, 2012.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: This rule change is needed to update gambling rules to match state law.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 9.46.070, 9.46.-0315.

Statute Being Implemented: Not applicable.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Washington state gambling commission, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Susan Arland, Rules Coordinator, Lacey, (360) 486-3466; Implementation: Rick Day, Director, Lacey, (360) 486-3446; and Enforcement: Mark Harris, Assistant Director, Lacey, (360) 486-3579.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. A small business economic impact statement was not prepared because the rule change would not impose additional costs on any licensees.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. The Washington state gambling commission is not an agency that is statutorily required to prepare a cost-benefit analysis under RCW 34.05.328.

July 13, 2012 Susan Arland Rules Coordinator

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Order 601, filed 8/22/06, effective 1/1/08)

## WAC 230-06-020 Restrictions on alcohol as prizes. Licensees must not offer or award beverages that contain alcohol as a prize or in place of a prize for any gambling activity except:

- (1) Dice or coin contests for music, food, or beverage payment as authorized by RCW 9.46.0305; and
- (2) ((<del>Unlicensed</del>)) <u>Members-only</u> raffles authorized by RCW 9.46.0315, but only if the liquor control board granted the appropriate permit; and
- (3) Other gambling activities where the liquor control board has authorized alcohol as a prize.

### WSR 12-15-048 PROPOSED RULES BELLINGHAM TECHNICAL COLLEGE

[Filed July 16, 2012, 3:02 p.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-01-078.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: Use of facilities for first amendment activities: Chapter 495B-140 WAC, Use of college facilities and chapter 495B-120 WAC, College code of conduct.

Hearing Location(s): Bellingham Technical College, College Services, Room 215, 3028 Lindbergh Avenue, Bellingham, WA 98248, on August 22, 2012, at 3:00 p.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: September 20, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Ronda Laughlin, 3028 Lindbergh Avenue, Bellingham, WA 98248, e-mail rlaughlin @btc.ctc.edu, fax (360) 752-7134, by August 16, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Mary Gerard by August 15, 2012, TTY (360) 752-8515 or (360) 752-8576

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: To update wording to address first amendment activities and processes on the Bellingham Technical College campus by students, staff and visitors.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: See above.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 28B.50.130.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 28B.50.130.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Bellingham Technical College, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Ronda Laughlin, College Services, Room 213, (360) 752-8334; Implementation and Enforcement: Debra Jones, College Services, Room, (360) 752-8313.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. The amendments to this rule do not have an economic impact to small business.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. There is [are] not [no] costs imposed with the amendments to this rule.

July 16, 2012 Patricia L. McKeown President

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-04-016, filed 1/21/11, effective 2/21/11)

WAC 495B-120-010 Definitions. The definitions set forth in this section apply throughout this chapter.

- (1) "Board" means the board of trustees of Bellingham Technical College.
  - (2) "College" means Bellingham Technical College.
- (3) "Alcohol" or "alcoholic beverages" means the definition of liquor as contained within RCW 66.04.010 as now law or hereinafter amended.
- (4) "Drugs" means a narcotic drug as defined in RCW 69.50.101, a controlled substance as defined in RCW 69.50.201 through 69.50.212, or a legend drug as defined in RCW 69.41.010.
- (5) "College facilities" ((means the real property controlled or operated by the college and includes all buildings and appurtenances affixed thereon or attached thereto)) includes all buildings, structures, grounds, office space and parking lots.
- (6) "President" means the chief executive officer of the college appointed by the board of trustees.
- (7) "Disciplinary officials" means the disciplinary committee as denominated in WAC 495B-120-170, the vice-pres-

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ident of student services, the vice-president of instruction, and the president.

- (8) "Student" means a person who is enrolled at the college.
- (9) "Disciplinary action" means the reprimand, disciplinary warning, probation, summary suspension, deferred suspension, suspension, or expulsion of a student under WAC 495B-120-120 for the violation of a rule adopted in this chapter

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending WSR 11-04-016, filed 1/21/11, effective 2/21/11)

WAC 495B-120-060 Free movement on campus. The president is authorized to prohibit the entry of or to withdraw the privileges of any person or group of persons to enter onto or remain upon any portion of the college campus if he/she deems that an individual or a group of individuals disrupts the ingress or egress of others from the college facilities. The president may act through the vice-president of student services or any other person he/she may designate.

There shall be no overnight camping on college facilities or grounds. Camping is defined to include sleeping outside, sleeping in vehicles, carrying on cooking activities, or storing personal belongings for personal habitation, or the erection of tents or other shelters or structures used for purposes of personal habitation.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending WSR 11-04-016, filed 1/21/11, effective 2/21/11)

WAC 495B-120-090 Campus speakers. (1) Student organizations officially recognized by the college may invite speakers to the campus to address their own membership and other interested students and faculty if suitable space is available and there is no interference with the regularly scheduled program of the college. Although properly allowed by the college, the appearance of such speakers on the campus implies neither approval nor disapproval of them or their viewpoints. In case of speakers who are candidates for political office, equal opportunities shall be available to opposing candidates if desired by them. Speakers are subject to the normal considerations for law and order and to the specific limitations imposed by the state constitution regarding religious worship, exercise, or instruction on state property.

- (2) In order to ensure an atmosphere of open exchange and to ensure that the educational objectives of the college are not obscured, the president, in a case attended by strong emotional feeling, may prescribe conditions for the conduct of the meeting including, but not limited to, the time, the manner, and the place for the conduct of such a meeting. Likewise, the president may require permission for comments and questions from the floor and/or may encourage the appearance of one or more additional speakers at a meeting or at a subsequent meeting so that other points of view may be expressed.
- (3) ((A free speech area may be designated by the college president and can be reserved by student groups and student organizations through the office of the vice-president of student services.)) The college has designated an area as the sole limited public forum area for first amendment activities on

campus. This area is identified in the college facilities use policy and may change from time to time as decided by the college president.

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- WAC 495B-140-005 Definitions. (1) College groups shall mean individuals, or combination of individuals, who are currently enrolled students or current employees of Bellingham Technical College or who are affiliated with a recognized student organization or a recognized employee group of the college.
- (2) College facilities include all buildings, structures, grounds, office space, and parking lots.
- (3) "Limited public forum areas" means those areas of each campus that the college has chosen to open as places for expressive activities protected by the first amendment, subject to reasonable time, place, or manner restrictions. This area is identified in the college facilities use policy and may change from time to time as decided by the college president.
- (4) Noncollege groups shall mean individuals, or combinations of individuals, who are not currently enrolled students or current employees of Bellingham Technical College or who are not officially affiliated or associated with a recognized student organization or a recognized employee group of the college.
- (5) "Expressive activity" includes, but is not limited to, informational picketing, petition circulation, the distribution of informational leaflets or pamphlets, speech-making, demonstrations, rallies, appearances of speakers in outdoor areas, protests, meetings to display group feelings or sentiments and/or other types of assemblies to share information, perspective or viewpoints.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending WSR 93-05-018, filed 2/10/93, effective 3/13/93)

WAC 495B-140-010 Use of college facilities. Bellingham Technical College ((serves Whateom County by providing continued educational opportunity for its citizens)) is an educational institution provided and maintained by the people of the state of Washington. College facilities are reserved primarily for educational use including, but not limited to, instruction, research, public assembly of college groups, student activities and other activities directly related to the educational mission of the college. In keeping with this general purpose, the college believes that facilities should be available for a variety of uses which are of benefit to the general public if such general uses do not interfere with the educational mission of the college. However, a state agency is under no obligation to make its public facilities available to the community for private purposes.

The purpose of the time, place, and manner restrictions set forth in this policy is to establish procedures and reasonable controls for the use of college facilities for both college and noncollege groups. It is intended to balance the college's responsibility to fulfill its mission as a state educational institution of Washington with the interests of college groups and noncollege groups who are interested in using the campus for purposes of constitutionally protected speech, assembly, or expression. The college recognizes that college groups

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should be accorded the opportunity to utilize the facilities and grounds of the college. The college intends to open its facilities to noncollege groups to a lesser extent as set forth herein.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 93-05-018, filed 2/10/93, effective 3/13/93)

WAC 495B-140-020 Limitation of use to college activities. (1) When allocating use of college facilities, the highest priority is always given to activities specifically related to the college's mission. No arrangements will be made that may interfere with or operate to the detriment of, the college's own teaching, research, or public service programs. In particular, college buildings, properties, and facilities, including those assigned to student programs, are used primarily for:

- (a) The regularly established teaching, research, or public service activities of the college and its departments;
- (b) Cultural, educational, or recreational activities of the students, faculty, or staff;
- (c) Short courses, conferences, seminars, or similar events, conducted either in the public service or for the advancement of specific departmental professional interests, when arranged under the sponsorship of the college or its departments.
- (d) Public events of a cultural or professional nature brought to the campus at the request of college departments or committees and presented with their active sponsorship and active participation;
- (e) Activities or programs sponsored by educational institutions, by state or federal agencies, by charitable agencies or civic or community organizations whose activities are of widespread public service and of a character appropriate to the college.
- (2) College facilities shall be assigned to student organizations for regular business meetings, social functions and for programs open to the public. Any recognized campus student organization may invite speakers from outside the college community. The appearance of an invited speaker on campus does not represent an endorsement by the college, its students, faculty, administration, or the board of trustees, implicitly or explicitly, of the speaker's views.
- (3) Reasonable conditions may be imposed to regulate the timeliness of requests, to determine the appropriateness of space assigned, time of use, and to ((insure)) ensure the proper maintenance of the facilities. Subject to the same limitations, college facilities shall be made available for assignment to individuals or groups within the college community. Arrangements by both organizations and individuals must be made through the designated administrative officer. Allocation of space shall be made in accordance with college rules and on the basis of time, space, priority of request and the demonstrated needs of the applicant.
- (4) The college may restrict an individual's or a group's use of college facilities if that person or group has, in the past, physically abused college facilities. Monetary charges may be imposed for damage or for any unusual costs for the use of facilities. The individual, group or organization requesting space will be required to state in advance the general purpose of any meeting.

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- WAC 495B-140-035 Additional requirements for noncollege groups. (1) College buildings and rooms may be rented by noncollege groups in accordance with the college's facilities policy. Noncollege groups may otherwise use college facilities as identified in this policy.
- (2) Noncollege groups that seek to use the campus limited forums to engage in first amendment activities shall provide notice to the campus public safety department no later than forty-eight hours prior to the event along with the following information:
- (a) The name, address, and telephone number of the individual, group, entity, or organization sponsoring the event (hereinafter "the sponsoring organization");
- (b) The name, address, and telephone number of a contact person for the sponsoring organization;
  - (c) The date, time, and requested location of event;
  - (d) The nature and purpose of the event;
- (e) The estimated number of people expected to participate in the event;
- (f) Noncollege groups must have received a confirmation of the receipt of their notice.
- (3) Noncollege group events shall not last longer than five hours from beginning to end.
- (4) The college president or designee is authorized to make exceptions to the policies limiting use in the case of noncollege group events and/or activities.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 93-05-018, filed 2/10/93, effective 3/13/93)

WAC 495B-140-040 General policies limiting use. (1) College facilities may not be used for purposes of political campaigning by or for candidates who have filed for public office except for student-sponsored activities or forums.

- (2) Religious groups shall not, under any circumstances, use the college facilities as a permanent meeting place. Use may be intermittent only.
- (3) The college reserves the right to prohibit the use of college facilities by groups which restrict membership or participation in a manner inconsistent with the college's commitment to nondiscrimination as set forth in its written policies and rules.
- (4) Activities of a political or commercial nature will not be approved if they involve the use of promotional signs or posters on buildings, trees, walls, or bulletin boards, or the distribution of samples outside the rooms or facilities to which access has been granted.
- (5) These rules shall apply to ((recognized student)) college and noncollege groups using college facilities.
- (6) ((Handbills, leaflets, and similar materials except those which are commercial, obscene, or unlawful may be distributed only in designated areas on the campus where, and at times when, such distribution will not interfere with the orderly administration of the college affairs or the free flow of traffic. Any distribution of materials as authorized by the designated administrative officer shall not be construed as support or approval of the content by the college community or the board of trustees.

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- (7))) Use of audio amplifying equipment <u>such as bull-horns</u>, <u>microphones</u>, <u>or loud speakers</u> is <u>not</u> permitted ((<del>only</del>)). Exceptions can be made by college administration in locations and at times which will not interfere with the normal conduct of college affairs as determined by the appropriate administrative officer.
- (((8))) (7) No person or group may use or enter onto college facilities having in their possession firearms or weapons, except as prescribed by law.
- (((9))) (8) The right of peaceful dissent within the college community will be preserved. The college retains the right to take steps to insure the safety of individuals, the continuity of the educational process, and the protection of property. While peaceful dissent is acceptable, violence or disruptive behavior is not a legitimate means of dissent. Should any person, group or organization attempt to resolve differences by means of violence, the college and its officials need not negotiate while such methods are employed.
- (((10) Orderly picketing and other forms of peaceful dissent are protected activities on and about the college premises. However,)) (9) Interference with free passage of vehicles, cyclists, pedestrians, or other traffic through areas where members of the college community have a right to be, interference with ingress and egress to college facilities, interruption of classes, injury to persons, or damage to property exceeds permissible limits and is not permitted. The event must not create safety hazards or pose unreasonable safety risks to college students, employees, or invitees of the college.
- (((11) Where college space is used for an authorized function (such as a class or a public or private meeting under approved sponsorship, administrative functions or service related activities),)) (10) Groups must obey ((or)) and comply with directions of the designated ((administrative officer)) college administrator or individual in charge of the meeting.
- ((<del>(12)</del>)) (11) If a college facility abuts a public area or street, and if ((student)) group activity, although on public property, unreasonably interferes with ingress and egress to college buildings, or creates a disruption for the neighbors bordering the college, the college may choose to impose its own sanctions although remedies might also be available through local law enforcement agencies.
- (12) Signs shall be no larger than three feet by five feet and no individual may carry more than one sign.
- (13) College groups are asked to obtain authorization from the designated administrator no later than twenty-four hours in advance of an event.
- (14) College group events shall not last longer than eight hours from beginning to end. Noncollege group events shall not last longer than five hours from beginning to end.
- (15) The college has designated an area as the sole limited public forum area for first amendment activities on campus. This area is identified in the college facilities use policy and may change from time to time as decided by the college president.
- (16) All sites must be cleaned up and left in their original condition and may be subject to inspection by a representative of the college after the event. Reasonable charges may be assessed against the sponsoring organization for extraordi-

- nary costs including, but not limited to, clean-up, security, or for the repair or replacement of damaged property.
- (17) All fire, safety, sanitation, or special regulations specified for the event are to be obeyed. The college cannot and will not provide utility connections or hook-ups.
- (18) Subject to the regulations of this policy, both college and noncollege groups may use the campus limited forums for first amendment activities between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. throughout the year except during the following days of the year:
  - (a) The first week and the final exam week of each term; (b) Advising day;
- (c) Kickoff and convocation weeks, or in other words, the two weeks immediately preceding each quarter;
  - (d) Campus events.
- (19) There shall be no overnight camping on college facilities or grounds. Camping is defined to include sleeping outside, sleeping in vehicles, carrying on cooking activities, or storing personal belongings for personal habitation, or the erection of tents or other shelters or structures used for purposes of personal habitation.
- (20) College facilities may not be used for commercial sales, solicitations, advertising or promotional activities, unless:
- (a) Such activities serve educational purposes of the college; and
- (b) Such activities are under the sponsorship of a college department or office or officially chartered student club.
- (21) The event must also be conducted in accordance with any other applicable college policies and regulations, college, local ordinances, and state or federal laws.
- (22) The college president or designee is authorized to make exceptions to the policies limiting use in the case of college sponsored events and/or instructional activities.

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WAC 495B-140-045 Distribution of materials. Information may be distributed as long as it is not obscene or libelous or does not advocate or incite imminent unlawful conduct. The sponsoring organization is encouraged, but not required, to include its name and address on the distributed information. College groups may post information on bulletin boards, kiosks and other display areas designated for that purpose, and may distribute materials throughout the open areas of campus. Noncollege groups may distribute materials only at the site designated for noncollege groups and as authorized by the college. Any distribution of materials as authorized by the designated administrative officer shall not be construed as support or approval of the content by the college community or the board of trustees.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 93-05-018, filed 2/10/93, effective 3/13/93)

WAC 495B-140-060 Trespass. (1) Individuals who are not students or members of the faculty or staff and who violate these rules will be advised of the specific nature of the violation, and if they persist in the violation, they will be requested by the president, or his or her designee, to leave the college property. Such a request prohibits the entry of and

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withdraws the license or privilege to enter onto or remain upon any portion of the college facilities by the person or group of persons requested to leave. Such persons shall be subject to arrest under the provisions of chapter 9A.52 RCW.

- (2) <u>Students who violate proscriptions within these regulations (chapter 495B-140 WAC) will be disciplined in accordance with the campus code of conduct (chapter 495B-120 WAC).</u>
- (3) Faculty and staff who violate proscriptions within these regulations (chapter 495B-140 WAC) will be disciplined in accordance with established college policies.
- (4) Members of the college community (students, faculty, and staff) who do not comply with these regulations will be reported to the appropriate college office or agency for action in accordance with these rules.
- (5) Persons or groups who violate the law, a college policy or rule may have their license or privilege to be on school property revoked and be ordered to withdraw from and refrain from entering upon any college property. Remaining on or reentering college property after one's license or privilege to be on college property has been revoked shall constitute trespass and such individual shall be subject to arrest for criminal trespass.
- (6) There shall be no overnight camping on college facilities or grounds, including off-campus facilities owned or leased by the college. Camping is defined to include sleeping, sleeping in a vehicle, carrying on cooking activities, or storing personal belongings for personal habitation, or the erection of tents or other shelters or structures used for the purpose of personal habitation. However, the college president or designee is authorized to make exceptions in the case of college sponsored events and/or instructional activities.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 93-05-018, filed 2/10/93, effective 3/13/93)

WAC 495B-140-090 Basis of fee assessment. (1) The basis for establishing and charging use fees reflects the college's assessment of the present market, the cost of operations, and an evaluation of the intended purpose and its relationship to the purposes of this college. The board of trustees has determined that groups or organizations affiliated with the college should be permitted access to facilities at the lowest charge on the fee schedule which may include complimentary use. A current fee schedule is available to interested persons from the business office.

(2) The college does not wish to compete with private enterprise. Therefore, the college reserves the right to deny applications for facility use when the administration and/or the board of trustees feel((s)) a commercial facility should be patronized. At no time will facility use be granted for a commercial activity at a rental rate, or upon terms, less than the full and fair rental value of premises used.

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WAC 495B-140-105 Posting of a bond and hold harmless statement. When using college facilities and grounds, an individual or organization may be required to post a bond and/or obtain insurance to protect the college

against cost or other liability in accordance with the college's facility use policy.

When the college grants permission to a college group or noncollege group to use its facilities it is with the express understanding and condition that the individual or organization assumes full responsibility for any injuries, loss, or damage.

#### WSR 12-15-052 PROPOSED RULES OLYMPIC COLLEGE

[Filed July 17, 2012, 9:05 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-049.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: Adjudicative proceedings.

Hearing Location(s): Olympic College, Johnson Library, Room 108, 937 West Alpine Way, Shelton, WA 98584, on August 28, 2012, at 5:00 p.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: August 28, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Thomas Oliver, Olympic College, 1600 Chester Avenue, Bremerton, WA 98337, e-mail toliver@olympic.edu, fax (360) 475-7505, by August 16, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Karen Fusco by August 15, 2012, TTY (360) 475-7543 or (360) 475-7542.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The purpose is to assist those who wish to appeal decisions made by Olympic College to understand the proper procedures, and to assure that the procedures are consistent with the model rules of procedure adopted by the chief administrative law judge pursuant to RCW 34.05.250.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: The college's current policy has not been adopted into WAC, by doing so, it is more widely published and carries the weight of an official rule.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: Chapter 28B.50 RCW.

Statute Being Implemented: Chapter 28B.50 RCW.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Bruce Riveland, Vice-President for Administrative Services, Olympic College, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Thomas Oliver, CSC 210, 1600 Chester, Bremerton, WA 98337, (360) 475-7502; Implementation and Enforcement: Dr. David C. Mitchell, CSC 500, 1600 Chester, Bremerton, WA 98337, (360) 475-7102.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. There will be no impact on any entity other than Olympic College.

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A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. There is no significant economic impact.

July 17, 2012 Thomas Oliver Rules Coordinator

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WAC 132C-285-020 Adjudicative proceedings. (1) Purpose. Adjudicative proceedings are formal proceedings designed to resolve disagreements between Olympic College and any of its constituents, including students, employees and members of the general public. The college strongly encourages, but does not require, parties to explore whether disputes can be resolved through informal dispute resolution methods before submitting them to formal hearing.

- (2) **Policy.** The model rules of procedure adopted by the chief administrative law judge pursuant to RCW 34.05.250 are adopted for use at the college. Those rules may be found in chapter 10-08 WAC. Other procedural rules adopted in this title are supplementary to the model rules of procedure. To the extent of any conflict between the model rules and the college's procedural rules, the college's rules shall prevail.
- (3) **Matters subject to brief adjudication.** The provisions of RCW 34.05.482 through 34.05.494, (brief adjudication) are hereby adopted. Brief adjudicative proceedings shall be used in all matters related to:
- (a) Appeals from residency determinations under RCW 28B.15.013;
- (b) Appeals of student suspensions for a time period less than eleven academic days;
  - (c) Challenges to contents of educational records;
  - (d) Appeals of library charges;
  - (e) Federal financial aid appeals;
  - (f) Appeals of student debt collection decisions;
- (g) Appeals of employee debt collection not related to payroll;
  - (h) Appeals of trespass orders; and
- (i) Appeals pursuant to any other formal policy adopted by the college which specifically provides for a brief adjudicative procedure.
- (4) **Application for adjudicative proceeding.** An application for an adjudicative proceeding, including a brief adjudicative proceeding, shall be submitted in writing. The application shall include the printed name, signature and contact information of the applicant, the nature of the matter for which an adjudicative proceeding is sought, a description of the facts involved, and the relief requested. An application shall be submitted to the president's office within twenty days of the agency action giving rise to the application, except as otherwise provided by statute or rule.
- (5) Appointment of presiding officer(s). The president of the college (or his or her designee) shall appoint presiding officers for formal and brief adjudicative proceedings. The presiding officer(s) shall be either an individual, or a panel of individuals, who is a member of the administration, faculty, staff, or student body, or any combination of the foregoing. When a panel of individuals is selected, one person will be designated as the chair by the president (or president's designee) to make final decisions concerning discovery, closure,

means of recording adjudicative proceedings, and similar matters.

- (6) **Discovery.** Discovery in adjudicative proceedings may be permitted at the discretion of the presiding officer or the chair. In permitting discovery, the presiding officer or the chair shall refer to the civil rules of procedure. The presiding officer or the chair shall have the power to control the frequency and nature of the discovery permitted, and to order discovery conferences to discuss discovery issues.
- (7) **Method of recording.** Proceedings shall be recorded by a method chosen by the presiding officer or the chair from among those available under the model rules of procedure, WAC 10-08-170.

#### (8) Procedure for closing parts of a hearing.

- (a) Any party may apply for a protective order to close part of a hearing. The moving party shall file a written statement setting forth the reasons for the request with the presiding officer or chair and serve copies on all other parties. If another party opposes the request, a written response to the request shall be submitted within ten days of the request to the presiding officer or the chair. The presiding officer or the chair shall determine which, if any, parts of the proceeding shall be closed, and shall state the reasons in writing within twenty days of receiving the request.
- (b) No cameras or recording devices, other than the official recording method, shall be allowed in proceedings or parts of proceedings that have been closed.

#### WSR 12-15-056 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

[Filed July 17, 2012, 10:37 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Exempt from preproposal statement of inquiry under RCW 34.05.310(4).

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: Title 246 WAC, reducing the health evidence resource for Washington (HEAL-WA) surcharge for professions required to pay the fee.

Profession	WAC	Current HEAL-WA Fee (annual)	Proposed HEAL-WA Fee (annual)
Chiropractors	246-808-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Marriage/family thera- pists	246-809-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Massage therapists	246-830-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Mental health counsel- ors	246-809-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Midwives	246-834-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Naturopathic physicians	246-836-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Optometrists	246-851-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Osteopathic physicians	246-853-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Osteopathic physician assistants	246-853-990	\$25.00	\$16.00

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Profession	WAC	Current HEAL-WA Fee (annual)	Proposed HEAL-WA Fee (annual)
Physicians	246-919-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Physician assistants	246-918-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Podiatrists	246-922-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Psychologists	246-924-990	\$25.00	\$16.00
Registered nurses	246-840-990	\$20.00	\$16.00
Social workers (advanced and independent)	246-809-990	\$25.00	\$16.00

East Asian medicine practitioners are not impacted by the fee change and not included in this table.

Hearing Location(s): Department of Health, Town Center 2, 111 Israel Road S.E., Room 158, Tumwater, WA 98504, on August 27, 2012, at 1:30 p.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: August 27, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Andy Fernando, P.O. Box 47860, Olympia, WA 98504-7860, e-mail http://www3.doh.wa.gov/policyreview/, fax (360) 236-4626, by August 27, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Andy Fernando by August 14, 2012, TTY (800) 833-6388 or 711.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The proposed rules will reduce the licensing surcharge collected from specific licensees to support the HEAL-WA web portal provided by the University of Washington (UW). These professions are outlined in RCW 43.70.110. Reducing the surcharge will align the revenue collected with the department's spending authority to transfer fees collected to the UW. The proposed fee reduction does not impact East Asian medicine practitioners. The proposed rules also make general housekeeping edits.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: RCW 43.70.110 requires that the department collect a surcharge with the licensee fees and transfer the funds collected to the UW. The revenue the department collects exceeds the current appropriation authority because of an increase in the number of licensees for the professions required to pay the surcharge. Reducing the HEAL-WA fee will align the revenue collected with the appropriation authority.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 43.70.110, 43.70.250.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 43.70.110.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Department of health, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Dianna Staley, 111 Israel Road S.E., Tumwater, WA 98504, (360) 236-4997; Implementation and Enforcement: Joy King, 111 Israel Road S.E., Tumwater, WA 98504, (360) 236-4936.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. Under RCW 19.85.025 and 34.05.310 (4)(f), a small business economic impact statement is not required for proposed rules that set or adjust fees or rates pursuant to legislative standards.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. The agency did not complete a cost-benefit analysis under RCW 34.05.328. RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(vi) exempts rules that set or adjust fees or rates pursuant to legislative standards.

July 17, 2012 Mary C. Selecky Secretary

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-20-092, filed 10/4/11, effective 12/1/11)

WAC 246-808-990 Chiropractic fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses and registrations must be renewed on the practitioner's birthday every year as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.

(2) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for chiropractic license:

Title of Fee	Fee
Application/full examination or reexamina-	\$630.00
tion	
Temporary permit application	205.00
Temporary practice permit	105.00
Preceptorship	155.00
License renewal	582.00
Late renewal penalty	302.00
Expired license reissuance	302.00
Inactive license renewal	257.00
Expired inactive license reissuance	157.00
Duplicate license	30.00
Certification of license	30.00
UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00))
	16.00

(3) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for chiropractic X-ray technician registration:

Title of Fee	Fee
Application	47.00
Original registration	47.00
Renewal	62.00
Late renewal penalty	62.00
Expired registration reissuance	62.00
Duplicate registration	30.00
Certification of registration	30.00

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending WSR 11-19-098, filed 9/20/11, effective 1/1/12)

WAC 246-809-990 Licensed counselor, and associate—Fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.

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(2) Associate licenses are valid for one year and must be renewed every year on the date of issuance. The associate license may be renewed no more than four times.

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Title		Fee
(3)	The following nonrefundable fees will be for licensed marriage and family therapist	
	Application	\$150.00
	Initial license	75.00
	Renewal	140.00
	Late renewal penalty	70.00
	Expired license reissuance	85.00
	Duplicate license	10.00
	Certification of license	10.00
	UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00)) 16.00
(4)	The following nonrefundable fees will be for licensed mental health counselor:	charged
	Application	140.00
	Initial license	125.00
	Renewal	138.00
	Late renewal penalty	60.00
	Expired license reissuance	65.00
	Duplicate license	10.00
	Certification of license	10.00
	UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00)) 16.00
(5)	The following nonrefundable fees will be	charged
	for licensed advanced social worker and l	icensed
	independent clinical social worker:	
	Application	125.00
	Initial license	125.00
	Renewal	126.00
	Late renewal penalty	63.00
	Expired license reissuance	72.50
	Duplicate license	10.00
	Certification of license	10.00
	UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00)) 16.00
(6)	The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for licensed marriage and family therapy associates:	
	Application	50.00
	Renewal	40.00
	Late renewal penalty	40.00
	Expired license reissuance	40.00
	Duplicate license	15.00

Certification of license

selor associates:

The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for licensed mental health coun-

(7)

15.00

Title		Fee
	Application	50.00
	Renewal	40.00
	Late renewal penalty	40.00
	Expired license reissuance	40.00
	Duplicate license	15.00
	Certification of license	15.00
(8)	The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for licensed advanced social worker associates and licensed independent clinical social worker associates:	
	Application	50.00
	Renewal	40.00
	Late renewal penalty	40.00
	Expired license reissuance	40.00
	Duplicate license	15.00
	Certification of license	15.00

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 09-11-016, filed 5/7/09, effective 6/7/09)

WAC 246-830-990 Massage fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2. ((The secretary may require payment of renewal fees less than those established in this section if the current level of fees is likely to result in a surplus of funds. Surplus funds are those in excess of the amount necessary to pay for the costs of administering the program and to maintain a reasonable reserve. Notice of any adjustment in the required payment will be provided to practitioners. The adjustment in the required payment shall remain in place for the duration of a renewal cycle to assure practitioners an equal benefit from the adjustment.))

(2) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged:

Title of Fee	Fee
Written examination and reexamination	\$65.00
Practical examination and reexamination	50.00
Initial license	90.00
Renewal	65.00
Late renewal penalty	50.00
Expired license reissuance	50.00
Inactive license renewal	50.00
Expired inactive license reissuance	50.00
Certification of license	10.00
Duplicate license	10.00
Intraoral massage endorsement	25.00
UW ((library)) on-line access fee (HEAL-	((25.00))
<u>WA)</u>	<u>16.00</u>

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-19-098, filed 9/20/11, effective 1/1/12)

WAC 246-834-990 Midwifery fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.

(2) The following fees are nonrefundable:

Title of Fee	Fee
Initial application	\$500.00
National examination administration (initial/retake)	103.00
State examination (initial/retake)	155.00
Renewal	500.00
Late renewal penalty	250.00
Duplicate license	25.00
Certification of license	25.00
Application fee—Midwife-in-training program	978.75
Expired license reissuance	300.00
UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00))
	<u>16.00</u>

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-13-104, filed 6/20/12, effective 7/21/12)

WAC 246-836-990 Naturopathic physician licensing fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.

(2) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged:

Title of Fee	Amount
Application initial/retake	\$100.00
State examination (initial/retake)	100.00
Initial license	100.00
License renewal	325.00
Late renewal penalty	62.50
Expired license reissuance	62.50
Duplicate license	15.00
Certification of license	15.00
UW ((library)) on-line access fee (HEAL-	*(( <del>25.00</del> ))
<u>WA)</u>	<u>16.00</u>

\* The ((\$25)) University of Washington HEAL-WA web portal access fee ((for the University of Washington HEAL-WA library web portal)), required under RCW 43.70.110, is assessed with the initial application fee and the license renewal fee.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending WSR 10-19-071, filed 9/16/10, effective 10/15/10)

WAC 246-840-990 Fees and renewal cycle. (1) Applicants for a practical nurse license must pay the application fee and the nursing center surcharge fee when applying for a license. Licenses for practical nurse must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2. Practical nurses must pay the renewal fee and the nursing center surcharge fee when renewing licenses.

- (2) Applicants for a registered nurse license must pay the application fee, the RN UW ((library)) on-line access fee (HEAL-WA), and the nursing center surcharge fee when applying for a license. Licenses for registered nurse must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2. Registered nurses must pay the renewal fee, the ((RN UW library)) HEAL-WA fee, and the nursing center surcharge fee when renewing licenses.
- (3) Licenses for advanced registered nurse must be renewed every two years on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.
- (4) Registrations for nursing technicians must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2. The renewal must be accompanied by an attestation as described in RCW 18.79.370. This attestation will include the nursing technician's anticipated graduation date. If the anticipated graduation date is within one year, the registration will expire thirty days after the anticipated graduation date. The expiration date may be extended to sixty days after graduation if the nursing technician can show good cause as defined in WAC 246-840-010(15).
- (5) ((The secretary may require payment of renewal fees less than those established in this section if the current level of fees is likely to result in a surplus of funds. Surplus funds are those in excess of the amount necessary to pay for the costs of administering the program and to maintain a reasonable reserve. Notice of any adjustment in the required payment will be provided to practitioners. The adjustment in the required payment shall remain in place for the duration of a renewal cycle to assure practitioners an equal benefit from the adjustment.
- (6))) The following nonrefundable fees shall be charged by the health professions quality assurance division of the department of health. Persons who hold an RN and an LPN license shall be charged separate fees for each license. Persons who are licensed as an advanced registered nurse practitioner in more than one specialty will be charged a fee for each specialty:

#### RN/LPN fees:

Fee
\$67.00
87.00
76.00
91.00
50.00
70.00
40.00
40.00
30.00
20.00
25.00
5.00
((20.00))
<u>16.00</u>

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Advanced registered nurse fees:

Title of Fee	Fee
ARNP application with or without prescriptive authority (per specialty)	\$92.00
ARNP renewal with or without prescriptive	
authority (per specialty)	96.00
ARNP late renewal penalty (per specialty)	50.00
ARNP duplicate license (per specialty)	20.00
ARNP written verification of license	
(per specialty)	25.00
Nurse technologist fees:	

Nurse technologist fees:

Title of Fee	Fee
Application fee registration	\$92.00
Renewal of registration	91.00
Duplicate registration	15.00
Registration late renewal penalty	50.00

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 10-19-071, filed 9/16/10, effective 10/15/10)

WAC 246-851-990 Optometry fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2. ((The secretary may require payment of renewal fees less than those established in this section if the current level of fees is likely to result in a surplus of funds. Surplus funds are those in excess of the amount necessary to pay for the costs of administering the program and to maintain a reasonable reserve. Notice of any adjustment in the required payment will be provided to practitioners. The adjustment in the required payment shall remain in place for the duration of a renewal eyele to assure practitioners an equal benefit from the adjustment.))

(2) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged:

Title of Fee	Fee
Application	\$175.00
Out-of-state seminar	100.00
License renewal	199.00
Late renewal penalty	100.00
Expired license reissuance	75.00
Inactive license renewal	75.00
Duplicate license	15.00
Certification of license	25.00
UW ((library)) on-line access fee	((25.00))
(HEAL-WA)	<u>16.00</u>

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-14-038, filed 6/28/11, effective 8/15/11)

WAC 246-853-990 Osteopathic fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2, except postgraduate training limited licenses.

- (2) Postgraduate training limited licenses must be renewed every year to correspond to program dates.
- (3) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for osteopathic physicians:

Title of Fee	Fee
Endorsement application	\$600.00
Active license renewal	600.00
Active late renewal penalty	250.00
Active expired license reissuance	250.00
Inactive license renewal	350.00
Expired inactive license reissuance	225.00
Inactive late renewal penalty	175.00
Endorsement/state exam application	500.00
Reexam	100.00
Certification of license	50.00
Limited license application	325.00
Limited license renewal	300.00
Temporary permit application	70.00
Duplicate certificate	20.00
Substance abuse	
monitoring surcharge	25.00
UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00))
	<u>16.00</u>

(4) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged for osteopathic physician assistants:

Title of Fee	Fee
Application	\$250.00
Renewal	250.00
Late renewal penalty	150.00
Expired license reissuance	100.00
Certification of license	30.00
Practice plan	70.00
Interim permit	200.00
License after exam	100.00
Duplicate certificate	20.00
Substance abuse	
monitoring surcharge	25.00
UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00))
	<u>16.00</u>

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 09-16-120, filed 8/4/09, effective 8/15/09)

WAC 246-918-990 Physician assistants fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every two years on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.

(2) The applicant or licensee must pay the following nonrefundable fees:

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Title of Fee	Fee
Physician assistants:	
Application (annual)*	\$(( <del>125.00</del> ))
	<u>116.00</u>
Two-year renewal*	((220.00))
	<u>202.00</u>
Expired license reissuance	50.00
Duplicate license	15.00

\* ((Includes:)) The application or renewal fee((5)) includes the Washington physician health program surcharge (RCW 18.71A.020(3)) assessed at \$50.00 per year, and ((the fee to access)) the University of Washington (UW) HEAL-WA web ((site)) portal access fee (RCW 43.70.110) assessed at \$((25.00)) 16.00 per year.

### AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 09-16-120, filed 8/4/09, effective 8/15/09)

WAC 246-919-990 Physician and surgeon fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every two years on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2, except postgraduate training limited licenses.

- (2) Postgraduate training limited licenses must be renewed every year to correspond to the program's date.
- (3) A retired active physician who resides and practices in Washington and obtains or renews a retired active license is exempt from all licensing fees except for the impaired physician program surcharge authorized by RCW 18.71.310.
- (4) The applicants and licensees must pay the following nonrefundable fees:

Title of Fee	Fee
Physicians and surgeons: Chapter 18.71 RCW	
Application (annual)*	\$(( <del>500.00</del> ))
	491.00
Two-year renewal*	((675.00))
	<u>657.00</u>
Late renewal penalty	262.50
Expired license reissuance	262.50
Certification of license	50.00
Duplicate license	15.00
Temporary permit	50.00
Application fee for transitioning from a	(( <del>175.00</del> ))
postgraduate training limited license (annual)*	166.00
Retired active physicians and surgeons:	
(Two-year cycle)	
Retired active physician who resides and practices in-state per RCW 18.71.080 and 18.130.250 (Washington physician health program surcharge)	100.00
Retired active physician license renewal	((350.00))

Title of Fee	Fee
Limited license application*	((400.00))
	<u>391.00</u>
Limited license renewal*	((400.00))
	<u>391.00</u>
Limited duplicate license	15.00

((Includes:)) The application or renewal fee((5)) includes: The Washington physician health program surcharge (RCW 18.71.-310(2)) assessed at \$50.00 per year, and ((the fee to access)) the University of Washington (UW) HEAL-WA web ((site)) portal access fee (RCW 43.70.110) assessed at \$((25.00)) 16.00 per year.

### AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 08-15-014, filed 7/7/08, effective 7/7/08)

# WAC 246-922-990 Podiatry fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2, except for postgraduate training limited licenses. ((The secretary may require payment of renewal fees less than those established in this section if the current level of fees is likely to result in a surplus of funds. Surplus funds are those in excess of the amount necessary to pay for the costs of administering the program and to maintain a reasonable reserve. Notice of any adjustment in the required payment will be provided to practitioners. The adjustment in the required payment shall remain in place for the duration of a renewal cycle to assure practitioners an equal benefit from the adjustment.))

- (2) Postgraduate training limited licenses must be renewed every year to correspond to program dates. ((The secretary may require payment of renewal fees less than those established in this section if the current level of fees is likely to result in a surplus of funds. Surplus funds are those in excess of the amount necessary to pay for the costs of administering the program and to maintain a reasonable reserve. Notice of any adjustment in the required payment will be provided to practitioners. The adjustment in the required payment shall remain in place for the duration of a renewal cycle to assure practitioners an equal benefit from the adjustment.))
  - (3) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged:

Title of Fee	Fee
Application	\$975.00
License renewal	975.00
Inactive license renewal	175.00
Inactive late renewal penalty	100.00
Active late renewal penalty	300.00
Active expired license reissuance	300.00
Expired inactive license reissuance	67.50
Duplicate license	30.00
Certification of license	50.00
Retired active status	275.00
Temporary practice permit	50.00
Limited license application	400.00
Limited license renewal	475.00

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50.00

\*(does not meet in-state exemption)

Retired active late renewal penalty

Postgraduate limited license fees: RCW

18.71.095 (One-year cycle)

Title of Fee	Fee
Substance abuse	25.00
monitoring surcharge	
UW ((library)) on-line access fee (HEAL-	((25.00))
<u>WA</u> )	<u>16.00</u>

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-20-092, filed 10/4/11, effective 12/1/11)

WAC 246-924-990 Psychology fees and renewal cycle. (1) Licenses must be renewed every year on the practitioner's birthday as provided in chapter 246-12 WAC, Part 2.

(2) The following nonrefundable fees will be charged:

Title of Fee	Fee
Application	\$275.00
Renewal	300.00
Renewal retired active	105.00
Late renewal penalty	155.00
Expired license reissuance	155.00
Duplicate license	30.00
Certification of license	30.00
Amendment of certificate of qualification	35.00
UW on-line access fee (HEAL-WA)	((25.00))
	<u>16.00</u>

### WSR 12-15-066 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Economic Services Administration) (Community Services Division) [Filed July 18, 2012, 7:27 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-082.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The department is proposing to amend WAC 388-400-0040 Am I eligible for benefits through the Washington Basic Food program?, 388-412-0015 General information about your food assistance allotments, 388-424-0020 How does my alien status impact my eligibility for Washington Basic Food program benefits?, 388-489-0025 Can my transitional food assistance benefits end before the end of my five-month transition period?, chapter 388-400 WAC to establish new section WAC 388-400-0050 If I am not eligible for federal benefits through the Washington Basic Food program because of my alien status, can I receive benefits through the state-funded food assistance program? and chapter 388-424 WAC to establish new section WAC 388-424-0030 How does my alien status impact my eligibility for state-funded benefits under the food assistance program?

Hearing Location(s): Office Building 2, Lookout Room, DSHS Headquarters, 1115 Washington, Olympia, WA 98504

(public parking at 11th and Jefferson. A map is available at http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions. html), on August 21, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: No earlier than August 22, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: DSHS Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 45850, Olympia, WA 98504, e-mail DSHS RPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov, fax (360) 664-6185, by 5 p.m. on August 21, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jennisha Johnson, DSHS rules consultant, by August 7, 2012, TTY (360) 664-6178 or (360) 664-6094 or by e-mail at jennisha.johnson@dshs.wa.gov.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: Pursuant to RCW 74.08A.120, the department is establishing a state-funded food assistance program for legal immigrants (FAP) that will provide benefits at fifty percent of the federal supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) benefit amount.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: This rule filing is necessary to comply with RCW 74.08A.120 and 3ESHB 2127, Laws of 2012, which provides the department with funding for FAP and establishes the FAP benefit to be one-half the federal supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) benefit amount.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 74.04.005, 74.04.500, 74.04.510, 74.04.515, 74.08.090, and 74.08A.-

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 74.04.005, 74.04.500, 74.04.510, 74.04.515, 74.08.090, and 74.08A.120.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Department of social and health services, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting, Implementation and Enforcement: Kim Chea, P.O. Box 45470, Olympia, WA 98504-5470, (360) 725-4653.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. The proposed rules do not have an economic impact on small business.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. These amendments are exempt as allowed under RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(vii) which states in part, "[t]his section does not apply to ... rules of the department of social and health services relating only to client medical or financial eligibility and rules concerning liability for care of dependents."

