

August 29, 2022

## Columbia River and Tributary Fishery Reports

### Updates: Mainstem and tributary

#### *Columbia River Tributaries*

**Tributary Weir Report:** Current status as of August 29, 2022.

This section will provide operational status of the resistance board weirs run in Southwest WA. Additional information for these and other weirs will be available in the coming weeks.

**Grays River Weir** - located upstream of the Highway 4 bridge ~.3 miles. Installed and operating.

**Kalama River Weir** - located at the Modrow Trap facility. Installed and operating.

**Washougal River Weir** - located at the Fords Game Access Site. Installed and operating.

**Green River Weir** - located at the North Toutle Hatchery. Installed and operating.

**Elochoman River Weir** - located upstream of the Foster Road bridge ~.5 miles. Installed and operating.

**Cedar Creek Weir** – located 0.25 mile from the mouth with the NF Lewis. Installed and operating.

**Coweeman River Weir** – located at river mile 6.8 near the end of Allen Street in Kelso. Installed and operating.

### Fishery Reports:

**Lower Columbia River Rocky Point/Tongue Point line upstream to Bonneville Dam** – 935 salmonid boats and 166 Washington bank rods were tallied during Saturday's (8/27) flight count.

#### *Mainstem Columbia River*

##### Salmon/Steelhead:

**Sec 1 (Bonneville)** – 17 bank anglers kept one Chinook and two Chinook jacks. 6 boats/13 rods kept one Chinook and one Chinook jack.

**Sec 2 (Camas/Washougal)** – Three bank anglers had no catch. 18 boats/36 rods kept four Chinook.

**Sec 3 (I-5 area)** – Two bank anglers had no catch. 4 boats/9 rods had no catch.

**Sec 4 (Vancouver)** – 86 bank anglers kept 14 Chinook and one Chinook jack. 82 boats/162 rods kept 14 Chinook and released one Chinook.

**Sec 5 (Woodland)** – 63 bank anglers kept eight Chinook and one coho. 70 boats/145 rods kept 29 Chinook and one Chinook jack.

**Sec 6 (Kalama)** – 364 bank anglers kept 78 Chinook, one Chinook jack and released three Chinook, two Chinook jacks, one coho jack and one steelhead. 78 boats/191 rods kept 21 Chinook, one Chinook jack and released three Chinook and one steelhead.

**Sec 7 (Cowlitz)** – 74 boats/183 rods kept 23 Chinook, five Chinook jacks and released four Chinook, two Chinook jacks and one steelhead.

**Sec 8 (Longview)** – 43 bank anglers kept six Chinook and released two steelhead. 61 boats/126 rods kept six Chinook and released one Chinook.

**Sec 9 (Cathlamet)** – Five bank anglers had no catch. 35 boats/79 rods kept six Chinook and released one Chinook jack.

**Sec 10 (Cathlamet)** – Two bank anglers had no catch. 9 boats/24 rods kept 11 Chinook, one Chinook jack, three coho and released two Chinook and two coho.

### **Sturgeon:**

**Sec 6 (Kalama)** – 1 boat/3 rods released eight sublegal sturgeon.

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#### **Salmon/Steelhead:**

**Cowlitz River I-5 Br downstream** – Four bank rods had no catch. 6 boats/18 rods kept one Chinook, five steelhead and released one Chinook and six steelhead.

**Cowlitz River Above the I-5 Br** – One bank rod had no catch.

**Kalama River** – No report.

**Lewis River** – 2 boats/2 rods had no catch.

**Wind River** – No report.

**Drano Lake** – 51 bank rods kept two Chinook and released one Chinook jack and three steelhead. 93 boats/224 rods kept 58 Chinook, five Chinook jacks and released 38 Chinook, six Chinook jacks, one coho and 11 steelhead.

**Klickitat River below Fisher Hill Bridge** – No report.

**Klickitat River above #5 Fishway** – No report.