

Comparison of Lower Copper River Fishery Proposals

Proposal	FP19-14	FSA20-04	FP21-10 as written
Harvest Area	Lower Copper River, beginning 0.5 mile downstream of all road crossings at mile 27 of the Copper River Highway and extending upstream to the Million Dollar Bridge	Copper River Delta and mainstem Copper River: from Million Dollar Bridge to a boundary extending 0.5 mile downriver of road crossings of the mainstem Copper River, east of 27 Mile on the Copper River Highway	Lower Copper River: 0.5 mile upstream of the Copper River Highway to a boundary extending 0.5 mile downstream of the Copper River Highway, from west bank of the river near highway mile 27 to the east bank of the river near highway mile 38.
Season	May 15 to September 30	60 days beginning on or about May 15, 2020 (May 15 - July 13)	May 15 to September 30
Harvest Limits			
1 person HH	15 salmon (excluding Pink Salmon)	15 salmon (excluding Pink Salmon)	15 salmon (excluding Pink Salmon)
2 person HH	30 salmon (excluding Pink Salmon)	30 salmon (excluding Pink Salmon)	30 Salmon (excluding Pink Salmon)
Add'l for larger HH	10 salmon for each additional person	10 salmon for each additional person	10 salmon for each additional person
Chinook Limits	OSM mod: No more than 5/HH by rod and reel and 5/HH by dip net, including any combined take from the Upper Copper River District	No more than 5 per household	No more than 5 per household
Reporting Period	OSM modification: Due by Oct. 31	Due by Jan. 15	Due by Jan 15
Gear Type	Rod & Reel and Dip Net	Rod & Reel and Dip Net	Rod & Reel, Dip Net, Spear, and Gaff
Duration	Ongoing	Temporary	Ongoing
OSM Position	Support with modifications to specify seasons, methods and means, Chinook Salmon harvest limits, and define a proposed area	N/A	Support w/ OSM modification
SC RAC position	Withdrawn before RAC consideration	N/A	Support w/ OSM modification
EI RAC position	Withdrawn before RAC consideration	N/A	Opposed
WRST SRC position	Support with OSM modification	N/A	Opposed