

## Puget Sound Marine Sport Salmon Proposals 2026-2027

March 18, 2026

<b>Area 5</b>	7/1-9/7	2 fish limit; release unmarked chinook, unmarked coho, chum and sockeye. Release all Chinook 8/16-9/7.
	9/8-10/8	2 fish limit; release Chinook, Chum, and Sockeye.
	10/9-2/28	Closed
	3/1-4/30	2 fish limit; release Sockeye, Chum, Coho, and wild Chinook
<b>Area 6</b>	7/1-9/7	2 fish limit; release unmarked Chinook, unmarked Coho. Release all Chinook 8/16-9/7.
	9/8-10/31	2 fish limit; release Chinook.
	11/1-2/28	Closed
	3/1-4/30	2 fish limit; release Coho, and wild Chinook
<b>Area 7</b>	5/15-7/15	Closed
	7/16-7/31	Initial opening Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. 2 fish limit, 1 hatchery Chinook; release wild coho, wild chinook. Additional fishery openings after initial three-day opener contingent upon available impacts.
	8/1-8/31	2 fish limit, release Chinook, unmarked Coho. Additional fishery openings after initial three-day opener contingent upon available impacts.
	9/1-9/30	2 fish limit; release Chinook.
	10/1-2/28	Closed
	3/1-4/30	2 fish limit; release Sockeye, Chum, Coho, and wild Chinook
<b>Area 8-1</b>	5/15-8/15	Closed to salmon.
	8/16-10/31	2 fish limit; release Chinook and Chum.
	11/1-5/14	Closed to salmon.
<b>Area 8-2</b>	5/15-7/31	Closed
	8/1-9/30	2 fish limit; release Chinook and Chum.
	10/1-5/14	Closed to salmon.
<b>Area 9</b>	5/15-7/15	Closed to salmon.
	7/16-7/31	Initial opening Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. 2 fish limit, 1 hatchery Chinook; release unmarked Coho, unmarked Chinook. Additional fishery openings after initial three-day opener contingent upon available impacts. Shoreline fishing allowed; 2 fish limit, release Chinook, unmarked Coho.
	8/1-10/15	2 fish limit; release Chinook and unmarked Coho. Additional fishery openings after initial three-day opener contingent upon available impacts.

10/16-5/14 Closed to salmon.

**Area 10** 5/15-5/31 Closed to salmon.  
6/1-7/15 2 fish limit; release Chinook.  
7/16-8/31 2 fish limit; release unmarked Chinook.  
9/1-11/30 2 fish limit; release Chinook.  
12/1-12/14 Closed to salmon.  
12/16-31 Elliot Bay (E of West Pt./Alki Pt line); 1 fish limit, gear restrictions apply\*  
1/1-2/28 Closed to salmon.  
3/1-4/30 2 fish limit  
5/1-5/14 Closed to salmon.

**Area 11** 5/15-5/31 Closed to salmon.  
6/1-6/30 2 fish limit; release unmarked Chinook.  
7/1-7/15 Closed  
7/16-9/30 2 fish limit; release unmarked Chinook.  
10/1-11/30 2 fish limit; release Chinook.  
12/1-2/28 Closed  
3/1-4/30 2 fish limit; release unmarked Chinook.  
5/1-5/14 Closed to salmon.

**Area 12** 5/1-6/30 Closed  
7/1-9/30 South of Ayock Pt. - 4 fish limit; release unmarked Coho, Chum, and Sockeye.  
7/11-9/30 North of Ayock Pt. - 4 fish limit; release unmarked Coho, Chum and Sockeye.  
No bait, one single point barbless hook measuring 1/2 inch or less from point to shank 7/11-31.  
10/1-10/15 Closed  
10/16-11/30 4 fish limit; release unmarked Coho  
12/1-5/14 Closed

**OPEN>** “All waters within channels created by exposed tidelands including - the free-flowing waters of the Skokomish River downstream (north) of the City of Tacoma PUD overhead transfer powerlines are CLOSED to fishing for finfish; the State and Tribe will meet and resolve issues prior to a fishery occurring in this area.”

**Area 13** 5/15-5/14/27 2 fish limit; release unmarked Chinook, unmarked Coho.