



In addition to the general permit conditions listed on and issued with the *2026 Southeast Alaska Subsistence and Personal Use Salmon Fishing Permit*, the following permit conditions apply to the Haines Management area. If you have any questions, please contact the Alaska Department of Fish and Game Haines Office at (907) 766-2830.

SUBSISTENCE SALMON FISHING GENERAL PERMIT CONDITIONS

1. The freshwater subsistence fishing area is within the Chilkat River from mile 4 of the Haines Highway to a point 1 mile upstream of Wells Bridge.
2. The saltwater subsistence fishing area only includes the waters of Section 15-A in Chilkat Inlet north of the latitude of Glacier Point and Lutak and Chilkoot Inlets north of the latitude of Battery Point, excluding waters of Taiya Inlet north of the latitude of Taiya Point (see map on page 2 for boundaries).
3. Chinook salmon, trout, and char may be taken only incidentally. The possession limit for Chinook salmon is 2 fish; however, due to continued poor Chilkat River Chinook salmon production, the department requests **ALL LIVE CHINOOK SALMON BE RELEASED IMMEDIATELY.**

Household Harvest Limits

Salmon species	Possession limit	Annual limit*
Sockeye	25	50
Coho	20	40
Pink and chum combined	75	100

*Household annual limits are for the entire season from any combination of areas.

CHILKAT RIVER PERMIT CONDITIONS

1. Legal gear is set or drift gillnet. Maximum net length is **50 feet**.
2. The permit holder must **remain physically present** at the net at all times while it is actively fishing.
3. Open dates and area:
 - a) From June 1 through June 14 and from August 1 through September 30, the open fishing area is from 4-mile Haines Hwy to 1 mile upstream of Wells Bridge.
 - b) From **June 15 through July 31**, the open area is **from 19-mile Haines Highway to Wells Bridge**, and weekly fishing periods are **Wednesday through Saturday (4 days per week)**.