July 13, 2012

Katherine I. Vasquez Rules Coordinator

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending WSR 11-02-035, filed 12/29/10, effective 2/1/11)

WAC 388-400-0040 Am I eligible for benefits through the Washington Basic Food program? The Washington Basic Food program (Basic Food) is a <u>federally-funded</u> nutrition program to help low-income individuals and families buy food. This rule is a summary of the rules for Basic Food.

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- (1) When you apply for Basic Food, we decide who is in your assistance unit (AU) based on the requirements under WAC 388-408-0034 and 388-408-0035.
- (2) To be eligible for Basic Food benefits, your AU must meet the eligibility requirements ((for the federal supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) including)) of:
- (a) The most current version of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008;
- (b) Federal regulations adopted by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Services (FNS) related to the supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP); and
- (c) Standards FNS publishes each year for income limits, resource limits, income deductions, and benefit amounts for SNAP.
- (3) To be eligible for Basic Food benefits, each AU member must:
- (a) Meet the citizenship or alien status requirements ((for Basic Food benefits as described under)) of WAC 388-424-0020
- (b) Be a resident of the state of Washington as required under WAC 388-468-0005;
- (c) Give us their Social Security number as required under WAC 388-476-0005;
- (d) Give us proof of identity as required under WAC 388-490-0005:
- (e) ((Participate in the Basic Food employment and training program (BFE&T) if required)) Meet the Basic Food work requirements under chapter 388-444 WAC; and
- (f) Meet the eligibility criteria for strikers as described under WAC 388-480-0001.
  - (4) To be eligible for Basic Food, your AU must:
- (a) Have total monthly income before taxes and deductions at or under the gross monthly income standard under WAC 388-478-0060. We don't use income that isn't counted under WAC 388-450-0015 as part of your AU's gross monthly income;
- (b) Have net income at or under the net monthly income standard under WAC 388-478-0060. We subtract deductions allowed under WAC 388-450-0185 to determine your AU's net monthly income.
- (c) Have resources we must count under WAC 388-470-0055 that are at or below your AU's resource limit under WAC 388-470-0005;
- (d) Report changes of circumstances as required under WAC 388-418-0005; and
- (e) Complete a mid-certification review and provide proof of any changes if required under WAC 388-418-0011.
- (5) If your AU is categorically eligible for Basic Food under WAC 388-414-0001, your AU can have income over the gross or net income standard, and have resources over the resource limit and still be eligible for benefits.
- (6) If your AU has income at or under the gross income standard or is categorically eligible for Basic Food, we determine if you are eligible for Basic Food and calculate your monthly benefits as described under WAC 388-450-0162.
- (7) If an eligible person in your AU is elderly or disabled, some rules may help your AU to be eligible for Basic Food or to receive more Basic Food benefits. These include:
- (a) Resources limits and excluding certain resources under chapter 388-470 WAC;

- (b) An excess shelter deduction over the limit set for AUs without an elderly or disabled individual under WAC 388-450-0190;
- (c) A deduction for a portion of the out-of-pocket medical expenses for the elderly or disabled individual as described under WAC 388-450-0200; and
- (d) Being exempt from the **gross monthly income** standard under WAC 388-478-0060.
- (8) For Basic Food, **elderly** means a person who is age sixty or older;
  - (9) For Basic Food, **disabled** means a person who:
  - (a) Receives SSI;
- (b) Receives disability payments or blindness payments under Title I, II, XIV, or XVI of the Social Security Act;
- (c) Receives disability retirement benefits from a state, local or federal government agency because of a disability considered permanent under section 221(i) of the Social Security Act;
- (d) Receives disability benefits from the Railroad Retirement Act under sections 2 (a)(1)(iv) and (v) and:
  - (i) Meets Title XIX disability requirements; or
  - (ii) Is eligible for medicare.
- (e) Receives disability-related medical assistance under Title XIX of the Social Security Act;
- (f) Is a veteran and receives disability payments based on one hundred percent disability;
  - (g) Is a spouse of a veteran and:
- (i) Either needs an attendant or is permanently house-bound; or
- (ii) Has a disability under section 221(i) of the Social Security Act and is eligible for death or pension payments under Title 38 of the USC.
- (10) If a person in your household attends an institution of higher education and does not meet the requirements to be an eligible student under WAC 388-482-0005, we do not count this person as a member of your AU under WAC 388-408-0035.
- (11) If your AU currently receives food benefits under WASHCAP or lives on or near an Indian reservation and receives benefits from a tribal food distribution program approved by FNS, your AU is not eligible for food assistance benefits through the Washington Basic Food program.
- (12) If a person in your AU is ineligible for any of the following reasons, we count the ineligible person's income as described under WAC 388-450-0140:
- (a) Able-bodied adults without dependents who are no longer eligible under WAC 388-444-0030;
- (b) Persons fleeing a felony prosecution, conviction, or confinement under WAC 388-442-0010;
- (c) Persons who do not attest to citizenship or alien status as defined in WAC 388-424-0001;
- (d) Persons who are ineligible aliens under WAC 388-424-0020;
- (e) Persons disqualified for an intentional program violation under WAC 388-446-0015;
- (f) Persons who do not provide a Social Security number when required under WAC 388-476-0005; or
- (g) Persons who failed to meet work requirements under chapter 388-444 WAC.

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#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 388-400-0050 If I am not eligible for federal benefits through Washington Basic Food program because of my alien status, can I receive benefits through the state-funded food assistance program? (1) If you are not eligible for federally-funded Basic Food benefits solely because you do not meet the alien status requirements under WAC 388-424-0020, you may be eligible for the state-funded food assistance program (FAP) if you meet both of the following requirements:

- (a) You are a Washington state resident; and
- (b) You meet the alien status requirements under WAC 388-424-0030.
- (2) FAP follows the same eligibility rules as federally-funded Basic Food except for rules related to alien status. A summary of the rules for Basic Food is found in WAC 388-400-0040.
- (3) Benefits for FAP are set by the biennial state operating budget as described in RCW 74.08A.120(3). These benefits are calculated as described in subsections (4) and (5) of this section.
- (4) If your assistance unit (AU) includes both people who are eligible for federally-funded Basic Food benefits and people who are eligible for state-funded FAP benefits, we determine the amount of your federal and state food benefits by applying the following process:
- (a) We calculate your AU's monthly benefits under WAC 388-450-0162 **as if** all the eligible persons in your AU could receive federally-funded Basic Food benefits; and
- (b) We then calculate your AU's monthly benefits under WAC 388-450-0162 for only the people in your AU who are eligible for federally-funded benefits.

If (a) is more than (b)	If (b) is more than (a)
Your AU receives:	Your AU receives Basic
• Basic Food benefits in the	Food benefits in the amount
amount calculated using	calculated using step (b).
step (b); and	
• FAP benefits equal to half	
the difference between (a)	
and (b), rounded down to the	
next whole dollar.	

- (5) If your AU only includes persons eligible for FAP, we determine the amount of your state-funded FAP benefits by:
- (a) Applying the calculation for Basic Food under WAC 388-450-0162 **as if** all the persons in your AU were eligible to receive Basic Food; and
- (b) Issuing FAP benefits to your AU equal to half the amount calculated in subsection (5)(a), rounded down to the next whole dollar.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-19-047, filed 9/13/11, effective 10/14/11)

WAC 388-412-0015 General information about your food assistance allotments. (1) Your monthly allotment under the Washington Basic Food program, food assistance

program for legal immigrants (FAP), Washington combined application project (WASHCAP), or the transitional food assistance (TFA) programs is the total dollar value of benefits your assistance unit (AU) receives for a calendar month.

#### (2) How we determine monthly allotments:

- (a) We calculate your monthly allotment <u>for federally-funded Basic Food</u> as described under WAC 388-450-0162 ((if your AU has income));
- (b) ((If your AU does not have countable income you receive)) We calculate your monthly allotment for state-funded food assistance as described under WAC 388-400-0050.

#### (3) Maximum allotment:

- (a) The maximum allotment for the number of ((eligible)) people in your AU eligible for federally-funded Basic Food benefits is described under WAC 388-478-0060.
- (((3))) (b) The maximum allotment for the number of people in your AU eligible for state-funded FAP benefits is set by the legislature in the biennial operating budget as described in WAC 388-400-0050.
- (4) Prorated benefits in the first month If we determine you are eligible for food assistance, your first month's benefits are calculated from the date you applied through the end of the month of your application. This is called proration and is based on a thirty-day month:
- (a) If your prorated benefits for the first month are under ten dollars, you will not receive an allotment for the first month.
- (b) If there was a delay in processing your application, we determine when your benefits start under WAC 388-406-0055.
- (((4))) (5) Combined allotment for first and second month's benefits If you apply for benefits on or after the sixteenth of the month, and we determine you are eligible for food assistance, we issue both the first and second months benefits in one allotment if you are eligible for both months.
- (((5))) (6) Minimum allotment ((If your AU has one or two members, your monthly allotment will be at least sixteen dollars unless)) Unless it is the first month of your certification period and your benefits are prorated as described in subsection (4) of this section, your monthly allotment will be at least:
- (a) ((It is the first month of your certification period;)) Sixteen dollars if your AU has one or two members, and at least one person is eligible for federally-funded Basic Food.
  - (b) ((Your AU is eligible for only a partial month; and
- (c) We reduced your first month's allotment below sixteen dollars based on the date you became eligible for food assistance under WAC 388-406-0055)) Eight dollars if your AU has one or two members, and all members of your AU are eligible for state-funded FAP.
- (((<del>6</del>))) (7) Use of food assistance benefits Your food assistance benefits may only be used to buy eligible food items as described under WAC 388-412-0046. If you use your benefits in any other way, it is an intentional program violation under WAC 388-446-0015 and could result in fines, imprisonment, disqualification from receiving food assistance benefits, or any combination of these penalties.

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<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending WSR 11-02-035, filed 12/29/10, effective 2/1/11)

- WAC 388-424-0020 How does my alien status impact my eligibility for ((Washington)) federally-funded Basic Food ((program)) benefits? (1) If you are a U.S. citizen or U.S. national as defined in WAC 388-424-0001 and meet all other eligibility requirements, you may receive federal Basic Food benefits.
- (2) If you are not a U.S. citizen or U.S. national, you must fall within (a) or (b) of this subsection, and meet all other eligibility requirements, in order to receive <u>federal</u> Basic Food benefits:
- (a) You are a member of one of the following groups of lawful immigrants as defined in WAC 388-424-0001:
  - (i) Amerasian;
  - (ii) Asylee;
  - (iii) Cuban or Haitian entrant;
  - (iv) Deportation or removal withheld;
  - (v) Refugee;
  - (vi) Special immigrant from Iraq or Afghanistan;
  - (vii) Victim of trafficking;
  - (viii) Noncitizen American Indian; or
  - (ix) Hmong or Highland Lao tribal member.
- (b)(i) You are a member of one of the following groups of qualified aliens as defined in WAC 388-424-0001:
  - (A) Conditional entrant:
  - (B) Lawful permanent resident (LPR);
  - (C) Paroled for one year or more; or
- (D) Abused spouse or child or parent or child of an abused spouse or child.
  - (ii) And, one of the following also applies to you:
- (A) You have worked or can get credit for forty Social Security Administration (SSA) work quarters as described in WAC 388-424-0008;
- (B) You are an active duty personnel or honorably discharged veteran of the U.S. military or you are the spouse, unmarried surviving spouse, or unmarried dependent child of someone who meets this requirement, as described in WAC 388-424-0007;
- (C) You receive cash or medical benefits based on Supplemental Security Income (SSI) criteria for blindness or disability;
- (D) You have lived in the U.S. as a "qualified alien" as described in WAC 388-424-0001 for at least five years;
  - (E) You are under age eighteen; or
- (F) You were lawfully residing in the U.S. on August 22, 1996 and were born on or before August 22, 1931.
- (3) If you are a legal immigrant not eligible for federal benefits under Basic Food only because of your alien status, you may be eligible for state-funded food assistance program (FAP) benefits under WAC 388-400-0050.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 388-424-0030 How does my alien status impact my eligibility for state-funded benefits under the food assistance program? (1) If you are not a citizen and are not eligible for federally-funded Basic Food benefits, you may be eligible for state-funded benefits under the food assistance

- program (FAP) if you are a legal immigrant. This means you must be one of the following:
- (a) A "qualified alien" as defined in WAC 388-424-0001, who does not meet the eligibility requirements under WAC 388-424-0020 to receive federally-funded Basic Food benefits; or
- (b) A "nonqualified alien" as described in WAC 388-424-0001 who:
- (i) Is not a nonimmigrant as described in WAC 388-424-0001(d);
  - (ii) Intends to stay in the United States indefinitely; and
- (iii) The United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement is not taking steps to enforce your departure.
- (2) If you are eligible for state-funded FAP, we calculate your benefits as described under WAC 388-400-0050.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-02-035, filed 12/29/10, effective 2/1/11)

- WAC 388-489-0025 Can my transitional food assistance benefits end before the end of my five-month transition period? Your transitional food assistance benefits will end early if:
- (1) Someone who gets transitional food assistance with you applies and is approved for temporary assistance for needy families while still living in your home. You may reapply to have your eligibility for Basic Food determined;
- (2) We learn that you and your household are no longer residing in the state of Washington; or
- (3) **All members** of your household are ineligible to get Basic Food for any of the following reasons:
- (a) Refusal to cooperate with quality assurance (WAC 388-464-0001);
- (b) Transfer of property to qualify for Basic Food assistance (WAC 388-488-0010);
- (c) Intentional program violation (WAC ((<del>388-466-0015</del> <del>[388-446-0015]</del>)) <u>388-446-0015</u> and 388-446-0020);
- (d) Fleeing felon or violating a condition of probation or parole (WAC 388-442-0010);
- (e) Alien status (WAC 388-424-0020 and 388-424-0030);
- (f) Employment and training requirements (WAC 388-444-0055 and 388-444-0075);
- (g) Work requirements for able-bodied adults without dependents (WAC 388-444-0030);
  - (h) Student status (WAC 388-482-0005);
- (i) Living in an institution where residents are not eligible for Basic Food (WAC 388-408-0040); or
  - (j) Deceased.

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### WSR 12-15-068 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Economic Services Administration) (Community Services Division) [Filed July 18, 2012, 8:36 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-117.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The community services division (CSD) is proposing to amend WAC 388-458-0011 DSHS sends you a denial letter when you can't get benefits.

Hearing Location(s): Office Building 2, Lookout Room, DSHS Headquarters, 1115 Washington, Olympia, WA 98504 (public parking at 11th and Jefferson. A map is available at http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions. html), on August 21, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: Not earlier than August 22, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: DSHS Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 45850, Olympia, WA 98504, e-mail DSHS RPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov, fax (360) 664-6185, by 5 p.m. on August 21, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jennisha Johnson, DSHS rules consultant, by August 7, 2012, TTY (360) 664-6178 or (360) 664-6094 or by e-mail at jennisha.johnson@dshs.wa.gov.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The department is proposing to amend WAC 388-458-0011 to align the language of this WAC section and several sections in chapter 388-406 WAC, Applications, concerning reconsideration of denied Basic Food applications. This change will also bring the rules in line with current and accepted procedures.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: These amendments are necessary to avoid Basic Food payment errors and improve overall program access. This change will remove an unintended barrier found in the Basic Food application process, and help assure Washington state continues to receive federal funding for its supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) and avoid financial penalties.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 74.04.050, 74.04.055, 74.04.057, 74.04.510, and 74.08.090.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 74.04.005, 74.04.-050, 74.04.055, 74.04.057, 74.04.510, and 74.08.090.

Rule is necessary because of federal law, 7 C.F.R. § 273.2.

Name of Proponent: Department of social and health services, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting, Implementation and Enforcement: Robert Thibodeau, 712 Pear Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 725-4634.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. These proposed rules do not have an economic impact on small businesses. The proposed amendment only affects DSHS program denial letter preparation procedures to align them with procedures described in other rule sections.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. These amendments are exempt as allowed under RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(vii) which states in part, "[t]his section does not apply to ... rules of the department of social and health services relating only to client medical or financial eligibility and rules concerning liability for care of dependents."

July 13, 2012

Katherine I. Vasquez Rules Coordinator

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 01-16-087, filed 7/25/01, effective 9/1/01)

WAC 388-458-0011 DSHS sends you a denial letter when you can't get benefits. (1) When we finish processing your application, we send you a denial letter if you cannot get benefits.

- (2) On this letter, we tell you:
- (a) Why you cannot get benefits;
- (b) The rules that support our decision;
- (c) The date we ((stopped)) <u>finished</u> processing your application; and
- (d) Your right to have your case reviewed or ask for ((a fair)) an administrative hearing.
- (3) If we are denying your application because you did not give us ((some)) information that we needed and we can't figure out if you are eligible without it, we also tell you on the letter:
  - (a) What information you didn't give to us;
- (b) The date we asked for the information and the date it was due;
- (c) That we cannot figure out if you can get benefits without this information; and
  - (d) That we will review your eligibility if:
- (i) For cash and medical, you give us the information within thirty days of the date of the notice and your circumstances have not changed (otherwise you may need to reapply); or
- (ii) For food assistance, you give us the information within sixty days of the date you applied((; and
  - (iii) Your circumstances have not changed)).
- (4) We send denial letters to you according to the rules in chapter 388-406 WAC.

# WSR 12-15-069 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Economic Services Administration) (Community Services Division) [Filed July 18, 2012, 8:40 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-091.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The community services division (CSD) is proposing to amend

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WAC 388-478-0005 Cash assistance need and payment standards and grant maximum.

Hearing Location(s): Office Building 2, Lookout Room, DSHS Headquarters, 1115 Washington, Olympia, WA 98504 (public parking at 11th and Jefferson. A map is available at http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions. html), on August 21, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: Not earlier than August 22, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: DSHS Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 45850, Olympia, WA 98504, e-mail DSHS RPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov, fax (360) 664-6185, by 5 p.m. on August 21, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jennisha Johnson, DSHS rules consultant, by August 7, 2012, TTY (360) 664-6178 or (360) 664-6094 or by e-mail at jennisha.johnson@dshs.wa.gov.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The department is proposing to amend WAC 388-478-0005 to increase the cash assistance grant maximum to an eight person household for temporary assistance for needy families (TANF), state family assistance (SFA) and refugee cash assistance (RCA) effective July 1, 2012. This change may affect households with six or more members.

This amendment is in place via an emergency adoption by WSR 12-12-049 filed June 1, 2012.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: This amendment is necessary to comply with the 2011-2013 revised omnibus operating budget as mandated under 3ESHB 2127, Laws of 2012.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 74.04.050, 74.04.055, 74.04.057, 74.08A.100, 74.04.770, and 74.08.090.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 74.04.050, 74.04.-055, 74.04.057, 74.08A.100, 74.04.770, and 74.08.090.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Department of social and health services, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting, Implementation and Enforcement: Aurea Figueroa-Rogers, 712 Pear Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 725-4623.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. The proposed rule does not have an economic impact on small businesses. The proposed rule is necessary to comply with the 2011-2013 revised omnibus operating budget as mandated under 3ESHB 2127, Laws of 2012.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. These amendments are exempt as allowed under RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(vii) which states in part, "[t]his section does not apply to ... rules of the department of social and health services relating only to client medical or financial eligibility and rules concerning liability for care of dependents." The proposed rule increases the cash assistance maximum to an eight person household for TANF, SFA and RCA.

July 13, 2012 Katherine I. Vasquez Rules Coordinator AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-21-024, filed 10/11/11, effective 11/11/11)

WAC 388-478-0005 Cash assistance need and payment standards and grant maximum. (1) Need standards for cash assistance programs represent the amount of income required by individuals and families to maintain a minimum and adequate standard of living. Need standards are based on assistance unit size and include basic requirements for food, clothing, shelter, energy costs, transportation, household maintenance and operations, personal maintenance, and necessary incidentals.

- (2) Payment standards for assistance units in medical institutions and other facilities are based on the need for clothing, personal maintenance, and necessary incidentals (see WAC 388-478-0040 and 388-478-0045).
- (3) Need and payment standards for persons and families who do not reside in medical institutions and other facilities are based on their obligation to pay for shelter.
- (a) Eligibility and benefit levels for persons and families who meet the requirements in WAC 388-478-0010 are determined using standards for assistance units with an obligation to pay shelter costs.
- (b) Eligibility and benefit levels for all other persons and families are determined using standards for assistance units who have shelter provided at no cost.
- (c) For recent arrivals to Washington state who apply for temporary assistance for needy families (TANF), see WAC 388-468-0005.
- (4) ((Effective May 1, 2011)) Starting July 1, 2012, the monthly cash assistance grant for an assistance unit cannot exceed ((seven hundred and twenty-six dollars)) the payment standard for a family of eight listed in WAC 388-478-0020(1).

### WSR 12-15-070 PROPOSED RULES UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

[Docket UT-120451—Filed July 18, 2012, 8:43 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-09-084.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: WAC 480-120-251 Directory service, this rule making proposes modifications to, or the elimination of, the requirement that local exchange companies provide each customer a copy of a telephone directory for the customer's exchange area.

Hearing Location(s): Commission Hearing Room 206, Second Floor, Richard Hemstad Building, 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, WA 98504-7250, on September 12, 2012, at 9:30 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: September 12, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission, 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive S.W., P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA 98504-7250, e-mail records@utc.wa.gov, fax (360) 586-8203, by August 20,

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2012. Please include: "Docket UT-120451" in your comments.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Debbie Aguilar by August 29, 2012, TTY (360) 586-8203 or (360) 664-1132.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The proposal revises the existing rule to require local exchange carriers to distribute white pages telephone directories only to customers who request them. The proposal would minimize the burden on regulated carriers to print and distribute directories and would substantially reduce the amount of waste resulting from disposal of unwanted printed directories.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: Consumers primarily rely on the internet as a resource for telephone number listings, rendering unnecessary a requirement that companies distribute printed white pages directories except to those customers who request them. Eliminating distribution of unwanted directories also enhances environmental stewardship in cooperation with cities and municipalities by reducing the volume of paper waste that must be processed and disposed of.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 80.01.040 and 80.04.160.

Statute Being Implemented: Not applicable.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Washington utilities and transportation commission, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: John Cupp, 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 664-1113; Implementation and Enforcement: David W. Danner, 1300 South Evergreen Park Drive S.W., Olympia, WA 98504, (360) 664-1208.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. The proposed rule will not result in or impose more than minor costs. Because there will not be more than minor increase in costs resulting from the proposed rule changes, a small business economic impact statement is not required under RCW 19.85.030(1).

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. The commission is not an agency to which RCW 34.05.328 applies. The proposed rule is not a significant legislative rule of the sort referenced in RCW 34.05.328(5).

July 18, 2012 David W. Danner Executive Director and Secretary

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Docket No. UT-990146, General Order No. R-507, filed 12/12/02, effective 7/1/03)

WAC 480-120-251 Directory service. (1) A local exchange company (LEC) must ensure that a telephone directory is regularly published for each local exchange it serves, listing the name, address (unless omission is requested), and primary telephone number for each customer who can be called in that local exchange and for whom subscriber list information has been provided.

- (2) Any residential customer may request from the LEC a dual-name primary directory listing that contains, in addition to the customer's surname, the customer's given name or initials (or combination thereof) and either one other person with the same surname who resides at the same address or a second name, other than surname, by which the customer is also known, including the married name of a person whose spouse is deceased.
- (3) A LEC must provide ((each customer)) a written copy of the directory for the customer's local exchange area to each customer who requests a directory. A LEC must not provide a written copy of the directory to any customer who does not request a copy.
- (a) A LEC must establish reasonable ways by which a customer may request a directory including, but not limited to, making all of the following options available:
  - (i) Calling a toll-free telephone number;
- (ii) Submitting a written request via e-mail or on-line registration; or
  - (iii) Mailing a written request to a specified address.
- (b) A LEC must provide reasonable notice to customers describing the ways by which they may request a directory including, but not limited to, all of the following forms of notice:
- (i) Providing the information in at least one bill insert each calendar year;
- (ii) Maintaining the information in a prominent place on the LEC's web site; and
- (iii) Including the information in the consumer information guide required in subsection (6) of this section.
- (c) If the directory provided for in subsection (1) of this section does not include the published listing of all exchanges within the customer's local calling area, the LEC must, upon request, provide at no charge a copy of the directory or directories that contain the published listing for the entire local calling area.
- (4) Telephone directories published at the direction of a LEC must be revised at least once every fifteen months, except when it is known that impending service changes require rescheduling of directory revision dates. To keep directories correct and up to date, companies may revise the directories more often than specified.
- (5) Each LEC that publishes a directory, or contracts for the publication of a directory, must print an informational listing (LEC name and telephone number) when one is requested by any other LEC providing service in the area covered by the directory. The LEC to whom the request is made may impose reasonable requirements on the timing and format of informational listings, provided that these requirements do not discriminate between LECs.
- (6) Telephone directories published at the direction of the LEC must include a consumer information guide that details the rights and responsibilities of its customer. The guide must describe the:
- (a) Process for establishing credit and determining the need and amount for deposits;
  - (b) Procedure by which a bill becomes delinquent;
- (c) Steps that must be taken by the company to disconnect service:
  - (d) Washington telephone assistance program (WTAP);

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- (e) Federal enhanced tribal lifeline program, if applicable; and
- (f) Right of the customer to pursue any dispute with the company, including the appropriate procedures within the company and then to the commission by informal or formal complaint.

# WSR 12-15-071 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Economic Services Administration) (Division of Child Support) [Filed July 18, 2012, 9:14 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-083.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The division of child support (DCS) is adopting new sections and/or amendments and repealing three sections in chapter 388-14A WAC, to implement section 5 of SSB 6386 (chapter 253, Laws of 2012) and the technical amendments contained in SHB 2828 (chapter 4, Laws of 2012). Both bills have an effective date of June 7, 2012. Families applying for a child care subsidy on or after June 7, 2012, will not be required to apply for DCS services as a condition of eligibility.

DCS is amending WAC 388-14A-2040, 388-14A-2045, 388-14A-2050 and 388-14A-2075; and is repealing WAC 388-14A-2007, 388-14A-2042, and 388-14A-2093. DCS adopted emergency rules, effective June 7, 2012, under WSR 12-13-002.

Hearing Location(s): Office Building 2, Lookout Room, DSHS Headquarters, 1115 Washington, Olympia, WA 98504 (public parking at 11th and Jefferson. A map is available at http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions. html or by calling (360) 664-6094), on August 21, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: Not earlier than August 22, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: DSHS Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 45850, Olympia, WA 98504-5850, delivery 1115 Washington Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98503, e-mail DSHSRPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov, fax (360) 664-6185, by 5 p.m. on August 21, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jennisha Johnson, DSHS rules consultant, by August 7, 2012, TTY (360) 664-6178 or (360) 664-6094 or by e-mail at johnsjl4@dshs.wa.gov.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: DCS is adopting new sections and/or amendments and repealing three sections in chapter 388-14A WAC, to implement section 5 of SSB 6386 (chapter 253, Laws of 2012) and the technical amendments contained in SHB 2828 (chapter 4, Laws of 2012). Both bills have an effective date of June 7, 2012. Families applying for a child care subsidy on or after June 7, 2012, will

not be required to apply for DCS services as a condition of eligibility.

DCS is amending WAC 388-14A-2040, 388-14A-2045, 388-14A-2050, and 388-14A-2075; and is repealing WAC 388-14A-2007, 388-14A-2042, and 388-14A-2093.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: DCS is implementing section 5 of SSB 6386 (chapter 253, Laws of 2012) and the technical amendments contained in SHB 2828 (chapter 4, Laws of 2012). Both bills have an effective date of June 7, 2012

Statutory Authority for Adoption: Section 5 of SSB 6386 (chapter 253, Laws of 2012); SHB 2828 (chapter 4, Laws of 2012); RCW 34.05.220, 43.20A.550, 74.04.055, 74.08.090, 70.20.040.

Statute Being Implemented: Section 5 of SSB 6386 (chapter 253, Laws of 2012), SHB 2828 (chapter 4, Laws of 2012).

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Agency Comments or Recommendations, if any, as to Statutory Language, Implementation, Enforcement, and Fiscal Matters: The department of early learning (DEL) is also amending its rules to implement these bills. DCS, DEL and the DSHS community services division (CSD) are coordinating the implementation process.

Both DEL and DCS adopted emergency rules effective June 7, 2012.

Name of Proponent: Department of social and health services, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting, Implementation and Enforcement: Nancy Koptur, DCS HQ, P.O. Box 9162, Olympia, WA 98507-9162, (360) 664-5065.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. This rule does not have an economic impact on small businesses. It only affects individuals who have support obligations or individuals who are owed child support.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. The rule does meet the definition of a significant legislative rule but DSHS/DCS rules relating to the care of dependent children are exempt from preparing further analysis under RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(vii).

July 13, 2012 Katherine I. Vasquez Rules Coordinator

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-087, filed 11/17/11, effective 12/18/11)

WAC 388-14A-2040 Do I have to cooperate with the division of child support in establishing or enforcing child support? (1) You must cooperate with the division of child support (DCS) when you receive public assistance unless the department determines there is good cause not to cooperate under WAC 388-422-0020.

(2) ((You must cooperate with the division of child support (DCS) when you receive a child care subsidy, unless the department determines there is good cause not to cooperate under WAC 388-422-0020 or another rule of the department of early learning (DEL).

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- (3)) As described in WAC 388-14A-2080, DCS may close a nonassistance case if the custodial parent (CP) fails to cooperate, if cooperation is essential for the next step in enforcement.
- (((4))) (3) For purposes of this section and WAC 388-14A-2075, cooperating with DCS includes cooperating with those acting on behalf of DCS (its "representatives"), namely the prosecuting attorney, the attorney general, or a private attorney paid per RCW 74.20.350. In cases where paternity is at issue, the custodial parent (CP) of a child who receives assistance must cooperate whether or not the parent receives assistance.
- $((\frac{5}{)}))$  (4) Cooperation means giving information, attending interviews, attending hearings, or taking actions to help DCS establish and collect child support. This information and assistance is necessary for DCS to:
  - (a) Identify and locate the responsible parent;
- (b) Establish the paternity of the child(ren) on assistance in the CP's care; and
- (c) Establish or collect support payments or resources such as property due the CP or the child(ren).
- (((6))) (5) The CP must also cooperate by sending to DCS any child support received by the CP while on assistance, as required by RCW 74.20A.275 (3)(c). If the client keeps these payments, known as retained support, the CP must sign an agreement to repay under RCW 74.20A.275, and the CP must honor that agreement.
- $(((\frac{7}{})))$  (6) The cooperation requirements of subsections (1), (3) and (4)  $((\frac{\text{and }(5)}{}))$  above, but not subsection  $((\frac{6}{}))$  (5), apply to a recipient of medicaid-only assistance.
- (((8) The cooperation requirements of subsections (2), (4) and (5) above, but not subsection (6), apply to a recipient of a child care subsidy.))

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-087, filed 11/17/11, effective 12/18/11)

WAC 388-14A-2045 What can I do if I am afraid that cooperating with the division of child support will be harmful to me or to my children? (1) If a custodial parent (CP) receiving public assistance fears that the establishment or enforcement of support may result in harm to the CP or the children, the CP may be excused from the cooperation requirements. The CP must contact the community services division (CSD) to claim good cause not to cooperate under WAC 388-422-0020. The CP may claim good cause:

- (a) At the time of application for public assistance; or
- (b) At any time thereafter.
- (2) If a CP who is not receiving public assistance fears that the establishment or enforcement of support may result in harm to the CP or the children, the CP should tell the division of child support (DCS) that family violence is an issue in the case, so that DCS may take appropriate action. The CP may ask DCS to close the nonassistance support enforcement case.
- (((3) If a CP who receives a child care subsidy but does not receive public assistance claims good cause not to comply with the requirement to seek support enforcement services, the department of early learning (DEL) or CSD may

grant good cause, either under WAC 388-422-0020 or under DEL rules.

(a) If the CP does not claim good cause at the time the child care subsidy is granted, the CP may later claim good cause by contacting CSD.

(b) If the CP requests DCS to close a nonassistance case, DCS notifies CSD that the case has been closed. The CP may claim good cause if CSD takes action to sanction the CP for closing the DCS case.))

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-087, filed 11/17/11, effective 12/18/11)

- WAC 388-14A-2050 Who decides if I have good cause not to cooperate? (1) The community services division (CSD) decides whether you have good cause not to cooperate with the division of child support (DCS). You must tell CSD if you want to claim good cause.
- (a) CSD determines good cause under WAC 388-422-0020 ((or under the rules adopted by the department of early learning (DEL))).
- (b) You may claim good cause at the time you apply for public assistance ((or for a child eare subsidy)), or at any time thereafter.
- (2) When you make a claim of good cause not to cooperate, DCS does not take any action on your case while CSD is reviewing your good cause claim.
- (((3) If you are not receiving public assistance but are applying for a child care subsidy, you may be granted good cause and not be required to apply for child support enforcement services.))

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 11-23-087, filed 11/17/11, effective 12/18/11)

WAC 388-14A-2075 What happens if the division of child support determines that I am not cooperating? (1) When the division of child support (DCS) or its representatives believe that a custodial parent (CP) who receives cash assistance or medical assistance is not cooperating as defined in WAC 388-14A-2040, DCS sends a notice to the CP and to the community services division (CSD) about the noncooperation.

- (a) The notice contains the following information:
- (i) How the noncooperation was determined, including what actions were required;
- (ii) What actions the CP must take to resume cooperation;
  - (iii) That this notice was sent to CSD;
- (iv) That the CP may contact CSD immediately if the CP disagrees with the notice, needs help in order to cooperate, or believes the actions required are unreasonable; and
- (v) That CSD may sanction the CP by either reducing or terminating the grant.
- (b) CSD sends a notice of planned action to the CP as provided by WAC 388-472-0005 (1)(i).
- (c) Either the notice of alleged noncooperation or CSD's notice of planned action may serve as the basis for a sanction.
- (d) If the noncooperation was due to missing an interview without reasonable excuse, the CP will be considered to be cooperating when the CP appears for a rescheduled inter-

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view and either provides information or attests to the lack of information. DCS or its representative must reschedule the interview within seven business days from the date the CP contacts them to reschedule an interview.

- (e) If the noncooperation was due to not taking a required action, cooperation resumes when the CP takes that action.
- (2) There is no hearing right for a notice of noncooperation, but the CP may request a hearing on the sanction imposed by CSD.
- (3) ((When DCS or its representatives believe that a CP who does not receive public assistance but does receive a child care subsidy is not cooperating, and that cooperation is essential for the next step in establishment or enforcement, DCS sends a notice of case closure to the CP.
- (a) The notice of case closure contains the following information:
- (i) That DCS cannot take the next step in establishment or enforcement because of the CP's failure to cooperate;
- (ii) What actions the CP must take to resume cooperation:
  - (iii) The DCS will notify CSD of ease closure;
- (iv) That DCS may close the nonassistance case if the CP does not cooperate within sixty days; and
- (v) That CSD may sanction the CP. Any sanctions for failure to cooperate are determined by CSD.
- (4))) If the CP takes the actions required to resume cooperation within sixty days, DCS leaves the case open and continues to establish or enforce the support obligation.
- $((\frac{5}{)}))$  (4) The CP may request a hearing to contest case closure, as described in WAC 388-14A-2095.
- (((6) If DCS closes the case due to noncooperation, a CP who does not receive public assistance but does receive a child care subsidy may request a hearing on the sanction imposed by CSD.))

#### **REPEALER**

The following sections of the Washington Administrative Code are repealed:

o cour are repeared.	
WAC 388-14A-2007	Does an application for sub- sidized child care automati- cally become an application for support enforcement ser- vices?
WAC 388-14A-2042	What happens if I don't cooperate with DCS while I receive a child care subsidy?
WAC 388-14A-2093	Who receives notice of DCS' intent to close a case when the custodial parent receives a child care subsidy?

# WSR 12-15-072 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Economic Services Administration) (Division of Child Support) [Filed July 18, 2012, 9:29 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-098.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The division of child support (DCS) is amending WAC 388-14A-8200 to implement HB 2393 (chapter 109, Laws of 2012), which amended RCW 26.23.040 concerning new hire reporting.

Hearing Location(s): Office Building 2, Lookout Room, DSHS Headquarters, 1115 Washington, Olympia, WA 98504 (public parking at 11th and Jefferson. A map is available at http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions. html or by calling (360) 664-6094), on August 21, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: Not earlier than August 22, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: DSHS Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 45850, Olympia, WA 98504-5850, delivery 1115 Washington Street S.E., Olympia WA 98503, e-mail DSHSRPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov, fax (360) 664-6185, by 5 p.m. on August 21, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jennisha Johnson, DSHS rules consultant, by August 7, 2012, TTY (360) 664-6178 or (360) 664-6094 or by e-mail at johnsjl4@dshs.wa.gov.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: HB 2393 amends RCW 26.23.040, the Washington statute regarding new hire reporting. This statute is a state plan requirement for the child support program under Title IV-D of the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 653A(b)). DCS is amending WAC 388-14A-8200 to implement HB 2393, which was adopted to implement changes to federal law contained in two acts: (1) The Claims Resolution Act of 2010 (P.L. 111-291), which among other things makes changes to employer reporting requirements. Under this new provision, employers are now required to report, among other elements, the date that an employee first performs services for pay; and (2) the Trade Adjustment Assistance Extension Act of 2011 (P.L. 112-40), which in Section 253 amends 42 U.S.C. 653a (a)(2) to provide a definition of the term "newly-hired employee," a term which was not previously defined. A state's employer reporting statute must contain the new definition.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: Failure to enact these requirements into state law could have resulted in a state plan violation for Washington state, which would jeopardize all federal funding for Washington's child support enforcement and temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) programs.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: HB 2393 (chapter 109, Laws of 2012); RCW 26.23.040(1), 34.05.350 (1)(b), 43.20A.550, 74.04.055, 74.08.090, 74.20A.310.

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Statute Being Implemented: HB 2393 (chapter 109, Laws of 2012), amending RCW 26.23.040.

Rule is necessary because of federal law, see above under Purpose.

Name of Proponent: Department of social and health services, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting, Implementation and Enforcement: Nancy Koptur, DCS HQ, P.O. Box 9162, Olympia, WA 98507-9162, (360) 664-5065.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. This rule does not have an economic impact on small businesses because it will not impose more than minor costs on businesses, whether large or small. This rule adds one data element to an existing report that is already required to be filed by all employers doing business in Washington state under RCW 26.23.040.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. Although this rule meets the definition of a significant legislative rule under RCW 34.05.328(5), the requirement for a cost-benefit analysis does not apply because this rule adopts a state statute based on federal statutes (RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(iii)) and the content of the rule is "explicitly and specifically dictated by statute" (RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(v)).

July 13, 2012 Katherine I. Vasquez Rules Coordinator

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 01-03-089, filed 1/17/01, effective 2/17/01)

WAC 388-14A-8200 All Washington employers must report new hires to the Washington state support registry. (1) RCW 26.23.040 requires all employers doing business in the state of Washington to comply with the employer reporting requirements regarding new hires.

- (2) For the purposes of this section, a "new hire" is defined as any person who resides or works in the state of Washington to whom the employer anticipates paying earnings and who:
- (a) Has not previously been employed by the employer; or
- (b) Was previously employed by the employer but has been separated from such employment for at least sixty consecutive days.
- (3) The minimum information that an employer must report is the employee's name, date of birth, Social Security number ((and)), and date of hire.
- (a) For purposes of this section, the "date of hire" is defined as the date on which the employee first performed services for pay for the employer.
- (b) The "date of hire" of an employee described in subsection (2)(b) of this section, is the date on which the employee returned to perform services for pay after a layoff, furlough, separation, or leave without pay.
- (((3))) (4) Employers must report the required information to the Washington State Support Registry (WSSR). An employer may report using the employee's W-4 form or any equivalent form, and may submit the information by:

(a) First class mail;

- (b) Fax;
- (c) Electronic transmission; or
- (d) Any other means authorized by the WSSR which will result in timely reporting.
- (5) An employer who submits a copy of the employee's completed W-4 form complies with the ((filing)) reporting requirements of RCW 26.23.040(3).
- (((44))) (6) If an employer reports by submitting a W-4 form, the employer may choose to ((voluntarily)) report the ((other)) additional statutory elements by writing or typing the employee's date of birth and date of hire on the form.

# WSR 12-15-073 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Aging and Disability Services) [Filed July 18, 2012, 9:31 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-05-114.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: The department intends to amend WAC 388-78A-2020 Definitions, 388-78A-2461 Background check—General, 388-78A-2462 Background check—Washington state—Who is required to have, 388-78A-2464 Background check—Process, 388-78A-2465 Background check—Results, 388-78A-2466 Background check—Valid for two years, 388-78A-2468 Background check—Conditional hire—Pending result, 388-78A-2469 Background check—Disclosure statement, 388-78A-2470 Background check—Employment-disqualifying information, 388-78A-2474 Training and home care aide certification requirements, and 388-78A-2750 Application process.

The department intends to add WAC 388-78A-24641 Background checks—Process—Washington state name and date of birth background check, 388-78A-24642 Background checks—Process—National fingerprint background check, 388-78A-24681 Background checks—Employment—Provisional hire—Pending results of national fingerprint background check, and 388-78A-24701 Background checks—Employment—Nondisqualifying information.

The department intends to repeal WAC 388-78A-2463 Background check—National fingerprint checks—Who is required to have.

Hearing Location(s): Office Building 2, Lookout Room, DSHS Headquarters, 1115 Washington, Olympia, WA 98504 (public parking at 11th and Jefferson. A map is available at http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions. html or by calling (360) 664-6094), on September 4, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: Not earlier than September 5, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: DSHS Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 45850, Olympia, WA 98504-5850, 1115 Washington Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98504, e-mail DSHS

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RPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov, fax (360) 664-6185, by 5 p.m. on September 4, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jennisha Johnson, DSHS rules consultant, by August 25, 2012, TTY (360) 664-6178 or (360) 664-6094.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: The department is amending these rules to comply with and be consistent with Initiative 1163, and ESHB 2314 Long-term care workers. In addition, the department is clarifying in rule the provision related to disqualifying drug crimes.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: See above.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: Chapter 18.20 RCW. Statute Being Implemented: Chapter 18.20 RCW.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision

Name of Proponent: Department of social and health services, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Judy Johnson, P.O. Box 45600, Olympia, WA 98504-5600, (360) 725-2591; Implementation and Enforcement: Lori Melchiori, P.O. Box 45600, Olympia, WA 98504-5600, (360) 725-2404.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. Under RCW 19.85.-025(3), a small business economic impact statement is not required for rules adopting or incorporating, by reference without material change, Washington state statutes or regulations.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. Under RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b), a cost-benefit analysis is not required for rules adopting or incorporating, by reference without material change, Washington state statues [statutes] or regulations.

July 13, 2012 Katherine I. Vasquez Rules Coordinator

**Reviser's note:** The material contained in this filing exceeded the page-count limitations of WAC 1-21-040 for appearance in this issue of the Register. It will appear in the 12-16 issue of the Register.

