



Quileute Natural Resources

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QUILEUTE NATURAL RESOURCES REGULATION FISHING: OFF RESERVATION

October 8, 2020

Fishery:	Restricted Commercial Fishery
Target Species:	Pacific Halibut (<i>Hippoglossus stenolepis</i>)
Management Period:	October 9, 2020 12:00 noon through November 15th, 2020 12:00 noon
Management Area:	Cape Alava 48° 10' 00" N to Queets River 47° 31' 42" N
Season:	January 1, 2020-November 15, 2020
Opens:	October 9, 2020
Closes:	November 15, 2020 or until the Treaty TAC is achieved
Allocation:	37,920 lbs. 800-pound landing limit per calendar day
Legal Gear:	Longline Gear, Hook and Line
Minimum Size Limit:	32 inches (Head-On).
Eligible Vessels:	All Quileute registered vessels with a current Coast Guard Dockside Safety Inspection Decal
Inspections:	All vessels are subject to hold inspections during offload.

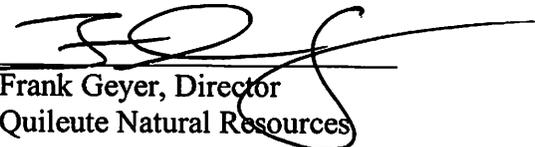
Additional Restrictions:

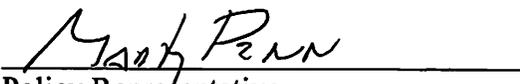
- 1.) Refer to the following Quileute Regulations for interaction with additional fisheries:
 - a. 2020 Quileute Groundfish Regulation
 - b. 2020 Quileute Sablefish "B" Fishery Regulation
 - c. 2020 Quileute Sablefish "A" & "C" Fishery Regulation
 - d. 2020 Quileute Unrestricted Commercial Fishery Halibut Regulation
 - e. 2020 Quileute Ceremonial Halibut Regulation
 - f. 2020 Quileute Subsistence Halibut Regulation

- 2.) All halibut must be landed with head-on and dressed (gills and entrails removed).

- 3.) Federal regulations require all participating vessel to maintain accurate logbook of halibut fishing operations. Skipper will provide detailed logbook information to Quileute Natural Resources (QNR) staff. Additionally, skipper is responsible for logging corresponding fish ticket numbers on logbooks for each offload.
- 4.) No person shall possess halibut taken with any gear other than hook and line gear.
- 5.) Must retain all rockfish, sole, and skate species caught while fishing.
- 6.) No person shall possess halibut while on board a vessel carrying any trawl nets or fishing pots capable of catching Pacific halibut.
- 7.) Fisherman conducting a Ceremonial & Subsistence (C&S) fishery must receive and properly fill out a C&S ticket prior to landing. Tickets will be made available by QNR staff upon request. C&S fish are not to be sold commercially.
- 8.) There shall be a C&S limit of two (2) halibut per vessel, per day. C&S take shall not exceed twelve (12) halibut per vessel per landing.

NOTE: This regulation supersedes all other previous postings. All vessels participating in this fishery must always monitor VHF channel 16 while away from port.


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