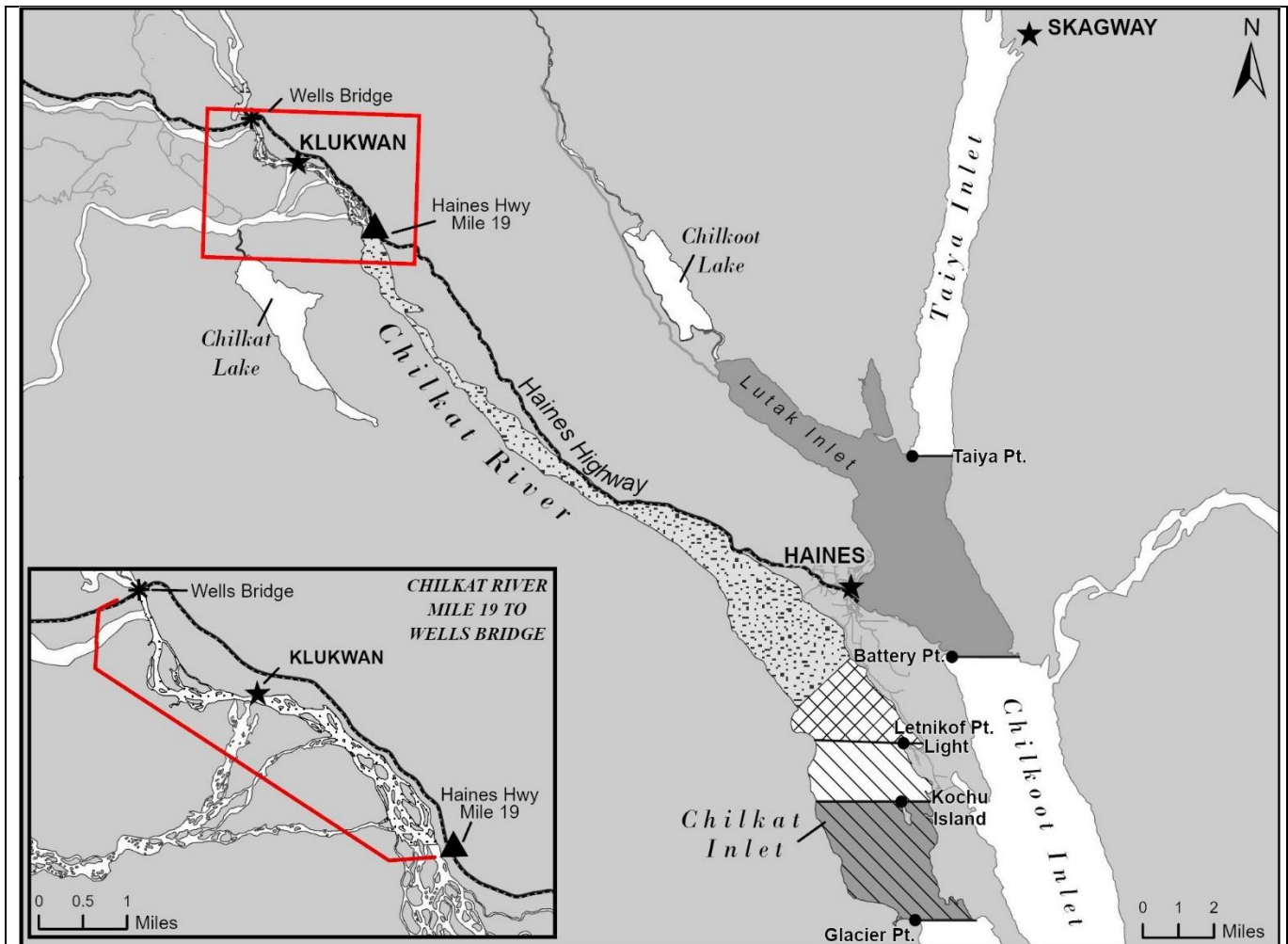
SALTWATER PERMIT CONDITIONS

1. Legal gear is drift gillnet with a maximum net length of **300 feet** (50 fathoms).
2. Salmon may be taken ONLY in the designated saltwater areas of Section 15-A on the day before a scheduled commercial drift gillnet opening AND during periods when the commercial drift gillnet fishery in Section 15-A is open, unless otherwise specified below or announced in an Advisory Announcement. —*For updated subsistence fishery announcements outside of business hours, call the Haines ADF&G office subsistence fishing recording at 907-766-2830 and select OPTION 5. Or monitor posted Advisory Announcements online at www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main (select the “Southeast/Yakutat” Management Area, “Gillnet” Gear Class, then click the “Search” button).*
 - a. Beginning June 13, only Lutak and Chilkoot Inlets, north of the latitude of Battery Point, will be open.
 - b. **Beginning June 20, waters south of the northernmost tip of Kochu Island and north of Glacier Point, will be open.**
 - c. Beginning July 11, waters south of Letnikoff Point Light and north of Glacier Point, will be open.
 - d. Beginning July 18, all waters of Chilkat Inlet north of Glacier Point will be open.



PERSONAL USE SALMON FISHING PERMIT CONDITIONS

1. Pink and chum salmon may be taken for personal use in Taiya River.
 - a) The possession limit is 10 pink and chum salmon combined, with an annual limit of 20 pink and chum salmon combined, per household.
 - b) The possession limit of incidentally harvested Chinook and coho salmon in **Taiya River** only is 2 Chinook salmon and 6 coho salmon.



	CHILKAT RIVER WILL OPEN JUNE 1–JUNE 14 AND AUGUST 1–SEPTEMBER 30.
	CHILKAT RIVER WILL OPEN FROM MILE 19 TO WELLS BRIDGE AND ONLY WEDNESDAY THROUGH SATURDAY JUNE 15–JULY 31. (Inset map)
	LUTAK INLET AND CHILKOOT INLET NORTH OF BATTERY POINT WILL OPEN WEEKLY STARTING JUNE 13 .
	CHILKAT INLET SOUTH OF THE NORTHERNMOST TIP OF KOCHU ISLAND AND NORTH OF GLACIER POINT WILL OPEN WEEKLY STARTING JUNE 20 .
	CHILKAT INLET SOUTH OF THE LATITUDE OF LETNIKOF POINT LIGHT WILL OPEN WEEKLY STARTING JULY 11 .
	ALL WATERS OF CHILKAT INLET NORTH OF GLACIER POINT WILL OPEN WEEKLY STARTING JULY 18 .