### WSR 12-15-074 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

(Aging and Disability Services Administration) [Filed July 18, 2012, 9:35 p.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 11-20-101.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: New sections WAC 388-865-0800 Triage facility—Definitions, 388-865-0810 Triage facility—General requirements for certification, 388-865-0820 Triage facility—Memo of understanding and other requirements, 388-865-0830 Triage facility—Seclusion and restraint, 388-865-0840 Triage facility—Admission, assessment, and clinical record requirements for voluntary and involuntary admissions, 388-865-0850 Triage

facility—Triage stabilization plan, 388-865-0860 Triage facility—Discharge services for voluntary and involuntary admissions, 388-865-0870 Triage facility—Staff requirements, and 388-865-0880 Triage facility—Posting of individual rights.

Hearing Location(s): Office Building 2, Lookout Room, DSHS Headquarters, 1115 Washington, Olympia, WA 98504 (public parking at 11th and Jefferson. A map is available at http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/rpau/RPAU-OB-2directions. html), on September 4, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: Not earlier than September 5, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: DSHS Rules Coordinator, P.O. Box 45850, Olympia, WA 98504, e-mail DSHS RPAURulesCoordinator@dshs.wa.gov, fax (360) 664-6185, by 5 p.m. on September 4, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Jennisha Johnson, DSHS rules consultant, by August 25, 2012, TTY (360) 664-6178 or (360) 664-6094 or by e-mail at jennisha.johnson@dshs.wa.gov.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: These rules meet the requirements of chapter 148, Laws of 2011 (SHB 1170) which directs the department to add "triage facilities" to the types of facilities to which a law enforcement officer may take an individual who is suffering from a mental disorder and who either presents an imminent likelihood of serious harm, is in imminent danger because of being gravely disabled, or has committed a nonfelony offense that is not a serious offense. The rules will establish state minimum standards for certification of triage facilities.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: See Purpose above.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 71.05.020, 71.05.150, 71.05.153, and 71.24.035, chapter 148, Laws of 2011 (SHB 1170).

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 71.05.020, 71.05.-150, 71.05.153, and 71.24.035.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Department of social and health services, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Kathy Sayre, P.O. Box 45330, Olympia, WA 98504-5330, (360) 725-1342; Implementation and Enforcement: Pete Marburger, P.O. Box 45330, Olympia, WA 98504-5330, (360) 725-1513.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. The preparation of a small business economic impact statement is not required, as no new costs will be imposed on small businesses or nonprofits.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. These rules are exempt under RCW 34.05.328 (5)(b)(v) as they are explicitly and specifically dictated by statute.

July 13, 2012 Katherine I. Vasquez Rules Coordinator

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### SECTION EIGHT—CERTIFICATION OF TRIAGE FACILITIES

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 388-865-0800 Triage facility—Definitions. The following definitions apply to this chapter:

"Designated mental health professional (DMHP)" See WAC 388-865-0150.

"Mental health professional (MHP)" See WAC 388-865-0150.

"Peace officer" means a law enforcement official of a public agency or governmental unit, and includes persons specifically given peace officer powers by any state law, local ordinance, or judicial order of appointment.

"Triage facility" is a short-term facility or a portion of a facility licensed by the department of health and certified by the department of social and health services under RCW 71.24.035, which is designed as a facility to assess and stabilize an individual or determine the need for involuntary commitment of an individual. A triage facility must meet department of health residential treatment facility standards and may be structured as a voluntary and/or involuntary placement facility.

"Triage involuntary placement facility" is a triage facility that has elected to operate as an involuntary facility and may, at the direction of a peace officer, hold an individual for up to twelve hours. A peace officer or designated mental health professional may take or cause the person to be taken into custody and immediately delivered to the triage facility. The facility may ask for an involuntarily admitted individual to be assessed by a mental health professional for potential for voluntary admission. The individual has to agree in writing to the conditions of the voluntary admission.

"Triage voluntary placement facility" is a triage facility wherein the individual may elect to leave the facility of their own accord, at anytime. A triage voluntary placement facility may only accept voluntary admissions.

"Short-term facility" is a facility licensed by the department of health and certified by the department of social and health services under RCW 71.24.035 which has been designed to assess, diagnose, and treat individuals experiencing an acute crisis without the use of long-term hospitalization. Length of stay in a short-term facility is less than four-teen days from the day of admission.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 388-865-0810 Triage facility—General requirements for certification. Under chapter 71.05 RCW, the department certifies facilities to provide triage services that assess and stabilize an individual, or determine the need for involuntary commitment.

- (1) To obtain and maintain certification as a triage facility (defined in WAC 388-865-0800), a facility must:
- (a) Be licensed by the department of health (DOH) as a residential treatment facility:
- (b) Meet the requirements for voluntary admissions under this chapter;

- (c) Meet the requirements for involuntary admissions under this chapter if it elects to operate and be certified as a triage involuntary placement facility;
- (d) Ensure that the facility and its services are accessible to individuals with disabilities, as required by applicable federal, state, and local laws; and
- (e) Successfully complete a provisional and annual onsite review administered by the department's division of behavioral health and recovery (DBHR) and be determined by DBHR to be in compliance with the standards of this chapter and chapter 72.06 RCW.
- (2) If a triage facility is collocated in another facility, there must be a physical separation. Physically separate means the triage facility is located in an area with no resident foot traffic between the triage facility and other areas of the building, except in case of emergencies.
  - (3) A triage facility must have, at a minimum:
- (a) A written organizational structure that describes clear lines of authority of administrative oversight and clinical supervision.
- (b) A designated person in charge of administration of the triage unit.
- (c) A mental health professional (MHP) on-site twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week.
  - (d) A written program description that includes:
  - (i) Program goals;
  - (ii) Identification of service categories to be provided;
  - (iii) Length of stay criteria;
- (iv) Identification of the ages or range of ages of individual populations to be served;
- (v) A statement that only an individual eighteen years of age or older may be admitted to the triage facility; and
- (vi) Any limitation or inability to serve or provide program services to an individual who:
  - (A) Requires acute medical services;
  - (B) Has limited mobility;
  - (C) Has limited physical capacity for self care; or
  - (D) Exhibits physical violence.
- (e) A quality management plan to ensure the facility monitors, collects appropriate data, and develops improvements to meet the requirements of this chapter.
- (f) Written procedures to ensure a secure and safe environment. Examples of these procedures are:
- (i) Visual monitoring of the population environment by line of sight, mirrors or electronic means;
- (ii) Having sufficient staff available twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week to meet the behavioral management needs of the current facility population; and
- (iii) Having staff trained in facility security and behavioral management techniques.
- (g) Written procedures to ensure that an individual is examined by an MHP within three hours of the individual's arrival at the facility.
- (h) Written procedures to ensure that a designated mental health professional (DMHP) evaluates a voluntarily admitted individual for involuntary commitment when the individual's behavior warrants an evaluation.
- (i) Written procedures that are in accordance with WAC 246-322-180, 246-337-110, 246-320-271, and WAC 388-

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865-0545, if the triage facility declares any intent to provide seclusion and/or restraint.

- (j) Written procedures to facilitate appropriate and safe transportation, if necessary, for an individual who is:
- (i) Not being held for police custody and/or police pick up;
  - (ii) Denied admission to the triage facility; or
- (iii) Detained for transfer to a certified evaluation and treatment facility.

#### **NEW SECTION**

- WAC 388-865-0820 Triage facility—Memo of understanding and other requirements. This section applies to a facility that elects to operate as a triage involuntary placement facility.
- (1) Memo of understanding requirements. The facility must have a memo of understanding developed in consultation with local law enforcement agencies, which details the population that the facility has capacity to serve. The memo of understanding must include, at a minimum, a description of the facility's:
- (a) Capacity to serve individuals with medication, medical and/or accommodation needs;
- (b) Capacity to serve individuals with behavioral management needs;
- (c) Ability to provide seclusion and/or restraint to individuals (see WAC 388-865-0830);
- (d) Notification procedures for discharge of individuals (see WAC 388-865-0850); and
- (e) Procedures for notifying the appropriate law enforcement agency of an individual's release, transfer, or hold for up to twelve hours to allow the peace officer to reclaim the individual.
- (2) Individuals brought to a triage involuntary placement facility by a peace officer. The facility must have written procedures to assure the following:
- (a) An individual detained by the designated mental health professional (DMHP) under chapter 71.05 RCW with a confirmed admission date to an evaluation and treatment facility, may remain at the triage facility until admitted to the evaluation and treatment facility.
- (i) The individual may not be detained to the triage facility: and
- (ii) An individual who agrees to a voluntary stay must provide a signature that documents the agreement.
- (b) The individual is examined by a mental health professional (MHP) within three hours of the individual's arrival at the facility, and the examination includes an assessment to determine if a designated mental health professional (DMHP) evaluation is also required.
- (c) If it is determined a DMHP evaluation is required, the DMHP must evaluate the individual within twelve hours of arrival. The DMHP determines whether the individual:
  - (i) Meets detention criteria under chapter 71.05 RCW; or
- (ii) Agrees to accept voluntary admission. The individual must provide a signature agreeing to voluntary treatment.
- (3) Individuals involuntarily admitted to a triage involuntary placement facility based on a peace officer-initiated

- twelve-hour hold. The facility must ensure each involuntarily admitted individual's clinical record:
- (a) Documents the date and time the individual arrived at the facility and the date and time the examination by the mental health professional (MHP) occurred. The examination must occur within three hours of the individual's arrival to the facility (see WAC 388-865-0840(2)).
  - (b) Documents the peace officer's:
- (i) Determination for cause to have the individual transported to the facility;
- (ii) Request to be notified if the individual leaves the facility and how the peace officer is to be contacted, or documentation of other person(s) permitted to be contacted, such as the shift supervisor of the law enforcement agency or dispatcher; and
- (iii) Request that the individual be held for the duration of the twelve hours to allow the peace officer sufficient time to return and make a determination as to whether or not to take the individual into custody.
- (c) Contains a copy of the evaluation if the individual is determined by a designated mental health professional (DMHP) to meet detention criteria under chapter 71.05 RCW.

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- WAC 388-865-0830 Triage facility—Seclusion and restraint. A triage facility must declare to the department any intention to provide seclusion and/or restraint (see WAC 388-865-0810 (3)(i)).
  - (1) The seclusion and/or restraint may only be used:
- (a) To the extent necessary for the safety of the individual or others and in accordance with WAC 246-322-180 and 246-337-110, 246-320-271, and WAC 388-865-0545; and
  - (b) When all less restrictive measures have failed.
- (2) The facility must clearly document in the clinical record:
  - (a) The threat of imminent danger;
- (b) All less restrictive measures that were tried and found to be ineffective; and
- (c) A summary of each seclusion and/or restraint event, including a debriefing with staff members and the individual regarding how to prevent the occurrence of similar incidents in the future.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 388-865-0840 Triage facility—Admission, assessment, and clinical record requirements for voluntary and involuntary admissions. A triage facility must ensure the requirements in this section are met for each voluntary and involuntary admission. See WAC 388-865-0820(2) for additional requirements for an individual brought to a triage involuntary placement facility by a peace officer. See WAC 388-865-0820(3) for additional requirements for an individual involuntarily admitted to a triage involuntary placement facility based on a peace officer-initiated twelve-hour hold.

(1) Each individual must be assessed for chemical dependency and/or a co-occurring mental health and substance abuse disorder as measured by the global appraisal on

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individual need-short screen (GAIN-SS) as it existed on the effective date of this section, or such subsequent date consistent with the purposes of this section. The clinical record must contain the results of the assessment.

- (2) Each individual must be assessed by a mental health professional (MHP) within three hours of the individual's arrival at the facility.
  - (a) The assessment must include, at a minimum:
- (i) A brief history of mental health or substance abuse treatment; and
- (ii) An assessment of risk of harm to self, others, or grave disability.
  - (b) The MHP must request:
- (i) The names of treatment providers and the treatment provided; and
  - (ii) Emergency contact information.
- (c) The MHP must document in the individual's clinical record:
- (i) All the information obtained in (a) and (b) of this subsection.
- (ii) Sufficient information to demonstrate medical necessity. Medical necessity is defined in the state plan as "A term for describing a requested service which is reasonably calculated to prevent, diagnose, correct, cure, alleviate or prevent the worsening of conditions in the recipient that endanger life, or cause suffering or pain, or result in illness or infirmity, or threaten to cause or aggravate a handicap, or cause of physical deformity or malfunction, and there is no other equally effective, more conservative or substantially less costly course of treatment available or suitable for the person requesting service. For the purpose of this chapter "course of treatment" may include mere observation, or where appropriate, no treatment at all."
- (iii) Sufficient clinical information to justify a provisional diagnosis using criteria in the:
- (A) Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (2000) (American Psychiatric Association (DSM-IV-TR), 2000), as it existed on the effective date of this section; then
- (B) DSM-5 as it exists when published and released in 2013, consistent with the purposes of this section. Information regarding the publication date and release of the DSM-5 is posted on the American Psychiatric Association's public website at www.DSM5.org.
- (3) Each individual must receive a health care screening to determine the individual's health care needs.
- (a) The health care screening instrument must be provided by a licensed health care provider (defined in WAC 246-337-005(22)). A licensed health care provider must be available to staff for staff consultation twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week.
- (b) The individual's clinical record must contain the results of the health care screening.
- (4) A qualified staff member (see WAC 388-865-0870) must coordinate with the individual's current treatment provider, if applicable, to assure continuity of care during admission and upon discharge.

- (5) Each individual's clinical record must:
- (a) Contain a statement regarding the individual circumstances and events that led to the individual's admission to the facility.
  - (b) Document the admission date and time.
- (c) Contain the results of the health care screening required in (3) of this section.
- (d) Document the date and time of a referral to a designated mental health professional (DMHP), if a referral was made.
- (e) Document the date and time of release, or date and time the twelve-hour hold ended
- (f) Document any use of seclusion and/or restraint and include:
- (i) Documentation that the use of seclusion and/or restraint occurred only due to the individual being an imminent danger to self or others; and
- (ii) A description of the less restrictive measures that were tried and found to be ineffective.
- (6) A triage facility that declares any intent to provide seclusion and/or restraint to an individual may do so only to the extent necessary for the safety of others and in accordance with WAC 246-322-180, 246-337-110, 246-320-271, and WAC 388-865-0545. See also WAC 388-865-0830.
- (7) A triage facility must document the efforts and services provided to meet the individual's triage stabilization plan.
- (8) A triage facility must document the date, time, and reason an individual's admission status changed from involuntary to voluntary.

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- WAC 388-865-0850 Triage facility—Triage stabilization plan. A triage stabilization plan must be developed for each individual voluntarily or involuntarily admitted to a triage facility for longer than twenty-four hours. For an individual admitted twenty-four hours or less, the facility must document the results of the assessment performed by a mental health professional (MHP) required under WAC 388-865-0840.
  - (1) The triage stabilization plan must:
- (a) Be developed collaboratively with the individual within twenty-four hours of admission.
- (b) Improve and/or resolve the individual's crisis in the least restrictive manner possible.
- (c) Be written in a language that is understandable to the individual and/or the individual's support system if applicable
- (d) Be mindful of the individual's culture, life style, economic situation, and current mental and physical limitation.
- (e) Have goals that are relevant to the presenting crisis and demonstrate how they impact the crisis by improving the individual's ability to function.
- (f) Include any recommendation for treatment from the mental health professional (MHP) assessment provided with three hours of the individual's arrival at the facility.

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- (g) Include:
- (i) The date and time the designated mental health professional (DMHP) evaluated the individual in accordance with the detention criteria under chapter 71.05 RCW; and
- (ii) The DMHP's determination of whether the individual should be detained.
  - (2) The individual's clinical record must:
  - (a) Contain a copy of the triage stabilization plan;
- (b) Contain charting that demonstrates how requirements of the individual's triage stabilization were met; and
  - (c) Document the services provided to the individual.

### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 388-865-0860 Triage facility—Discharge services for voluntary and involuntary admissions. A triage facility must:

- (1) Provide discharge services for each individual:
- (a) Voluntarily admitted to the facility; or
- (b) Involuntarily admitted to the facility if the individual is not transferred to another facility.
- (2) Coordinate with the individual's current treatment provider, if applicable, to transition the individual back to the provider.
- (3) Develop a discharge plan and follow-up services from the triage facility that includes:
- (a) The name, address, and telephone number of the provider;
  - (b) The designated contact person; and
- (c) The appointment date and time for the follow-up services, if appropriate.

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- WAC 388-865-0870 Triage facility—Staff requirements. A triage facility must ensure each staff member providing services to individuals is qualified to perform the duties within the scope of their position.
- (1) The triage facility must document that each staff member has the following:
  - (a) A current job description.
- (b) A current Washington state department of health license or credential as required for performing the job duties and meeting the specific responsibilities of the position.
- (c) A Washington state patrol background check consistent with chapter 43.43 RCW.
- (d) An annual review and evaluation of work performance.
- (e) An individualized annual training plan that assures the employee is provided, at a minimum:
- (i) Training relevant to the skills required for the job and the population served by the facility.
- (ii) Adequate training regarding the least restrictive alternative options available in the community and how to access them.
- (iii) Training that meets the requirements of this chapter and RCW 71.05.720.
- (iv) Training that meets the requirements of RCW 71.05.705 if the triage facility is performing outreach services.

- (f) Adequate training regarding methods of health care as defined in WAC 246-337-005(19).
- (g) Adequate training regarding the proper and safe use of seclusion and/or restraint procedures if the triage facility employs these techniques. See WAC 388-865-0810 (3)(i) and 388-865-0830.
  - (2) The triage facility must ensure:
- (a) Each clinical supervisor and each clinical staff member meets the qualifications of a mental health professional as defined in WAC 388-865-0800; and
- (b) A clinical staff member who does not meet the qualifications for an MHP as defined in WAC 388-865-0800 is supervised by an MHP if the staff member provides direct services to individuals.
- (c) A contracted staff member who provides direct services to individuals meets the requirements of this section.

#### **NEW SECTION**

WAC 388-865-0880 Triage facility—Posting of individual rights. (1) A triage facility must ensure the individual rights outlined in WAC 388-865-0410 are:

- (a) Prominently posted within the facility;
- (b) Available to any individual on request; and
- (c) Provided to each individual being assessed and admitted to the facility.
- (2) A triage facility that has elected to operate as an involuntary placement facility must meet the requirements in subsection (1) of this section and, in addition, ensure the individual rights outlined in WAC 388-865-0561 are:
  - (a) Prominently posted within the facility; and
- (b) Provided in writing to an individual during the admission process.

# WSR 12-15-083 PROPOSED RULES OFFICE OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

[Insurance Commissioner Matter No. R 2012-15—Filed July 18, 2012, 11:08 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-125.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: Long-term care partnership—Inflation requirements.

Hearing Location(s): Insurance Commissioner's Office, TR 120, 5000 Capitol Boulevard, Tumwater, WA 98504-0255, on August 27, 2012, at 9:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: August 30, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Kacy Scott, P.O. Box 40258, Olympia, WA 98504-0258, e-mail kacys@oic. wa.gov, fax (360) 586-3109, by August 24, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Lorrie [Lorie] Villaflores by August 24, 2012, TTY (360) 586-0241 or (360) 725-7087.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: This proposed rule would allow carriers who offer consumer price index

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(CPI) based inflation protection for partnership policies to offset any negative growth in CPI in a given year against positive growth in CPI in any subsequent year, so long as benefits are never decreased below zero for any given year.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: John Hancock submitted a petition for amendment so that four thousand of their policyholders would be eligible to participate in the partnership program.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 48.02.060 and 48.85.030.

Statute Being Implemented: Chapter 48.85 RCW.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Mike Kreidler, insurance commissioner, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Kacy Scott, P.O. Box 40258, Olympia, WA 98504-0258, (360) 725-7041; Implementation: Beth Berendt, P.O. Box 40255, Olympia, WA 98504-0255, (360) 725-7117; and Enforcement: Carol Sureau, P.O. Box 40255, Olympia, WA 98504-0255, (360) 725-7050.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. The only businesses affected by this proposed rule are long-term care product insurers. None of the active, licensed long-term care product insurers in Washington state are domestic small businesses. Therefore, a small business economic impact statement is not required for this proposed rule.

A cost-benefit analysis is required under RCW 34.05.-328. A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting Kacy Scott, P.O. Box 40258, Olympia, WA 98504-0258, phone (360) 725-7041, fax (360) 586-3109, e-mail kacys@oic.wa.gov.

July 18, 2012 Mike Kreidler Insurance Commissioner

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Matter No. R 2011-08, filed 10/31/11, effective 12/1/11)

- WAC 284-83-410 Minimum standards for long-term care partnership policies. Every long-term care partnership policy must meet the standards for long-term care policies or contracts in chapters 48.83 and 48.85 RCW and this chapter, unless specifically provided otherwise.
- (1) As used in WAC 284-83-400 through 284-83-420, "qualified long-term care partnership policy" or "partnership policy" means a long-term care policy that meets all of the following additional requirements:
- (a) The policy was issued on or after January 1, 2012, or exchanged as provided in WAC 284-83-415 on or after January 1, 2012, and covers an insured who was a resident of this state or of another state that has entered into a reciprocal agreement with this state when coverage first became effective under the policy.
- (b) The policy is a tax qualified long-term care insurance policy as defined in Section 7702B(b) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. 7702B(b)).
- (c) The policy provides at least the following levels of inflation protection:

- (i) If the policy is sold to an individual who has not attained age sixty-one as of the date of purchase, the policy must provide automatic annual compounded inflation increases at a rate not less than three percent or automatic annual compounded inflation increases at a rate based on changes in the consumer price index((, not to be less than zero percent)).
- (ii) If the policy is sold to an individual who has attained age sixty-one but has not attained age seventy-six as of the date of purchase, the policy must provide automatic simple inflation increases at a rate not less than three percent or automatic inflation increases at a rate based on changes in the consumer price index((, not to be less than zero percent)).
- (iii) If the policy is sold to an individual who has attained age seventy-six as of the date of purchase, the policy may, but is not required to, provide automatic inflation increases at a rate based on changes in the consumer price index((, not to be less than zero percent)).
- (iv) If the change in the consumer price index is a negative number for the time period in question, the carrier may not apply the change in the index to reduce the benefit payable under the partnership policy. However, the carrier may offset this negative number against the next annual increase in the consumer price index to reduce the automatic inflation increase which would otherwise occur during that year. If the negative consumer price index exceeds the next annual increase in the consumer price index, it may be offset against multiple annual increases, the net effect of which may never be less than zero.
- (v) For purposes of this section, "consumer price index" means the consumer price index for all urban consumers, U.S. city average, all items, as determined by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor.
- (2) Issuers must file a long-term care insurance policy for approval for use as a partnership policy. The long-term care Partnership Policy Certification Form must be completed and accompany the request for approval. The form is available on the commissioner's web site: www.insurance. wa.gov.
- (3) Issuers requesting to make use of a previously approved policy form as a qualified state long-term care partnership policy must:
- (a) Submit to the commissioner a Partnership Policy Certification Form signed by an officer of the company; and
- (b) File for approval an amendatory rider or endorsement indicating the policy is partnership qualified.
- (4) An issuer or its agent, soliciting or offering to sell a policy that is intended to qualify as a partnership policy, must provide to each prospective applicant a Partnership Program Notice found on the commissioner's web site: www.insurance.wa.gov, outlining the requirements and benefits of a partnership policy. The Partnership Program Notice must be provided with the required outline of coverage.
- (5) A partnership policy issued for delivery in Washington must be accompanied by a Partnership Status Disclosure Notice found on the commissioner's web site: www.insurance.wa.gov, explaining the benefits associated with a partnership policy and indicating that at the time issued, the policy is a qualified Washington state long-term care insurance partnership policy. The Partnership Disclosure Notice

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must also include a statement indicating that by purchasing this partnership policy, the insured does not automatically qualify for medicaid.

# WSR 12-15-084 PROPOSED RULES OFFICE OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

[Insurance Commissioner Matter No. R 2012-13—Filed July 18, 2012, 11:09 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-10-080.

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: Office of the insurance commissioner (OIC) contact information in notices regarding policy changes for personal injury protection (PIP) and the FAIR plan.

Hearing Location(s): Insurance Commissioner's Office, TR 120, 5000 Capitol Boulevard, Tumwater, WA 98504-0255, on August 27, 2012, at 10:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: August 31, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Kacy Scott, P.O. Box 40258, Olympia, WA 98504-0258, e-mail kacys@oic.wa. gov, fax (360) 586-3109, by August 24, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Lorrie [Lorie] Villaflores by August 24, 2012, TTY (360) 586-0241 or (360) 725-7087.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: Insurers are currently required to provide written notification to their insureds in the following two situations:

- WAC 284-19-110 FAIR plan cancellation or nonrenewal.
- WAC 284-30-395(1) PIP Within a reasonable time after receipt of actual notice of an insured's intent to file a personal injury protection medical and hospital benefits claim, and in every case prior to denying or terminating an insured's medical and hospital benefits.

These proposed rules would require inclusion of OIC contact information in both of these notifications insurers currently provide. This would ensure that consumers have access to OIC assistance when they have questions regarding their property and casualty insurance coverage.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: The inclusion of OIC contact information in the PIP and FAIR plan notices will provide an avenue for assistance to consumers when they most need help: When they are injured in an auto accident or when their property insurance has been cancelled. Many consumers are unaware of the OIC assistance that is available to them to answer insurance questions and resolve problems.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 48.02.060 and 48.22.105.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 48.22.085 and 48.58.010.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Mike Kreidler, insurance commissioner, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Kacy Scott, P.O. Box 40258, Olympia, WA 98504-0258, (360) 725-7041; Implementation: John Hamje, P.O. Box 40255, Olympia, WA 98504-0255, (360) 725-7262; and Enforcement: Carol Sureau, P.O. Box 40255, Olympia, WA 98504-0255, (360) 725-7050.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. There is no significant cost imposed by this proposed regulatory amendment on any business; these proposed amendments to the standards for personal injury protection settlements and the FAIR plan rules simply require that a written explanation of coverage provided by an insurer to the insured or a notice of cancellation/refusal to renew must include contact information for the commissioner's consumer protection services and a statement that the insured may contact that office for assistance with questions or complaints. Including this information in these documents will require a minimal amount of clerical time and is unlikely to add any noticeable costs for either paper or postage.

A cost-benefit analysis is required under RCW 34.05.-328. A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting Kacy Scott, P.O. Box 40258, Olympia, WA 98504-0258, phone (360) 725-7041, fax (360) 586-3109, e-mail kacys@oic.wa.gov.

July 18, 2012 Mike Kreidler Insurance Commissioner

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Matter No. R 98-10, filed 6/16/98, effective 7/17/98)

WAC 284-19-170 Public education and notices required. (1) All insurers shall undertake a continuing public education program in cooperation with producers and others, to assure that the program receives adequate public attention.

(2) All insurers terminating a property insurance policy shall give any policyholder eligible for coverage under this program notice of cancellation or refusal to renew as required under chapters 48.18 and 48.53 RCW. The insurers shall explain the procedure for making application under this program in or accompanying the notice. A notice of cancellation or refusal to renew must include contact information for the office of the Washington state insurance commissioner's consumer protection services, including the consumer protection division's hotline phone number and the agency's web site address, and a statement that the consumer may contact the office of the insurance commissioner for assistance with questions or complaints.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Matter No. R 96-6, filed 6/5/97, effective 7/6/97)

WAC 284-30-395 Standards for prompt, fair and equitable settlements applicable to automobile personal injury protection insurance. The commissioner finds that

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some insurers limit, terminate, or deny coverage for personal injury protection insurance without adequate disclosure to insureds of their bases for such actions. To eliminate unfair acts or practices in accord with RCW 48.30.010, the following are hereby defined as unfair methods of competition and unfair or deceptive acts or practices in the business of insurance specifically applicable to automobile personal injury protection insurance. The following standards apply to an insurer's consultation with health care professionals when reviewing the reasonableness or necessity of treatment of the insured claiming benefits under his or her automobile personal injury protection benefits in an automobile insurance policy, as those terms are defined in RCW 48.22.005 (1), (7), and (8), and as prescribed at RCW 48.22.085 through 48.22.-100. This section applies only where the insurer relies on the medical opinion of health care professionals to deny, limit, or terminate medical and hospital benefit claims. When used in this section, the term "medical or health care professional" does not include an insurer's claim representatives, adjusters, or managers or any health care professional in the direct employ of the insurer.

- (1) Within a reasonable time after receipt of actual notice of an insured's intent to file a personal injury protection medical and hospital benefits claim, and in every case prior to denying, limiting, or terminating an insured's medical and hospital benefits, an insurer shall provide an insured with a written explanation of the coverage provided by the policy, including a notice that the insurer may deny, limit, or terminate benefits if the insurer determines that the medical and hospital services:
  - (a) Are not reasonable;
  - (b) Are not necessary:
  - (c) Are not related to the accident; or
- (d) Are not incurred within three years of the automobile accident.

These are the only grounds for denial, limitation, or termination of medical and hospital services permitted pursuant to RCW 48.22.005(7), 48.22.095, or 48.22.100.

The written explanation must include contact information for the office of the Washington state insurance commissioner's consumer protection services, including the consumer protection division's hotline phone number and the agency's web site address, and a statement that the consumer may contact the office of the insurance commissioner for assistance with questions or complaints.

- (2) Within a reasonable time after an insurer concludes that it intends to deny, limit, or terminate an insured's medical and hospital benefits, the insurer shall provide an insured with a written explanation that describes the reasons for its action and copies of pertinent documents, if any, upon request of the insured. The insurer shall include the true and actual reason for its action as provided to the insurer by the medical or health care professional with whom the insurer consulted in clear and simple language, so that the insured will not need to resort to additional research to understand the reason for the action. A simple statement, for example, that the services are "not reasonable or necessary" is insufficient.
- (3)(a) Health care professionals with whom the insurer will consult regarding its decision to deny, limit, or terminate an insured's medical and hospital benefits shall be currently

licensed, certified, or registered to practice in the same health field or specialty as the health care professional that treated the insured.

- (b) If the insured is being treated by more than one health care professional, the review shall be completed by a professional licensed, certified, or registered to practice in the same health field or specialty as the principal prescribing or diagnosing provider, unless otherwise agreed to by the insured and the insurer. This does not prohibit the insurer from providing additional reviews of other categories of professionals.
- (4) To assist in any examination by the commissioner or the commissioner's delegatee, the insurer shall maintain in the insured's claim file sufficient information to verify the credentials of the health care professional with whom it consulted
- (5) An insurer shall not refuse to pay expenses related to a covered property damage loss arising out of an automobile accident solely because an insured failed to attend, or chose not to participate in, an independent medical examination requested under the insured's personal injury protection coverage.
- (6) If an automobile liability insurance policy includes an arbitration provision, it shall conform to the following standards:
- (a) The arbitration shall commence within a reasonable period of time after it is requested by an insured.
- (b) The arbitration shall take place in the county in which the insured resides or the county where the insured resided at the time of the accident, unless the parties agree to another location.
- (c) Relaxed rules of evidence shall apply, unless other rules of evidence are agreed to by the parties.
- (d) The arbitration shall be conducted pursuant to arbitration rules similar to those of the American Arbitration Association, the Center for Public Resources, the Judicial Arbitration and Mediation Service, Washington Arbitration and Mediation Service, chapter 7.04 RCW, or any other rules of arbitration agreed to by the parties.

# WSR 12-15-089 PROPOSED RULES DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

[Filed July 18, 2012, 11:46 a.m.]

Original Notice.

Preproposal statement of inquiry was filed as WSR 12-11-104

Title of Rule and Other Identifying Information: Rules for recreational marine and freshwater salmon fishing: WAC 220-55-220 Two-pole endorsement, 220-56-105 River mouth definitions, 220-56-115 Angling gear—Lawful and unlawful acts, 220-56-124 Seasons and areas—Hoodsport Hatchery, 220-56-195 Closed areas—Saltwater salmon angling, 220-56-282 Sturgeon—Areas, seasons, limits and unlawful acts, 220-56-500 Game fish seasons, 232-28-619 Washington food fish and game fish—Freshwater exceptions

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to statewide rules, 232-28-620 Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits, and 232-28-621 Puget Sound salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits.

Hearing Location(s): Natural Resources Building, Room 172, 1111 Washington Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98504, on August 21, 2012, at 9:00 a.m.

Date of Intended Adoption: On or after August 21, 2012.

Submit Written Comments to: Lori Preuss, Rules Coordinator, 600 Capitol Way North, Olympia, WA 98501-1091, e-mail Lori.Preuss@dfw.wa.gov, fax (360) 902-2155, by August 15, 2012.

Assistance for Persons with Disabilities: Contact Tami Lininger by August 15, 2012, TTY (360) 902-2207 or (360) 902-2267.

Purpose of the Proposal and Its Anticipated Effects, Including Any Changes in Existing Rules: These rules incorporate the recommendations of the North of Falcon subgroup of the Pacific Fisheries Management Council for recreational anglers to take harvestable salmon while protecting species of fish listed as endangered.

Reasons Supporting Proposal: To protect fish species listed as endangered while supporting recreational fishing opportunity.

Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 77.04.020, 77.12.045, and 77.12.047.

Statute Being Implemented: RCW 77.04.020, 77.12.-045, and 77.12.047.

Rule is not necessitated by federal law, federal or state court decision.

Name of Proponent: Washington department of fish and wildlife, governmental.

Name of Agency Personnel Responsible for Drafting: Charmane Ashbrook, 1111 Washington Street, Olympia, (360) 902-2700; Implementation: Jim Scott, 1111 Washington Street, Olympia, (360) 902-2736; and Enforcement: Bruce Bjork, 1111 Washington Street, Olympia, (360) 902-2373.

No small business economic impact statement has been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW. These proposed rule amendments do not affect small business; i.e., there is no direct regulation of small business. These rules are for recreational fishers.

A cost-benefit analysis is not required under RCW 34.05.328. These proposals do not affect hydraulics.

July 18, 2012 Lori Preuss Rules Coordinator

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 12-17, filed 2/16/12, effective 3/18/12)

WAC 220-55-220 Two\_pole endorsement. Anglers ((who are)) in possession of a valid two\_pole endorsement may fish with two lines in all lakes and ponds open to fishing, with the following exceptions:

Water Body	County
Para-juvenile Lake	Adams
Quail Lake	Adams

Water Body	County	
Headgate Pond	Asotin	
Columbia Park Pond	Benton	
Blackbird Island Pond	Chelan	
Lake Wenatchee	Chelan	
Aldwell Lake	Clallam	
Beaver Lake	Clallam	
Carrie Blake Pond	Clallam	
Dickey Lake	Clallam	
Lake Pleasant	Clallam	
Lincoln Pond	Clallam	
Sutherland Lake	Clallam	
Vancouver Lake	Clark	Includes all other waters west of Burlington-Northern Rail- road from Columbia River drawbridge near Vancouver downstream to Lewis River
Big Four Lake	Columbia	
Dayton Pond	Columbia	
Blue Lake	Cowlitz	
Castle Lake	Cowlitz	
Coldwater Lake	Cowlitz	
Lewis River Power Canal	Cowlitz	Includes old Lewis River streambed between Swift No. 1 powerhouse and Swift No. 2 powerhouse
Merrill Lake	Cowlitz	
Silver Lake	Cowlitz	
Grimes Lake	Douglas	
Pit Lake	Douglas	
Long Lake	Ferry	
Beda Lake	Grant	
Brookies Lakes	Grant	
Dry Falls Lake	Grant	
Dusty Lake	Grant	
Homestead Lake	Grant	
Lenice Lake	Grant	
Lenore Lake	Grant	
Merry Lake	Grant	
Nunnally Lake	Grant	
Ping Pond	Grant	
Damon Lake	Grays Harbor	
Mill Creek Pond	Grays Harbor	
Promised Land Pond Quigg Lake	Grays Harbor Grays Harbor	Located at Friends Landing
Shye Lake	Grays Harbor	near montesallo
Vance Creek Pond #1	Grays Harbor	
Vance Creek Pond #2	Grays Harbor	
Wynoochee Reservoir	Grays Harbor	
Anderson Lake	Jefferson	
Gibbs Lake	Jefferson	
Horseshoe Lake	Jefferson	
Teal Lake	Jefferson	
Lake Sammamish	King	
Lake Union	King	
Lake Washington	King	Including that portion of Sammamish River from 68th Ave.

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Water Body	County		Water Body	y	County	
Lake Washington Ship	King	(Including Lake Union, Por-	Ohop Lake		Pierce	
Canal		tage Bay, and Salmon Bay)	Tanwax Lake		Pierce	
		Waters east of a north-south	Wapato Lake		Pierce	
		line 400' west of the Chitten-	Granite Lakes		Skagit	Near Marblemount
		den Locks to the Montlake Bridge	Northern State Hotal Pond	ospi-	Skagit	
Mill Pond	King	Auburn	Pass Lake		Skagit	
Old Fishing Hole Pond	King	Kent	Vogler Lake		Skagit	
Portage Bay	King		(( <del>Drano Lake</del>		Skamania	(Little White Salmon River)
Rattlesnake Lake	King		((Diano Lake		Skamama	downstream of markers on
Ravensdale Lake	King					point of land downstream and
Salmon Bay	King					across from Little White
Swans Mill Pond	King					Salmon National Fish Hatch-
Koeneman Lake	Kitsap	Formerly Fern Lake				ery and upstream of Hwy. 14
Easton Lake	Kittitas		a :a p :			bridge))
Kachess Lake	Kittitas		Swift Reservoir		Skamania	From dam to Eagle Cliff
Keechelus Lake	Kittitas		Ebay Laka		Cmahamiah	Bridge
Kiwanis Pond	Kittitas		Ebey Lake	1.//2	Snohomish Snohomish	Little Lake
Naneum Pond	Kittitas		Fortson Mill Pond			
Cowlitz Falls Reser-	Lewis		Jennings Park Por		Snohomish	
voir			Monte Cristo Lak		Snohomish	
Fort Borst Park Pond	Lewis		North Gissburg P	ond	Snohomish	
Mayfield Lake	Lewis	Mayfield Dam to Mossyrock	Spada Lake		Snohomish	
		Dam	Amber Lake		Spokane	
Packwood Lake	Lewis		Bear Lake		Spokane	
Scanewa Lake	Lewis	Cowlitz Falls Reservoir	Medical Lake		Spokane	
Walupt Lake	Lewis		North Silver Lake	e	Spokane	
Willame Lake	Lewis		Bayley Lake		Stevens	
Coffeepot Lake	Lincoln		Lucky Duck Pond	d	Stevens	
Cady Lake	Mason		McDowell Lake		Stevens	
Cushman Reservoir	Mason		Rigley Lake		Stevens	
Prices Lake	Mason		Kennedy Creek P	Pond	Thurston	
Stump Lake	Mason		Long's Pond		Thurston	
Aeneas Lake	Okanogan		McLane Creek Po	onds	Thurston	
Big Twin Lake	Okanogan		Munn Lake		Thurston	
Black Lake	Okanogan		Jefferson Park Po	ond	Walla Walla	
Blue Lake	Okanogan	Near Wannacut Lake	Lions Park Pond		Walla Walla	College Place
Blue Lake	Okanogan	Sinlahekin Creek	Diablo Lake		Whatcom	
Campbell Lake	Okanogan		Gorge Lake		Whatcom	
Chopaka Lake	Okanogan		Lake Whatcom		Whatcom	
Cougar Lake	Okanogan	Lost River	Ross Lake		Whatcom	
Davis Lake	Okanogan		Squalicum Lake		Whatcom	
Ell Lake	Okanogan		Garfield Juvenile	Pond	Whitman	
Green Lake	Okanogan		Bumping Lake		Yakima	
Green Lake	Okanogan	Lower Green Lake	Clear Lake		Yakima	
Hidden Lake	Okanogan	Lost River	Leech Lake		Yakima	White Pass area
Rat Lake	Okanogan	Lost River	Mud Lake		Yakima	
Silvernail Lake	Okanogan		Myron Lake		Yakima	
Cases Pond	Pacific		Rimrock Lake		Yakima	
Middle Nemah Pond	Pacific		Sarge Hubbard Pa	ark	Yakima	
Mooses Pond	Pacific		Pond	.,		
Owens Pond	Pacific		Yakima Sportsme	en's	Yakima	
South Bend Mill Pond	Pacific		Park Ponds			
Browns Lake	Pend Oreille		Note: Ti	ho tree :	nala andarrasm	t is not valid in the Columbia 1
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Muskegon Lake	Pend Oreille			Voods La		
Bradley Lake	Pierce					
De Coursey Pond	Pierce					

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Anglers ((who are)) in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may also fish with two lines in the following river sections:

River	County	Section
Spokane	Spokane and Stevens	Lower Spokane River from mouth (SR 25 bridge) to 400' below Little Falls
		Dam
Pend Oreille	Pend Oreille	
<u>Columbia</u>		From Priest Rapids Dam to Wanapum Dam
		From Wanapum Dam to Wells Dam
		From Wells Dam to Highway 173 Bridge at Brews-
		<u>ter</u>
		From Highway 173 Bridge
		at Brewster to Chief
		Joseph Dam
Cowlitz River	Lewis	Lexington Bridge Drive in
		Kelso upstream to the
		Highway 505 Bridge in
		<u>Toledo</u>
Lewis	Clark/Skamania	From mouth to Colvin
		Creek
Wind	<u>Skamania</u>	Mouth to Burlington
		Northern Railroad Bridge

Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may also fish with two lines in the following marine areas:

<b>Description</b>	Marine Area
<u>Willapa</u>	2-1. East of a line from Cape Shoal-
	water to Ledbetter Point
Port Susan and Port Gardner	Tulalip Terminal Area

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 09-27, filed 2/25/09, effective 5/1/09)

WAC 220-56-105 River mouth definitions. When pertaining to angling, unless otherwise defined, any reference to the mouths of rivers or streams ((shall be construed to)) includes those waters of any river or stream, including sloughs and tributaries, upstream and inside of a line projected between the outermost uplands at the mouth. The term "outermost upland" ((shall be construed to)) means those lands not covered by water during an ordinary high tide. The following river mouths are hereby otherwise defined:

Abernathy Creek - Highway 4 Bridge.

Bear River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Bone River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Chambers Creek - Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge.

Chehalis River - Highway 101 Bridge in Aberdeen.

Chelan River - Railroad Bridge.

Cispus River - Posted markers at the Lewis County P.U.D. kayak launch, approximately 1.5 miles upstream from the confluence of the Cowlitz and Cispus rivers.

Cowlitz River - A line projected across the river between two fishing boundary markers set on each bank of the river approximately one-half mile downstream from the lowermost railroad bridge crossing the Cowlitz River.

Dakota Creek - A line from the outermost headland of the south bank to a house at 1285 Runge Avenue, Blaine, Washington, approximately one-quarter mile downstream from the Blaine Road Bridge.

Deschutes River - A line projected across the river 400 feet below the lower Tumwater Falls fish ladder.

Drano Lake - Highway 14 Bridge.

Duwamish River - First Avenue South Bridge.

Elk River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Entiat River - Highway 97 Bridge.

Hawk Creek (Lincoln County) - Falls at the Hawk Creek campground.

Hoquiam River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Humptulips River - Mouth of Jessie Slough.

Johns River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Kennedy Creek - An arc 500 yards east of the midpoint of the northbound Highway 101 Bridge.

Kettle River - Barstow Bridge.

Lake Washington Ship Canal - A line 400 feet west of the fish ladder at the Chittenden Locks.

