## SQUAXIN ISLAND TRIBE EMERGENCY REGULATION NO. ER-23-09

Regulation No. ER-23-09 Regs. No. Supersedes: AR-23-02 Date: November 22, 2023

Fishery Type: CHUM – Commercial Fishery Catch Area: 13D-1 Dana Passage 13D-2 Pickering Passage 13H Totten Inlet 13G Eld Inlet

On/Off Reservation: ON/OFF

Effective Dates/Days/Hours by Gear: Open: 6 AM Tuesday, November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Closed: 6 PM Thursday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Open: 6 AM Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 Closed: 6 PM Monday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Beach Seine & Drift Nets & Set Nets Open: 24 Hours

Beach Seines - Max Length 600 feet/ Mesh Size: 3 Inch Min- 4 Inch Max

Pickering Passage: Drift/ Set Nets - Max Length 600 feet/ Min Stretch: 5 inches

Totten Inlet: Drift Nets - Max Length 900 feet/ Set Nets Max Length 600 feet -Min Stretch: 5 inches

**Other Totten Inlet Restrictions:** All waters of Totten Inlet southwest of a line running northwest from the northern tip of Burns Point through the double pilings north of the Olympia Oyster Company building to the shore are Closed (Kennedy Creek closure). **All waters of Skookum Inlet are CLOSED.** 

**Eld Inlet**: In those waters north of a line extending northeast from JM Peters dock to the point on the opposite shore and south of a line extending from Flapjack Point to the northernmost point of land at the entrance to Green Cove: **Drift/Set Nets-** Max Length 300 feet/ Min Stretch: 5 inches

In those waters north of the aforementioned Flapjack Point Green Cove boundary to the northern 13G boundary: **Drift/Set Nets-** Max Length 600 feet/ Min Stretch: 5 inches

Dana Passage: Drift Nets- Max Length 900 feet /Set Nets- Max Length 300 ft/ Min Stretch: 5 inches

**Other Eld Inlet Restrictions:** Nets may not be set over private oyster beds. All waters south of a line extending from JM Peters dock to the point of land on the opposite shore are closed.

**Other Restrictions and Information**: Fishers must secure their own buyer, as Salish Seafood's is no longer buying fish for 2023 season. Those choosing to fish for subsistence (i.e. smokers) must report all take home catch to NR office. **Beach Seines must Release Unmarked/Wild Coho** 

## JUSTIFICATION: COMMERCIAL HARVEST OF FALL CHUM SALMON

In Accordance with the Squaxin Island Fishing Ordnance, This Regulation is hereby approved.

Nov 22, 2023 . (Nov 22, 2023 09:03 PST)

Joseph C. Peters

Nov 22, 2023

Tribal Council Member Date

Fisheries Harvest Manager

Date

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