

Supporters argue that the funding is essential for maintaining competitive wages

The declaration of an emergency within the bill indicates a sense of urgency among lawmakers, emphasizing the need for immediate action to preserve public

As the legislative session progresses, the bill's fate will hinge on further debates and potential amendments, with its implications likely to resonate throughout the state's economic landscape and workforce dynamics.



**Colt Race Jr.- \$30
Sr.- \$60 entry fees
2+1 Wild Horse Race-
\$225 entry fee**

4/19/2025 at 12pm

Suppah for entry fees, CASH ONLY. Vendors contact Aja Gilbert.



Gear must be removed on the last day of the season. Gear left over 24 hours after the end of the season will be considered abandoned and become the property of BNR.

Entire John Day River - Open after Celilo Salmon Feast through July 15th
for spring chinook salmon, with the EXCEPTION of:

1. John Day River Upstream of the Sheep Rock National Monument and tributaries.

Both marked hatchery and unmarked spring chinook may be retained. Other salmon species may be retained during the spring chinook season.

D. Eagle Creek (above Bonneville Dam) - Salmon

Downstream of Railroad Bridge- open during Treaty tribe fisheries in
zone 6.

Upstream of Railroad Bridge- open May 23 - August 15 for chinook and
 coho salmon. No fishing is permitted in the fish ladder. Allowed gear is
 hook & line.

E. Regulations Applicable to All Ceded Area Tributary Fishing

1. When WILD FISH retention is not permitted, all UNMARKED fish must be released back to the river unharmed.
2. All unmarked steelhead incidentally caught with any type of approved gear must be released and returned to the river unharmed in all locations unless additional regulations are adopted at a future time that allow retention.
3. In recognition of the traditional methods of fishing, fishing from scaffolds, using hoopnets, dipnets, and setnets (nets and hoops must be attached to a pole) will be allowed seven days per week April 1st through July 15th.

- a. The provisions of WSTC 340.10 (8), requiring that setnets and hoopnets must be attended continuously will be strictly enforced.
- b. Alternative gear such as buoy sets, flag nets and similar commercial-type gear may not be used in tributaries.
- b. Hook and line fishing, one pole containing up to two single hooks per person will be permitted.

4. BNR will be responsible for the biological monitoring and enforcement each fishery. All harvested fish must be made available to BNR staff for biological monitoring and enforcement [WSTC 340.310 (11)]
5. Intentional snagging of fish is prohibited, fish that are snagged incidentally and are in viable condition must be returned to the river unharmed.
6. Pursuant to Warm Springs Tribal Code 340.310 (13), the use of alcohol or drugs is prohibited.

7. Pursuant to Warm Springs Tribal Code 340.700 & 341.140, penalties for violations will be strictly enforced to ensure the rules and regulations will be complied with.
8. Pursuant to Warm Springs Tribal Ordinance No. 68, Section 490.520 Section 490.510 (8), and 340.010 (9), the sale, exchange, or trade of fish caught for subsistence purposes to non-Indians is prohibited. Sale or exchange of fish with Treaty Indians must be for their personal use. Commercial sale of fish is not allowed unless and until permitted by additional future regulation.

II. Other Usual & Accustomed Fishing Stations - all salmon species and steelhead.

- A. All other Columbia River tributaries usual and accustomed fishing stations are **CLOSED** for salmon and steelhead subsistence fishing in calendar year 2025,

- B. unless or until regulations setting a 2025 open season are subsequently adopted. This does not include Columbia River mainstem fisheries, which are managed by separate regulations.