Lewis River - A straight line running from a fishing boundary marker or from the outermost upland at the north shore of the Lewis River mouth, southerly across the Lewis River to a fishing boundary marker near the south shore.

McLane Creek - A line 100 feet upstream of and parallel to the southernmost Highway 101 Bridge.

Methow River - Highway 97 Bridge.

Naselle River - Highway 101 Bridge.

North Nemah River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Niawiakum River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Nisqually River - At the upstream end of Alder Lake, the mouth of the Nisqually River is the Highway 7 Bridge at Elbe.

North River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Palix River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Puyallup River - 11th Street Bridge.

Samish River - The Samish Island Bridge (Bayview-Edison Road).

Sammamish River - 68th Avenue NE Bridge.

Skagit River - A line projected from the terminus of the jetty with McGlinn Island to the white monument on the easterly end of Ika Island, then to a white monument on the westerly end of Craft Island, then to a white monument near the corner of the levee on the westerly side of Dry Slough, and then to a white monument on the easterly side of Tom Moore Slough.

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- Skamokawa Creek Highway 4 Bridge.
- Skookum Creek A line 400 yards below the old railroad bridge.
- Snohomish River Burlington Northern Railway Bridges crossing main river and sloughs.
- South Nemah River Lynn Point 117 degrees true to the opposite shore.
- Spokane River State Route 25 Bridge.
- Wallace River The furthest downstream railroad bridge.
- Washougal River A straight line from the Crown Zellerbach pumphouse southeasterly across the Washougal River to the east end of the Highway 14 Bridge near the upper end of Lady Island.
- Whatcom Creek A line projected approximately 14 degrees true from the flashing light at the southwesterly end of the Port of Bellingham North Terminal to the southernmost point of the dike surrounding the Georgia Pacific treatment pond.
- ((White Salmon River Between markers on the east and west shores downstream of the Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge except when buoys are in place southerly from the shore to the buoys and east and west between the buoys.))
- Little White Salmon River At boundary markers on river bank downstream from the Little White Salmon National Fish Hatchery.

Willapa River - City of South Bend boat launch.

Wind River - Boundary line markers at mouth.

Yakima River - Highway 240 Bridge.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 10-64, filed 3/19/10, effective 5/1/10)

- WAC 220-56-115 Angling gear—Lawful and unlawful acts. (1) It is unlawful for any person to use more than one line while angling for personal use, except:
- (a) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing in lakes, ponds, and reservoirs open to fishing unless listed as an exception in WAC 220-55-220. Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing in rivers and marine areas as noted in WAC 220-55-220 and 232-28-619
- (b) A second line using forage fish jigger gear is ((<del>lawful</del>)) permissible while fishing in Catch Record Card Areas 5, 6, 7, 8-1, 8-2, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13. ((A violation of this subsection is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160.))
- (2) It ((shall be)) is unlawful for any person to take, fish for, or possess fish taken for personal use by any means other than angling with a line attached to a pole held in hand while landing the fish, or with a hand-operated line without rod or reel, except as follows:
- (a) It is ((lawful)) permissible to leave the pole in a pole holder while playing or landing the fish if the pole is capable of being readily removed from the pole holder.

- (b) It is ((lawful)) permissible to use an electric poweroperated reel designed for sport fishing attached to a pole.
- (c) It is ((lawful)) permissible to fish for or possess salmon taken for personal use with hand lines (lines not attached to a handheld pole), except that use of hand lines is unlawful in those waters west of the mouth of the Sekiu River, the Pacific Ocean, Washington waters at the mouth of the Columbia River west of a line projected true north and south through Buoy 10, Grays Harbor, and Willapa Bay.
- (((d) A violation of this subsection is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160.))
- (3) It ((shall be)) <u>is</u> unlawful for any person while angling to fail to keep his angling gear under his <u>or her</u> direct and immediate physical control.
- (4) In areas where a saltwater license is valid, each fisher aboard a vessel may continue to deploy angling gear or shell-fish gear until the daily limit of food fish or shellfish for all licensed <u>anglers</u> and juvenile anglers aboard has been retained.
- (5) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested fish or shellfish. If the person has harvested fish or shellfish, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the fish or shellfish are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.
- (6) It is unlawful to possess fish or shellfish taken with gear in violation of the provisions of this section. Possession of fish or shellfish while using gear in violation of the provisions of this section is a rebuttable presumption that the fish or shellfish were taken with such gear. Possession of such fish or shellfish is punishable under RCW 77.15.380. Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the fish or shellfish are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370. Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 10-64, filed 3/19/10, effective 5/1/10)

- WAC 220-56-124 ((Unlawful provisions)) Seasons and areas—Hoodsport Hatchery. (1) During the period of July 1 through December 31, those waters of Catch Record Card Area 12 within a 2,000-foot arc seaward of yellow buoys at the mouth of Finch Creek at the Hoodsport Salmon Hatchery are regulated as ((provided for in this section)) follows:
- $((\frac{1}{1}))$  (2) These waters are open to salmon angling regardless of the status of the surrounding waters of Area 12.
  - (((2))) (3) Limits:
- (a) Special daily limit of ((four)) 4 salmon, of which no more than ((two)) 2 salmon may be Chinook salmon greater than 24 inches in length.
  - (b) Release wild Chinook.
  - (c) Release chum salmon July 1 through October 15.
- $((\frac{(3)}{2}))$  (4) It is unlawful to fish for or possess salmon taken from these waters from one hour after sunset to one hour before sunrise.

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- (((4))) (5) Hoodsport Salmon Hatchery ADA-accessible site.
- (a) Persons with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and/or who have a designated harvester card under WAC 220-55-065 may fish from the ADA-accessible site at the Hoodsport Salmon Hatchery, provided such persons follow all applicable department rules ((and regulations)).
- (b) Designated harvesters may fish from the ADA-accessible site with persons with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and/or who have a designated harvester card, if room allows. However, persons with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair have priority over other((s)) anglers if the ADA-accessible site becomes overcrowded.
- (6) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested salmon. If the person has harvested salmon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the salmon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Order 09-133, filed 7/8/09, effective 8/8/09)

WAC 220-56-195 Closed areas—Saltwater salmon angling. The following areas ((shall be)) are closed to salmon angling during the times indicated:

- (1) Bellingham Bay: Those waters of Bellingham, Samish, and Padilla Bays southerly of a line projected from the most westerly point of Gooseberry Point to Sandy Point, easterly of a line from Sandy Point to Point Migley, thence along the eastern shoreline of Lummi Island to Carter Point, thence to the most northerly tip of Vendovi Island, thence to Clark Point on Guemes Island, thence following the shoreline to Yellow Bluff on the southwest corner of Guemes Island, thence to Yellow Bluff Reef range marker, thence to the ferry terminal dock east of Shannon Point and north of the Burlington Railroad Bridges at the north end of Swinomish Slough ((shall be)): Closed to salmon angling April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through August 15.
- (2) Carr Inlet: Those waters of Carr Inlet within 1,000 feet of the outer oyster stakes at the mouth of Minter Creek ((are)): Closed to salmon angling April 16 through September 30.
- (3) Dungeness Bay: Those waters westerly of a line from Dungeness Spit Light to the number 2 red Buoy, and then to the Port Williams boat ramp ((are)): Closed to salmon angling May 1 through September 30 and November 1 through April 30.
- (4) Samish Bay: Those waters southerly of a line projected true east from Fish Point ((are)): Closed to salmon angling April 1 through April 30 and August 1 through October 15.
- (5) Columbia River Mouth Control Zone 1: Washington waters within Control Zone 1, which Control Zone is described as an area at the Columbia River mouth bounded on the west by a line running northeast/southwest between the red lighted Buoy #4 (46°13'35" N/124°06'50" W) and the

- green lighted Buoy #7 (46°15'09" N/124°06'16" W); on the east by the Buoy #10 line, which bears north/south at 357° true from the south jetty at 46°14'00" N/124°03'07" W to its intersection with the north jetty; on the north by a line running northeast/southwest between the green lighted Buoy #7 to the tip of the north jetty (46°14'48" N/124°05'20" W), and then along the north jetty to the point of intersection with the Buoy #10 line; and on the south by a line running northeast/southwest between the red lighted Buoy #4 and the tip of the south jetty (46°14'03" N/124°04'05" W), and then along the south jetty to the point of intersection with the Buoy #10 line ((are)): Closed to salmon angling at all times, except open to fishing from the north jetty when adjacent waters north of the Control Zone are open to salmon angling, or when the Buoy 10 fishery is open.
- (6) Commencement Bay: Those waters east of a line projected from the Sperry Ocean Dock to landfall below the Cliff House Restaurant on the north shore of Commencement Bay ((are)): Closed April 1 through April 30 and June 1 through July 31.
- (7) Southern Rosario Strait and the eastern Strait of Juan de Fuca: Waters of Area 7 in Rosario Strait and the eastern portion of the Strait of Juan de Fuca southerly of a line running true south from the westernmost point on Fidalgo Head to Burrows Island, then westerly and southerly along the shore of Burrows Island to the Burrows Island Lighthouse, then to Bird Rocks, then westerly from Bird Rocks to the southernmost point on Decatur Island, then across Lopez Pass to Lopez Island and following the shore of Lopez Island southerly and westerly to Iceberg Point, then from Iceberg Point to Cattle Point, then south\_southwest to the Salmon Bank Buoy, and then true south from the Salmon Bank Buoy to the Area 7 boundary((—)): Closed to fishing for salmon July 1 September 30.
- (8) Kydaka Point Waters south of a line from Kydaka Point to Shipwreck Point ((are)) Closed to fishing for salmon July 1 through September 30.
- (9) Port Angeles Harbor Waters westerly of a line from the tip of Ediz Hook to the I.T.T. Rayonier Dock ((are)): Closed to fishing for salmon from July 1 through August 31.
- (10) ((Grays Harbor Control Zone: Waters within a line from the lighthouse one mile south of the south jetty, thence to Buoy number 2, thence to Buoy number 3, thence to the tip of the north jetty, thence to the exposed end of the south jetty, thence following the south jetty and shoreline to the lighthouse closed to fishing for salmon August 1 through September 30.)) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested salmon. If the person has harvested salmon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the salmon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 12-17, filed 2/16/12, effective 3/18/12)

WAC 220-56-282 Sturgeon—Areas, seasons, limits and unlawful acts. (1) It is unlawful to retain green sturgeon.

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- (2) It is ((lawful)) permissible to retain white sturgeon in Puget Sound and all Puget Sound tributaries from June 1 through June 30 and September 1 through October 15, except that in the Union River, white sturgeon may only be retained from June 1 through June 30.
- (3) For all saltwater((s)) <u>waterways</u>, excluding Puget Sound and Puget Sound tributaries, it is ((<del>lawful</del>)) <u>permissible</u> to fish for white sturgeon the entire year ((<del>in saltwater, but open in freshwater</del>)). However, for freshwater waterways, it is permissible to fish for white sturgeon only ((<del>concurrent with a</del>)) when the season is open for salmon or game fish ((<del>opening</del>)), unless otherwise provided.
- (4) The daily limit is one white sturgeon, with the following size restrictions:
- (a) Minimum size <u>is</u> 43 inches <u>in</u> fork length in the Columbia River and tributaries upstream from The Dalles Dam.
- (b) Minimum size <u>is</u> 38 inches <u>in</u> fork length in all other state waters.
  - (c) Maximum size <u>is</u> 54 inches <u>in</u> fork length.
- (5) Once the daily limit has been retained, it is ((lawful)) permissible to continue to fish for sturgeon in the mainstem of the Columbia River downstream from where the river forms the boundary between Oregon and Washington, provided that all subsequent sturgeon are released immediately.
- $((\frac{5}{)}))$  (6) The possession limit is two daily limits of fresh, frozen, or processed white sturgeon.
- (((6))) (7) There is an annual personal-use limit of five white sturgeon from April 1 through March 31, regardless of where the sturgeon were taken. After the annual limit of sturgeon has been taken, it is ((lawful)) permissible to continue to fish for white sturgeon in the mainstem Columbia River downstream from where the river forms the common boundary between Oregon and Washington, provided that all subsequent sturgeon are released immediately.
- (((7))) (8) It is unlawful to fish for sturgeon with terminal gear other than bait and one single barbless hook. It is ((lawful)) permissible to use artificial scent with bait when fishing for white sturgeon. ((Violation of this subsection is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160. It is unlawful to possess sturgeon taken with gear in violation of the provisions of this section. Possession of sturgeon while using gear in violation of the provisions of this section is a rebuttable presumption that the sturgeon were taken with such gear. Possession of such sturgeon is punishable under RCW 77.15.380 Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the sturgeon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370 Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.
- (8))) (9) It is unlawful to fish for or possess sturgeon taken for personal use from freshwater, except the Chehalis River, from one hour after official sunset to one hour before official sunrise.
- $((\frac{(9)}{)})$  (10) It is unlawful to possess in the field sturgeon eggs without having retained the intact carcass of the fish from which the eggs have been removed.
- $((\frac{(10)}{)})$  (11) It is unlawful to use a gaff or other fish landing aid that penetrates the fish while restraining, handling or landing a sturgeon.

- $((\frac{(11)}{)}))$  (12) It is unlawful to fail to immediately return to the water any undersize or oversize sturgeon.
- (13) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested sturgeon. If the person has harvested sturgeon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the sturgeon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.
- (14) It is unlawful to possess sturgeon taken with gear in violation of the provisions of this section. Possession of sturgeon while using gear in violation of the provisions of this section is a rebuttable presumption that the sturgeon were taken with such gear. Possession of such sturgeon is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the sturgeon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 10-64, filed 3/19/10, effective 5/1/10)

- WAC 220-56-500 Game fish seasons. It is unlawful to fish for game fish except during ((open)) the seasons ((oropen)) and times ((periods)) below.
- (1) Freshwater lakes, ponds and reservoirs: Open year round except as provided for in WAC 232-28-619.
  - (2) Freshwater rivers, streams, and beaver ponds:
- (a) Rivers, streams, and beaver ponds that drain into Puget Sound ((or)), the Strait of Juan de Fuca, Pacific Ocean (excluding the Columbia River), Grays Harbor, and Willapa Bay are closed to fishing for game fish unless otherwise provided for.
- (b) All other rivers, streams, and beaver ponds: Open the first Saturday in June through October 31 except as provided for in WAC 232-28-619.
- (3) Saltwater (all waters downstream and seaward of the mouths of rivers and streams generally defined in WAC 220-16-245 and specifically defined in WAC 220-56-105): Open year-round, except:
- (a) Lake Washington Ship Canal Those waters of Area 10 west of the Lake Washington Ship Canal to a north-south line 175 feet west of the Burlington-Northern Railroad Bridge are closed waters.
- (b) Toliva Shoal Waters within 500 yards of the Toliva Shoal buoy are closed waters from June 16 through April 30.
- (c) Freshwater Bay Waters south of a line from Angeles Point westerly to Observatory Point are closed July 1 through August 31.
- (d) Tulalip Bay Waters of Tulalip Bay east of a line from Hermosa Point to Mission Point are closed waters.
- (e) Agate Pass Waters of Catch Record Card Area 10 west of a line from Point Monroe to Indianola and east of a line from Point Bolin to Battle Point are closed to game fish angling from January 1 through March 31; ((except)) however, a person can fish with gear meeting the fly-fishing-only requirements of WAC 220-56-210((-,)) as long as he or she does not use lead-core fly line. ((Use of gear other than fly-

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fishing gear or use of a lead core line in violation of this subsection is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160.)) It is unlawful to retain any fish taken during the period January 1 through March 31.

- (f) Those waters of Hood Canal inshore from yellow marker buoys to the mouth of Finch Creek, and waters within the channel created when tidelands are exposed, are closed the entire year, except:
- (i) Persons with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and/or who have a designated harvester card under WAC 220-55-065 may fish from the ADA-accessible site at the Hoodsport Salmon Hatchery, provided such persons follow all applicable rules and regulations of the adjoining waters of Marine Area 12.
- (ii) Designated harvesters may fish from the ADAaccessible site with persons with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair and/or who have a designated harvester card, if room allows. However, persons with disabilities who permanently use a wheelchair have priority over others if the ADA-accessible site becomes overcrowded.
- (4) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested game fish. If the person has harvested game fish, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the game fish are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 12-17, filed 2/16/12, effective 3/18/12)

- WAC 232-28-619 Washington food fish and game fish—Freshwater exceptions to statewide rules. (1) All freshwater streams and lakes not listed as open for salmon fishing are closed to fishing for salmon.
- (2) As used in this section, "lead jig" means a lure consisting of a hook permanently or temporarily attached directly to a lead weight by any method. "Lead weight" means material constructed of lead and applied to a fishing line or lure and designed to help keep the hook, bait, or lure underwater.
- (3)(a) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested fish. If the person has harvested fish, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the fish are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.
- (b) Freshwater terminal gear restrictions: In all waters with freshwater terminal gear restrictions, including, but not limited to, selective gear rules, whitefish gear rules, single point barbless hooks required, fly-fishing only, and antisnagging rules, violation of the gear rules is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160. It is unlawful to possess fish taken with gear in violation of the freshwater terminal gear restrictions. Possession of fish while using gear in violation of the freshwater terminal gear restrictions is a rebuttable presumption that the fish were taken with such gear. Posses-

sion of such fish is punishable under RCW 77.15.380. Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree, unless the fish are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370. Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree.

- (4) County freshwater exceptions to statewide rules:
- (a) Adams and Grant counties: All seasons in specific freshwater exceptions to statewide rules apply to inlet and outlet streams of named lakes in Grant and Adams counties.
- (b) Adams, Douglas, Franklin, Grant, and Okanogan counties, except Zosel Dam (Okanogan River): ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish to base of all dams.
- (c) Ferry and Lincoln counties: Except those tributaries listed under specific water exceptions to statewide rules, all tributaries to Lake Roosevelt between Grand Coulee Dam and the State Highway 25 Bridge at Northport except Barnaby and Nancy creeks: Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no minimum size.
- (d) Kitsap County and Mason County on Tahuya Peninsula west of Belfair-Bremerton Highway (S.R. 3): Beaver ponds: Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: No minimum length.
- (e) Kitsap County and Mason County east of Belfair-Bremerton Highway (S.R. 3): Beaver ponds: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: No minimum length.
- (5) Rivers, streams, and beaver ponds that drain into Puget Sound ((or)), the Strait of Juan de Fuca, or the Pacific Ocean (excluding the Columbia River) are closed to fishing unless listed as open below.
  - (6) Specific freshwater exceptions to statewide rules:

Aberdeen Lake (Grays Harbor County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: No more than two over 15 inches in length may be retained per day.

Abernathy Creek (Cowlitz County):

From mouth to a point five hundred feet downstream from salmon hatchery: The first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15 season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

From Abernathy falls to posted markers five hundred feet downstream from salmon hatchery: Closed waters.

Aeneas Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit one.

Ahtanum Creek, including North and Middle Forks (Yakima County): Selective gear rules. ((Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) North Fork from Grey Rock Trailhead Bridge crossing to Shellneck Creek and Middle Fork from the A2000 Road Bridge at Tree Phones Campground downstream to the A2000 Spur Road Bridge in NE Section 34: Closed waters.

Alder Creek (Cowlitz County): Closed waters.

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Alder Creek (Pacific County) (Naselle River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31. Selective gear rules.

Alder Lake (Thurston County): Kokanee not included in trout daily limit. Kokanee daily limit 10. All tributaries: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Aldrich Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Aldwell Lake (Clallam County): ((Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches.)) Closed waters.

Alexander Lake (Kitsap County): Closed waters.

Alkali Lake (Grant County): Crappie: Not more than five greater than eight inches in length. Bluegill: Not more than five greater than six inches in length.

All Creek (Skagit County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

((Allen Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From mouth upstream: All species: Selective gear rules, night closure, and anti-snagging rule.))

Alma Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Amon Creek (Benton County): Selective gear rules.

Alta Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Amber Lake (Spokane County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length fourteen inches; release rainbow trout with a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin. Additional season October 1 through November 30 and March 1 through Friday before fourth Saturday in April. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

American Lake (Pierce County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee. Chumming permitted.

American River (Yakima County): Closed waters: From Highway 410 Bridge at river mile 5.4 to the Mesatchee Creek Trail crossing at river mile 15.8 July 16 through September 15. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Anderson Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Anderson Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Anderson Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. From September 1 through October 31, selective gear rules and trout: Release all trout.

Armstrong Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Asotin Creek, mainstem and forks (Asotin County): Closed to fishing for steelhead.

From SR 129 Bridge upstream to the forks: ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish up to base of Headgate Dam.

North Fork from mouth upstream to USFS boundary: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

North Fork from USFS boundary upstream and all other tributaries: Closed waters.

South Fork and tributaries: Closed waters.

Bacon Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained

Bacus Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

B.C. Mill Pond (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Badger Lake (Spokane County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Bainbridge Island - All streams (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Baker Lake (Whatcom County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season, except closed waters in an area two hundred feet in radius around the pump discharge at the south end of the lake. Chumming permitted. Trout: Minimum length six inches and maximum length eighteen inches. Salmon: July 1 through September 4 season. Daily limit three sockeye only. Minimum length 18 inches.

Baker River (Skagit County): Mouth to Highway 20 Bridge: September 1 through October 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of the trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches.

Highway 20 Bridge to Baker River fish barrier dam: Closed waters.

From fish barrier dam to headwaters, including all tributaries and their tributaries except Channel Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Banks Lake (Grant County): Chumming allowed. Perch: Daily limit twenty-five. Crappie: Daily limit 10, minimum size 9 inches in length.

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Barnaby Slough (Skagit County): Closed waters.

Battle Ground Lake (Clark County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout 20 inches or greater in length may be retained.

Bay Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Bayley Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through July 4 season. Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit one, minimum length fourteen inches. Additional season, July 5 through October 31. Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. All species: Release all fish. Inlet stream: Closed waters.

Bear Creek (Clallam County) (Bogachiel River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Bear Creek (Clallam County) (Sol Duc River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Bear Creek (Yakima County): Tributary to South Fork Tieton River: From the mouth to the falls (approximately 3/4 mile): Closed waters.

Bear Lake (Spokane County): Juveniles, holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards, and licensed adults accompanied by a juvenile only.

Bear River (Pacific County): The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 16 through November 30.

From mouth (Highway 101 Bridge) to Lime Quarry Road (approximately two river miles): All game fish: Release all fish, except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. ((Single point barbless hooks required August 16)) Salmon: September 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult fish and of these no more than one may be a wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.

From the Lime Quarry Road upstream to the Longview Fiber Bridge: Selective gear rules. All game fish: Release all fish, except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. ((Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30 from mouth to Lime Quarry Road. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult fish and of these no more than one may be a wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.))

Beaver Creek (Clallam County) (Sol Duc River tributary): From mouth upstream to Beaver Falls: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

From Beaver Falls upstream to Beaver Lake: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Beaver Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Beaver Creek (Thurston County) ((and all tributaries west of)): From mouth to I-5: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules((5)) and night closure ((and anti-snagging rule)). Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Beaver Creek (tributary to Elochoman River) (Wahkiakum County): Closed waters.

Beaver Lake (Clallam County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Maximum size 12 inches in length.

Beaver Lake (Columbia County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited.

Beaver Lake (King County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than 2 over 15 inches in length.

Beda Lake (Grant County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one fish.

Beehive (Lake) Reservoir (Chelan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. July 5 through October 31, selective gear rules, and all species: Release all fish. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Bennington Lake (Mill Creek Reservoir) (Walla Walla County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Benson Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Bertrand Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Big Bear Creek (tributary of Sammamish River) (Snohomish/King counties): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Big Beaver Creek (Whatcom County):

From one-quarter mile upstream of closed water markers on Ross Lake upstream including tributary streams, and beaver ponds that are tributary to Big Beaver Creek: July 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Big Beef Creek (Kitsap County): From Seabeck Highway Bridge to Lake Symington: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Closed waters August 1 through August 31: Waters within 100 feet of the Seabeck Highway NW Bridge. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

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From Lake Symington upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules. Release all trout.

Big Creek (Grays Harbor County): First Saturday in June through last day in October season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Big Creek (Skagit County) (Suiattle River tributary): From TeePee falls to source: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Big Four Lake (Columbia County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fly fishing only. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: Daily limit two.

Big Lake (Skagit County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Big Meadow Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Big Mission Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish

Big Quilcene River (Jefferson County): See Quilcene River.

Big River (Clallam County): Outside of Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season and January 1 through the last day of February. All species: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee.

Big Scandia Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Big Tiffany Lake (Okanogan County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Release all cutthroat.

Big Twin Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Bingham Creek (Mason County) (Satsop River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Bird Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Daily limit five.

Black Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Black Creek (Snohomish County) (South Fork Stillaguamish River tributary): Above the confluence of Black and Bear creeks. First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Blackjack Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Blackbird Island Pond (Chelan County): July 1 through September 30 season. Juveniles only.

Black Lake (Okanogan County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Black Lake (Pacific County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Black Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Black Lake (Thurston County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee. Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Black Lake Ditch (Thurston County): From the confluence with Percival Creek upstream to Black Lake: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Black River (Gravs Harbor/Thurston ((County)) counties): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. From mouth to ((Black Lake and including all tributaries west of Interstate Highway 5, including Waddell Creek, Dempsey Creek, Salmon Creek, and Blooms Ditch)) State Highway 12: ((First Saturday in June through October 31 season.)) Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. From Highway 12 to bridge on 128th Ave. SW: Anti-snagging rule, night closure, and ((single-point)) barbless hooks required. Trout minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: ((Open only from Highway 12 to bridge on 128th Ave. SW from)) October 1 through November 30 season. Daily limit ((6)) six fish of which only ((2)) two may be adults. Release Chinook and chum. ((Trout minimum length 14 inches, except from the bridge on 128th Avenue SW (west of Littlerock) to Black Lake, where the minimum length is eight inches.)) December 1 through January 31 additional season. Daily limit six fish of which only two may be adults and only one may be a wild coho. Release Chinook and chum.

From Highway 12 to bridge on 128th Avenue SW (west of Littlerock) to Black Lake. Selective gear rules.

Blackman's Lake (Snohomish County): Trout: Daily limit 3.

Blockhouse Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Daily limit five.

Bloodgood Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Daily limit five

Blooms Ditch (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From mouth to I-5: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Night closure and selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Blue Creek (Lewis County): From mouth to Spencer Road: Closed waters except December 1 through December 31 season from mouth to posted sign at rearing pond outlet. Closed waters: Upstream from cable crossing to posted signs at

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fence. Anti-snagging rule and night closure. Only anglers who permanently use a wheelchair may fish from posted signs above rearing pond to posted signs approximately 40 feet downstream at fence including the rearing pond outlet. Trout: Daily limit five. Minimum size 12 inches no more than two fish over 20 inches. Release wild cutthroat.

((Blooms Ditch (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From mouth to I-5: Daily limit two, minimum length 14 inches.))

Blue Lake (Columbia County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Blue Lake (Cowlitz County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Blue Lake (Grant County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Blue Lake (near Sinlahekin) (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Blue Lake (near Wannacut Lake) (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Bobcat Creek and Ponds (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Bogachiel River (Clallam County): From mouth to Highway 101 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through April 30 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. November 1 through last day in February, daily limit ((three)) may include one additional hatchery steelhead. February 16 through April 30, wild steelhead retention allowed. Salmon: July 1 through August 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho. September 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish ((of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon, and of the 4 adult salmon, no more than 2 may be any combination of Chinook, wild coho, pink, soekeye, and chum salmon)). Up to two adults plus up to two additional adult hatchery coho may be retained.

From Highway 101 Bridge to Olympic National Park boundary: The first Saturday in June through April 30 season. <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u> Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Boise Creek (King County) (White River tributary): Upstream of Highway 410 crossing: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Bonaparte Creek (Okanogan County): Closed Waters from mouth to falls one mile upstream.

Bonaparte Lake (Okanogan County): Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis. Trout: No more than one over twenty inches in length may be retained.

Bone River (Pacific County): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Bosworth Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Boulder Creek and tributaries (Okanogan County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten, no minimum size. Release all cutthroat.

Boulder Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Boulder River (Snohomish County) (NF Stillaguamish River tributary): Mouth to Boulder Falls. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

From Boulder Falls upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Bowman Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Daily limit five.

Box Canyon Creek (Kittitas County): From mouth to waterfall approximately 2 miles upstream (including the portion flowing through the dry lakebed): Closed waters. From waterfall approximately 2 miles upstream of mouth to USFS Road #4930 Bridge: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Boxley Creek (North Bend) (King County): From the falls located at approximately river mile 0.9 upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Boyle Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. The inlet and outlet streams to Boyle Lake are closed waters.

Bradley Lake (Pierce County): Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. May 15 through the last day of Free Fishing Weekend (as defined in WAC 220-55-160): Juveniles only.

Bridges Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. The inlet and outlet streams to Bridges Lake are closed waters.

Brookies Lake (Grant County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one fish.

Browns Creek (Pend Oreille County): Fly fishing only.

Browns Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited.

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Trout: No more than one fish greater than 11 inches in length may be retained.

Buck Creek (Skagit County) (Suiattle River tributary): From upstream boundary of Buck Creek campground to source: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Buck Lake (Kitsap County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Buckskin Creek and tributaries (Yakima County): From mouth to the west boundary of Suntides Golf Course: Closed waters.

Bumping Lake (Reservoir) (Yakima County): Chumming permitted. Trout: Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit sixteen.

Bumping River (Yakima County):

From mouth to Bumping Reservoir: ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish to base of Bumping Dam. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor the first Saturday in June through October 31. Whitefish: Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Bunker Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. All species: Selective gear rules.

Burbank Slough (Walla Walla County): Fishing from any floating device prohibited.

Burke Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season

Burley Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Butte Creek (Pacific County) (Smith River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. All game fish: Selective gear rules.

Butter Creek (Lewis County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length ten inches.

Buttermilk Creek, mouth to confluence of East and West Forks (Okanogan County): Closed waters.

Buzzard Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit 1.

Cadet Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Cady Lake (Mason County): Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. All species: Release all fish.

Cain Lake (Whatcom County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Calawah River (Clallam County): From mouth to Highway 101 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through April 30 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. November 1 through last day in February, daily limit ((three)) may include one additional hatchery steelhead. February 16 through April 30, wild steelhead retention allowed. Salmon: July 1 through August 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho. September 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish ((of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon, and of the 4 adult salmon, no more than 2 may be any combination of Chinook, wild coho, pink, sockeye, and chum salmon)). Up to two adults plus up to two additional hatchery coho may be retained.

From Highway 101 Bridge to forks: First Saturday in June through April 30 season. <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u> Trout: Minimum length of fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Calawah River, North Fork (Clallam County): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through last day in October season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Calawah River, South Fork (Clallam County): From mouth to Olympic National Park boundary: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Caldwell Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches.

Caliche Lakes, Lower, Upper and West (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

California Creek (Whatcom County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Calispell Creek (Calispell River) (Pend Oreille County):

From mouth to Calispell Lake: Year around season.

From Calispell Lake upstream to source: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Calispell Creek and tributaries: Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Calligan Lake (King County): June 1 through October 31 season. All tributary streams, and the upper third of the outlet are closed waters. Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Camas Slough: Waters of the Columbia River downstream from the mouth of the Washougal River, north of Lady

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Island, and downstream of the Highway 14 Bridge at the upstream end of Lady Island. Season: Open when the adjacent mainstem Columbia or Washougal rivers are open to fishing for salmon. All species: Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing from August 1 through December 31. Daily limit same as most liberal regulation of either area, except for salmon, only hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho may be retained.

Camp Creek (Snohomish County) (Whitechuck River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Campbell Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Campbell Lake (Okanogan County): April 1 through August 31: Selective gear rules and all species: Release all fish. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Campbell Lake (Skagit County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Canyon Creek (Clark County): Trout: Daily limit five.

Canyon Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Canyon Creek (S.F. Stillaguamish River) (Snohomish County): From mouth to the forks: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Canyon Creek (Whatcom County) (North Fork Nooksack River): From Canyon Creek Road Bridge upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

((Canyon River (Mason County and Grays Harbor County): Closed waters.))

Capitol Lake (Thurston County): Closed to all fishing.

Carbon River (Pierce County): From its mouth to Voight Creek: September 1 through January 15 season. Anti-snagging rule((-,)) and night closure ((and single point barbless hooks required September 1 through November 30)). Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches September 1 through November 30. December 1 through ((last day of February)) January 15 selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained. Salmon: Open September 1 through November 30. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon and of these 4 fish, no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release chum and wild adult Chinook salmon. Voight Creek to Highway 162 Bridge: November 1 through January 15: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained. ((Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30 mouth to Voight Creek. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon and of these 4 fish no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release chum and wild adult Chinook salmon.))

Carlisle Lake (Lewis County): Fourth Saturday in April through last day in February season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Carl's Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Carney Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through June 30 and September 1 through November 30 seasons. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Carson Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Cascade Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Cascade Lake (San Juan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Cascade River (Skagit County):

From the mouth to the Rockport-Cascade Road Bridge: June 1 through July 15 and September 16 through February 15 season. All species: Anti-snagging rule and night closure June 1 through July 15 and September 16 through November 30. Trout: Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout, minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of the trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: Open June 1 through July 15. Daily limit 4 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Open September 16 through November 30. Daily limit 4 coho salmon.

From the Rockport-Cascade Road Bridge upstream: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Cases Pond (Pacific County): Fourth Saturday in April through November 30 season. Juveniles only. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Cassidy Lake (Snohomish County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Castle Lake (Cowlitz County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one, minimum length sixteen inches.

Cattail Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Cavanaugh Lake (Skagit County): Chumming permitted.

Cayada Creek (Pierce County)(Carbon River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

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Cedar Creek (Clallam County): Outside of Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Cedar Creek (tributary of N.F. Lewis) (Clark County): From mouth to Grist Mill Bridge: First Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15 seasons. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. From the Grist Mill Bridge to 100 feet upstream of the falls: Closed waters. From 100 feet upstream of the falls upstream: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Cedar Creek (Grays Harbor ((County))/Thurston counties) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Cedar Creek (Jefferson County): Outside Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules. ((Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.))

Cedar Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Cedar Creek (Okanogan County): From mouth to Cedar Falls: Closed waters.

Cedar Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Cedar Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Cedar River (King County): From mouth to Landsburg Road: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules and night closure. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout.

Cedar River (Pacific County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All game fish: Catch and release only.

Chain Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Release kokanee.

Chambers Creek (Pierce County): ((July 1 through November 15 season. All species: Selective gear rules and night elosure. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout.

<u>Chambers Creek</u>)) From the mouth (<u>Burlington Northern Bridge</u>) to markers 400 feet below the Boise-Cascade Dam (Pierce County): July 1 through November 15 season. Night closure and anti-snagging rule. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only July 1 through November

15. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho.

From Boise-Cascade Dam to Steilacoom Lake: July 1 through October 31 season. Night closure and ((anti-snagging rule.)) selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Chambers Lake (within Ft. Lewis Military Reservation) (Pierce County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout.

Channel Creek (Skagit County) (Baker River tributary): First Saturday in June through September 15 season.

Chaplain Creek (Snohomish County) (Sultan River tributary) and its tributaries including beaver ponds from above the waterfall at the mouth to the dam at Chapman Lake: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Chapman Lake (Spokane County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Chumming permitted. Trout: Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit ten.

Chehalis River (Grays Harbor County)(including all channels, sloughs, and interconnected waterways): From Highway 101 Bridge in Aberdeen to high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line (approximately 400 yards downstream from Roger Creek, south of Pe Ell): From August 16 through November 30, single-point barbless hooks required. The first Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: From mouth to ((Fuller Bridge)) Highway 6 Bridge at Adna: Open ((September 16 through January 31.)) May 1 through June 30, daily limit one fish. From mouth to high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line (approximately 400 yards downstream from Roger Creek, south of Pe Ell): September 16 through ((October 31)) September 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than ((2)) three may be adult salmon, and of the three adults only two may be wild coho. Release chum and Chinook. October 1 through October 31, daily limit six, of which three may be adult salmon, and of the three adults only one may be a Chinook and only two may be wild coho. Release chum. November 1 through ((January 31)) November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than ((2)) three may be adult salmon and of the three adults, only two may be wild coho. Release chum((-)) and Chinook((-, and wild coho. From Fuller Bridge to Porter Bridge: Open September 16 through January 31. September 16 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum and Chinook. December 1 through January 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum, Chinook, and wild coho. From Porter Bridge to high bridge on Weverhaeuser 1000 line: Open October 16 through January 31. October 16 through November 30. daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum and Chinook)). December 1 through January 31, daily limit ( $(\frac{6}{})$ ) of six fish, of which no more than ( $(\frac{2}{})$ ) two may be adult salmon and only one may be a wild coho. Release  $chum((\frac{1}{2}))$  and  $Chinook((\frac{1}{2}))$ . Sturgeon:

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Open year-round, and no night closure from mouth to high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line.

From ((Highway 101 Bridge in Aberdeen to)) high bridge on Weyerhaeuser 1000 line (approximately 400 yards downstream from Roger Creek, south of Pe Ell, including all forks) upstream: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Selective gear rules. ((Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) All species: Release all fish, except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Chehalis River, South Fork (Lewis County): From mouth to <u>County</u> Highway Bridge ((at)) <u>near</u> Boistfort School: The first Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From <u>County</u> Highway Bridge ((at)) <u>near</u> Boistfort School upstream: Trout: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Minimum length eight inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Chehalis River Potholes (adjacent to the Chehalis River south of Highway 12 in Grays Harbor County, this does not include sloughs or beaver ponds): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Chelan Hatchery Creek (Chelan County): Closed waters.

Chelan Lake (Chelan County): Closed waters: Within 400 feet of all tributaries south of a line from Purple Point at Stehekin and Painted Rocks. Trout except kokanee and lake trout: Daily limit 5. Release wild cutthroat. Lake trout not counted in daily trout limit. Lake trout no minimum size, no daily limit. Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit 10, no minimum length. North of a line between Purple Point at Stehekin and Painted Rocks: April 1 through July 31: All game fish: Release all fish except lake trout. Salmon and lake trout: Open year-round: Salmon daily limit 1, minimum length 15 inches.

Chelan Lake Tributaries (Chelan County): From mouths upstream one mile except Stehekin River: August 1 through September 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release wild cutthroat.

Chelan River (Chelan County): From the railroad bridge to the Chelan P.U.D. safety barrier below the power house: May 15 through August 31 season. Anti-snagging rule. Trout: Release all trout.

((Chester Creek (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in June through last day in October season. All species: Selective gear rules.))

Chenois Creek (Grays Harbor County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

<u>Chester Creek (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in</u> June through last day in October season. Selective gear rules.

Chewuch River (Chewack River) (Okanogan County): From mouth to Eight Mile Creek: The first Saturday in June through August 15 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to

fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Upstream from Eight Mile Creek to Pasayten Wilderness boundary: Closed waters the first Saturday in June through October 31.

From mouth to Pasayten Wilderness boundary: Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Chikamin Creek (Chelan County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Chiliwack River (Whatcom County) including all tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Chimacum Creek (Jefferson County):

From mouth to Ness's Corner Road: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

From Ness's Corner Road to headwaters: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Chiwaukum Creek (Chelan County): Mouth to Fool Hen Creek: Closed waters.

Chiwawa River (Chelan County): Mouth to Buck Creek: Closed waters.

Chopaka Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit one.

Church Creek (Mason County) upstream of bridge on U.S. Forest Service Road #2361: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Cispus River (Lewis County): From mouth to North Fork: Trout: Release all cutthroat. Additional season November 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June. Trout: Release all trout except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open year around. Salmon minimum size 8 inches. January 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho and wild Chinook. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

Cispus River, North Fork (Lewis County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: No more than one over twelve inches in length. Release cutthroat.

Clallam River (Clallam County): The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. <u>All species:</u> Selective gear rules from first Saturday in June through October 31. Release all fish except November 1 through January 31 ((season. Up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained)). Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Clara Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more

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than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Clarks Creek (Pierce County): From mouth to 12th Avenue SE: First Saturday in June through August 15: Two trout over 14 inches in length. Selective gear rules apply.

Clear Creek (Chelan County): Closed waters.

Clear Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary): From Asbestos Creek Falls to source: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Clear Lake (Chelan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. From July 5 through October 31, selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Clear Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Chumming permitted. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Clear Lake (Spokane County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Clear Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Clearwater River (Jefferson County):

From mouth to Snahapish River: The first Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. February 16 through April 30, wild steelhead retention allowed. Salmon: September 1 through November 30. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, minimum length 12 inches.

From Snahapish River upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u> Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. ((Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.))

Clearwater River (Pierce County): July 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Cle Elum Lake (Reservoir) (Kittitas County): Trout except kokanee: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches. Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit sixteen, no minimum size.

Cle Elum River (Kittitas County): From mouth to Cle Elum Dam: ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish to base of Cle Elum Dam. Year-round season. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Selective gear rules, except December 1 through March 31 bait and one single point barbed hook three-sixteenths or smaller point to shank may be used. Trout: Release all trout. Above Cle Elum Lake to outlet of Hyas Lake except Tucquala Lake:

Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Cliff Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Cloquallum Creek (Grays Harbor County):

From mouth to the outlet at Stump Lake: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From the outlet at Stump Lake upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Clover Creek (Pierce County) upstream of Steilacoom Lake, including all tributaries: July ((2)) 1 through October 31 season.

Coal Creek (Clallam County) Tributary to Ozette River: From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee.

Coal Creek (Cowlitz County): From mouth to four hundred feet below falls: The first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through last day in February season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Coal Creek (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Coal Creek (near Snoqualmie) (King County): From mouth to Highway I-90: Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only. Trout: No minimum length.

From Highway I-90 upstream. First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Coffee Pot Lake (Lincoln County): March 1 through September 30 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit one, minimum length eighteen inches. Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Coldwater Lake (Cowlitz County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one, minimum length sixteen inches.

Coldwater Lake inlet and outlet streams (Cowlitz County): Closed waters.

Collins Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Columbia Basin Hatchery Creek (Grant County): Hatchery outflow to confluence with Rocky Coulee Wasteway: April 1 through September 30 season. Juveniles and holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards only. Trout: No minimum size, daily limit three.

Columbia Park Pond (Benton County): Juveniles and holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards only. All species: Daily limit of five fish combined.

Columbia River, including impoundments and all connecting sloughs, except Wells Ponds: Year-round season unless oth-

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erwise provided. General species provisions (unless otherwise provided for in this section): Bass: Below McNary Dam: Daily limit five fish, bass 12 to 17 inches in length may be retained. Up to but not more than three of the daily limit may be over 15 inches. Trout: Daily limit two fish, minimum length 12 inches, except release all Dolly Varden/Bull Trout. Whitefish: Daily limit 15 fish. All other game fish: No daily limit, except release all grass carp.

In the Columbia River between Washington and Oregon, the license of either state is valid. Anglers must comply with the fishing regulations of the state in which they are fishing. This provision does not allow an angler licensed in Oregon to fish on the Washington shore, or in the sloughs or tributaries in Washington except Camas Slough, where the license of either state is valid when fishing from a floating device.

Anglers fishing the Columbia River are restricted to one daily limit, as defined by the laws of the state in which they are fishing, even if they are licensed by both states.

Anglers may not possess in the field salmon or steelhead mutilated so that size, species, or fin clip cannot be determined until the angler has reached their automobile or principal means of land transportation.

