FISHERIES ANNOUNCEMENT

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Wally Noerenberg Hatchery:

PWSAC's chum salmon cost recovery harvest began on June 10th with 138,000 pounds harvested, harvest has continued each day since. As of 6/14 a total of 1.1 million pounds have been harvested. This represents 47% of the goal. Harvested fish are averaging 10 pounds with a high percentage of 5 year old being harvested.

Cost recovery will continue today as fish continue to move into the bay. At this point no brood stock have been collected.

Main Bay Hatchery:

As of June 14th, there have been four commercial openers resulting in a total harvest of 269,000 pounds of sockeye. Fish size appear to be small at this time with a 4 pound average.

The next scheduled announcement will be on Monday June 18th.