

FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE

REGULATION NUMBER: S23-045

DATE ADOPTED: JUNE 22, 2023

REGULATION(S) REG. #S23-014, SECTION 3,  
SUPERSEDED/MODIFIED: NONE

CATCH AREAS: SHRIMP MANAGEMENT REGION 3, AREAS 23A-SOUTH, 23D

FISHERY TYPE: COMMERCIAL

SPECIES: SPOT SHRIMP

ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

EFFECTIVE DATES: JUNE 24TH 2023 THRU SEPTEMBER 15TH 2023

DAYS/HOURS: 1. FOR AREAS 23A-SOUTH AND 23D: OPEN DAYLIGHT HOURS ONLY  
2. THE SETTING AND PULLING OF POTS IS ALLOWED ONE HOUR BEFORE SUSET TO ONE HOUR AFTER SUNSET.

LEGAL GEAR: SHRIMP POTS, RING NETS, AND HAND DIP NETS AS PER AS PER REG. #S23-014,  
1. THE MAXIMUM TOTAL NUMBER OF POTS AND/OR RING NETS COMBINED PER VESSEL IN THIS FISHERY WILL BE 40 POTS IN AREAS 23A-SOUTH AND AREA 23D COMBINED.  
2. ALL POTS AND RING NETS SHALL HAVE BUOYS ATTACHED. BUOYS MAY BE ANY COLOR EXCEPT YELLOW OR ANY COMBINATION OF RED AND WHITE. BUOYS MUST REMAIN FLOATING AT ALL TIMES EXCEPT DURING EXTREME TIDES. BUOYS WILL ALSO BE MARKED WITH THE TRIBE'S INITIALS AND WITH THE FISHER'S ID NUMBER. BUOY LINES WILL BE WEIGHTED TO KEEP THE LINES FROM FLOATING.  
3. THE MINIMUM MESH SIZE FOR SHRIMP POTS AND RING NETS IS ONE INCH, AS DEFINED IN REGULATION #S23-014, EXCEPT FOR FLEXIBLE (WEB) MESH POTS, FOR WHICH THE MESH MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 1 3/4 INCH STRETCH MEASURE. THERE IS NO MINIMUM MESH SIZE FOR ENTRY TUNNELS, BUT TUNNELS CAN ONLY BE LOCATED ON THE SIDES OF THE POTS.  
4. ALL FISHER'S MUST CALL IN THEIR CATCH DAILY.

HARVEST RESTRICTIONS:  
1. THE LEGALLY REGISTERED FISHERS WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:  
ID# 13156  
ID# 14171  
ID# 12461  
ID# 16017  
ID# 16497  
FISHERS MUST NOT EXCEED THEIR ASSIGNED INDIVIDUAL QUOTAS. THE SUM OF INDIVIDUAL QUOTAS DOES NOT EXCEED THE ELWHA AGREED- 2,473 POUNDS IN 23D/23AS.  
2. FISHERS MUST BE REGISTERED FOR THIS FISHERY WITH THE ELWHA TRIBAL FISHERIES OFFICE BEFORE PARTICIPATING IN THE FISHERY. FISHERS MAY NOT FISH IN ANY REGION 3

SUB-AREA OTHER THAN THOSE THAT ARE LISTED IN THIS  
REGULATION.

3. FISHERS MUST PROVIDE 24 HOURS ADVANCE NOTICE TO  
THE ELWHA TRIBAL FISHERIES OFFICE PRIOR TO  
PARTICIPATING IN THIS OPENING.
4. POUNDS ARE TRANSFERABLE.
5. ALL COMMERCIAL CATCHES SHALL BE REPORTED  
ON TREATY INDIAN FISH RECEIVING TICKETS AS SPECIFIED  
IN TRIBAL FISHERIES ORDINANCE. ALSO, ALL COMMERCIAL  
SHRIMP POT LANDINGS MUST BE RECORDED ON RECEIVING  
TICKETS AS A WHOLE WEIGHT.

JUSTIFICATION: MOP UP HARVEST OF THE TREATY SHARE OF SPOT SHRIMP IN THE  
DESIGNATED AREAS OF REGION 3 LIMITED TO LISTED FISHERS.

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