From a true north-south line through Buoy 10, upstream to a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through Red Buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank: Trout: Release all trout except hatchery steelhead. Walleye: No minimum size. Daily limit ten, of which no more than five may be greater than eighteen inches in length and one greater than twenty-four inches in length. Fishing from the north jetty is allowed during both Area 1 and Buoy 10 salmon season openings, and the daily limit is the more liberal if both areas are open. Barbed hooks allowed. Salmon and steelhead: Open only June 16 through March 31. June 16 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead, or one of each. Release all salmon other than sockeye and hatchery Chinook. From July 2 through July 31, release adult Chinook and sockeye. Closed to fishing for salmon and steelhead from Buoy 10 to the Megler-Astoria Bridge. August 1 through ((August 28)) September 3, daily limit 2 salmon or 2 hatchery steelhead or one of each; only 1 may be a Chinook. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. Chinook minimum length 24 inches. Coho minimum length 16 inches. ((August 29)) September 4 through September 30, daily limit 2 hatchery coho or 2 hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon other than hatchery coho. Coho minimum length 16 inches. October 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead, or one of each. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. January 1 through March 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook. Fishing from the north jetty for salmon open during both Area 1 and Buoy 10 fishery openings and the daily limit is the more liberal if both areas are open. Sturgeon: Release sturgeon May 1 through May ((13, June 27 through June 30)) 11, and July ((5)) 9 through December 31. Minimum size when open to retain sturgeon is 38 inches fork length January 1 through April 30, and 41 inches fork length May ( $(\frac{14}{1})$ ) 12

through July ((4)) <u>8</u>. Bottomfish: Daily limits, seasons, size restrictions and gear restrictions are the same as those in the adjacent portion of Marine Area 1.

From a line projected from Rocky Point on the Washington bank through Red Buoy 44 to the navigation light at Tongue Point on the Oregon bank, upstream to the I-5 Bridge: Trout: Release all trout except hatchery steelhead and hatchery cutthroat((. Release all trout April 1 through May 15)) May 16 through March 31. Walleye: No minimum size. Daily limit ten, of which no more than five may be greater than eighteen inches in length and one greater than twenty-four inches in length. Salmon and steelhead: Open only May 16 through March 31 of the following year. May 16 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except sockeye and hatchery Chinook. May 16 through June 15, release adult Chinook. July 2 through July 31, release adult Chinook and sockeye. August 1 through September 9, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each; of the adult salmon, only 1 may be a Chinook. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. September 10 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho, and September 10 through September 30 release Chinook downstream of a line projected from the Warrior Rock Lighthouse, through Red Buoy #4, to the orange marker atop the dolphin on the Washington shore. January 1 through March 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook. Sturgeon: (1) Release sturgeon May 1 through May ((13, June 27 through  $\frac{\text{June } 30}{\text{June } 30}$ ) 11 and July ((5)) 9 through December 31 downstream from the Wauna powerlines. Minimum size when open to retain sturgeon is 38 inches fork length January 1 through April 30, and 41 inches fork length May ((14)) 12 through July ((4)) 8; (2) I-5 Bridge downstream to Wauna powerlines, ((lawful)) permissible to retain sturgeon only on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from January 1 through July 31, and October ((8)) 20 through December 31. Release sturgeon on other days and during other time periods.

From the I-5 Bridge to the Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco: Closed waters: (1) From the upstream line of Bonneville Dam to boundary markers located six hundred feet below the fish ladder, and closed to fishing from a floating device or fishing by any method except hand-casted gear from shore from Bonneville Dam downstream to a line from the Hamilton Island boat ramp to an Oregon boundary marker on Robins Island. (2) Waters from the upstream side of the Interstate 197 Bridge at The Dalles to upper line of The Dalles Dam except that bank fishing is permitted up to the downstream navigation lock wall on the Washington shore; within one guarter mile of the USFWS Spring Creek Hatchery Grounds between posted markers that are located one quarter mile on either side of the fish ladder entrance. (3) From John Day Dam downstream about three thousand feet except that bank fishing is permitted up to four hundred feet below the fishway entrance on the Washington shore. (4) From McNary Dam downstream to a line across the river from the red and white

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marker on the Oregon shore on a line that intersects the downstream end of the wing wall of the boat lock near the Washington shore. ((August 1 through October 15:)) Salmon and steelhead: August 1 through December 31 season. August 1 through October 15 anti-snagging rule from Bonneville Dam to McNary Dam and night closure from Bonneville Dam to The Dalles Dam. Trout: Release all trout except hatchery steelhead. Walleye: No minimum size. Daily limit ten, of which no more than five may be greater than eighteen inches in length and one greater than twenty-four inches in length. Snake River Confluence Protection Area: From the first powerline crossing the Columbia upstream of Sacajawea State Park to the railroad bridge between Burbank and Kennewick: All species: Daily limits, seasons, size restrictions and gear restrictions are the same as those in the adjacent portion of the Snake River. Sturgeon: (1) Sturgeon fishing is closed from Bonneville Dam to a line from a boundary marker on the Washington shore approximately 4,000 feet below the fish ladder to the downstream end of Cascade Island to an Oregon angling boundary on Bradford Island (the Cascade Island - Bradford Island line). (2) It is unlawful to fish for sturgeon from May 1 through August 31 from Cascade Island - Bradford Island line downstream 9 miles to a line crossing the Columbia River from navigation marker 82 on the Oregon shore, through the upstream exposed end of Skamania Island, continuing in a straight line to a boundary marker on the Washington shore (navigational marker 82 line), and May 1 through July 31 from 400 feet below McNary Dam to the Highway 82 Bridge and from John Day Dam downstream to a line crossing the Columbia at a right angle to the thread of the river from the west end of the grain silo at Rufus, Oregon. (3) Cascade Island - Bradford Island line downstream to I-5 Bridge, ((lawful)) permissible to retain sturgeon only on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from January 1 through July 31 and October ((8)) 20 through December 31, except for May 1 - August 31 closure downstream to the navigation marker 82 line. Release sturgeon on other days and during other time periods. (4) Release sturgeon August 1 through December 31 from the upstream line of Bonneville Dam and 400 feet below McNary Dam. (5) From the Hamilton Island boat launch (USACE boat restricted zone boundary) to Bonneville Dam, anglers must stop fishing for sturgeon once a daily limit has been retained. (6) Release sturgeon from August 1 through January 31 from McNary Dam to the Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco. Salmon and steelhead: From I-5 Bridge to Bonneville Dam: Open June 16 through December 31 except salmon closed November 1 through December 31 from Beacon Rock to Bonneville Dam. June 16 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except sockeye and hatchery Chinook. July 2 through July 31, release adult Chinook and sockeye. August 1 through September 9, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each; of the adult salmon, only  $((\frac{1}{2}))$  one may be a Chinook. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. September 10 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. Steelhead: Additional season January 1 through March 31. Daily limit 2. From Bonneville Dam to Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco: Open June 16 through December 31. June 16 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except sockeye and hatchery Chinook. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon or hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release all salmon except Chinook and coho. Release wild coho from Bonneville Dam to Hood River Bridge. Steelhead: Additional season January 1 through March 31. Daily limit 2.

From the Highway 395 Bridge at Pasco to the old Hanford townsite (wooden towers) powerline crossing, in Sec. 30, T13N, R28E except Ringold Area Bank Fishery waters: Closed waters: Ringold Springs Creek (Hatchery Creek). Closed waters within a 400' radius of the Columbia Irrigation District (CID) fish barrier at the mouth of the CID wasteway at Columbia Park. Release all steelhead with a radio-tag wire protruding from the mouth, or with a disk or floy tag attached near the dorsal fin. Trout: Release all trout, except up to two hatchery steelhead having both adipose and ventral fin clips may be retained per day, October 1 through October 31. Release all trout, except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day, November 1 through March 31. Salmon: Open June 16 through July 31. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release ((all salmon other than hatchery)) wild Chinook. Open August 1 through October 22. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. ((Release sockeye.)) Walleye: Daily limit 10 fish. No minimum size, no more than 5 fish over 18 inches in length. No more than 1 fish over 24 inches in length. Ringold Area Bank Fishery waters (from WDFW markers 1/4 mile downstream from the Ringold wasteway outlet, to WDFW markers 1/2 mile upstream from Spring Creek): Open only April 1 through April 15, except closed for salmon fishing. Fishing allowed only from the bank and only on the hatchery side of the river. Trout: Release all trout, except hatchery steelhead. ((Salmon: Open only May 1 through June 30. Fishing allowed only from the bank and only on the hatchery side of the river. Daily limit two hatchery Chinook. Night closure.)) Sturgeon: Release sturgeon from August 1 through January 31.

From the old Hanford townsite (wooden towers) power-line crossing in Sec. 30, T13N, R28E, to Vernita Bridge, (Highway 24): February 1 through October 22 season. Trout: Release all trout. Walleye: Daily limit 10 fish. No minimum size, no more than 5 fish over 18 inches in length. No more than 1 fish over 24 inches in length. Salmon: Open June 16 through July 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 fish may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release ((all salmon except hatchery)) wild Chinook. Open August 1 through October 22. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. ((Release sockeye.)) Sturgeon: Release sturgeon from August 1 through October 22.

From Vernita Bridge (Highway 24) to Priest Rapids Dam: Closed waters: (1) Priest Rapids Dam - Waters between the upstream line of Priest Rapids Dam downstream to the boundary markers six hundred fifty feet below the fish ladders. (2) Jackson (Moran Creek or Priest Rapids Hatchery outlet) Creek - All waters of the Priest Rapids Hatchery sys-

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tem to the outlet on the Columbia River, extending to midstream Columbia between boundary markers located one hundred feet upstream and four hundred feet downstream of the mouth. Trout: Release all trout. Walleye: Daily limit 10 fish. No minimum size, no more than 5 fish over 18 inches in length. No more than 1 fish over 24 inches in length. Salmon: Open June 16 through July 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook salmon. Release ((all salmon except hatchery)) wild Chinook. Open August 1 through October 22. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. ((Release sockeye.)) Sturgeon: Release sturgeon from August 1 through January 31. Closed to fishing for sturgeon from May 1 through July 31 from the boundary marker on the river bank 400 feet downstream from Priest Rapids Hatchery outlet channel (Jackson Creek) to Priest Rapids Dam.

From Priest Rapids Dam to Chief Joseph Dam, including up to base of Washburn Pond outlet structure: Closed waters: (1) Wanapum Dam - Waters between the upstream line of Wanapum Dam to the boundary markers seven hundred fifty feet downstream of the east fish ladder and five hundred feet downstream of the west fish ladder. (2) Rock Island Dam to boundary markers four hundred feet downstream of the fish ladders. (3) Rocky Reach Dam - Waters between the upstream line of Rocky Reach Dam to boundary markers four hundred feet downstream of the fish ladders. (4) Wells Dam -Waters between the upstream line of Wells Dam to boundary markers four hundred feet downstream of the spawning channel discharge (Chelan County) and fish ladder (Douglas County). (5) Chief Joseph Dam - Closed to fishing from the Okanogan County shore between the dam and the Highway 17 Bridge. Closed to fishing from the Douglas County shore from the dam downstream 400 feet. Closed to fishing from a floating device from the boundary marker to the Corps of Engineers safety zone marker. ((Trout: Release all trout. All species: Anti-snagging rule and night closure from Rocky Reach Dam to the most upriver edge of Turtle Rock. Salmon:))

From Priest Rapids Dam to Wanapum Dam((, open July 1 through October 22)): All species: Anglers may fish with two poles provided they have a two pole endorsement July 1 through August 31. All game fish: Year-round season. Salmon: Open July 1 through October 22. July 1 through August 31, daily limit 6 Chinook((, of which)) and six sockeye only. No more than 3 ((may be)) adult ((salmon)) Chinook, and of the 3 adult ((salmon)) Chinook, only 1 may be ((a)) wild ((adult Chinook)). September 1 through October 22, daily limit 6 Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release all trout. Sturgeon: Year-round, catch and release only.

From Wanapum Dam to Wells Dam((5)): All species: Anglers may fish with two poles provided they have a two pole endorsement July 1 through August 31. All game fish: Year-round season. Salmon: Open July 1 through October 15. Daily limit 6 Chinook((5 of which)) and six sockeye only. No more than 3 may be adult ((salmon)) Chinook, and of the 3 adult ((salmon)) Chinook, only 1 may be ((a)) wild ((adult Chinook)). Release all trout. Sturgeon: Year-round, catch and release only.

From Wells Dam to Highway 173 Bridge at Brewster: All species: Anglers may fish with two poles provided they have a two pole endorsement July 16 through August 31. All game fish: Year-round season. Salmon: Open July 16 through August 31. Daily limit 6 Chinook((, of which)) and six sockeye only. No more than 3 may be adult ((salmon)) Chinook, and of the 3 adult ((salmon)) Chinook, only 1 may be ((a)) wild ((adult Chinook)). Release all trout. Sturgeon: Year-round, catch and release only.

From Highway 173 Bridge at Brewster to ((Highway 17 Bridge at Bridgeport)) Chief Joseph Dam: Anglers may fish with two poles, provided they have a two pole endorsement, July 1 through August 31. Release all trout. Salmon: Open July 1 through October 15. Daily limit 6 Chinook((, of which)) and six sockeye only. No more than 3 may be adult ((salmon)) Chinook, and of the 3 adult ((salmon)) Chinook, only 1 may be ((a)) wild ((adult Chinook)). Sturgeon: ((Release all sturgeon.)) Year-round, catch and release only. All other Game Fish: Year-round season.

Above Chief Joseph Dam: See Lake Roosevelt and Rufus Woods Lake.

Colville River (Stevens County):

From mouth to bridge at Town of Valley: Year-round season. Trout: Daily limit five fish, not more than two of which may be brown trout October 1 through November 30. Walleye: Daily limit 8 fish. No minimum size. Not more than one walleye greater than 22 inches may be retained. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

From bridge at Valley upstream and tributaries: Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Conconully Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Conconully Reservoir (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Conger Pond (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Connelly Creek and tributaries (Lewis County): From four hundred feet below the city of Morton Dam to its source: Closed waters.

Conner Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Connor Creek (Grays Harbor County): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. All species: Selective gear rules.

Cook Creek (Grays Harbor County): From Quinault Indian Reservation boundary upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. All species: Selective gear rules.

Cooper River (Kittitas County): Mouth to Cooper Lake: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

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Coot Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Copalis River (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. It is permissible to retain hatchery steelhead defined as having a dorsal fin height of less than 2 1/8 inches or with an adipose or ventral fin clip.

From mouth to Carlisle Bridge: Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. ((Hatchery steelhead defined as having a dorsal fin height of less than 2 1/2 inches or with an adipose or ventral fin.)) Salmon: Open only September 1 through January 31 ((from mouth to Carlisle Bridge)). Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum and adult Chinook.

From Carlisle Bridge upstream: Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Copper Creek (Snohomish County) (Clear Creek tributary, a tributary of Sauk River): All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Corral Canyon Creek (Benton County): Selective gear rules.

Cottage Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Cottonwood Creek (Lincoln County): Year-round season.

Cottonwood Creek (Walla Walla County): Closed waters.

Cougar Creek (tributary to Yale Reservoir) (Cowlitz County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season.

Cougar Lake (Pasayten Wilderness) (Okanogan County): All species: Selective gear rules.

Cougar Lake (near Winthrop) (Okanogan County): April 1 through August 31 - All species: Release all fish.

Coulter Creek (Kitsap/Mason counties): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

County Line Ponds (Skagit County): Closed waters.

Coweeman River (Cowlitz County): From mouth to Mulholland Creek: The first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15 season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. From Mulholland Creek upstream: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Cowiche Creek (Yakima County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Cowlitz Falls Reservoir (Lake Scanewa) (Lewis County): June 1 through last day in February season. The upstream boundary of the reservoir in the Cowlitz arm is the posted PUD sign on Peters Road. The upstream boundary of the reservoir in the Cispus arm is the posted markers at the Lewis County PUD kayak launch, approximately 1.5 miles upstream from the confluence of the Cowlitz and Cispus arms. Trout and salmon: Minimum length eight inches. Trout: Release cutthroat. Release rainbow trout except rain-

bow trout with a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin. June 1 through August 31: Daily limit five. September 1 through last day of February: Daily limit ten. Salmon: Open only June 1 through last day in February. January 1 through last day in February and June 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho and wild Chinook. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

Cowlitz River (Lewis County):

From mouth to Mayfield Dam: Closed waters: (1) From 400 feet or posted markers below Cowlitz salmon hatchery barrier dam to boundary markers near the Cowlitz salmon hatchery water intake approximately 1,700 feet upstream of the Cowlitz salmon hatchery barrier dam. (2) From 400 feet below the Mayfield powerhouse upstream to Mayfield Dam. (3) Within a 100 foot radius of the new Cowlitz Trout Hatchery outfall structure except anglers who permanently use a wheelchair may fish within posted markers when adjacent waters are open. Year-round season except closed to fishing from south bank May 1 through June 15 from Mill Creek to the Cowlitz salmon hatchery barrier dam. ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish up to four hundred feet or the posted deadline at the Cowlitz salmon hatchery barrier dam. ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish up to Tacoma Power safety signs at Onion Rock below Mossyrock Dam. ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish up to Lewis County P.U.D. safety signs below Cowlitz Falls Dam. From the Cowlitz salmon hatchery barrier dam downstream to a line from the mouth of Mill Creek to a boundary marker on the opposite shore, it is unlawful to fish from any floating device. Lexington Bridge Drive in Kelso upstream to the Highway 505 Bridge in Toledo: All species: Two poles allowed with two pole endorsement. Anti-snagging rule and night closure April 1 through November 30 from mouth of Mill Creek to the Cowlitz salmon hatchery barrier dam. When anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. All game fish: Release all fish April 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Trout: The first Saturday in June through March 31, daily limit five, minimum length twelve inches, no more than two over twenty inches, except release wild cutthroat. Salmon: Open year-round. January 1 through July 31: Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho. August 1 through December 31: Daily limit six fish of which no more than two may be adult Chinook. Release all salmon except hatchery coho and hatchery Chinook. Sturgeon: Seasons, days of the week, daily limits, and size limits same as in adjacent waters of mainstem Columbia River.

From posted PUD sign on Peters Road to mouth of Ohanapecosh River and mouth of Muddy Fork: Anti-snagging rule and night closure September 1 through October 31 for all species. When anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked in the mouth may be retained. Trout: Release cut-throat. Additional November 1 through Friday before the first Saturday in June season. Trout: Release all trout except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open year-round from upstream boundary of Lake Scanewa. Mini-

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mum size 12 inches. January 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho and wild Chinook. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

Cowlitz River, Clear and Muddy Forks (Lewis County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release cutthroat.

Coyote Creek and Ponds (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Crab Creek (Adams/Grant counties):

From mouth to Morgan Lake Road in Section 36: April 1 through September 30 season.

From Morgan Lake Road in Section 36 to O'Sullivan Dam (including Marsh Unit I and II impoundments): Closed waters.

Crab Creek (Lincoln/Grant counties) and tributaries: Yearround season. In those waters from Grant County Road 7 to the fountain buoy and shoreline markers or 150 feet downstream of the Alder Street fill March 1 through May 31 terminal gear restricted to one single hook measuring 3/4 inch or less point to shank. Year-round: Daily limits and size limits same as Moses Lake. From Moses Lake downstream to the confluence of the outlet streams March 1 through May 31 terminal gear restricted to one single-point hook measuring 3/4 inch or less point to shank. Year-round: Daily limits and size limits same as Potholes Reservoir.

Crabapple Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Cranberry Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Crawfish Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited

Crescent Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Crescent Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Crescent Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Crim Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Crocker Lake (Jefferson County): Closed waters.

Crooked Creek (Clallam County) and tributaries that are outside of Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules. Release kokanee.

Crystal Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Cup Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Curl Lake (Columbia County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Dakota Creek (Whatcom County): From mouth to Giles Road Bridge: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Salmon: Open ((only)) October 1 through December ((31 from mouth to Giles Road Bridge)). Daily limit 2 salmon. Release wild Chinook.

Dalton Lake (Franklin County): Trout: No more than two over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Damon Lake (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Dan's Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Davis Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Davis Lake (Lewis County): Fourth Saturday in April to last day in February season.

Davis Lake (Okanogan County): April 1 through August 31: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Davis Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Dayton Pond (Columbia County): Juveniles, anglers with reduced-fee licenses or designated harvesters only. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Deadman Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

De Coursey Pond (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through November 30 season. Juveniles only. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Decker Creek (Mason County) (Satsop River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Deep Creek (Clallam County): December 1 through January 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all

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fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Deep Creek (Grays Harbor County): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through last day in October season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Deep Creek (tributary to Bumping Lake) (Yakima County): Mouth to second bridge crossing on USFS Rd. 1808 (approximately 3.7 miles from junction of USFS Rds. 1800 and 1808): Closed waters.

Deep Lake (Grant County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Deep Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Deep Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Deep River (Wahkiakum County): Year-round season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open year-round only from mouth to town bridge. January 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild Chinook and wild coho. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum and wild coho. Sturgeon: Seasons, days of the week, daily limits, and size limits same as in adjacent waters of mainstem Columbia River.

Deer Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Deer Lake (Columbia County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Deer Lake (Island County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Deer (Deer Springs) Lake (Lincoln County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Deer Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Deer Lake (Stevens County): March 1 through October 31 season. Trout: No more than two over thirty inches in length may be retained.

Delemeter Creek (Cowlitz County): Closed waters from 400 feet below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the creek.

Delezene Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Dempsey Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2

fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

De Roux Creek (Kittitas County): Mouth to the USFS Trail #1392 (De Roux Cr. Trail) stream crossing (approximately one river mile): Closed waters. Upstream of USFS Trail #1392 stream crossing: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Deschutes River (Thurston County): <u>Barbless hooks required</u>. From old U.S. Highway 99 Bridge near Tumwater to Henderson Boulevard Bridge near Pioneer Park: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. ((<u>Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30</u>. Trout: <u>Minimum length fourteen inches</u>.)) <u>Release all trout</u>. Salmon: Open ((<u>only</u>)) July 1 through October 15. <u>Selective gear rules</u>, except bait allowed September 1 through October 15. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release coho.

From Henderson Boulevard Bridge upstream: Year-round season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout. Salmon: Open only July 1 through October 15. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release coho.

Devereaux Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Devil's Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Dewatto River (Mason County): From mouth to Dewatto-Holly Road Bridge: First Saturday in June through August 15 and October 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Night closure October 1 through October 31 ((from mouth to Dewatto-Holly Road Bridge)). Game fish: Release all fish. Salmon: Open ((only)) October 1 through October 31 ((mouth to Dewatto-Holly Road Bridge)). Daily limit two coho only. ((Release all salmon other than coho.))

From Dewatto-Holly Road Bridge upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Diamond Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Dickey River (Clallam County): From Olympic National Park boundary upstream to the confluence of the East and West Forks: First Saturday in June through April 30 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. February 16 through April 30, wild steelhead retention allowed. Salmon: ((July 1 through November 30)) From mouth to East Fork Dickey((-)): July 1 through August 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho. September 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish ((of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon, and of the 4 adult salmon, no more than

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2 may be any combination of Chinook, wild coho, pink, soekeye, and chum salmon)). Up to two adults plus up to two additional adult hatchery coho may be retained.

Confluence of East and West Forks upstream (for both forks): First Saturday in June through April 30 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules apply. Other game fish: Selective gear rules apply.

Dillacort Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Release all trout.

Diobsud Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Dog Lake (Yakima County): Trout: Daily limit may contain no more than 1 fish over 14 inches in length.

Dogfish Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Donkey Creek (Grays Harbor County): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through last day in October season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Donovan Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Dosewallips River (Jefferson County): From mouth to Olympic National Park boundary about three-quarters mile downstream of falls: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season mouth to park boundary and November 1 through December 15 season mouth to Highway 101 Bridge. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor the first Saturday in June through August 31. All species: Release all fish except salmon may be retained November 1 through December 15. Salmon: Open only November 1 through December 15 from mouth to Highway 101 Bridge. Daily limit 2 chum salmon.

Dot Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Downey Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Downs Lake (Lincoln/Spokane counties): March 1 through September 30 season. Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Dry Creek (Walla Walla County): Upstream from the middle Waitsburg Road: Closed waters.

Dry Falls Lake (Grant County): April 1 through November 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Duck Lake (Grays Harbor County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Duckabush River (Jefferson County): From mouth to the Olympic National Park Boundary: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season mouth to park boundary and

November 1 through December 15 season mouth to Mason County P.U.D. No. 1 overhead electrical distribution line. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor the first Saturday in June through August 31. All species: Release all fish except salmon may be retained November 1 through December 15. Salmon: Open only November 1 through December 15 from mouth to Mason County P.U.D. No. 1 overhead electrical distribution line. Daily limit 2 chum salmon.

Dune Lake (Grant County): All species: Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit 1.

Dungeness River (Clallam County):

From mouth to forks at Dungeness Campground: October 16 through January 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only October 16 through December 31 from mouth to the hatchery intake pipe at river mile 11.3. Daily limit 4 coho salmon.

From junction of Gold Creek upstream to headwaters: First Saturday in June <a href="https://example.com/thosps://example.com/">https://example.com/thosps://example.com/thosps://example.com/</a>

Dusty Lake (Grant County): March 1 through November 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one fish.

Dyes Inlet (Kitsap County): All streams: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Eaton Creek (Thurston County) (Lake St. Clair tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Early Winters Creek (Okanogan County): Closed waters.

((East Fork Wildcat Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Cloquallum Creek tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.))

East Little Walla Walla River (Walla Walla County): Closed waters.

East Twin River (Clallam County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Easton Lake (Kittitas County): Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit five fish of which no more than 2 may be trout other than Eastern brook trout. Minimum length 8 inches.

Ebey Lake (Little Lake) (Snohomish County): Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit one, minimum length eighteen inches.

Echo Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

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Eglon Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

Eight Creek (Lewis County) (tributary to Elk Creek, which is a Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Eightmile Lake (Chelan County): Trout: Daily limit five, not more than two mackinaw may be retained.

Elbow Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Elk Creek (Clallam County): Outside of Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee.

Elk Creek((, including Eight Creek)) (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Elk River (Grays Harbor County): From mouth (Highway 105 Bridge) to the confluence of east and middle branches: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish. Salmon: Open only October 1 through November 30 ((from Highway 105 Bridge to the confluence of the East and Middle Branches)). Daily limit 2 fish of which only one may be a wild coho. Release chum((-,)) and Chinook((-, and wild coho)).

From confluence of east and middle branches upstream:
The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Elkhorn Creek (Pacific County) (Smith River tributary): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Ell Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Ellen Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. All species: Catch and release except up to five rainbow trout may be retained.

Elliot Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Ellis Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules.

Ellsworth Creek (Pacific County) (Naselle River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through September 30 season. Selective gear rules.

Elochoman River (Wahkiakum County): Closed waters: Waters from 100 feet above the upper hatchery rack downstream to the Elochoman Hatchery Bridge located 400 feet below the upper hatchery rack; waters from a point 50 feet above to 100 feet below the outlet pipes from the most downstream Elochoman Hatchery rearing pond and extending 30 feet out from the south bank of the river; from 200 feet above the department of fish and wildlife temporary weir downstream to Foster (Risk) Road Bridge while weir is installed in the river; mainstem waters from the confluence of the west fork to source.

From mouth to West Fork: The first Saturday in June through March 15 season. Anti-snagging rule, night closure, and stationary gear restriction August 1 through October 31. Trout: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open the first Saturday in June through December 31. First Saturday in June through July 31, daily limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

Eloika Lake (Spokane County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Elwha River (Clallam County): ((Through last day in February 2012: From mouth to downstream side of bridge on Elwha River Rd. October 1 through last day in February season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open October 1 through November 15. Daily limit 6 coho salmon of which no more than 4 may be adult coho salmon.

From downstream side of bridge on Elwha River Rd. to two hundred feet downstream of the south spillway on Elwha (Aldwell Lake) Dam. November 16 through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Lake Aldwell upstream to Olympie National Park boundary, including all tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout except Eastern brook trout: Minimum length twelve inches. Eastern brook trout: No minimum size. Beginning March 1, 2012: From mouth upstream to Olympic National Park boundary, including all tributaries and remaining waters of Lake Aldwell:)) Closed waters. ((As the Elwha dam is removed, Lake Aldwell will recede.))

Empire Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Entiat River (Chelan County): From mouth to Entiat Falls: December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply. Above Entiat Falls: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit 5 trout, not more than one of which may be greater than 12 inches in length. Eastern brook trout not included in trout daily limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

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Ephrata Lake (Grant County): Closed waters.

Erie Lake (Skagit County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Evans Creek (Pierce County) (Carbon River tributary) from Carbon River-Fairfax Road upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Failor Lake (Grays Harbor County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: No more than two over 15 inches in length may be retained per day.

Fairchild Creek (Pacific County) (<u>Wilson Creek tributary</u>, <u>which is a</u> Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Fall River ((Creek)) and all forks (Pacific County) (North River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Falls Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules.

Falls Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Fan Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Fazon Lake (Whatcom County): Fishing from any floating device prohibited from first Friday in October through January 15. Channel catfish: Daily and possession limit two.

Fern Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules.

Ferry Lake (Ferry County): Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Fio Rito Lakes (Kittitas County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Finn Creek (Pacific County) (Nemah River North Fork tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Fish Lake (Chelan County): Trout: No more than two over fifteen inches in length may be retained. Perch: Daily limit 25

Fish Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Fish Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Fish Lake (Spokane County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Fisher Slough (Snohomish County): Mouth to I-5 Bridge: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Fishhook Pond (Walla Walla County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Fishtrap Creek (Whatcom County): From Koh Road to Bender Road: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Fishtrap Lake (Lincoln/Spokane counties): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Fiske Creek (Pierce County) (Puyallup River tributary): Upstream from Fiske Road: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Forde Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Fork Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From ((mouth upstream:)) Forks Creek Hatchery Rack upstream 500 feet at fishing boundary sign: Closed waters except for anglers who permanently use a wheelchair or have a designated harvester card. All species: Night closure. Singlepoint barbless hooks required and stationary gear restriction from October 1 through November 30. All game fish: First Saturday in June through July 15 season and October 1 through March 31. Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained. Salmon: October 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon, and of the three adult salmon, only two may be wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. December 1 through January 31, daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon and only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.

From fishing boundary sign 500 feet above Forks Creek hatchery rack upstream. All game fish: First Saturday in June through October ((15)) 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Fort Borst Park Pond (Lewis County): Fourth Saturday in April through last day in February season. Juveniles only.

Fortson Mill Pond #2 (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Found Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Fourth of July Lake (Adams/Lincoln counties): December 1 through March 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. Trout: No more than two over fourteen inches in length may be retained.

Fox Creek (Pierce County) (Puyallup River tributary): Upstream from Fiske Road: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Franz Lake (Skamania County): Closed waters.

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Frater Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Frenchman Hills Lake (Grant County): February 1 through September 30 season.

Friday Creek (Whatcom County) (Samish River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Fulton Creek (Mason County): From mouth to falls at river mile 0.8: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

From falls at river mile 0.8 upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Gadwall Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Gale Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary) upstream of confluence with Wilkeson Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Gamble Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season: Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Garfield Juvenile Pond (Whitman County): Juveniles only.

Garrard Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

George Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season

Geneva Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Germany Creek (Cowlitz County): From mouth to end of Germany Creek Road (approximately five miles): The first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15 season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Gibbs Lake (Jefferson County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout.

Gillette Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Gissberg Pond, North (Snohomish County): Juveniles only.

Gissberg Ponds (Snohomish County): Channel catfish: Daily limit 2, no minimum size.

Goat Creek (Okanogan County): Closed waters.

Gobar Creek (tributary to Kalama River) (Cowlitz County): The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Gold Creek, Gold Creek Pond and Outlet Channel (tributary to Keechelus Lake) (Kittitas County): Closed waters.

Gold Creek (Okanogan County): From mouth to confluence north fork Gold Creek: Closed waters.

Goldsborough Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Golf Course Pond (Asotin County): Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Goodell Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Goodman Creek (Jefferson County): Outside Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Goodwin Lake (Snohomish County): Chumming permitted.

Goose Creek (Lincoln County): Within the city limits of Wilbur: Year around season. Juveniles and holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards only.

Goose Lake, Lower (Adams County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches. Bluegill: Not more than five over six inches in length.

Goss Lake (Island County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Grade Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Grande Ronde River (Asotin County):

From mouth to County Road Bridge about two and one-half miles upstream: Year-round season. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor September 1 through May 31. Trout: Minimum length ten inches, maximum length twenty inches. Channel catfish: No daily limit mouth to Oregon state line.

From County Road Bridge upstream to Oregon state line and all tributaries: Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor the first Saturday in June through August 31 and barbless hooks required September 1 through October 31. Additional season November 1 through April 15: Barbless hooks required. All tributaries: Closed waters. All species: Release all fish except whitefish and hatchery steelhead. Trout: Daily limit three hatchery steelhead.

Granite Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Closed waters.

Granite Lakes (near Marblemount) (Skagit County): Grayling: Release all grayling.

Grass Creek (Grays Harbor County): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

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Grass Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Gray Wolf River (Clallam County): From bridge at river mile 1.0 upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish. ((Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.))

Grays River (Wahkiakum County): From mouth to Highway 4 Bridge: First Saturday in June through March 15 season; and from Highway 4 Bridge to mouth of South Fork: First Saturday in June through October 15 and December 1 through March 15 season. Closed waters from 400 feet above to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the river. Anti-snagging rule, night closure and stationary gear restriction from mouth to Highway 4 Bridge August 1 through November 15 and from Highway 4 Bridge to mouth of South Fork August 1 through October 15. All game fish: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: From mouth to Highway 4 Bridge: Open first Saturday in June through December 31. First Saturday in June through July 31, daily limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild coho, and unmarked Chinook. Unmarked Chinook are Chinook without either a clipped ventral fin or a clipped adipose fin. From Highway 4 Bridge to South Fork: Open first Saturday in June through October 15 and December 1 through December 31. First Saturday in June through July 31, daily limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults. August 1 through October 15 and December 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild coho and unmarked Chinook. Unmarked Chinook are Chinook without either a clipped ventral fin or a clipped adipose fin.

Grays River, East Fork (Wahkiakum County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Grays River, West Fork (Wahkiakum County): Downstream from hatchery intake/footbridge: The first Saturday in June through March 15 season, except closed waters from posted markers approximately 300 yards below the hatchery road bridge downstream to mouth October 16 through November 30. August 1 through November 15: Anti-snagging rule, night closure and stationary gear restriction. October 16 through March 15: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open from first Saturday in June through December 31. First Saturday in June through July 31, daily limit 6 hatchery Chinook, of which no more than 2 may be adults. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which not more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild coho and unmarked Chinook. Unmarked Chinook are Chinook without either a clipped ventral fin or a clipped adipose fin.

Green Lake (Okanogan County): April 1 through November 30: Selective gear rules, and unlawful to fish from a floating

device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Green Lake (Lower) (Okanogan County): April 1 through November 30: Selective gear rules, and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Green River (Cowlitz County): Closed waters: All tributaries

From mouth to 2800 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through November 30 season except closed from 400 feet above to 400 feet below the water intake at the upper end of the hatchery grounds during the period September 1 through November 30 and from 400 feet or posted signs above and below the salmon hatchery rack when the rack is installed in the river. Anti-snagging rule and night closure September 1 through October 31 from mouth to 400 feet below salmon hatchery rack. All species: When anti-snagging rule in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Trout: Release all trout except hatchery steelhead. Salmon: Open August 1 through November 30. Daily limit 6 fish, of which not more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

From 2800 Bridge to Miner's Creek: Closed waters.

From Miner's Creek upstream: All species: Catch and release and selective gear rules.

Green (Duwamish) River (King County):

From the First Avenue South Bridge to Tukwila International Boulevard/Old Highway 99: The first Saturday in June through July 31 and September 1 through January 15 season. In years ending in odd numbers, additional season August 20 through August 31 with the following restrictions: Night closure, anti-snagging rule, bait prohibited, only 1 single-point hook may be used, and hook must measure less than 1/2 inch from point to shank. Anti-snagging rule and night closure September 1 through November 30. Fishing from any floating device prohibited November 1 through January 15. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: In years ending in odd numbers, open August 20 through December 31. Daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum. Release Chinook. In years ending in even numbers, open September 1 through December 31. Daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be adult salmon. Release Chinook.

From Tukwila International Boulevard/Old Highway 99 to the Interstate 405 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through July 31 and September 1 through January 15 season. In years ending in odd numbers, additional season August 20 through August 31 with the following restrictions: Night closure, anti-snagging rule, bait prohibited, only 1 single-point hook may be used, and hook must measure less than 1/2 inch from point to shank. Anti-snagging rule and night closure September 1 through November 30. Fishing from any floating device prohibited November 1 through January 15. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: In years ending in odd numbers, open August 20 through December 31. Daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum. Release Chinook. In years ending in even numbers, open September 1 through December 31.

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<u>Daily limit 6 salmon</u>, no more than 3 may be adult salmon, and ((only 1 may be a)) release Chinook.

From the Interstate 405 Bridge to South 277th Street Bridge in Auburn: Open only the first Saturday in June through July 31 and October 1 through January 15. In years ending in odd numbers, additional season September 1 through September 30 with the following restrictions: Night closure, anti-snagging rule, bait prohibited, only 1 singlepoint hook may be used, and hook must measure less than 1/2 inch from point to shank. Anti-snagging rule and night closure October 1 through November 30. Fishing from any floating device prohibited November 1 through January 15. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: In years ending in odd numbers, open September 1 through December 31. Daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum. Release Chinook. In years ending in even numbers, open October 1 through December 31. Daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be adult salmon. Release Chinook.

From the 277th Street Bridge to Auburn-Black Diamond Road Bridge: Open only the first Saturday in June through August 15 and October 16 through January 31. In years ending in odd numbers, additional season September 16 through October 15 with the following restrictions: Night closure, anti-snagging rule, bait prohibited, only 1 single-point hook may be used, and hook must measure less than 1/2 inch from point to shank. Anti-snagging rule and night closure October 16 through November 30. Fishing from a floating device prohibited November 1 through January 31. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: In years ending in odd numbers, open September 16 through December 31. Daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum. Release Chinook. In years ending in even numbers, open October 16 through December 31. Daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be adult salmon. Release Chinook.

From the Auburn-Black Diamond Road Bridge to the ((water pipeline walk bridge (1/2 mile downstream of Taeoma Headworks Dam))) mouth of Cristy Creek at Flaming Geyser State Park: ((The)) First Saturday in June through ((January 31)) September 15 and November 1 through January 31 season. All species: Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through September 15 and November 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: November 1 through December 31 season. Daily limit six salmon. No more than three may be adult. Release Chinook.

From mouth of Cristy Creek at Flaming Geyser State Park to the water pipeline walk bridge (1/2 mile downstream of Tacoma Headworks Dam): The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. All species: Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Closed waters: Within 150 feet of the Palmer Pond outlet rack and within 150 feet of the mouth of Keta Creek. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open November 1 through December 31. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be any combination of adult coho and adult chum. Release Chinook. In years ending in even numbers, daily limit 6 salmon, no more than 3 may be adult salmon. Release Chinook.

From Friday Creek upstream, including all tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Greenwater River (King County), from mouth to Greenwater Lakes: November 1 through January 31 season. Release all fish except whitefish. Whitefish gear rules.

From Greenwater Lakes upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Grimes Lake (Douglas County): June 1 through August 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Grizzly Lake (Skamania County): Closed waters.

Groves Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Halfmoon Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules.

Halfmoon Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Halfmoon Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Halfway Creek (Lewis County) (tributary of Stillman Creek, which is a Chehalis River tributary): From mouth to second bridge crossing on Pe Ell McDonald Road: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Hamilton Creek (Skamania County): Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. All tributaries downstream from the Highway 14 Bridge: Closed waters.

Hamma Hamma River (Mason County):

From mouth to four hundred feet below falls: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

From falls upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Hampton Lakes, Lower and Upper (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Hanaford Creek (Lewis County) (Skookumchuck River tributary): From mouth upstream: All Species: Selective gear rules. ((Night elosure and single point barbless hooks required from August 16 through November 30. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches.

Hancock Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. All tributary streams and the upper third of the outlet are closed waters. Unlawful to use

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lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Hansen Creek (Skagit County): Including all tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Harris Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Harris Lake (Grant County): All species: Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit 1.

Harrison Slough (Skagit County): All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Harvey Creek (tributary to Sullivan Lake) (Pend Oreille County):

From mouth to Bridge 4830 on county road (about one and one-half miles): Closed waters.

From Bridge 4830 upstream: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Hatch Lake (Stevens County): December 1 through March 31 season. All species: Catch and release except up to five rainbow trout may be retained.

Hatchery Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Haven Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Hawk Creek and tributaries (Lincoln County): Year-round season.

Hays Creek and Ponds (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Headgate Pond (Asotin County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles, seniors and holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards only.

Heart Lake (near Anacortes) (Skagit County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Heins Lake (Kitsap County): Closed waters.

Hemlock Lake (Trout Creek Reservoir) (Skamania County): Closed waters.

Hen Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Heritage Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Herman Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Hicks Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Hilt Creek (Skagit County) (Sauk River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Hog Canyon Creek (Spokane County): Hog Canyon Dam to Scroggie Road: Year-round season.

Hog Canyon Lake (Spokane County): December 1 through March 31 season. Trout: No more than two over fourteen inches in length may be retained.

Hoh River (Jefferson County):

From Olympic National Park boundary upstream to DNR Oxbow Campground Boat Launch: All game fish: May 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June, open Wednesdays through Sundays, and release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Trout: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Minimum length fourteen inches. November 1 through February 15, daily limit ((3 trout including)) may include one additional hatchery steelhead. February 16 through April ((30)) 15, wild steelhead retention allowed. Salmon: May 16 through August 31, Wednesday through Sunday, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 1 may be an adult salmon, minimum length 12 inches. Release wild Chinook. September 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, minimum length 12 inches.

From DNR Oxbow Campground Boat Launch to Willoughby Creek: <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u> All species: August 1 through October 15 and December 1 through April 15: Selective gear rules. All game fish: May 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June, open Wednesdays through Sundays, and release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. All game fish: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: May 16 through August 31, Wednesdays through Sundays, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 1 may be an adult. Release wild Chinook. Open October 16 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, minimum length of 12 inches.

From Willoughby Creek to Morgan's Crossing boat launch site: <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u> All species: First Saturday in June through October 15 and December 1 through April 15: Selective gear rules. All game fish: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: ((May 16 through August 31, Wednesdays through Sundays, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 1 may be an adult salmon, minimum length 12 inches.)) Open October 16 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, minimum length of 12 inches.

From Morgan's Crossing Boat Launch upstream to Olympic National Park boundary below mouth of South Fork

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Hoh River: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Hoh River, South Fork (Jefferson County): Outside Olympic National Park boundary: The first Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Hoko River (Clallam County):

From mouth to upper Hoko Bridge: <u>Permissible to fish</u> <u>up to the hatchery ladder, except closed to fishing from shore on the hatchery side of the river from the ladder downstream 100 feet.</u> First Saturday in June through March 15 season. Fly fishing only September 1 through October 31. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From upper Hoko Bridge to Ellis Creek Bridge (river mile 18.5): The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Fly fishing only. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Homestead Lake (Grant County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one fish.

Hoquiam River, including West Fork (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in June through last day of February season. Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish. Salmon: Open October 1 through November 30 from mouth to Dekay Road Bridge (West Fork) on mainstem. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, and of the 2 adult salmon, only 1 may be a wild coho. Release chum and Chinook. ((Open October 1 through November 30 on East Fork from mouth to mouth of Berryman Creek. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum, Chinook, and wild eoho.))

From Dekay Road Bridge upstream: ((All species: Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30.)) First Saturday in June through last day of February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish. All species: Selective gear rules.

Hoquiam River, East Fork (Grays Harbor County):

From mouth to confluence of Berryman Creek: The first Saturday in June through last day of February season. Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish. Salmon: October 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon and only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and Chinook.

From confluence of Berryman Creek upstream to Youman's Road Bridge: The first Saturday in June through last day of February season. ((Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30.)) Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish.

Hoquiam River, Middle Fork (Grays Harbor County): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through last day of October season. ((Single point barbless hooks required

August 16 through October 31.)) Trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Horseshoe Lake (Clark/Cowlitz counties): Trout: No more than 2 trout 20 inches or greater in length may be retained. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Horseshoe Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit 1.

Horseshoe Lake (Kitsap County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Horseshoe Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout except kokanee: Daily limit five. Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit ten.

Horsethief Lake (Klickitat County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Hourglass Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Howard Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Howe Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Howell Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Hozomeen Lake (Whatcom County): July 1 through October 31 season. Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Huff Lake (Pend Oreille County): Closed waters.

Humptulips River (Grays Harbor County): Including all channels, sloughs, and interconnected waterways from mouth (Jessie Slough) to Ocean Beach Road (near Copalis Crossing): The first Saturday in June through March 31 season, except closed September 1 through September 30. Night closure and single-point barbless hooks required August 16 through August 31 and October 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open October 1 through ((January 31)) November 30. Daily limit of 6 salmon, of which no more than ((2)) three may be adult salmon, and of the ((2)) three adult salmon, only 1 may be a Chinook and only one may be a wild coho. Release chum ((and wild coho)). Open December 1 through January 31. Daily limit six salmon of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and of the two adult salmon only one may be a Chinook. Release chum and wild coho.

From Ocean Beach Road (near Copalis Crossing) to Highway 101 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through

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March 31 season, except closed September 1 through September 15. Night closure and single-point barbless hooks required August 16 through August 31 and September 16 through November 30. ((All species: Bait prohibited September 16 through September 30.)) Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open September 16 through ((January 31)) November 30. Daily limit of 6 salmon, of which no more than ((two)) three may be adult salmon, and of the ((2)) three adult salmon, only one may be a Chinook and only two may be wild coho. Release chum ((and wild coho)). Open December 1 through January 31: Daily limit six salmon of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and of the two adult salmon, only one may be a Chinook. Release chum and wild coho.

From Highway 101 Bridge to the confluence of the East and West forks: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Night closure and single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. All game fish: Additional season March 1 through March 31 with the following restrictions: Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Salmon: Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Open September 16 through ((January 31)) November 30. Daily limit of 6 salmon, of which no more than ((two)) three may be adult salmon, and of the ((2)) three adult salmon, only one may be a Chinook and only one may be a wild coho. Release chum ((and wild coho. Bait prohibited September 16 through September 30)). Open December 1 through January 31: Daily limit six salmon of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and of the two adult salmon, only one may be a Chinook. Release chum and wild coho.

Humptulips River, East Fork (Grays Harbor County): From mouth to concrete bridge on Forest Service Road <u>220</u>: Antisnagging rule and night closure August 16 through October 31. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From concrete bridge on Forest Service Road ((between Humptulips Guard Station)) 220 upstream: The first Saturday in June through last day in October season. ((Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 16 through October 31. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.)) All species: Selective gear rules.

Humptulips River, West Fork (Grays Harbor County):

From mouth to Donkey Creek: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. All game fish: Additional season March 1 through March 31. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

From Donkey Creek upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Hutchinson Creek (Whatcom County) (SF Nooksack tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All

species: Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Hutchinson Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited.

Hylebos Creek (Pierce County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Two trout over 14 inches in length. Selective gear rules apply.

I-82 Ponds, 1 through 7 (Yakima County): Fishing from vessels equipped with internal combustion motors prohibited.

Icehouse Lake (Skamania County): Trout: No more than 2 trout 20 inches or greater in length may be retained.

Icicle River (Creek) (Chelan County):

From mouth to four hundred feet below Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery rack: Closed waters. From Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery rack upstream to Leland Creek: First Saturday in June through September 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Illabot Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Illahee Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

Independence Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Indian Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Indian Creek (Yakima County): From mouth to waterfall approximately six miles upstream (including the portion of the creek that flows through the dry lakebed): Closed waters. Upstream of waterfall: Eastern brook trout do not count as part of trout daily limit. Eastern brook trout: No minimum size and no daily limit.

Indian Heaven Wilderness Lakes (Skamania County): Trout: Daily limit three.

Ingall's Creek (Chelan County): Mouth to Wilderness boundary: Closed waters.

Isabella Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Island Lake (Kitsap County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

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Island Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Issaquah Creek (King County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Jackman Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Jackson Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Jameson Lake (Douglas County): Fourth Saturday in April through July 4 and October 1 through October 31 seasons.

Jasmine Creek (Okanogan County): Year-round season. Juveniles only.

Jefferson Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Jefferson Park Pond (Walla Walla County): Juveniles only. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Jennings Park Pond (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Jewitt Creek (Klickitat County): Juveniles only. Trout: Daily limit five, no minimum length.

Jimmy-Come-Lately Creek (Clallam County): Mouth to confluence with East Fork: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

From confluence with East Fork upstream, including East Fork: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Joe Creek (Grays Harbor County): Upstream from State Highway 109 Bridge to Ocean Beach Road Bridge: The first Saturday in June through November 30 season. Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release adult Chinook, and chum.

From Ocean Beach Road Bridge upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. All species: Selective gear rules.

Johns Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Johns River (Grays Harbor County): Mouth (Highway 105 Bridge) to Ballon Creek: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish. Salmon: Open only October 1 through November 30. Daily limit 2 fish, of which 1 may be wild coho. Release chum and Chinook.

From Ballon Creek upstream, including North and South Forks: The first Saturday in June through September 30 and December 1 through last day in February season. ((All spe-

eies: Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30.)) Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, daily limit 2 fish.

Johnson Creek (Lewis County) (Cowlitz River tributary): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length ten inches.

Johnson Creek (Thurston County) (Skookumchuck River tributary): From mouth upstream: All Species: Selective gear rules. The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches.

Johnson Creek (Whatcom County): From Northern Pacific Railroad tracks to the Lawson Street footbridge in Sumas: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Jones Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Jones Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Jordan Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Jorsted Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Jump-Off Joe Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Kachess Lake (Reservoir) (Kittitas County): Chumming permitted. Trout except kokanee: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches. Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit sixteen.

Kachess River (Kittitas County): ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish to base of Kachess Dam. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. From Kachess Lake (Reservoir) upstream to waterfall approximately one-half mile above Mineral Creek: Closed waters.

Kalaloch Creek (Jefferson County): Outside Olympic National Park: Closed waters: Those waters within the section posted as the Olympic National Park water supply. First Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Kalama River (Cowlitz County):

From mouth upstream to one thousand feet below fishway at upper salmon hatchery: Year-round season except during the period the temporary fish rack is installed. Waters from Modrow Bridge downstream to one thousand five hundred feet below the rack are closed waters when the rack is installed. Anti-snagging rule and night closure April 1 through October 31 from the railroad bridge below I-5 to the

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intake at the lower salmon hatchery. Stationary gear restriction September 1 through October 31 from the railroad bridge below I-5 to the natural gas pipeline at Mahaffey's Campground. All species: When anti-snagging rule in effect only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited upstream of Modrow Bridge. September 1 through October 31: Fly fishing only from the pipeline crossing to the posted deadline at the intake to the lower salmon hatchery. All game fish: Release all fish year-round except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open year-round. January 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 hatchery Chinook of which no more than 1 may be an adult salmon. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild Chinook, and wild coho.

From one thousand feet below to one thousand feet above the fishway at upper salmon hatchery: Closed waters.

From one thousand feet above the fishway at the upper salmon hatchery to Summers Creek: Year-round season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Selective gear rules. All species: Release all fish.

From Summers Creek upstream to the 6420 Road at about one mile above the gate at the end of the county road: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Fly fishing only. All species: Release all fish.

From 6420 Road to Kalama Falls: Closed waters.

Kalispell Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): ((Fourth)) <u>Last</u> Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Kapowsin Lake (Pierce County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Keechelus Lake (Reservoir) (Kittitas County): Chumming permitted. Trout except kokanee: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches, additionally up to sixteen kokanee may be retained.

Kelsey Creek (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Kendall Creek (Whatcom County) (NF Nooksack tributary) above the hatchery grounds: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Kennedy Creek (((Thurston)) Mason County): From mouth to four hundred feet below falls: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Selective gear rules from Highway 101 Bridge to four hundred feet below falls except October 1 through December 31. Anti-snagging rule and night closure October 1 through December 31. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only October 1 through November 30 from mouth to northbound Highway 101 Bridge. ((Barbless hooks required.)) Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho.

From falls upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Kennedy Creek Pond (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Kettle River (Stevens County):

The Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length 12 inches. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

Additional season: November 1 through May 31. White-fish gear rules apply. ((Selective gear rules are not required from Canadian border upstream to Highway 21 Bridge at Curlew.))

Ki Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Kidney Lake (Skamania County): Fourth Saturday in April through last day in February season.

Kimball Creek (near Snoqualmie) (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only. Trout: No minimum length.

Kindy Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish.

King's Creek (Pierce County) (Puyallup River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Kings Lake and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Closed waters.

Kings Lake Bog (King County): Closed waters.

Kitsap Lake (Kitsap County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Kiwanis Pond (Kittitas County): Juveniles and holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards only.

Klaus Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Closed waters: The inlet and outlet to first Weyerhaeuser spur.

Klickitat River (Klickitat County):

From mouth to Fisher Hill Bridge: April 1 through January 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure April 1 through May 31((...Anti-snagging rule)) and August 1 through January 31. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Game fish: Closed December 1 through January 31. Release game fish other than hatchery steelhead April 1 through May 31. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches. Steelhead and salmon: Open April 1 through May 31 on Sundays, Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays only; daily limit 2 hatchery steelhead or 2 salmon, or 1 of each. Release wild Chinook. Salmon: Open June 1 through January 31. June 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild Chinook. August 1 through January 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook.

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From Fisher Hill Bridge to four hundred feet above # 5 fishway: Closed waters.

From four hundred feet above # 5 fishway to the Yakama Indian Reservation boundary: June 1 through November 30 season, except waters from boundary markers above Klickitat salmon hatchery to boundary markers below hatchery are closed waters. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches. Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply. Salmon: Open only June 1 through November 30 from 400 feet above No. 5 Fishway to boundary markers below Klickitat Salmon Hatchery. June 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 salmon. Release adult salmon and release wild Chinook. August 1 through October 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. November 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish. Release Chinook.

From the Yakama Indian Reservation boundary upstream to source, including all tributaries: Closed waters.

Klineline Ponds (Clark County): Trout: No more than 2 trout 20 inches in length or greater may be retained.

Koeneman Lake (Fern Lake) (Kitsap County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Kokanee Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Kress Lake (Cowlitz County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout 20 inches in length or greater may be retained. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Lacamas Creek (Clark County): From mouth to footbridge at lower falls: First Saturday in June through August 31 season. From footbridge at lower falls upstream: ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish upstream to the base of Lacamas Lake Dam.

Lacamas Creek, tributary of Cowlitz River (Lewis County): Trout: Release all trout except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Ladder Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Lake Creek (Okanogan County): Mouth to Black Lake: Closed waters. Black Lake to Three Prong Creek: Closed waters.

Langlois Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Latah (Hangman) Creek (Spokane County): Year-round season.

Lawrence Lake (Thurston County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Leader Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

LeBar Creek (Mason County): From the falls at river mile one upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season

Le Clerc Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Ledbetter Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Ledking Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Leech Lake (White Pass area) (Yakima County): Fly fishing only. Fishing prohibited from floating devices equipped with motors. Trout: No more than one over 14 inches in length.

Leland Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Leland Lake (Jefferson County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Lemna Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Lena Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Lenice Lake (Grant County): March 1 through November 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Lena Lake, Lower (Jefferson County): Closed waters: Inlet stream from mouth upstream to footbridge (about one hundred feet).

Lenore Lake (Grant County): Closed waters: Area within two hundred yard radius of trash rack leading to the irrigation pumping station (south end of lake) and area approximately one hundred yards beyond the mouth of inlet stream to State Highway 17. March 1 through May 31 season: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish. Additional season the first Saturday in June through November 30: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Leo Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Lewis River (Clark County): From mouth to forks: Year-round season. All species: Two pole fishing allowed with two pole endorsement from Railroad Bridge near Kuhns Road upstream to mouth of East Fork Lewis. Trout: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open year-round. January 1 through July 31, daily limit six hatchery Chinook of which not more than 1

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may be an adult salmon. August 1 through September 30, daily limit 6 hatchery salmon, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho. October 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 salmon, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. Sturgeon: Seasons, days of the week, daily limits, and size limits same as in adjacent waters of mainstem Columbia River.

Lewis River, East Fork (Clark/Skamania counties): Closed waters: From the posted markers at the lower end of Big Eddy to one hundred feet above Lucia Falls; from four hundred feet below to four hundred feet above Molton Falls; from four hundred feet below Horseshoe Falls upstream including all tributaries above Horseshoe Falls.

Mouth to 400 feet below Horseshoe Falls: The first Saturday in June through March 15 season. Trout: Release all trout except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Mouth to top boat ramp at Lewisville Park: Additional April 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Lewis River, North Fork (Clark/Skamania counties):

From mouth to Colvin Creek: Year-round season except those waters shoreward of the cable buoy and corkline at the mouth of the Lewis River Salmon Hatchery fish ladder are closed waters. All species: Two pole fishing allowed with two pole endorsement from mouth to Johnson Creek. Antisnagging rule and night closure April 1 through November 30 from Johnson Creek to Colvin Creek. When anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Trout: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open year-round. January 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 hatchery Chinook of which only 1 may be an adult salmon. August 1 through September ((30)) 14, daily limit 6 hatchery salmon, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho. ((October 1)) September 15 through December 31, daily limit 6 salmon, of which no more than 2 adult Chinook may be retained. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. Sturgeon: Seasons, days of the week, daily limits, and size limits same as in waters of mainstem Columbia River adjacent to mouth of Lewis River.

From mouth of Colvin Creek to overhead powerlines at Merwin Dam: December 16 through September 30 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure April 1 through September 30. When anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Trout: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open only January 1 through September 30 and December 16 through December 31. January 1 through July 31, daily limit 6 hatchery Chinook of which only 1 may be an adult salmon. August 1 through September ((30)) 14, daily limit 6 hatchery salmon, of which no more than 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. Release all salmon except hatchery Chinook and hatchery coho((-)) September 15 through Sep-

tember 30 and December 16 through December 31((,)). Daily limit 6 salmon, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release all salmon except Chinook and hatchery coho. Sturgeon: Seasons, days of the week, daily limits, and size limits same as in waters of mainstem Columbia River adjacent to mouth of Lewis River.

From overhead powerlines at Merwin Dam to Merwin Dam: Closed waters.

From the cable crossing 1,300 feet below Yale Dam to Yale Dam: Closed waters.

Within Lewis River Power Canal: From the fishing pier to the access road at Swift Dam: Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device prohibited. Trout: No minimum size, daily limit 5.

From Eagle Cliff Bridge to lower falls including all tributaries: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Liberty Lake (Spokane County): March 1 through October 31 season.

Lilliwaup River (Mason County): Mouth to 200 feet below falls: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

From falls upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Lilly Lake (Chelan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. July 5 through October 31, selective gear rules, and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Lime Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Limerick Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Lincoln Creek, including South Fork (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Lincoln Pond (Clallam County): Juveniles only.

Lions Park Pond (Walla Walla County): Juveniles only. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Little Ash Lake (Skamania County): Trout: No more than 2 trout 20 inches in length or greater may be retained.

Little Bear Creek (tributary of Sammamish River) (Snohomish/King counties): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Little Hoko River (Clallam County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. ((<del>Unlawful</del>

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to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) All species: Release all fish.

Little Hoquiam River (Grays Harbor County): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Little Klickitat River (Klickitat County): Within Goldendale city limits: Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only. Trout: Daily limit five, no minimum length.

Little Lost Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Little Mission Creek (Mason County) from falls upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Little Naches River (Yakima County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Little Nisqually River (Lewis County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. ((Selective gear rules.)) Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Little North River Creek and all forks (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Little Pend Oreille River (Stevens County): From the Little Pend Oreille wildlife refuge boundary about 1 mile downstream from the refuge headquarters office to Crystal Falls: Saturday before Memorial Day through October 31 season. Selective gear rules, and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except up to five Eastern brook trout may be retained.

Little Quilcene River (Jefferson County): From mouth to the Little Quilcene River Bridge on Penny Creek Road: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules, unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor, and release all fish. Closed waters: Mouth to Highway 101 Bridge September 1 through October 31.

From Little Quilcene River Bridge on Penny Creek Road upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Little Scandia Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches.

Little Spokane River (Spokane County):

From mouth to SR 291 Bridge: Year-round season.

From SR 291 Bridge upstream to the West Branch: Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Upstream from bridge at Frideger Road: Closed waters: From the inlet to Chain Lake upstream one-quarter mile to the railroad crossing culvert. Trout: Release kokanee taken upstream from bridge.

Little Twin Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Little Twin Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31.

Little Wenatchee River (Chelan County): From Lake Wenatchee to the falls below U.S. Forest Service Road 6700 Bridge at Riverside Campground: Closed waters.

Little White Salmon River (Skamania County): Closed waters: From the orange fishing boundary markers at Drano Lake upstream to the intake near the Little White Salmon National Fish Hatchery north boundary. Trout: Daily limit five. Drano Lake (waters downstream of markers on point of land downstream and across from Little White Salmon National Fish Hatchery): Night closure March 16 through June 30. All species: Anglers may fish with two poles provided they have a two pole endorsement from May 12 through June 30 and from September 15 through December 31. The area west of a line projected from the easternmost pillar of the Highway 14 Bridge to a posted marker on the north shore: Open only to bank fishing from April 16 through June 30. Anti-snagging rule August 1 through December 31. Yearround season; except closed Wednesdays beginning the second Wednesday in April through June 30, closed from 6 p.m. Tuesdays through 6 p.m. Wednesdays during October, closed for game fish other than trout during April, release all trout except hatchery steelhead, and trout other than steelhead closed March 16 through July 31. Trout: August 1 through March 15, daily limit of two hatchery steelhead. Salmon and steelhead: March 16 through July 31, daily limit of two hatchery steelhead or two hatchery Chinook, or one of each. Salmon: Open August 1 through December 31. Daily limit six fish of which no more than two may be adult salmon. ((Release wild coho and wild Chinook.))

Lone Lake (Island County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one, minimum length 18 inches.

Long Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fly fishing only. Unlawful to use flies containing lead. Unlawful to fish from floating devices equipped with motors.

Long Beach Peninsula waterways and lakes (Pacific County): All game fish: Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Long Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Long Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Long's Pond (Thurston County): Juveniles only.

Loomis Lake (Pacific County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

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Loomis Pond (Grays Harbor County): Closed waters.

Loon Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout except kokanee: Daily limit five, except no more than two over twenty inches in length may be retained. Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit ten.

Lost Lake (Kittitas County): Trout: Not more than 1 fish over 14 inches in length.

Lost Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Lost Lake (Okanogan County): Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine. Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Lost River (Okanogan County):

From mouth to mouth of Monument Creek: Closed waters.

From mouth of Monument Creek to outlet of Cougar Lake: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit. Dolly Varden/Bull Trout daily limit two, minimum length fourteen inches.

Love Lake (Clark County): Closed waters.

Lower Salmon Creek and all forks (Grays Harbor ((County))/Pacific counties) (North River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Lucas Creek (Lewis County) (tributary to the Newaukum River North Fork): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Catch and release only. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Lucky Duck Pond (Stevens County): Juveniles only.

Ludlow Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Ludlow Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Lyle Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Lyle Creek (King County) (White River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Lyre River (Clallam County):

From mouth to falls near river mile 3: The first Saturday in June through ((<del>last day in February</del>)) <u>January 31</u> season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From falls to ((source)) Olympic National Park boundary: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. ((Unlawful to fish from a floating device

equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) All species: Release all fish.

Mad River (Chelan County): From mouth upstream to Jimmy Creek: Closed waters.

Maggie Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through November 30 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Maple Creek (Whatcom County) (NF Nooksack tributary): First Saturday in June through ((January)) October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Marble Creek (Skagit County) (Cascade River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Malaney Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Margaret Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Marsh Creek (Snohomish County) (Sultan River tributary) and its tributaries, including beaver ponds, above the falls at its mouth: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Marshal Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Martha Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Martha Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Matheny Creek (Jefferson County) (Queets River tributary): Outside Olympic National Park: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Mattoon Lake (Kittitas County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited

May Creek (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Mayfield Lake (Reservoir) (Lewis County): Mayfield Dam to 400 feet below Mossyrock Dam: Closed waters: Tacoma Power safety signs at Onion Rock Bridge to Mossyrock Dam. Trout and salmon: Minimum length eight inches. Trout: Release cutthroat. Release rainbow trout except rainbow trout with a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin. Salmon: Open only September 1 through December 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

McAllister Creek (Thurston County): <u>Barbless hooks</u> required. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

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Salmon: Open July 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish and up to two adults may be retained.

McCabe Pond (Kittias County): Fishing from any floating device prohibited. All species: Five fish daily limit for all species combined.

McDonald Creek (Clallam County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

McDowell Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. All species: Release all fish.

McIntosh Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

McLane Creek (Thurston County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Night closure August 1 through October 31. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

McLane Creek Ponds (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

McManaman Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

McMurray Lake (Skagit County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Medical Lake (Spokane County): March 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length fourteen inches.

Medical Lake, West (Spokane County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Melbourne Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Mercer Creek (Kittitas County): That portion within Ellensburg city limits: Juveniles only.

Mercer Slough (tributary of Lake Washington) (King County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Merrill Lake (Cowlitz County): All species: Fly fishing only and release all fish. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine.

Merritt Lake (Chelan County): Trout: Daily limit sixteen.

Merry Lake (Grant County): March 1 through November 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Merwin Lake (Reservoir) (Clark/Cowlitz County): Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Methow River (Okanogan County): Mouth to County Road 1535 (Burma Road) Bridge: Closed waters. County Road 1535 (Burma Road) Bridge to the Hwy 153 Bridge at McFarland Creek: The first Saturday in June through September 15 season: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish. Highway 153 Bridge at McFarland Creek to Foghorn Dam: The first Saturday in June through September 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish. Foghorn Dam to Weeman Bridge: The first Saturday in June through August 15 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish. Upstream from Weeman Bridge to the falls above Brush Creek: Closed waters the first Saturday in June through October 31. Additional season Gold Creek to falls above Brush Creek: December 1 through March 31. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Methow River tributaries not otherwise provided for: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Maximum length twenty inches.

Middle Nemah Pond (Pacific County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Milk Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Mill Creek (Chelan County): Closed waters.

Mill Creek (Cowlitz County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 and November 1 through March 15 seasons. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Mill Creek (Lewis County): Additional season December 1 through December 31, mouth to hatchery road crossing culvert. Anti-snagging rule and night closure. All species: Release all fish except that up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Mill Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Mill Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Mill Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Mill Creek (Walla Walla County):

From mouth to Bennington Dam: Closed waters.

From Bennington Dam upstream: All tributaries: Closed waters. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

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Barbless hooks required September 1 through October 31. Trout: Release all steelhead.

Mill Creek Pond (Grays Harbor County): Juveniles only.

Mill Pond (Auburn) (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only except open to all ages during Free Fishing Weekend (as defined in WAC 220-56-160).

Mill Pond (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Mima Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules((, night elosure and antisnagging rule)).

Mineral Creek (tributary to upper Kachess River) (Kittitas County): From mouth to Wilderness Boundary: Closed waters.

Mineral Creek (tributary to Nisqually River), and Mineral Creek, North Fork (Lewis County): ((Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Mineral Lake (Lewis County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Minter Creek (Pierce/Kitsap counties): Salmon: Open only November 1 through December 31 from mouth to 50 feet downstream of the hatchery rack. Night closure. Daily limit 4 chum.

Mirror Lake (Grant County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Mission Lake (Kitsap County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Mitchell Creek (Lewis County) (tributary to the Newaukum River North Fork): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Catch and release only. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Moclips River (Grays Harbor County), from mouth to the Quinault Indian Reservation boundary: The first Saturday in June through the last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. ((Lawful)) Permissible to retain steelhead having a dorsal fin height of less than 2 ((1/2)) 1/8 inches or with an adipose or ventral fin clip.

Molson Lake (Okanogan County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited.

Monte Cristo Lake (Snohomish County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and catch and release except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Mooses Pond (Pacific County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Moran Slough (including inlet and outlet streams) (Grant County): Closed waters.

Morgan Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Morse Creek (Clallam County), from mouth to Port Angeles Dam: December 1 through January 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Port Angeles Dam upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Moses Lake (Grant County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, only crappie more than nine inches in length may be retained. Bluegill: Daily limit five, only bluegill more than eight inches in length may be retained. Walleye: Daily limit 8 walleye. Minimum length twelve inches. No more than one walleye over 22 inches in length may be retained. Yellow perch: Daily limit 25 yellow perch.

Mosquito Creek (Jefferson County): Outside Olympic National Park upstream to the Goodman 3000 Mainline Bridge: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Mox Chehalis Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Mountain Lake (San Juan County): Trout: Daily limit may not contain more than one trout over 18 inches in length.

Mud Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Mud Lake (Yakima County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Mudget Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Munn Lake (Thurston County): All species: Selective gear rules, unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor, and release all fish.

Muskegon Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit two.

Myron Lake (Yakima County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Mystic Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Naches River (Yakima/Kittitas counties):

From the mouth to Little Naches River: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with

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an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches, maximum length twenty inches. Release trout the first Saturday in June through October 31 from confluence with Tieton River to mouth of Rattle Snake Creek. Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Nahwatzel Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Naneum Creek (Kittitas County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Naneum Pond (Kittitas County): Juveniles only.

Napeequa River (Chelan County): Mouth to Twin Lakes Creek: Closed waters.

Naselle River (Pacific/Wahkiakum counties): All species: Night closure and anti-snagging rule August 1 through November ((45)) 30, stationary gear restriction on the South Fork upstream to the Highway 4 Bridge August 1 through December 31.

From Highway 101 Bridge to the Highway 4 Bridge: All game fish: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Salmon: Open August 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon and of these three adult fish, no more than two may be wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Additional season December 1 through January 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon and of these two adult fish, no more than one may be a wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Sturgeon: Openyear round.

From the Highway 4 Bridge to the Crown Mainline (Salme) Bridge: Closed waters: Area from four hundred feet below falls in Sec. 6, T10N, R8W (Wahkiakum County) to falls, and from hatchery attraction channel downstream four hundred feet. Waters from the temporary hatchery weir downstream to Highway 4 are closed when the weir is installed. All species: Night closure, anti-snagging rule, barbless hooks required, and stationary gear restriction August 1 through November ((15)) 30. All game fish: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Salmon: August 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon and of these three adult fish, no more than two may be wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Additional season December 1 through January 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon and of these two adult fish, no more than one may be a wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.

From the Crown Mainline (Salme) Bridge to the North Fork: The first Saturday in June through April 15 season((; except sturgeon)). Night closure and anti-snagging rule August ((1)) 6 through November 30. ((First Saturday in June through April 15 season.)) All game fish: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

((Salmon: Open only August 1 through January 31 from Highway 101 Bridge to Highway 4 Bridge and September 1 through January 31 from the Highway 4 Bridge to the Crown Main Line Bridge. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 3 may be adult salmon and of these 3 adult fish, no more than 2 may be wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Sturgeon: Open year-round from mouth to Highway 4 Bridge.))

From mouth of North Fork upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All game fish: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Naselle River, North Fork (Pacific County): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Naselle River, South Fork (Pacific County): From mouth to Bean Creek: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season, except sturgeon. ((Selective gear rules.)) Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Selective gear rules first Saturday in June through August 15. Antisnagging rule and night closure August 16 through November 30. Release game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Sturgeon: Open year-round.

Nason Creek (Chelan County): From the mouth upstream to Smith Brook: Closed waters.

From Smith Brook to Stevens Creek: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Negro Creek (Lincoln County): Year-round season from mouth at Sprague Lake to the fish barrier dam at Fishtrap Lake.

Negro Creek (Whitman County): Fourth Saturday in April through July 15 season.

Neil Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary): From mouth to USFS 22 Road: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Nemah River, Middle Fork (Pacific County):

From mouth upstream to the Department of Natural Resources bridge on the Middle Nemah A-Line Road: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Night closure and single-point barbless hooks required August ((16)) 1 through November 30. ((Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) Salmon: Open ((only)) August 1 through January 31. Daily limit 6, of which only 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

From the Department of Natural Resources bridge on the Middle Nemah A-Line Road upstream: ((Closed waters: From the Nemah Hatchery downstream August 1 through November 15:)) All game fish: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal com-

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<u>bustion motor.</u> Release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. ((Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) Night closure and anti-snagging rule August 16 through November 30.

Nemah River, North Fork (Pacific County):

From Highway 101 Bridge upstream to bridge on Nemah Valley Road: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season((, except closed August 1 through September 30)). Release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Night closure, single-point barbless hooks required, and stationary gear restriction from ((September)) August 1 through November 30. Salmon: Open ((only September)) August 1 through ((January 31)) November 30. Daily limit 6, of which only 3 may be adult salmon and of the three adults, only two may be wild coho. Release chum((, wild coho,)) and wild Chinook. Open December 1 through January 31. Daily limit six fish, of which only two my be adult salmon and of the two adults, only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.

From Nemah Valley Road upstream to Nemah Hatchery: Closed waters August 1 through November 15.

From bridge on Nemah Valley Road upstream to Cruiser Creek: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Night closure and anti-snagging rule August 16 through November 30. Selective gear rules December 1 through March 31.

Nemah River, South Fork (Pacific County):

From mouth (Lynn Point, 117 degrees true to opposite shore) to confluence with Middle Fork Nemah River: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Night closure and single-point <u>barbless</u> hooks required September 1 through November 30. Salmon: Open only September 1 through January 31. Daily limit 6, of which only 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

From confluence with Middle Fork Nemah River upstream to second Highway 101 Bridge crossing: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Newaukum River, including South Fork (Lewis County): Mouth to Leonard Road near Onalaska: First Saturday in June through March 31 season. All species: Night closure and single point barbless hooks required from August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: Open only October ((146)) 1 through last day in February ((from mouth to Leonard Road)). October ((146)) 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than ((2)) three may be adult salmon, and of the three adult salmon only two may be wild coho. Release chum and Chinook. December 1 through last day in February, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, and of the adult salmon only one may be a wild coho. Release chum((5)) and Chinook((5)) and Chinook((5)) and Chinook((5)) and Chinook((5)) and Chinook((5)) and Chinook((5)) and Chinook((6)) and Chin

From mouth to Leonard Road near Onalaska: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches)).

From Leonard Road near Onalaska to Highway 508 Bridge near Kearny Creek: All species: Night closure and single point barbless hooks required from August 16 through November 30. The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Highway 508 Bridge upstream: All species: Night closure and single point barbless hooks required from August 16 through November 30. The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Catch and release only. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Newaukum River, Middle Fork (Lewis County): From mouth to Tauscher Road Bridge: First Saturday in June to March 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Newaukum River, North Fork (Lewis County): From mouth to four hundred feet below Chehalis city water intake: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Newhalem Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Newhalem Ponds (Whatcom County): Closed waters.

New Pond Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Newman Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Newskah Creek (Grays Harbor County): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Niawiakum River (Pacific County): From Highway 101 Bridge to the South Bend/Palix Road Bridge: Night closure and single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. All game fish: First Saturday in June through November 30 season. ((All game fish: Catch and release.)) Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30 ((from Highway 101 Bridge to South Bend/Palix Road Bridge)). Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

Nile Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Nisqually River (Pierce County): From mouth to Military Tank Crossing Bridge: July 1 through November 30 season. Anti-snagging rule, night closure, and barbless hooks required August 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Additional season December 1 through January 31. All species: Release all species except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open July 1 through January 31. July 1 through October 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 3 may be adult

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salmon, and of the adult salmon only 2 may be any combination of chum and coho. Release wild Chinook. November 1 through January 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild Chinook.

From Military Tank Crossing Bridge to four hundred feet below LaGrande Powerhouse: July 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

From Alder Reservoir upstream including all tributaries: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Nookachamps Creek (Skagit County): Including all tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Nooksack River (Whatcom County): From ((mouth to forks)) Lummi Indian Reservation boundary to yellow marker at the FFA High School barn at Deming: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season ((except closed the first Saturday in June through September 30 from yellow marker at the FFA High School barn at Deming to confluence of the North and South Forks)). Anti-snagging rule and night closure the first Saturday in June through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: In odd vears, open July 16 through August 31 from Lummi Indian Reservation boundary to Highway 544 Bridge at Everson. Daily limit 4 pink salmon only. Bait prohibited. Only single point hook may be used, hook must measure less than 1/2" from point to shank. Open September 1 through December 31 ((from Lummi Indian Reservation boundary to vellow marker at the FFA High School barn in Deming)). Daily limit 2 salmon, plus 2 additional coho, except release wild Chinook September 1 through September 30. ((Open only October 1 through December 31 from the FFA barn to the confluence of the North and South Forks.))

From yellow marker at the FFA High School barn in Deming to confluence of the forks: October 1 through January 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure October 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: Open October 1 through December 31. Daily limit 2 salmon, plus 2 additional coho.

Nooksack River, North Fork (Whatcom County): From mouth to ((Nooksack Falls)) Maple Creek: First Saturday in June through ((January 31)) February 15 season. ((November 1 through January 31—))Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor November 1 through February 15. First Saturday in June through November 30 night closure and anti-snagging rule ((from mouth to Maple Creek)). Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: Open only October 1 through November 30 from mouth to Maple Creek. Minimum size twelve inches; daily limit 2, plus 2 additional coho.

From Maple Creek to Nooksack Falls: First Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules. <u>Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. November 1 through January 31 unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u>

Above Nooksack Falls including all tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Nooksack River, Middle Fork (Whatcom County) mouth to city of Bellingham diversion dam: First Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout minimum size 14 inches. November 1 through January 31 - Motors prohibited.

Above diversion dam, including all tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Nooksack River, South Fork (Skagit/Whatcom counties): From mouth to Skookum Creek: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules. Release all game fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Night closure the first Saturday in June through November 30. Salmon: Open only October 1 through December 31. Daily limit 2 salmon, plus 2 additional coho. Release chum. In years ending in odd numbers, release pink salmon.

No Name Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

North Creek (Okanogan County): From mouth to falls at river mile 0.8: Closed waters.

North Creek (tributary of Sammamish River) (Snohomish/King counties): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

North Elton Ponds (Yakima County): December 1 through March 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited. Trout: Daily limit two.

North Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

North Potholes Reserve Ponds (Grant County): February 1 through the day before opening of waterfowl season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited, except float tubes permitted.

North River (Grays Harbor/Pacific counties): ((September 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum and wild Chinook. December 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, and of the 2 adult salmon, only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Open October 1 through December 31 from Salmon Creek to Fall River. October 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum and wild Chinook. December 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, and of the 2 adult salmon, only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.))

From Highway ((101)) 105 Bridge to Salmon Creek (located approximately two miles upstream from Highway 101): All species: Night closure and single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. The first

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Saturday in June through last day in February season. All game fish: Release all fish except that up to 2 hatchery steel-head per day may be retained. Salmon: Open September 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon, and only two adults may be wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Open December 1 through December 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and only one adult may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Sturgeon: Year-round season. Minimum fork length 38 inches. Maximum fork length 54 inches. Daily limit one fish.

From Salmon Creek (located approximately two miles upstream from Highway 101) to Fall River: All species: Night closure and anti-snagging rule from August 16 through November 30. The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. All game fish: Release all fish except that up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Salmon: open October 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon, and only two adults may be wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Open December 1 through December 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and only one adult may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.

From Fall River to Raimie Creek: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All game fish: Release all fish except that up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Northern State Hospital Pond (Skagit County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Nunnally Lake (Grant County): March 1 through November 30 season. Closed waters: Outlet stream of Nunnally Lake. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one.

Ohanapecosh Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis/Pierce counties): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches.

Ohop Creek (Pierce County): July 1 through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules, unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor, and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Ohop Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Okanogan River (Okanogan County):

From the mouth to the Highway 97 Bridge immediately upstream of mouth: Year-round season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure July 1 through October 15. Trout: Release all trout. Salmon: Open July 1 through October 15. Daily limit 6 Chinook((, of which no more than 3 may be adult salmon, and of these three)) and six sockeye only. No more

than three adult Chinook, and of the three adult Chinook, only one may be a wild adult Chinook. ((Release coho and sockeye.))

From the Highway 97 Bridge immediately upstream of mouth to the highway bridge at Malott: Year-round season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure July 1 through September 15. Trout: Release all trout. Salmon: Open July 1 through September 15. Daily limit 6 Chinook((, of which)) and six sockeye only. No more than 3 may be adult ((salmon)) Chinook, and of these three ((salmon)) adult Chinook only one may be a wild adult Chinook. ((Release coho and sockeye.)) Upstream from the highway bridge at Malott: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Antisnagging rule and night closure July 1 through September 15. Trout: Release all trout. Salmon: Open July 1 through September 15. Daily limit 6 Chinook((, of which)) and six sockeve only. No more than 3 may be adult ((salmon)) Chinook, and of these three ((salmon)) adult Chinook only one may be a wild adult Chinook. ((Release coho and sockeye.))

Closed waters: From Zosel Dam downstream to first Highway 97 Bridge.

Olalla Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

Old Fishing Hole Pond (Kent) (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Old Mill Stream (Chelan County): Closed waters.

Olequa Creek (Lewis County/Cowlitz County): Closed waters from 400 feet below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the creek. Trout: Release all trout except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Olney Creek (Snohomish County) (Wallace River tributary): Upstream of Olney Falls, including tributaries and beaver ponds: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Olson Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Osborne Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Outlet Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Daily limit five.

Outlet Creek (Mason County) (Satsop River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Owens Pond (Pacific County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Owl Creek (Snohomish County) (Whitechuck River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Packwood Lake (Lewis County): Closed waters: All inlet streams and outlet from log boom to dam. Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an

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internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit five, minimum length ten inches.

Padden Lake (Whatcom County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Palix River, including all forks (Pacific County):

From Highway 101 Bridge to the mouth of the Middle Fork: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season, except sturgeon. Single point barbless hooks and night closure August 16 through November 30. All game fish: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook. Sturgeon: Open year-round.

From the confluence to the Middle Fork upstream and all forks, including South Fork and Cannon River: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 15 and December ((45)) 16 through March 31 seasons. Selective gear rules first Saturday in June through August 15 and December 16 through March 31. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 16 through October 15. ((Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30 from the Highway 101 Bridge to the mouth of the Middle Fork. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook. Sturgeon: Open year-round from the Highway 101 Bridge to the mouth of the Middle Fork.)) Release all game fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Palmquist Creek (Clallam County) from mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee.

Palouse River and tributaries, except Rock Creek (Whitman County): Year-round season. Mainstem from mouth to base of Palouse Falls. Trout: Daily limit 6 fish, minimum length 10 inches, no more than 3 trout over 20 inches may be retained, except release all trout April 1 through June 15 and release steelhead June 16 through August 31. Barbless hooks required when fishing for steelhead. Walleye: Daily limit 10 fish, no minimum size. No more than 5 walleye over 18 inches in length may be retained, and no more than 1 walleye over 24 inches in length may be retained. Channel catfish: No daily limit.

Palouse River mainstem above Palouse Falls and tributaries except Rock Creek: Year-round season.

Pampa Pond (Whitman County): March 1 through September 30 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than two over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Panhandle Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Panther Creek (Chelan County): Closed waters.

Panther Creek (tributary to Wind River) (Skamania County): Closed waters.

Panther Lake (Kitsap/Mason counties): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Para-Juvenile Lake (Adams/Grant counties): April 1 through September 30 season. Juveniles only.

Park Lake (Grant County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Parker Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Pass Lake (Skagit County): Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. All species: Release all fish.

Pataha Creek (Garfield County):

Within the city limits of Pomeroy: Juveniles only.

From city limits of Pomeroy upstream: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Pattison Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Peabody Creek (Clallam County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Penny Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Pearrygin Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Pend Oreille River (Pend Oreille County): Year-round season. All sloughs within the boundaries of the Kalispell Reservation except Calispell Slough: Closed waters. Two-pole endorsement fishing allowed.

Perch Lake (Grant County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Percival Creek (Thurston County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Perry Creek (Thurston County): From mouth to falls: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

Peshastin Creek (Chelan County): Mouth to Ruby Creek: Closed waters.

Petit Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Petroleum Creek (Clallam County): From Olympic National Park boundary upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

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Phalon Lake (Stevens County): Closed waters.

Pheasant Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Phelps Creek (Chelan County): From mouth to falls at river mile 1: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Phillips Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Phillips Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Pierre Lake (Stevens County): Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Pilchuck Creek (Clallam County) (Sooes River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Pilchuck Creek (Snohomish County), mouth to Highway 9 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor the first Saturday in June through November 30.

From Highway 9 Bridge to Pilchuck Falls: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout minimum size 14 inches.

From Pilchuck Falls upstream, including all tributaries and their tributaries and all tributaries to Lake Cavanaugh: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Pilchuck River (Snohomish County): From its mouth to five hundred feet downstream from the Snohomish City diversion dam: December 1 through January 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Pillar Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Pine Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Pine Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Pine Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Ping Pond (Grant County): Third Saturday in April through Labor Day season. Juveniles and holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards only. Game fish: Daily limit of five fish in the aggregate. No minimum or maximum size for any species.

Pioneer Creek (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Pioneer Ponds (tributary to Stillaguamish River) (Snohomish County): Closed waters.

Pit Lake (Douglas County): Juveniles only.

Pleasant Lake (Clallam County): Trout: Kokanee minimum length eight inches, maximum length twenty inches.

Plummer Lake (Lewis County): Fourth Saturday in April through last day in February season.

Poacher Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Porter Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Potholes Reservoir (Grant County): Crappie: Minimum length nine inches. Crappie and bluegill: Combined daily limit twenty-five fish. Perch: Daily limit twenty-five fish. Walleye: Minimum size 12 inches in length. Daily limit 8 walleye, not more than 1 of which may be greater than 22 inches in length.

Potter's Pond (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Powerline Lake (Franklin County): Trout: Daily limit 2.

Pratt River (tributary to Middle Fork Snoqualmie) (King County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Prices Lake (Mason County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Promised Land Pond (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Pugh Creek (Snohomish County) (Whitechuck River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Puyallup River (Pierce County):

From mouth to city of Puyallup outfall structure near junction of Freeman Road and North Levee Road: Game fish season is open only when salmon fishing is open. Singlepoint barbless hooks, anti-snagging rule and night closure August 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open August 16 through December 31 ((from mouth to Carbon River)), except closed August ((<del>28 and 29</del>)) <u>26</u> and September ((<del>4, 5, 6, 11, 12, and 13 from</del> mouth to city of Puyallup outfall structure near junction of Freeman Road and North Levee Road)) 2, 3, 9, 10, and 11. In years ending in even numbers, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild adult Chinook. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon, and of the adult salmon, no more than 2 may be any combination of Chinook, coho, and chum. Release wild adult Chinook.

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From city of Puyallup outfall structure near junction of Freeman Road and North Levee Road to ((the Electron power plant outlet)) Carbon River: Game fish season is open only when salmon fishing is open. Single-point barbless hooks, anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open August 1 through December 31. In years ending in even numbers, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild adult Chinook. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 4 may be adult salmon, and of the adult salmon, no more than 2 may be any combination of Chinook, coho, and chum. Release wild adult Chinook.

From Carbon River upstream: September 1 through January 15 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Pyramid Creek (King County) upstream of Forest Service Road 7000: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Pysht River (Clallam County): The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish <u>first Saturday in June through October 31</u>. ((<del>Trout:</del>)) November 1 through January 31, trout minimum length fourteen inches.

Quail Lake (Adams County): Fly fishing only. Fishing from any floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. All species: Release all fish.

Quarry Pond (Walla Walla County): Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Quigg Lake (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Daily limit 2. Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only October 1 through January 31. Daily limit 6 hatchery coho salmon of which no more than 4 may be adult hatchery coho.

Quilcene River (Jefferson County):

From mouth to Rodgers Street: First Saturday in June through August 15 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

From Rodgers Street to Highway 101 Bridge: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Release all game fish. First Saturday in June through August 15. Selective gear rules. <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u> Salmon: Open only August 16 through October 31 from Rodgers Street to the Highway 101 Bridge. Night closure and only one single point barbless hook may be used. Daily limit 4 coho salmon. Only coho salmon hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

From electric weir at Quilcene National Fish Hatchery to upper boundary of Falls View Campground: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish. ((Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.))

From upper boundary of Falls View Campground upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Quillayute River (Clallam County): Outside of Olympic National Park: All game fish: May 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June season. Catch and release except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained. Trout: First Saturday in June through April 30 season. Minimum length fourteen inches. November 1 through last day in February, daily limit may include 1 additional hatchery steelhead. February 16 through April 30, wild steelhead retention allowed. Salmon: ((February 1 through November 30.)) Open February 1 through August 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult. Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho. Open September 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 4 may be adult, and of the 4 adults, no more than 2 may be any combination of Chinook, wild coho, pink, sockeye, and chum salmon.

Quinault River (((Jefferson)) Grays Harbor County): From mouth at upper end of Quinault Lake upstream to the Olympic National Park boundary: First Saturday in June through April 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish. February 16 through April 15, one wild steelhead per day may be retained. Salmon: Open only July 1 through October 31. July 1 through September 30, daily limit 6 jack salmon only. Single-point barbless hooks required. October 1 through October 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release sockeye((, pink,)) and chum.

Quincy Lake (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Quinn Creek (Clallam County): Outside of Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee.

Racehorse Creek (Whatcom County) (NF Nooksack tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Radar Ponds (Pacific County): Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Raging River (King County): From its mouth to the Highway 18 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Highway 18 Bridge upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Raimie Creek and all forks (Pacific County) (North River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules

Rainbow Lake (Columbia County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Rapjohn Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

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Rat Lake (Okanogan County): April 1 through November 30: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Rattlesnake Creek (Yakima County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Rattlesnake Lake (King County): Selective gear rules and catch and release. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Ravensdale Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches.

Red Creek (King County) (White River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Red Rock Creek (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Reflection Pond (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Rendsland Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Renner Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Riffe Lake (Reservoir) (Lewis County): Mossyrock Dam to 400 feet below Cowlitz Falls Dam. Closed waters: Lewis County PUD safety signs approximately 800 feet below Cowlitz Falls Dam to Dam. ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish up to the base of Swofford Pond Dam. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Rigley Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches.

Riley Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Rimrock Lake (Reservoir) (Yakima County): Chumming permitted. Trout except kokanee: Daily limit five. Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit sixteen.

Ringold Springs Creek (Hatchery Creek) (Franklin County): Closed waters.

Ripley Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Robbins Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Rock Creek (Adams/Whitman counties): Mouth to Endicott Road year-round season.

Endicott Road to bridge on George Knott Road at Revere: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Upstream from bridge on George Knott Road: Year-round season.

Rock Creek (Chelan County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Rock Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Rock Creek (Klickitat County): Mouth to the Army Corps of Engineers Park: Year-round season. Daily limits, size restrictions and gear restrictions are the same as those in the adjacent portion of the Columbia River.

Rock Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Rock Creek (Skamania County): Mouth to falls. Trout: Release all trout except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Above falls, additional November 1 through March 15 season.

Rocky Brook Creek (Jefferson County)(Dosewallips River tributary): From falls 1000 feet upstream of mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Rocky Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Rocky Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Rocky Ford Creek and Ponds (Grant County): Fly fishing only. Fishing from bank only (no wading). All species: Release all fish.

Rocky Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. June 1 through October 31 selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Roesiger Lake (Snohomish County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Roosevelt Lake (Ferry/Lincoln/Stevens counties): All species: Closed waters: (1) March 1 through the Friday immediately preceding Memorial Day weekend from the Little Dalles power line crossing upstream approximately one mile to marked rock point, and from Northport power line crossing upstream to most upstream point of Steamboat Rock; and (2) April 1 through Friday before Memorial Day in Kettle arm

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upstream to Barstow Bridge. Trout except kokanee: Daily limit five. No more than two over twenty inches in length. Kokanee daily limit six, no more than two with intact adipose fins. Walleye: No minimum size. Daily limit 8 fish not more than one of which may be longer than 22 inches. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon from Roosevelt Lake and tributaries. Carp: Unlawful to fish for carp with bow and arrow.

Rose Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Ross Lake (Reservoir) (Whatcom County): July 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit three, possession limit six, minimum length thirteen inches.

Ross Lake tributary streams (Whatcom County): Except Big Beaver Creek and Ruby Creek: From one mile above their mouths to headwaters: July 1 through October 31 season.

Round Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Rowland Lakes (Klickitat County): Fourth Saturday in April through last day in February season.

Royal Lake (Adams County): Closed waters.

Royal Slough (including Marsh Unit IV impoundments) (Adams County): Closed waters.

Ruby Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Rue Creek, including West Fork (Pacific County) (South Fork Willapa tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31. Selective gear rules.

Rufus Woods Lake (Douglas County): Chumming allowed. Trout: Daily limit two. Only uninjured trout caught using artificial lures or flies with single barbless hooks may be released. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon from Rufus Woods Lake and tributaries.

Sacheen Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Saddle Mountain Lake (Grant County): Closed waters.

Sago Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Saint Clair Lake (Thurston County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Salmon Creek (Clark County):

From mouth to 72nd Avenue N.E.: The first Saturday in June through March 15 season. Trout: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

From 72nd Avenue N.E. Bridge upstream: Closed waters.

Salmon Creek and all forks (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Salmon Creek (Lewis County): Closed waters from 400 feet below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the creek.

Salmon Creek, mainstem (Okanogan County): Closed waters.

Salmon Creek, North Fork and West Fork from mouth to South Fork (Okanogan County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Salmon Creek (Pacific County) (tributary of Naselle River): The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All game fish: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Salmon Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From mouth to upstream: All species: Selective gear rules((5)) and night closure((5 and anti-snagging rule)). First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Salmon River (Jefferson County): Outside of Olympic National Park and Quinault Indian Reservation: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Hatchery steelhead in this river are steelhead with a dorsal fin height of less than 2-1/8 inches or with an adipose or ventral fin clip. Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 3 may be adult salmon and of the adult salmon not more than 2 may be adult Chinook salmon.

Salmonberry Creek (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

Salt Creek (Clallam County): From mouth to bridge on Highway 112: First Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules. Release all fish except November 1 through January 31. Up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Samish Lake (Whatcom County): Trout: Cutthroat trout daily limit two, minimum length fourteen inches.

Samish River (Whatcom County):

From its mouth to the I-5 Bridge: ((The first Saturday in June through November 30 season. Stationary gear restriction, anti-snagging rule, single-point hooks required, and night closure) August 1 through November 30 night closure, only one single-point hook allowed. From mouth to Farm to Market Road, bait or lure must be suspended below a float. A "float" or "bobber" is defined as a hookless, floating device that is attached to or slides along the mainline or leader above the hook(s) for the purpose of suspending hook(s) (which are part of the bait, lure, or fly) off the bottom of the stream and visually signaling (from the surface of the water) a fish's

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strike at the hook(s). Game fish: First Saturday in June through November 30 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Additional game fish season December 1 through December 31. ((All species:)) Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Salmon: Open only August 1 through November 30. Daily limit 2 salmon. Release wild coho. Only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Anglers must retain the first 2 salmon, if ((lawful)) permissible to do so, and stop fishing.

From the I-5 Bridge to the Hickson Bridge: Closed waters from the old Highway 99 Bridge to the WDFW salmon rack. Closed waters from I-5 Bridge to old Highway 99 Bridge September 1 through November 30. First Saturday in June through November 30 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained.

From Hickson Bridge upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Sammamish Lake (King County): Closed to fishing within 100 yards of the mouth of Issaquah Creek August 16 through November 30. Trout: Release all kokanee. Kokanee/sockeye under fifteen inches are kokanee while those fifteen inches and over are sockeye salmon. December 1 through June 30: Release all steelhead and rainbow trout over twenty inches in length. Salmon: Open only August 16 through November 30. Daily limit four salmon, of which only two may be Chinook. Release sockeye.

Sammamish River (Slough) (King County): From the 68th Avenue N.E. Bridge to Lake Sammamish: January 1 through August 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout.

San Poil River (Ferry County):

From the western shoreline at the mouth of the San Poil Arm (as marked by a regulatory buoy) directly eastward across the San Poil Arm to the eastern shoreline of the San Poil Arm (as marked by a regulatory buoy) upstream to the north shore of the outlet of French Johns Lake (Manila Creek) northeast across the San Poil Arm to the north shore of the outlet of Dick Creek: Year-round season. Smallmouth bass: Daily limit ten fish, no more than one over 14 inches. Walleye: Daily limit 8 fish, no size limit. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. Carp: Unlawful to fish with bow and arrow. Rainbow trout: Daily limit five fish, no more than two over 20 inches, release all wild (adipose fin intact) fish. Kokanee salmon: Daily limit two fish. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain.

From the north shore of the outlet of French Johns Lake (Manila Creek) northeast across the San Poil Arm to the north shore of the outlet of Dick Creek upstream to approximately five miles upstream from the outlet of French Johns Lake, as marked by regulatory buoys: All species: Closed waters February 1 through March 31. Smallmouth bass: Daily limit ten fish, no more than one over 14 inches. Walleye: Daily limit 8 fish, no size limit. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon. Carp: Unlawful to fish with bow and arrow. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain.

From approximately 5 miles upstream from the outlet of French Johns Lake, as marked by regulatory buoys to any and all waters that occur north of the regulatory buoy line at or above 1310 feet mean sea level elevation: Managed under regulatory authority of the Colville Confederated Tribe of Indians.

Sand Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Sandyshore Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

San Poil River (Ferry County): Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

Sarge Hubbard Park Pond (Yakima County): Juveniles and holders of reduced fee licenses or designated harvester cards only.

Satsop Lakes (Grays Harbor County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Satsop River and East Fork (Grays Harbor County): All species: Single point barbless hooks and night closure August 16 through November 30.

From mouth to bridge at Schafer State Park: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open ((Oetober 1)) September 16 through January 31. ((Oetober 1)) September 16 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than ((2)) three may be adult salmon, and of the ((2)) three adult salmon, only ((one)) two may be ((a)) wild coho. Release chum and Chinook. December 1 through ((December)) January 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, and only one may be a wild coho. Release chum((5)) and Chinook((, and wild coho)).

From bridge at Schafer State Park upstream to 400 feet below Bingham Creek Hatchery barrier dam: All Species: Single-point barbless hooks and night closure August 16 through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

From 400 feet downstream of Bingham Creek Hatchery barrier dam upstream to dam: Closed waters, except anglers who permanently use a wheelchair or have a designated harvester card may fish within posted markers. All species: Night closure. August 16 through October 31, single-point barbless hooks required. First Saturday in June through March 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: ((Open October 1 through January 31. October 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, and of the 2 adult salmon, only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and Chinook. December 1 through January 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release chum, Chinook, and wild coho.

From bridge at Schafer State Park upstream to 400 feet below Bingham Creek Hatchery Dam: All species: Single

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point barbless hooks and night closure August 16 through October 31. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish.)) Open September 16 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon, and of the three adult salmon only two may be wild coho. Release chum and Chinook. Open December 1 through January 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and Chinook.

From Bingham Creek Hatchery Dam upstream: All species: Single point barbless hooks and night closure August 16 through October 31. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Middle Fork <u>Satsop River</u> (Turnow Branch): From mouth to Cougar Smiths Road: All species: Night closure and anti-snagging rule from August 16 through ((October 31:

From mouth to Cougar Smith Road:)) November 30. First Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish.

From Cougar Smith Road upstream: All species: Night closure and anti-snagging rule from August 16 through October 31. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

West Fork <u>Satsop River: From mouth to Cougar Smith</u> <u>Road</u>: All species: Night closure and anti-snagging rule from August 16 through ((October 31.

From mouth to Cougar Smith Road:)) November 30. First Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches, daily limit 2 fish.

From Cougar Smith Road to USFS ((23)) 2260 Road Bridge at Spoon Creek: All species: Night closure August 16 through October 31. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

From USFS ((23)) 2260 Road Bridge at Spoon Creek upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Eastern Brook Trout: No minimum size, daily limit 5 fish. Selective gear rules. All other trout: Minimum length eight inches, daily limit 2 fish. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Sauk River (Skagit/Snohomish counties):

From mouth to the mouth of the White Chuck River: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

From the mouth of the White Chuck River to headwaters, including North Fork and South Fork upstream to Elliot Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

South Fork upstream from Elliot Creek: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Sawyer, Lake (King County): Chumming permitted. Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Scatter Creek (King County) (White River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Scatter Creek (Thurston County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Schaefer Lake (Chelan County): Trout: Daily limit sixteen.

Schafer Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary): From mouth to USFS 22 Road: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Schneider Creek (Thurston County) from mouth to falls: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size 14 inches.

Scooteney Reservoir (Franklin County): Walleye: Minimum size 12 inches.

Sedge Lake (Grant County): All species: Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit 1.

Sekiu River (Clallam County):

From mouth to forks: First Saturday in June through January 31 season. <u>All species: Selective gear rules from first Saturday in June through October 31</u>. Release all fish except November 1 through January 31((, up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained)). <u>Trout: Minimum length 14</u> inches.

From forks upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Serene Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Shady Lake (King County): June 1 through October 31 season. Trout: No more than one over fourteen inches in length.

Shannon, Lake (Skagit County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Chumming permitted. Trout: Minimum length six inches and maximum length eighteen inches.

Shellneck Creek (Yakima County): Closed waters.

Shelton Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Sherman Creek (Ferry County): From the mouth at Lake Roosevelt upstream to four hundred feet above the water diversion dam for the hatchery: Closed waters, except first

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Saturday in June through October 31 season from the mouth upstream to the hatchery boat dock.

Sherman Creek (((Grays Harbor)) Thurston County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Sherry Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Sherwood Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Sherwood Creek Mill Pond (Mason County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, daily limit 2 fish.

Shine Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Shiner Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Shoe Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Shoveler Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Shye Lake (Grays Harbor County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Sidley Lake (Okanogan County): Trout: Daily limit two.

Siebert Creek (Clallam County): ((Trout)) All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Silent Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Silesia Creek (Chiliwack River tributary) (Whatcom County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Silvas Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Release all trout.

Silver Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis County): Mouth to USFS Road 4778: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches.

Silver Creek (Skagit County) (Samish River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Silver Creek (Whatcom County)(Nooksack River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Silver Lake (Cowlitz County): Crappie: Daily limit ten crappie. Minimum size nine inches in length.

Silver Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Silver Lake (Spokane County): Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Silver Lake, North (Spokane County): March 1 through September 30 and November 1 through December 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. March 1 through September 30: Trout: Minimum length 14 inches, except release fish with clipped adipose fin. November 1 through December 31: All species: Release all fish.

Silver Lake (Whatcom County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Silver Nail Lake (Okanogan County): Juveniles only.

Similkameen River (Okanogan County):

From mouth to Enloe Dam: December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply. Salmon: Open only July 1 through September 15. Daily limit 6 Chinook and six sockeye, of which no more than 3 may be adult Chinook salmon, and of these three adult Chinook salmon only one may be a wild adult Chinook. ((Release coho and sockeye.)) Anti-snagging rule and night closure July 1 through September 15

From Enloe Dam to Canadian border: Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Sinlahekin Creek (Okanogan County): From Palmer Lake to Cecile Creek bridge: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Sitkum River (Clallam County) (Calawah River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Siwash Creek (Clallam County): Outside of Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee.

Sixteen Lake (Skagit County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Skagit River (Skagit/Whatcom counties):

From mouth to the Memorial Highway Bridge (Highway 536 at Mt. Vernon): June 1 through January 31 season. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: In years ending in even numbers, open September 1 through December 31. Daily limit ((3)) 2 salmon. Release Chinook

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and chum. In years ending in odd numbers, open August 1 through December 31. Daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From Memorial Highway Bridge (Highway 536 at Mt. Vernon) upstream to Gilligan Creek: June 1 through January 31 season. Night closure and anti-snagging rule ((July 1)) June 16 through November 30. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: Open June 16 through July 15. Daily limit three sockeye. In years ending in even numbers, open September 1 through December 31. Daily limit ((3)) two salmon. Release Chinook and chum. In years ending in odd numbers, open August 1 through December 31. Daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From Gilligan Creek to the Dalles Bridge at Concrete: June 1 through January 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure July 1 through November 30. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of the trout daily limit; minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: In years ending in even numbers, open September 16 through December 31. Daily limit ((3)) two salmon. Release Chinook and chum. In years ending in odd numbers, open August 16 through December 31. Daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From the Dalles Bridge at Concrete to the Highway 530 Bridge at Rockport: June 1 through January 31 season, except closed June 1 through August 31, between a line 200 feet above the east bank of the Baker River to a line 200 feet below the west bank of the Baker River. Anti-snagging rule and night closure July 1 through November 30. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of the trout daily limit; minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: Open September 16 through December 31. In years ending in even numbers, daily limit ((3)) two salmon. Release Chinook and chum. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From the Highway 530 Bridge at Rockport to the Cascade River Road: June 1 through February 15 season. Antisnagging rule and night closure June 1 through November 30. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of the trout daily limit; minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: Open June 1 through July 15. Daily limit 4 hatchery Chinook salmon, of which only 2 may be adult hatchery Chinook. September 16 through December 31: In years ending in even numbers, daily limit ((3)) two salmon. Release Chinook and chum. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From Cascade River Road to Gorge Powerhouse: June 1 through January 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

From Gorge Dam to Ross Dam and all tributaries to this section except Stetattle Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Skamokawa Creek (Wahkiakum County): Mouth to forks just below Oatfield and Middle Valley Road: June 1 through October 31 season. Trout: Release all trout except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Skate Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis County): Trout: Daily limit five, no more than one over twelve inches in length. Release cutthroat. Release rainbow trout except rainbow trout having a clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin.

Skokomish River (Mason County): Mouth to Highway 106 Bridge: Night closure, anti-snagging rule and single point barbless hooks required August ( $(\frac{1}{2})$ ) 10 through November 30. The first Saturday in June through July 31 and October 1 through December 15 season. All game fish: Release all fish. Salmon: Open August  $((\frac{1}{2}))$  10 through September 5 and September 16 through December 15. Terminal gear restricted to no closer than 25 feet of a tribal gill net. August 1 through September ((30)) 5: Daily limit 2 salmon, except release chum and wild Chinook. Only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained; and anglers must keep the first 2 salmon, if legal to do so and stop fishing for the day. ((October 1)) September 16 through December 15: Daily limit 6 salmon, of which no more than 4 adult fish may be retained. Release Chinook. October 1 through October 15 release chum salmon.

From Highway 106 Bridge to Highway 101 Bridge: Night closure, anti-snagging rule and single point barbless hooks required August ((1)) 10 through November 30. The first Saturday in June through July 31 and October 1 through December 15 season. All game fish: Release all fish. Salmon: Open ((only)) Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays, and Labor Day, August ((1)) 10 through ((December 15, except elosed August 1, 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, and 29, 30, and)) September ((6)) 3. Terminal gear restricted to no closer than 25 feet of a tribal gill net. August ((+)) 10 through September ((30)) 3: Daily limit 2 salmon, except release chum and wild Chinook; only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained; and anglers must keep the first 2 salmon, if legal to do so and stop fishing for the day. October 1 through December 15, daily limit 6 salmon, except daily limit may contain no more than 4 adult fish and release Chinook. October 1 through October 15 release chum salmon.

From Highway 101 Bridge to forks: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish. <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u>

Skokomish River, North Fork (Mason County):

From mouth to lower dam: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Release all fish. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Above Lake Cushman: Mouth to Olympic National Park boundary: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Release all fish.

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Skokomish River, South Fork (Mason County):

From mouth to mouth of LeBar Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Release all fish. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

From mouth of Rule Creek to headwaters: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches.

Skookum Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Skookum Lake, North (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Skookum Lake, South (Pend Oreille County): Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Skookumchuck Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Release all trout.

Skookumchuck Reservoir (Thurston County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches.

Skookumchuck River (Thurston County): All Species: Night closure and single point barbless hooks required from August 16 through November 30.

From mouth to one hundred feet below the outlet of the ((Trans Alta)) PP&L/WDFW steelhead rearing pond located at the base of the Skookumchuck Dam: The first Saturday in June through April 30 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only October ((16)) 1 through last day in February. October ((16)) 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than ((2)) three may be adult salmon, and of the adult salmon, only ((1)) two may be wild adult coho. Release chum and Chinook. December 1 through last day in February, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon, and of the two adults only one may be a wild coho. Release chum((7)) and Chinook((7)) and wild coho)).

From Skookumchuck Reservoir upstream: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length eight inches.

Skykomish River (Snohomish County):

From mouth to mouth of Wallace River ((to the forks)): June 1 through January 31 season((, except open February 1 through February 15 from the Highway 2 Bridge at the Big Eddy Access to the confluence of the North and South forks)). Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30 mouth to Lewis Street Bridge in Monroe and June 1 through November 30 from Lewis Street Bridge in Monroe to Wallace River. Fishing from any floating device prohibited November 1 through January 31 from the boat ramp below Lewis Street Bridge at Monroe downstream two thousand five hundred feet. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal

to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: ((Open June 1 through July 31 mouth to Wallace River. Daily limit 2 hatchery Chinook.)) In years ending in even numbers, open September 1 through December 31 mouth to Wallace River. Daily limit ((2 coho only)) three. Release Chinook and pink. In years ending in odd numbers, open August 16 through December 31 mouth to Lewis Street Bridge in Monroe and open September 1 through December 31 Lewis Street Bridge to Wallace River. Daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From the mouth of the Wallace River to the forks: June 1 through January 31 of the following year with an additional season, February 1 through February 15 from the Highway 2 Bridge at the Gold Bar/Big Eddy Access to the confluence of the North and South forks. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Fishing from any floating device prohibited in the area one thousand five hundred feet upstream and one thousand feet downstream of the outlet at Reiter Ponds ((August)) June 1 through February 15 of the following year. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: Open September 1 through December 31. In years ending in even numbers, daily limit ((2 coho only)) three. Release Chinook and pink. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook ((and chum)).

Skykomish River, North Fork (Snohomish County):

From mouth to one thousand feet downstream from Bear Creek Falls: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

From Deer Falls (about 1/4 mile upstream of Goblin Creek) upstream, including tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Skykomish River, South Fork (King/Snohomish counties):

From mouth to six hundred feet downstream from the Sunset Falls Fishway: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Sunset Falls to source including all tributaries and their tributaries: The first Saturday in June through November 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Whitefish: Additional December 1 through last day in February season. Release all fish other than whitefish. All tributaries: Closed waters.

Slate Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

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Sloan Creek (Snohomish County) (Sauk River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Smith Creek (near North River) (Pacific County): From mouth to Highway 101 Bridge: Single-point barbless hooks and night closure August 16 through November 30 ((upstream to the Highway 101 Bridge. Salmon: Open only September 1 through November 30 from mouth to Highway 101 Bridge. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon and of those 2 adult salmon, 1 may be wild adult coho. Release chum and wild Chinook)). Sturgeon: Open year-round from mouth to Highway 101 Bridge.

((From mouth to Highway 101 Bridge:)) Minimum fork length 38 inches and maximum fork length 54 inches. Daily limit one fish. All game fish: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. All fish must be released except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained. Salmon: September 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon and of those three, only two may be wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Additional season December 1 through December 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and of the two only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Sturgeon: Year-round season. Minimum fork length 38 inches. Maximum fork length 54 inches. Daily limit one fish.

From Highway 101 Bridge upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All fish must be released except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Smith Creek (Pacific County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Smith Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Snahapish River (Jefferson County) (Clearwater River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Snake River: Year-round season. Closed to the taking of all trout April 1 through June 15. ((All species: April 24 through June 15 from Texas Rapids boat launch upstream to the Corps of Engineers boat launch approximately 1 mile upstream of Little Goose Dam: Night closure, barbless hooks only, and hooks must measure 5/8 inch or less from point to shank.)) Trout: Daily limit six, minimum length ten inches, no more than three over twenty inches. Release all steelhead June 16 through August 31. Barbless hooks required when fishing for steelhead. Sturgeon: Release all sturgeon from August 1 through January 31 from the mouth to Ice Harbor Dam. Closed to fishing for sturgeon from May 1 through July 31 from the downstream end of Goose Island to Ice Harbor

Dam. Unlawful to retain sturgeon in mainstem and tributaries upstream from Lower Granite Dam. Walleye: Daily limit 10 fish. No minimum size. No more than 5 fish over 18 inches in length. No more than 1 fish over 24 inches in length. Channel catfish: No daily limit. ((Salmon: Open only April 24 through June 15 from Texas Rapids boat launch upstream to the Corps of Engineers boat launch approximately 1 mile upstream of Little Goose Dam. Daily limit 1 hatchery Chinook.))

Closed waters: Within four hundred feet of the base of any dam and within a four hundred foot radius around the fish ladder entrance at Lyons Ferry Hatchery, within a two hundred foot radius upstream of the fish ladder exit above Lower Granite Dam, and within an area one thousand two hundred feet downstream from the base of the west lock gate at Little Goose Dam on the south bank of the Snake River and one hundred feet out into the river from said river bank.

Snipe Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Snipes Creek (Benton County): Selective gear rules.

Snohomish River (Snohomish County): Including all channels, sloughs, and interconnected waterways, but excluding all tributaries: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season, except sturgeon. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: In years ending in even numbers, open only September 1 through December 31. Daily limit ((2-coho only)) three. Release Chinook and pink. In years ending in odd numbers, open August 16 through December 31. Daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum. Sturgeon: Seasons, days of the week, daily limits, and size limits same as in Puget Sound Estuary (WAC 220-56-282).

Snoqualmie River (King County):

From mouth to the falls: The first Saturday in June through February 15 season, except the first Saturday in June through January 31 from the mouth to the boat launch at Plum. Waters within the Puget Power tunnel at the falls and within fifty feet of any point on Puget Power's lower Plant #2 building (north bank) are closed waters. The first Saturday in June through November 30 selective gear rules. Fishing from any floating device prohibited November 1 through February 15 from the mouth of Tokul Creek downstream to the boat ramp at Plum access, about one-quarter mile. Night closure September 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only September 1 through December 31. Daily limit 3 ((eoho only)). Release Chinook and pink. In years ending in odd numbers, from mouth to Plum access, daily limit 3 salmon plus 1 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From Snoqualmie Falls upstream, including the North and South Forks: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length ten inches. Additional November 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June season. Selective

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gear rules. All species: Release all fish. All tributaries except Tate, Sunday and Phillapa creeks: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Snoqualmie Middle Fork from mouth to source including all tributaries except Pratt and Taylor rivers: Year-round season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Snyder Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Release all trout.

Solberg Creek (Clallam County) (Big River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Sol Duc River (Clallam County):

From mouth to concrete pump station at the Sol Duc Hatchery: All game fish: May 1 through April 30 season. From May 1 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June ((season.)), catch and release except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Trout: First Saturday in June through April 30 season. Minimum length fourteen inches. November 1 through last day in February, daily limit may include 1 additional hatchery steelhead. February 16 through April 30, wild steelhead retention allowed. Salmon: February 1 through August 31, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adults. Release wild adult Chinook and wild adult coho. September 1 through November 30, daily limit 6 fish of which no more than ((4)) two may be adults, ((and of the 4 adults, no more than 2 may be any combination of Chinook, wild coho, pink, sockeye, and chum salmon)) and an additional two adult hatchery coho may also be retained.

From concrete pump station at Sol Duc Hatchery to Highway 101 Bridge upstream of Klahowya Camp Ground: First Saturday in June through April 30 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

From Highway 101 Bridge upstream of Klahowya Camp Ground to Olympic National Park boundary: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All game fish: Catch and release, except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Selective gear rules. <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</u>

Solleks River (Jefferson County) (Clearwater River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Minimum length fourteen inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Sooes River (((Suez)) Tsoo-Yess River) (Clallam County): Outside of Makah Indian Reservation: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. All species: Selective gear rules. Additional season November 1 through <u>last day in</u> February ((28)). Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Soos Creek (King County): From mouth to hatchery rack: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

South Bend Mill Pond (Pacific County): Juveniles only.

South Creek (Clallam County): Outside of Olympic National Park: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee.

South Prairie Creek (Pierce County): From city of Buckley diversion dam upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

South Skookum Lake (Pend Oreille County): Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Spada Lake (Reservoir) (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Maximum length twelve inches.

Spada Lake (Reservoir) tributaries (Snohomish County): Closed waters.

Spanaway Lake and Spanaway Lake outlet downstream to the dam (approximately 800 feet) (Pierce County): Yearround season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Spearfish Lake (Klickitat County): Fourth Saturday in April through last day in February season.

Spectacle Lake (Okanogan County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Spencer Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Spirit Lake (Skamania County): Closed waters.

Spokane River (Spokane County):

From SR 25 Bridge upstream to 400 feet below Little Falls Dam: Year-round season, except walleye: Trout: Daily limit five, no minimum size, no more than two over 20 inches in length. Kokanee: Daily limit six, no minimum size, no more than two with intact adipose fins may be retained. Walleye: Daily limit 8, no minimum size, no more than one over 22 inches in length. Salmon: Year-round. Landlocked salmon rules apply. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon. Two pole fishing allowed.

From Little Falls Dam to the upstream boundary of the Plese Flats Day Use Area (Riverside State Park), except Long Lake, formed by Long Lake Dam (see also Long Lake): Year-round season except walleye. Trout: Daily limit five, no more than two over twenty inches in length. Walleye: Daily limit eight, no minimum length, no more than one over twenty-two inches in length. April 1 through May 31 release all walleye. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

From the upstream boundary at Plese Flats Day Use Area (Riverside State Park) upstream to the Monroe Street Dam: June 1 through March 15 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an

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internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit one. Release wild trout. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. Sturgeon: Unlawful to fish for or retain sturgeon.

From Monroe Street Dam upstream to Upriver Dam: Year-round season. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

From Upriver Dam upstream to the Idaho/Washington state line: The first Saturday in June through March 15 season. Selective gear rules. All species: Release all fish.

Sprague Lake (Adams/Lincoln counties): Closed waters: Waters of Cow Creek, the marsh at the southwest end of the lake from the lakeside edge of the reeds to Danekas Road, the small bay at the southeast end of the lake, and those waters within 50 feet of Harper Island. All other waters southwest of the southwest tip of Harper Island: Closed waters from October 1 through April 30. Trout: No more than two over twenty inches in length may be retained. Crappie and bluegill: Combined daily limit twenty-five fish. Crappie: Minimum length nine inches.

Spring Creek (Benton County): Selective gear rules.

Spring Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Daily limit five.

Spring Hill Reservoir (Black Lake, Lower Wheeler Reservoir) (Chelan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. July 5 through October 31, selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Spring Lake (Columbia County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Spring Lakes (Grant County): March 1 through July 31 season.

Squalicum Creek (Whatcom County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Squalicum Lake (Whatcom County): Fly fishing only. Fishing from a floating device equipped with a motor prohibited. Trout: Daily limit two.

Squire Creek (Snohomish County) (NF Stillaguamish River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Stan Coffin Lake (Grant County): Bass: Release all bass.

Starvation Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through May 31 season. Additional June 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Stearns Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Steel Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Stehekin River (Chelan County): From the mouth to Agnes Creek: July 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length fifteen inches. Release cutthroat. Additional March 1 through June 30 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Steilacoom Lake (Pierce County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Stetattle Creek (Whatcom County): Above the mouth of Bucket Creek (one and one-half miles upstream): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Stevens Creek (Grays Harbor County): Mouth to Highway 101 Bridge: The first Saturday in June through September 30 and December 1 through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Closed waters from WDFW hatchery outlet downstream 400 feet.

From Highway 101 Bridge upstream to the Newbury Creek Road Bridge: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Stevens, Lake (Snohomish County): Chumming permitted. Kokanee: Kokanee not included in trout daily limit. Kokanee daily limit ten fish.

Steves Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Stickney Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Stillaguamish River (Snohomish County):

From mouth to Marine Drive, including all sloughs: Year-round season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open September 1 through December 31. In years ending in even numbers, daily limit 2 coho only. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 2 salmon plus 2 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

From Marine Drive to the forks, except from the barrier dam (downstream of I-5) downstream two hundred feet which is closed waters((;)). The first Saturday in June through ((January 31. Night closure and)) November 30. Selective gear rules. Night closure from August 1 through November 30. All game fish: First Saturday in June through November 30 season. Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. December 1 through ((February 15.)) January 31: Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open September 1 through December 31. In years ending in even numbers, daily limit 2 coho only. In years ending in odd numbers, daily limit 2 salmon plus 2 additional pink. Release Chinook and chum.

Stillaguamish River, North Fork (Snohomish County): From mouth to mouth of French Creek: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Fishing from any floating device prohibited upstream of the Highway 530 Bridge at mile post 28.8 (Cicero Bridge). Fishing from any floating

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device equipped with a motor prohibited downstream from the Highway 530 Bridge. The first Saturday in June through November 30: Fly fishing only. All species: Release all fish except 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. December 1 through January 31: Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From mouth of French Creek to Swede Heaven Bridge: First Saturday in June through February 15 season. Antisnagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. First Saturday in June through November 30: Fly fishing only. All species: Release all fish except 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Trout: December 1 through February 15: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Swede Heaven Bridge to falls approximately one mile upstream of Cascade Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules and release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Upstream of falls including tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Stillaguamish River, South Fork (Snohomish County):

From mouth to four hundred feet downstream of the outlet to fishway at Granite Falls: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Mt. Loop Highway Bridge above Granite Falls to source: The first Saturday in June through November 30 season. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with a motor. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through November 30.

Stillman River (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth to water supply pipeline at Mill Creek: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Stimson Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Storm Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Stowe Creek (Lewis County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Straight Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Stratford/Brook Lake (Grant County): February 1 through September 30 season.

Stump Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited. Trout daily limit 5, no more than 2 over 15 inches in length.

Suiattle River (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches.

Sullivan Creek (Pend Oreille County): From Mill Pond upstream and tributaries: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Sullivan Lake (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Daily limit 2 trout, except kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit ten.

Sulphur Creek (Snohomish County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Sultan River (Snohomish County): From its mouth to a point four hundred feet downstream from the diversion dam at river mile 9.7: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches.

Upstream of the diversion dam to Culmback Dam: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Sumas River (Whatcom County): Including all tributaries except Johnson Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Summit Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Summit Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Susan Lake (Thurston County): Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Sutherland Lake (Clallam County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length six inches and maximum length eighteen inches.

Swale Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Release all trout.

Swamp Creek (tributary to Sammamish River) (Snohomish/King counties): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Swan Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Swan's Mill Pond (Stossel Creek) (King County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Swauk Creek (Kittitas County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

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Swift Reservoir (Skamania County): Fourth Saturday in April through November 30 season. From posted markers below Eagle Cliff Bridge to Bridge: Selective gear rules.

Swofford Pond (Lewis County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Sylvia Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Wynoochee River tributary): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches. All species: Selective gear rules.

Sylvia Lake (Grays Harbor County): Trout: No more than two over 15 inches in length may be retained per day.

Symington Lake (Kitsap County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Tacoma Creek and tributaries (Pend Oreille County): Trout: Eastern brook trout not counted in daily trout limit. Eastern brook trout daily limit ten. Once the daily limit of trout other than eastern brook trout has been achieved, the entire daily limit for trout other than eastern brook trout and eastern brook trout has been taken.

Tahuya River (Mason County): From mouth to ((marker)) steel bridge approximately 1 mile upstream of North Shore Road Bridge: First Saturday in June through August 15 and October 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules, unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor, and release all fish except salmon. Night closure October 1 through October 31. Salmon: Open only October 1 through October 31. Daily limit 2 coho salmon.

From ((marker)) steel bridge approximately one mile upstream of North Shore Road Bridge upstream: First Saturday in June through August 15 and October 1 through October 31 season. Selective gear rules, unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor, and release all fish. Night closure October 1 through October 31

Taneum Creek (Kittitas County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Tanwax Creek (Thurston County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Tanwax Lake (Pierce County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee. Crappie: Daily limit ten, minimum length nine inches.

Tapps Lake (Reservoir) and Tapps Lake (Reservoir) intake canal (Pierce County), to within four hundred feet of the screen at Dingle Basin: Year-round season.

Tarboo Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Tarboo Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Taylor River (tributary to the Middle Fork Snoqualmie) (King County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Teal Lakes (North and South) (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Teal Lake (Jefferson County): Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine prohibited. Selective gear rules. Trout daily limit one fish.

Teanaway River (Kittitas County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout.

Teanaway River, North Fork (Kittitas County): Mouth to Beverly Creek including all tributaries: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout. Beverly Creek to impassable waterfall at the end of USFS Road 9737 (about 8 river miles): Closed waters.

Tee Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Tenas Creek (Skagit County) (Suiattle River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Tenas Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Ten Mile Creek (Whatcom County) (Nooksack River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Tennant Lake (Whatcom County): Fishing from any floating device prohibited from first Friday in October through January 15.

Tern Lake (Grant County): All species: Selective gear rules. Trout: Daily limit 1.

Terrell Creek (Whatcom County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Terrell, Lake (Whatcom County): Fishing from any floating device prohibited the first Saturday after Labor Day through the following Friday and from October 1 through January 31 except fishing from floating dock permitted.

Thomas Creek (Skagit County) (Samish River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Thomas Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

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Thompson Creek (Thurston County) (Skookumchuck River tributary): From mouth upstream: All Species: Selective gear rules. ((Night elosure and single point barbless hooks required from August 16 through November 30. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.)) The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches.

Thorndyke Creek (Jefferson County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Thornton Creek (tributary to Lake Washington) (King County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Thorton Creek (Skagit County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained.

Thread Lake (Adams County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Thunder Creek (Clallam County) (Tributary to East Fork Dickey River): From mouth upstream: First Saturday in June through ((October 31)) April 30 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches. ((Additional season from mouth to D2400 road.)) Closed waters from D2400 Road upstream, from November 1 through April 30 ((season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum size fourteen inches)).

Tibbetts Creek (tributary to Lake Sammamish) (King County): The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Juveniles only.

Tieton River (Yakima County): ((Lawful)) Permissible to fish to base of Tieton (Rimrock) Dam. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor the first Saturday in June through October 31. Additional December 1 through March 31 season: Whitefish gear rules apply.

Tieton River, North Fork (Yakima County): Closed waters: Clear Lake spillway channel and the river within 400' of Clear Lake Dam. Entire river, including that portion of the river that flows through the dry lakebed of Rimrock Reservoir: The first Saturday in June through August 15 season.

Tieton River, South Fork (Yakima County): From the bridge on USFS Road 1200 to bridge on USFS Rd. 1070 (approximately 12.5 miles): Closed waters.

Tiger Lake (Kitsap/Mason counties): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Tilton River (Lewis County): From mouth to West Fork: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. Night closure and anti-snagging rule September 1 through October 31. When the anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Trout: Daily limit five, no more than one over twelve inches in length. Release cutthroat. Release rainbow trout except rainbow trout having a

clipped adipose fin and a healed scar at the site of the clipped fin. Salmon: Open only first Saturday in June through December 31. Minimum length eight inches. First Saturday in June through July 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho. August 1 through December 31, daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

Tilton River, East, North, South and West Forks (Lewis County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches.

Toad Lake (Whatcom County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Tokul Creek (King County) (Snoqualmie River tributary) and tributaries including beaver ponds above Tokul Road SE: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

From mouth to the Fish Hatchery Road Bridge: December 1 through February 15 season, closed 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. daily. Anti-snagging rule. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From Fish Hatchery Road Bridge to posted cable boundary marker located approximately four hundred feet downstream of the hatchery intake: January 15 through February 15 season, closed 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. daily. Anti-snagging rule. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Tolt River (King County):

From mouth to the USGS trolley cable near the confluence of the North and South Forks: The first Saturday in June through January 31 season. The first Saturday in June through November 30, selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

From falls upstream on North Fork: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

From dam upstream on South Fork: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length ten inches.

Touchet River (Columbia/Walla Walla counties):

From confluence of north and south forks upstream, including Robinson and Wolf Forks: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all steelhead. Tributaries other than North Fork, South Fork, Robinson Fork, and Wolf Fork: Closed waters.

North Fork: Upstream of Spangler Creek the first Saturday in June through August 31 season.

South Fork: Upstream from Griffin Creek the first Saturday in June through August 31 season.

Wolf Fork: Upstream from Coates Creek the first Saturday in June through August 31 season.

From mouth to confluence of north and south forks: Additional season: November 1 through March 31. Barbless

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hooks required. All species: Release all fish except hatchery steelhead and brown trout. Trout: Daily limit three fish.

Toutle River (Cowlitz County):

From mouth to forks, and North Fork from the mouth to the posted deadline below the fish collection facility: The first Saturday in June through November 30 season. Antisnagging rule and night closure September 1 through October 15 on North Fork from confluence with South Fork to mouth of Green River. All game fish: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Salmon: Open only August 1 through November 30. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

From the posted deadline below the fish collection facility upstream to the headwaters, including all tributaries, but excepting Castle and Coldwater Lakes: Closed waters.

Toutle River, South Fork (Cowlitz County), mouth to source: Closed waters: All tributaries. The first Saturday in June through November 30 season. All species: Release all fish except hatchery steelhead. Trout: Minimum length twenty inches. Mouth to 4100 Road Bridge: Additional December 1 through March 15 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish except hatchery steelhead.

Trail's End Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Trap Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 15 season. Selective gear rules.

Trapper Lake (Chelan County): Trout: Daily limit two.

Trout Creek (Clallam County) (Big River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules apply.

Trout Creek (tributary to Wind River) (Skamania County): Closed waters.

Trout Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Trout Lake (tributary to Big White Salmon River) (Klickitat County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Tucannon River (Columbia/Walla Walla counties): Closed waters: All tributaries.

From the mouth upstream to Turner Road Bridge: Additional November 1 through March 31 season. Barbless hooks required. All species: Release all fish except hatchery steelhead and whitefish. Trout: Daily limit three hatchery steelhead.

From the Turner Road Bridge upstream to the Tucannon Hatchery Bridge: Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor the first Saturday in June through October 31. Addi-

tional season November 1 through March 31. Barbless hooks required. All species: Release all fish except hatchery steelhead and whitefish. Trout: Daily limit three hatchery steelhead

From the Tucannon Hatchery Bridge upstream to 500 feet above the Rainbow Lake intake: Closed waters.

From 500 feet above the Rainbow Lake intake to the Cow Camp Bridge: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Release steelhead.

From Cow Camp Bridge upstream: Closed waters.

Tucquala Lake (Kittitas County): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Tunnel Lake (Skamania County): Trout: No more than 2 trout 20 inches in length or greater may be retained.

Twin Lake (Jefferson County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Twin Lake (Mason County): Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Twin Lakes (Chelan County) and tributaries and outlet stream to junction with the Napeequa River: Closed waters.

Twisp River (Okanogan County): From mouth to War Creek: The first Saturday in June through August 15 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish. War Creek to South Fork Twisp River: Closed waters.

Tye River (King County): Foss River to Alpine Falls the first Saturday in June through October 31 season: All species: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Whitefish: Additional November 1 through last day in February season. Release all fish other than whitefish. All tributaries to this section and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

From Alpine falls upstream including all tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

U Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Umbrella Creek (Clallam County): Outside Olympic National Park, and tributaries, including Elk Lake: The first Saturday in June through October 15 season. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Release kokanee. Selective gear rules. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Umtanum Creek (Kittitas County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.

Uncle John Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Union Creek (Yakima County): From mouth upstream to falls (approximately 1/4 mile): Closed waters.

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Union River (Mason County): Mouth to North Shore Road Bridge: First Saturday in June through August 15 season. All ((species)) game fish: Release all fish. Sturgeon: June 1 through June 30. Minimum fork length 38 inches. Maximum fork length 54 inches. Daily limit one fish.

From North Shore Road Bridge to lower bridge on Old Belfair Highway: The first Saturday in June through August 15 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

From lower bridge on Old Belfair Highway upstream ((to watershed boundary)): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish.

Upper Wheeler Reservoir (Chelan County): Closed waters.

Valley Creek (Clallam County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Juveniles only.

Vance Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Chehalis River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Vance Creek/Elma Ponds (Grays Harbor County): Pond One: Fourth Saturday in April through November 30 season. Juveniles, holders of a senior license and holders of a department reduced fee license or a designated harvester card only. Trout: No more than two over 15 inches in length may be retained per day. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply. Pond Two: Fourth Saturday in April through November 30 season. Trout: No more than two over 15 inches in length may be retained per day. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Vancouver Lake and all other waters west of Burlington-Northern Railroad from Columbia River drawbridge near Vancouver downstream to Lewis River (Clark County): Closed waters: April 1 through May 30 the Vancouver Lake flushing channel is closed and it is closed to fishing from the lake shoreline within 400 feet east and west of the channel exit. Chumming permitted. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches. Sturgeon: Seasons, days of the week, daily limits, and size limits same as in adjacent waters of mainstem Columbia River.

Vanes Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Van Winkle Creek (Grays Harbor County): All species: Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 16 through November 30. Mouth to 400 feet below outlet of Lake Aberdeen Hatchery: ((All species: Anti-snagging rule and night elosure August 16 through November 30.)) First Saturday in June through January 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: Open only September 1 through January 31. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 2 may be adult fish and only one may be a wild coho. Release chum((5)) and Chinook ((and wild coho)).

From Lake Aberdeen upstream: ((All species: Antisnagging rule and night closure August 16 through November 30. Trout:)) First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. ((Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.))

Vesta Creek and all forks (Grays Harbor County) (North River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Vic Meyers (Rainbow) Lake (Grant County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Vogler Lake (Skagit County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Fly fishing only. All species: Release all fish.

Voight Creek (Pierce County): From falls under powerline upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Waddell Creek (Thurston County) (Black River tributary): From mouth upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Selective gear rules. Daily limit 2 fish, minimum length eight inches. Other game fish: Selective gear rules.

Wagners Lake (Snohomish County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Wahkiacus Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Release all trout

Waitts Lake (Stevens County): Fourth Saturday in April through last day in February season.

Walker Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Wallace River (Snohomish County):

From its mouth to 200 feet upstream of the water intake of the salmon hatchery: The first Saturday in June through February 15 season. Closed waters: From 363rd Avenue S.E./Reece Road to a point two hundred feet upstream of the water intake of the salmon hatchery during the period the first Saturday in June through September 15. Night closure and anti-snagging rule September 16 through November 30. Fishing from any floating device prohibited November 1 through ((last day in)) February 15. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches. Salmon: Open only September 16 through November 30. Daily limit ((2)) three coho.

From 200 feet upstream of the water intake of the salmon hatchery to Wallace Falls: November 1 through January 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout except Dolly Varden/Bull Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches.

From Wallace Falls upstream including all tributaries and their tributaries: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

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Walla Walla River (Walla Walla County):

From mouth to the Touchet River: Year-round season. Trout: Barbless hooks required when fishing for steelhead. Trout: Release trout April 1 through May 31. Daily limit three hatchery steelhead. Channel catfish: No daily limit.

From the Touchet River upstream to state line: Trout: All tributaries except Mill Creek, maximum length twenty inches. Channel catfish: No daily limit. Additional season November 1 through March 31. All species: Barbless hooks required and release all fish except hatchery steelhead. Trout: Daily limit three hatchery steelhead.

Walupt Lake (Lewis County): Closed waters: All inlet streams. Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length ten inches.

Wannacut Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Wapato Lake (Chelan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. From August 1 through October 31: Selective gear rules. Trout: Release all trout.

Wapato Lake (Pierce County): Juveniles only.

Ward Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): From mouth upstream: All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Ward Lake (Ferry County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Ward Lake (Thurston County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Warden Lake and Warden Lake, South (Grant County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Washburn Island Pond (Okanogan County): April 1 through September 30 season. Fishing from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor prohibited.

Washburn Lake (Okanogan County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit two.

Washington Creek (Mason County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Washington, Lake, including that portion of the Sammamish River from the 68th Avenue N.E. Bridge downstream (King County): Fishing from floating device prohibited one hundred yards either side of the floating bridges. Chumming permitted. Game fish: Open year-round. Trout: Open July 1 through November 30. Open December 1 through last day in February, daily limit 5, no minimum length. Release steelhead and rainbow trout over twenty inches in length. Open March 1 through June 30, daily limit 5, minimum length twelve inches. Release steelhead and rainbow trout over twenty inches in length. Kokanee/sockeye less than fifteen inches in length are kokanee while those fifteen inches and over in length are sockeye salmon. Salmon: Open only September 16 through October 31 north of Highway 520 Bridge and east of Montlake Bridge. Daily limit four coho salmon.

Washington, Lake, Ship Canal (King County) (waters east of a north-south line 400 feet west of the fish ladder at the Chittenden Locks and west of a north-south line at the eastern ends of the concrete abutments east of the Montlake Bridge): West of Fremont Bridge: Fishing from floating device prohibited. East of Fremont Bridge: Chumming permitted.

From west boundary to a north-south line 400 feet east of the eastern end of the northern wing wall of Chittenden Locks: Closed waters.

From 400 feet east of the eastern end of the northern wing wall of Chittenden Locks to the east boundary. <u>Game fish</u>: Open year-round. Trout: December 1 through last day in February daily limit five, no minimum length. Release steelhead and rainbow trout over twenty inches in length. March 1 through June 30, daily limit five, minimum length twelve inches. Release steelhead and rainbow trout over twenty inches in length. ((<del>July 1 through November 30, daily limit five, no minimum length.</del>)) Kokanee/sockeye less than fifteen inches in length are kokanee and fifteen inches and over in length are sockeye salmon.

Washougal River (Clark County): Night closure year-round.

From mouth to bridge at Salmon Falls: The first Saturday in June through March 15 season. Closed waters from ((400)) 200 feet (or posted markers) below to 200 feet above the temporary weir while the weir is installed in the river. Anti-snagging rule and stationary gear restriction July 1 through October 31. When anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained. Trout: Release all trout except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained. Salmon: Open only August 1 through December 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult Chinook. Release chum, wild coho, and wild Chinook.

From mouth to Mt. Norway Bridge: Additional April 16 through the Friday before the first Saturday in June season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all trout except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

From bridge at Salmon Falls to its source, including tributaries: Closed waters.

Washougal River, West (North) Fork (Clark/Skamania counties):

From mouth to the water intake at the department hatchery: Closed waters.

From intake at department hatchery to source: The first Saturday in June through March 15 season. Trout: Release all trout except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Watson Lake (Columbia County): March 1 through October 31 season. Fishing from any floating device prohibited. Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

Waughop Lake (Pierce County): Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Wenaha River tributaries within Washington: The first Saturday in June through August 31 season. Selective gear rules.

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Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Release all steelhead.

Wenatchee Lake (Chelan County): Selective gear rules. Trout except kokanee: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches. Release kokanee. Kokanee/sockeye under sixteen inches will be considered kokanee while those sixteen inches and over will be considered sockeye salmon.

Wenatchee River, including Lake Jolanda (Chelan County): December 1 through March 31 season, from mouth to Highway 2 Bridge at Leavenworth only. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Wentworth Lake (Clallam County): Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion engine.

West Evans Pond (Asotin County): Trout: No more than 2 trout over 13 inches in length may be retained.

West Twin River (Clallam County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules and release all fish.

Whatcom Creek (Whatcom County):

From mouth to ((stone bridge at Whatcom Falls Park:)) markers below footbridge below Dupont Street in Bellingham. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through <u>December 31.</u> The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. ((Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through December 31. Closed waters: Woburn Street Bridge upstream to the stone bridge.)) Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open only August 1 through December 31 ((from mouth to markers below Dupont Street)). Daily limit 6 fish of which not more than 2 may be adult salmon. Anglers fishing lawfully, within 50 yards of the Bellingham Technical College Hatchery Collection Tube, and on the hatchery side of the creek, that hook and land chum salmon, may remove those chum salmon from the water and immediately place them unharmed into the Hatchery Collection Tube.

From footbridge below DuPont Street in Bellingham to Woburn Street Bridge. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through December 31. The first Saturday in June through last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

From stone bridge at Whatcom Falls Park upstream to Lake Whatcom: Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Juveniles only. Anti-snagging rule and night closure August 1 through October 31. Trout: No minimum length.

Whatcom, Lake (Whatcom County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season, except those waters between the Electric Avenue Bridge and the outlet dam are closed waters: Trout: Release cutthroat trout.

Whatcom, Lake, tributaries (Whatcom County): Closed waters.

Wheeler Creek (Klickitat County): Trout: Release all trout.

White Creek (Skagit County) (Sauk River tributary): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species:

Selective gear rules and release all fish <u>except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained</u>.

White River (Chelan County), from mouth upstream to White River Falls: Closed waters.

White (Stuck) River (Pierce County):

From mouth to R Street Bridge in Auburn: October 1 through January 15 season: <u>Selective gear rules and night closure</u>. October 1 through October 31 all species: Fly fishing only and release all fish. November 1 through January 15: ((<u>Selective gear rules</u>.)) Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. ((<u>Anti-snagging rule and night closure October 1 through November 30</u>.))

From R Street Bridge to Highway 410 Bridge at Buckley: October 1 through October 31 season. Night closure and selective gear rules. Closed waters: Puget Power canal, including the screen bypass channel, above the screen at Dingle Basin. ((Anti-snagging rule and night closure.)) Trout: 14 inch minimum size.

From the Weyerhaeuser 6000 Road Bridge (Bridge Camp) to its source: July 1 through October 31 season. ((Anti-snagging rule and)) Night closure October 1 through October 31. Selective gear rules and unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor ((July 1 through October 31. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches)). Release all game fish. Whitefish: Additional November 1 through January 31 season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

Whitechuck River (Snohomish County): <u>All species: Selective gear rules.</u> First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Legal to retain Dolly Varden/Bull Trout as part of trout daily limit, minimum length twenty inches.

White Salmon River (Klickitat/Skamania counties):

From mouth to <u>county road bridge below</u> powerhouse: Bank fishing only downstream from the Highway 14 Bridge. August 1 through December 31: Anti-snagging rule. Yearround season, except game fish other than steelhead closed April 1 through July 31. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon and steelhead: Open April 1 through July 31, daily limit 2 salmon or 2 hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release wild Chinook. Salmon: Open August 1 through March 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon except from the mouth to the Hwy. 14 Bridge the daily limit follows the most liberal regulations of the adjacent mainstem Columbia or White Salmon rivers when both areas are open concurrently for salmon. Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

From county road bridge below powerhouse to ((within four hundred feet of Northwestern Dam: November 16 to April 30 season, except salmon and steelhead, and trout elosed April 1 through April 30. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches. Salmon: Open November 16 through March 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon. Release wild coho and wild Chinook. Salmon and steelhead: Open April 1 through June 15, daily limit two salmon or two hatchery steelhead or one of each. Release wild Chinook)) Northwestern Lake Road Bridge: Closed waters.

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From ((gas pipeline crossing above)) Northwestern Lake Road Bridge to ((Gilmer Creek:)) Big Brothers Falls at river mile 16: Closed waters from Big Brothers Falls downstream 400 feet. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. ((Trout: Minimum length twelve inches.)) All game fish: Catch and release except up to two hatchery steelhead my be retained.

Wide Hollow Creek (Yakima County): Juveniles only.

Widgeon Lake (Grant County): April 1 through September 30 season.

Wildberry Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season.

Wildcat Creek (Grays Harbor County) (Cloquallum Creek tributary): From mouth to confluence of Middle and East forks: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Wildcat Creek, East Fork (Grays Harbor County) (Cloquallum Creek tributary): From mouth to Highway 108 Bridge (Simpson Avenue, in the town of McCleary): The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Wildcat Lake (Kitsap County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Wilderness Lake (King County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Wilkeson Creek (Pierce County) (South Prairie Creek tributary) upstream of confluence with Gale Creek: First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Willapa River (Pacific County): All species: Unlawful to fish from a floating device ((equipped with an internal combustion motor)) from second bridge on Camp One Road upstream to the mouth of Mill Creek (approximately 0.5 miles) from August 1 through November 30.

From mouth (city of South Bend boat launch) to Highway 6 Bridge approximately two miles below mouth of Trap Creek: The first Saturday in June through March 31 season. All species: Night closure, single-point barbless hooks required from August ((16)) 1 through November 30. Stationary gear restriction from August 1 through November 30, except from the mouth of the Willapa River to the WDFW access site at the mouth of Ward/Wilson creek. All game fish: Release all game fish except that up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day. Salmon: Open August 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than three may be adult salmon, and of the three adults, only two may be wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Open December 1 through January 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon and of the two adult salmon, only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook. Sturgeon: Open year-round from mouth to Highway 6 Bridge.

From Highway 6 Bridge to Fork Creek: The first Saturday in June through July 15 and October ((16)) 1 through March 31 seasons. All species: Night closure, single point barbless hooks, and stationary gear restriction October ((16))1 through November 30. All game fish: Release all fish except that up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Salmon: Open ((August)) October 1 through ((January 31 from mouth to Highway 6 Bridge approximately 2 miles below mouth of Trap Creek and open October 16 through January 31 from Highway 6 Bridge to Fork Creek)) November 30. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 3 may be adult salmon, and of the three adult salmon only one may be a wild coho. Release chum((, wild coho,)) and wild Chinook. Open December 1 through January 31. Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon, of which only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and wild Chinook.

((Sturgeon: Open year-round from mouth to Highway 6 Bridge.))

From Fork Creek upstream: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Night closure and ((anti-snagging rule)) single-point barbless hooks from August 16 through October 31. ((All game fish: Selective gear rules.)) Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Willapa River, South Fork (Pacific County): Closed waters from falls/fish ladder downstream 400 feet in Section 6, Township 13 North, and Range 8 West.

From mouth to bridge on Pehl Road: <u>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor</u>. All species: Night closure and anti-snagging rule from August 1 through November 30. Selective gear rules first Saturday in June through ((October)) <u>July</u> 31. ((<del>Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor.</del>)) All game fish: First Saturday in June through last day in February season. Release all fish except up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained. Salmon: Open only August 1 through January 31 ((from mouth to Pehl Road Bridge)). Daily limit 6 fish, of which no more than 3 may be adult salmon. Release chum, wild Chinook and wild coho.

From Pehl Road upstream: ((All species: Selective gear rules from first Saturday in June through October 31. Night elosure and anti-snagging rule from August 1 through November 30. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All game fish:)) First Saturday in June through last day in February season. Release all game fish except that up to 2 hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

Williams Creek (Pacific County) (Nemah River North Fork tributary): First Saturday in June through October 15 season. Trout: Minimum length eight inches and daily limit two fish. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead per day may be retained.

Williams Lake (Lewis County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length fifteen inches.

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Williams Lake (Spokane County): Fourth Saturday in April through September 30 season.

Williams Lake (Stevens County): December 1 through March 31 season. All species: Catch and release except up to five rainbow trout may be retained.

Wilson Creek (Pacific County) (Willapa River tributary): All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Wilson Creek, North Fork (Pacific County): All game fish: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules.

Wilson Creek (two branches within Ellensburg city limits) (Kittitas County): Juveniles only.

Winchester Wasteway (Grant County): Within Winchester Game Reserve: February 1 through September 30 season.

Wind River (Skamania County):

Mouth to four hundred feet below Shipherd Falls: ((July)) August 1 through March 15 season, except salmon and steelhead. ((Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.)) All species: Two pole fishing allowed with two pole endorsement from mouth to Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge May 1 through June 30. Night closure March 16 through June 30. May 1 through June 30: Anti-snagging rule from Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge upstream. August 1 through October 31: Anti-snagging rule. When anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked in the mouth may be retained. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon and steelhead: Open March 16 through ((June 30)) July 31: <u>Daily limit 2 salmon or 2 hatchery steelhead or one of each.</u> Release wild Chinook. Salmon: Open August 1 through October 31. Daily limit 6 fish of which no more than 2 may be adult salmon except from the mouth to the Hwy. 14 Bridge the daily limit follows the most liberal regulations of the adjacent mainstem Columbia or Wind rivers when both areas are open concurrently for salmon. Release wild coho and wild

From four hundred feet below to one hundred feet above Shipherd Falls fish ladder: Closed waters.

From one hundred feet above Shipherd Falls to source. including all tributaries: Closed waters: From 400 feet below to 100 feet above the Coffer Dam. Closed waters from a boundary marker approximately 800 yards downstream from Carson National Fish Hatchery upstream, including all tributaries December 1 through September 15. Closed waters: From the Moore Bridge on the Wind River Highway approximately one mile north of the Carson National Fish Hatchery upstream including all tributaries September 16 through November 30. May 1 through June 30: Anti-snagging rule and night closure. When anti-snagging rule is in effect, only fish hooked in the mouth may be retained. September 16 through November 30 season, except salmon. Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. All species: Release all fish. Salmon and additional steelhead season: Open May 1 through June 30. Daily limit 2 salmon or 2 hatchery steelhead or one of each.

Winston Creek (tributary to Cowlitz River) (Lewis County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length ten inches.

Wishkah River (Grays Harbor County): All species: Singlepoint barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30.

From mouth to West Fork: First Saturday in June through the last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: October 1 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon and of the two adult salmon only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and Chinook. Additional season December 1 through January 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon. Release chum, Chinook, and wild coho.

From mouth of West Fork to 200 feet below the weir at the Wishkah Rearing Ponds: First Saturday in June through the last day in February season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: October 1 through December 31. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon. Release chum, Chinook, and wild coho.

From 200 feet below to the weir at the Wishkah Rearing Ponds: Closed waters.

From weir upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All species: Selective gear rules.

Wishkah River, East and West forks (Grays Harbor County): All species: The first Saturday in June through the last day in October season. Selective gear rules.

Wolf Creek, mouth to mouth of south fork (Okanogan County): Closed waters.

Woodard Creek (Thurston County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

Wood Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Woodland Creek (Thurston County): First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Selective gear rules. Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.

Woods Creek (Snohomish County) (Skykomish River tributary) East Fork and its tributaries, including beaver ponds upstream of Old Pipeline Road (above Woods Creek Falls): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

Wooten Lake (Mason County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Wye Lake (Kitsap County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit 5, no more than two over 14 inches in length may be retained, except no size restriction for kokanee.

Wynoochee River (Grays Harbor County): ((Trout: Minimum length fourteen inches.)) Mouth to ((7400 line bridge

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above mouth of Schafer Creek)) WDFW White Bridge Access Site: ((The)) First Saturday in June through March 31 season. Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. All species: Bait prohibited September 16 through ((October 31.)

From 7400 line bridge to Wynoochee Reservoir: Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Selective gear rules. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.)) November 30. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Salmon: Open September 16 through November 30. Daily limit six fish, of which no more than two may be adult salmon, and of the two adults, only one may be a wild coho. Release chum and Chinook.

From WDFW White Bridge Access Site to 7400 line bridge above mouth of Schafer Creek: First Saturday in June through March 31 season. Single point barbless hooks required August 16 through November 30. Bait prohibited September 16 through November 30. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches.

From 7400 line bridge to 400 feet below Wynoochee Dam, including confluence of reservoir upstream to Wynoochee Falls: Closed waters from 400 feet downstream of Wynoochee Dam and from barrier dam near Grisdale. First Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Minimum length 14 inches. Additional December 1 through March 31 season. Selective gear rules. All species: Release all fish except up to two hatchery steelhead may be retained per day.

From Wynoochee Falls upstream: First Saturday in June through October 31 season. All game fish: Selective gear rules. Trout: Eastern Brook Trout are not counted in daily trout limit and the daily limit for this species is five fish, no minimum size. Once daily limit of trout other then Eastern Brook Trout is obtained, then must stop fishing.

Wynoochee Reservoir (Grays Harbor County) upstream to head waters: The first Saturday in June through October 31 season. Trout: Daily limit two, minimum length twelve inches. Salmon: Landlocked salmon rules apply.

Yakima River (Yakima County): Release all steelhead in mainstem and tributaries. Channel catfish: No daily limit.

From mouth to 400 feet below Prosser Dam: March 1 through October 22 season. Closed waters: From the WDFW white markers 200 feet downstream of the USBR Chandler Powerhouse/Pumping Station spillway chute to the powerline crossing immediately upstream of the powerhouse September 1 through October 22. Chumming permitted. Trout: Release all trout. Salmon: Open only September 1 through October 22. Daily limit 6 fish of which not more than 2 may be adult salmon. All species: Anti-snagging rule and night closureSeptember 1 through October 22.

From Prosser Dam to Highway 223 Bridge: May 1 through October 31 season. Trout: Release all trout.

From mouth to Highway 223 Bridge: Bass: Bass 12 to 17 inches in length may be retained. No daily limit for bass, but not more than 3 bass greater than 15 inches in length may be retained.

From Highway 223 Bridge to 400 feet below Sunnyside Dam: Trout: Minimum length twelve inches and maximum

length twenty inches. Additional season December 1 through last day in February - Whitefish gear rules apply.

From Sunnyside Dam to thirty-five hundred feet below Roza Dam: Closed waters: From Yakima Avenue-Terrace Heights Bridge upstream 400 feet. All species: Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches and maximum length twenty inches. Additional season December 1 through last day in February - Whitefish gear rules apply.

From thirty-five hundred feet below Roza Dam to Roza Dam December 1 through last day in February season. Whitefish gear rules apply.

From Roza Dam to four hundred feet below Easton Dam and from Lake Easton to the base of Keechelus Dam: Yearround season. Fishing from floating devices equipped with motors allowed only from the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation restricted area signs at Roza Dam upstream to the boat launch ramp on the Roza Access Area (approximately one-half mile). Selective gear rules except bait and one single point barbed hook three-sixteenths or smaller point to shank may be used December 1 through last day in February. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor December 1 through the last day of February. Trout: From Roza Dam to 400 feet below Easton Dam: Release all trout. Lake Easton to the base of Keechelus Dam. Release all trout except eastern brook trout. Eastern brook trout: No daily limit and no minimum size.

Yakima Sportsmen's Park Ponds (Yakima County): Juveniles only.

Yale Reservoir (Cowlitz County): Trout: Kokanee not counted in daily trout limit. Kokanee daily limit sixteen. Landlocked salmon rules.

Yellowhawk Creek (Walla Walla County): Closed waters.

Yellowjacket Creek (tributary to Cispus River) (Lewis County): Selective gear rules. Unlawful to fish from a floating device equipped with an internal combustion motor. Trout: Minimum length twelve inches.

Yocum Lake (Pend Oreille County): Fourth Saturday in April through October 31 season. Unlawful to use lead weights or lead jigs that measure 1 1/2 inch or less along the longest axis.

Youngs Creek (Snohomish County) (Skykomish River tributary) and its tributaries, including beaver ponds above the Potson Road/299th Avenue SE Bridge (Elwell Creek tributary, Skykomish River tributary near town of Sultan): First Saturday in June through October 31 season.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Order 11-273, filed 10/11/11, effective 11/11/11)

WAC 232-28-620 Coastal salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess salmon taken by angling for personal use except from the following coastal areas, during the following seasons, in the quantities and the sizes provided for in WAC 220-56-180,

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and for the species designated in this section. An area is open when a daily limit is provided:

### (((1))) (2) Catch Record Card Area 1:

- (a) May 1 through June ((17-)) 8: Closed.
- (b) June ((18)) 9 through June ((25-)) 22:
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.
- (c) June ((26)) 23 through September 30((-)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, of which not more than one may be a Chinook salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild coho.
  - (d) October 1 through April 30((-)): Closed.
- (e) Closed in the Columbia River Mouth Control Zone 1 during all open periods. See WAC 220-56-195.

## (((2))) (3) Catch Record Card Area 2:

- (a) May 1 through June ((17-)) 8: Closed.
- (b) June ((18))  $\underline{9}$  through June ((25-))  $\underline{23}$ :
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.
- (c) June ((26)) 24 through September ((18 )) 23:
- (i) Open Sundays through Thursdays only.
- (ii) Daily limit of 2 salmon, of which not more than one may be a Chinook salmon.
  - (iii) Release wild coho.
  - (d) September ((<del>19</del>)) <u>24</u> through April 30 Closed.
- (((e) Closed to salmon fishing August 1 through September 18 in the Grays Harbor Control Zone described in WAC 220 56 195(11).
  - (3)) (4) Willapa Bay (Catch Record Card Area 2-1):
  - (a) May 1 through June ((17—)) 8: Closed.
- (b) June ((18))  $\underline{9}$  through July 31((-)): Open concurrent with Area 2 when Area 2 is open for salmon angling. Area 2 rules apply.
  - (c) August 1 through January 31((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of ((six)) 6 salmon, not more than ((three)) 3 of which may be adult salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum and wild Chinook.
- (iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.
  - (d) February 1 through April 30((—)): Closed.
- (((44))) (5) Grays Harbor (Catch Record Card Area 2-2 east of the Buoy 13 line):
  - (a) May 1 through September 15((—)): Closed.
  - (b) September 16 through October 7:
- (i) Daily limit of 3 salmon, of which not more than one may be a Chinook salmon and not more than 2 may be wild coho salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum.
  - (c) October 8 through November 30((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of ((2)) 3 salmon, of which not more than 2 may be wild coho salmon.
  - (ii) Release Chinook and chum.
  - ((<del>(e)</del>)) (d) December 1 through April 30((-)): Closed.
- (((<del>(d)</del>)) (<u>e)</u> Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, <u>the</u> Westport Boat Basin and Ocean Shores Boat Basin((÷)) <u>are open only</u> August 16 through January 31((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of ((six)) 6 salmon, not more than ((four)) 4 of which may be adult salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
  - (iii) Night closure and anti-snagging rule in effect.

# (((5))) (6) Grays Harbor (Catch Record Card Area 2-2 west of the Buoy 13 line)((-)):

- (a) May 1 through June 8: Closed.
- (b) June 9 through September 23: Open concurrent with Area 2 when Area 2 is open for salmon angling. Area 2 rules apply.
  - (c) September 24 through April 30: Closed.

#### (((6))) (7) Catch Record Card Area 3:

- (a) May 1 through June ((17-)) 15: Closed.
- (b) June ((18)) 16 through June ((25 1)) 30:
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.
- (c) ((<del>June 26</del>)) <u>July 1</u> through September ((<del>18</del>)) <u>23:</u>
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon((, of which not more than one may be a Chinook salmon)).

## (ii) Release wild coho.

- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, one additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit. ((Release wild coho.))
  - (d) September ((19)) 24 through April 30((-)): Closed.
- (e) Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection, waters north of  $47^{\circ}50'00"N$  latitude and south of  $48^{\circ}00'00"N$  latitude are also open September ((24)) 29 through October ((9-)) 14:
- (i) Daily limit ((two)) of 2 salmon((, of which not more than one may be a Chinook salmon)).
  - (ii) Release wild coho.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, one additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit. ((Release wild coho.
  - (7))) (8) Catch Record Card Area 4:
  - (a) May 1 through June  $((\frac{17-}{}))$  15: Closed.
  - (b) June ( $(\frac{18}{1})$ ) 16 through June ( $(\frac{25}{1})$ ) 30:
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release coho and wild Chinook.
- (iii) Waters east of a true north-south line through Sail Rock are closed.
  - (c) ((<del>June 26</del>)) <u>July 1</u> through September ((<del>18</del>—)) <u>23:</u>
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon((, of which not more than one may be a Chinook salmon)).
  - (ii) Release wild coho salmon.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, one additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit. ((Release wild coho salmon.))
- (iv) Waters east of a true north-south line through Sail Rock are closed ((June 26)) through July 31.
- (v) Release Chinook salmon caught east of the Bonilla-Tatoosh line beginning August 1.
  - (vi) Release chum salmon beginning August 1.
  - (d) September  $((\frac{19}{19}))$  24 through April 30((-)): Closed.
- (9) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested salmon. If the person has harvested salmon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the salmon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

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<u>AMENDATORY SECTION</u> (Amending Order 11-273, filed 10/11/11, effective 11/11/11)

WAC 232-28-621 Puget Sound salmon—Saltwater seasons and daily limits. (1) It is unlawful to fish for or possess salmon taken by angling for personal use except from the following Puget Sound areas and during the seasons, in the quantities, and for the species designated in this section, and in the sizes as defined in WAC 220-56-180. An area is open when a daily limit is provided. Puget Sound waters west of the mouth of the Sekiu River are managed concurrent with ocean waters ((as provided for in)) under WAC 232-28-620.

# ((<del>(1)</del>)) <u>(2)</u> Catch Record Card Area 5:

- (a) May 1 through June 30((-)): Closed.
- (b) July 1 through August 15((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release chum, wild Chinook and wild coho.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (c) August 16 through September ((18 )) 14:
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum, Chinook and wild coho.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (d) September ((19)) 15 through September 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum and Chinook.
- (e) October 1 through October 31((—Closed)): Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
- (f) November 1 through November 30((- Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon)): Closed.
  - (g) December 1 through February 15((-)): Closed.
- (h) February 16 through April 10((-)): Daily limit ((+)) of one salmon.
  - (i) April 11 through April 30((—)): Closed.
  - (((2))) (3) Catch Record Card Area 6:
  - (a) May 1 through June 30((-)): Closed.
  - (b) July 1 through August 15((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum, wild Chinook and wild coho.
- (iii) Release all Chinook east of a true north-south line through the Number 2 Buoy immediately east of Ediz Hook.
- (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (c) August 16 through September 30((—)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum, Chinook and wild coho.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (d) Waters of Port Angeles Harbor west of a line from the tip of Ediz Hook to the ITT Rayonier Dock are closed July 1 through October 31.
  - (e) October 1 through October 31((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than ((+)) one of which may be a Chinook salmon, except that waters of Dungeness Bay inside a line from Dungeness Spit Lighthouse to the Number 2 Red Buoy, and then to the Port Williams Boat Ramp, are open with a daily limit of 2 coho salmon.

- (ii) Release all other salmon.
- (iii) Waters inside the line described in this subsection are closed at all times except during October.
- (f) November 1 through ((February 15 –)) November 30:
  - (g) ((February 16)) December 1 through April 10((--)):
  - (i) Daily limit ((1)) of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
  - (h) April 11 through April 30((—)): Closed.
  - (((3))) (4) Catch Record Card Area 7:
  - (a) May 1 through June 30((-)): Closed.
  - (b) July 1 through July 31((—))<u>:</u>
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
- (ii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (iii) Closed to salmon fishing in the Southern Rosario Strait and Eastern Strait of Juan de Fuca closure area described in WAC 220-56-195(7).
  - (c) August 1 through September 30((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum and wild coho.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (iv) Closed to salmon fishing in the Southern Rosario Strait and Eastern Strait of Juan de Fuca closure area described in WAC 220-56-195(7).
- (d) ((Waters of Bellingham Bay described in WAC 220-56-195(1), closed April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through August 15. August 16 through October 31 Daily limit 4 salmon, not more than 2 of which may be Chinook salmon. November 1 through March 31 and June 1 through June 30 Same rules as Area 7.
- (e))) October 1 through October 31((—)): Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon. ((Release wild coho.
- (f))) (e) Waters of Samish Bay described in WAC 220-56-195(4)((5)): Closed April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through October 15.
- $((\frac{g}{g}))$  (f) November 1 through November 30((---)): Closed.
  - $((\frac{h}{h}))$  (g) December 1 through April 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
- (h) Waters of Bellingham Bay described in WAC 220-56-195(1):
- (i) Closed April 1 through April 30 and July 1 through August 15.
- (ii) August 16 through October 31: Daily limit of 4 salmon, not more than 2 of which may be Chinook salmon.
- (iii) November 1 through March 31 and June 1 through June 30: Same rules as Area 7.
- (i) Waters east of a line from Gooseberry Point to Sandy Point: Closed September 4 through October 31.
  - ((4)) (5) Catch Record Card Area 8-1:
  - (a) May 1 through July 31((—)): Closed.
  - (b) August 1 through September 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release Chinook.

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- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (c) October 1 through October 31((—)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release Chinook.
  - (d) November 1 through April 30((—)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
  - (((5))) (6) Catch Record Card Area 8-2:
- (a) May 1 through July 31((--)) are closed, except ((that)): Waters west of Tulalip Bay and within 2,000 feet of shore from the pilings at Old Bower's Resort to a fishing boundary marker approximately 1.4 miles northwest of Hermosa Point((-- June 3 through June 18 and June 20 through July 31,)) are open only from Friday through 11:59 a.m. the following Monday of each week((-)), May 18 through June 8 and June 10 through July 31:
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (iii) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing, beginning June 10.
  - (b) August 1 through September 30:
- (i) Waters west of Tulalip Bay and within 2,000 feet of shore from the pilings at Old Bower's Resort, to a fishing boundary marker approximately 1.4 miles northwest of Hermosa Point((--)):
- (A) August 1 through September ((5,)) 3: Open only from Friday through 11:59 a.m. the following Monday of each week((; and)).
- (B) September ((10)) 8 through September ((25)) 23, open only Saturday and Sunday of each week((-)):
  - (I) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (II) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (III) Anglers in possession of a valid two-pole endorsement may use up to two lines while fishing.
- (C) September ((26))  $\underline{24}$  through September 30((--)): Same rules as remainder of Area 8-2.
  - (ii) All other waters of Area 8-2((-)):
  - (A) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (B) Release Chinook.
- (C) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (c) October 1 through October 31((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release Chinook. ((Closed to salmon fishing in waters north of a line from Camano Head to the fishing boundary marker located approximately 1.4 miles north of Hermosa Point.))
  - (d) November 1 through April 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
  - (((6))) (7) Catch Record Card Area 9:
  - (a) May 1 through ((July 15—)) June 30: Closed.
  - (b) July 1 through July 15:
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release Chinook.

- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (c) July 16 through August 31((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum and wild Chinook.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (iv) Closed south of a line from Foulweather Bluff to Olele Point, except ((lawful)) it is permissible to fish from shore between the Hood Canal Bridge and the northern boundary of Salsbury Point Park((;)):
  - (A) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (B) Release Chinook and chum.
- (C) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - $((\underbrace{(e)}))$  (d) September 1 through September 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum and Chinook.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - $((\frac{d}{d}))$  (e) October 1 through October 31(( $\frac{d}{d}$ )):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release Chinook.
  - $((\frac{(e)}{(e)}))$  (f) November 1 through November 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
  - (((f))) (g) December 1 through January 15((-)): Closed.
  - $((\frac{g}{g}))$  (h) January 16 through April 15(( $\frac{g}{g}$ )):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
  - $((\frac{h}{h}))$  (i) April 16 through April 30((—)): Closed.
  - ((<del>(i)</del>)) (<u>i)</u> Edmonds Fishing Pier:
  - (i) Open year-round((-)).
- (ii) Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
  - (iii) Release chum from August 1 through September 30.
- (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from July 1 through September 30.
  - $((\frac{7}{1}))$  (8) Catch Record Card Area 10:
- (a) May 1 through May 31((—)): Closed. (b) June 1 through June 30((—)): Open only north of a line from Point Monroe to Meadow Point. Catch and release.
  - (c) July 1 through July 15((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release Chinook.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (d) July 16 through August 31((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release wild Chinook, and beginning August 1, release chum.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
  - (e) September 1 through September 30((—)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum through September 15.
  - (iii) Release Chinook.
- (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.

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- (f) Waters of Shilshole Bay southeast of a line from Meadow Point to West Point((5)): Closed July 1 through August 31.
- (g) Waters of Elliott Bay east of a line from West Point to Alki Point((;,)): Closed July 1 through August 31((; except waters west of the Spokane Street Bridge open August 19 through August 21 and August 26 through August 28, and open only on Friday through Sunday of each week Daily limit 2 salmon. Release Chinook and chum. In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit. Bait prohibited. Hooks must measure one-half inch or less from point to shank)).
- (h) Waters of Sinclair Inlet and Port Orchard south of the Manette Bridge in Bremerton, south of a line true west from Battle Point, and west of a line drawn true south from Point White((—)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, July 1 through September 30.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
  - (iii) Release chum from August 1 through September 15.
- (iv) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (i) October 1 through January 31((—)): Daily limit of 2 salmon. Release wild Chinook.
- (j) Waters of Agate Pass west of a line from Point Monroe to Indianola and east of a line from Point Bolin to Battle Point((;)): Fly fishing only, lead core lines prohibited, and catch and release from January 1 through January 31.
  - (k) February 1 through April 30((—)): Closed.
- (l) Elliott Bay Fishing Pier at Terminal 86, Seacrest Pier, Waterman Pier, Bremerton Boardwalk, and Illahee State Park Pier((÷)), open year-round((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum from August 1 through September 15.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from July 1 through September 30.
- (m) Duwamish Waterway downstream from the First Avenue South Bridge to an east-west line projected through Southwest Hanford Street on Harbor Island, from July 1 through October 31((;)) night closure, anti-snagging rule, and only fish hooked inside the mouth may be retained.

## ((8)) (9) Catch Record Card Area 11:

- (a) May 1 through May 31((—)): Closed.
- (b) June 1 through June 30((-)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release wild Chinook.
- (iii) Waters of Commencement Bay east of a line from the Cliff House Restaurant to the Sperry Ocean Dock <u>are</u> closed.
  - (c) July 1 through September 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
- (iii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit.
- (iv) Waters of Commencement Bay east of a line from the Cliff House Restaurant to the Sperry Ocean Dock, closed July 1 through July 31.
- (d) October 1 through October 31((—)): Daily limit of 2 salmon.

- (e) November 1 through December 31((-)): Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
  - (f) January 1 through January 31((—)): Closed.
  - (g) February 1 through April 30((—)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
- (iii) Waters of Commencement Bay east of a line from the Cliff House Restaurant to the Sperry Ocean Dock, closed from April 1 through April 30.
- (h) Dash Point Dock, Les Davis Pier, Des Moines Pier, Redondo Pier, and Point Defiance Boathouse Dock((÷)) <u>are open year-round((—)):</u>
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
- (ii) In years ending in odd numbers, 2 additional pink salmon may be retained as part of the daily limit from July 1 through September 30.

# (((9))) (10) Catch Record Card Area 12:

- (a) May 1 through June 30((-)): Closed.
- (b) July 1 through October 15, in waters south of Ayock Point((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of 4 salmon, of which no more than ((two)) 2 may be Chinook salmon.
  - (ii) Release chum and wild Chinook.
- (c) July 1 through August 15, in waters north of Ayock Point((—)): Closed.
  - (d) August 16 through October 15:
- (i) Waters of Quilcene Bay north of a true east line from Whitney Point to the Toandos Peninsula, and south of a line true east from Broad Spit((—)): Daily limit 4 coho salmon. Release all salmon except coho.
- (ii) Waters north of a line true east from Broad Spit((—)): Closed.
  - (iii) All other waters north of Ayock Point:
  - (A) August 16 through August 31((-)): Closed.
- (B) September 1 through October 15((-)): Daily limit of 4 coho salmon. Release all salmon except coho.
  - (e) October 16 through December 31((—)):
- (i) Waters north of a line true east from Broad Spit Closed.
  - (ii) All other waters except Hoodsport Hatchery Zone:
- (A) Daily limit of 4 salmon, of which no more than ((one)) 2 may be ((a)) Chinook salmon(((one)) 3 may be ((a)) 3 may be ((a)) Chinook salmon(((one)) 3 may be ((a)) 4 may be ((a)) 3 may be ((a)) 4 may be ((a)) 4 may be ((a)) 6 may be ((a)) 7 may be ((a)) 8 may be ((
  - (B) Release wild Chinook.
  - (f) January 1 through January 31((—)): Closed.
  - (g) February 1 through April 30((-)):
  - (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon( $(\frac{1}{2})$ ).
  - (ii) Release wild Chinook.
- (h) July 1 through December 31, the Hoodsport Hatchery Zone is managed separately from the remainder of Area 12. See WAC 220-56-124.

#### (((10))) (11) Catch Record Card Area 13:

- (a) May 1 through June 30((-)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release wild Chinook.
- (b) July 1 through September 30((—)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release wild coho and wild Chinook.

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- (c) October 1 through October 31((-)):
- (i) Daily limit of 2 salmon.
- (ii) Release wild coho.
- (d) Waters at the mouth of Minter Creek within 1,000 feet of the outer oyster stakes are closed April 16 through September 30.
- (e) Waters of Budd Inlet south of the Fourth Avenue Bridge are closed.
- (i) Contiguous waters north of the Fourth Avenue Bridge and south of a line from the northwest corner of the Thriftway Market building and a point 100 yards north of the railroad bridge on the western shore are closed July 16 through October 31.
- (ii) Waters north of the Thriftway Market-railroad bridge line and south of a line projected due west from the KGY radio tower ((—)): Night closure and anti-snagging rule from July 16 through October 31.
- (f) November 1 through December 31((—)): Daily limit of 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
- (g) January 1 through April 30((—)): Daily limit ((4)) of one salmon.
- (h) Fox Island Public Fishing Pier((÷)), open year-round((—)):
- (i) Daily limit 2 salmon, not more than one of which may be a Chinook salmon.
  - (ii) Release wild coho from July 1 through October 31.
- (12) Violation of this section is an infraction, punishable under RCW 77.15.160, unless the person has harvested salmon. If the person has harvested salmon, the violation is punishable under RCW 77.15.380, Unlawful recreational fishing in the second degree—Penalty, unless the salmon are taken in the amounts or manner to constitute a violation of RCW 77.15.370, Unlawful recreational fishing in the first degree—Penalty.

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