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**WASHINGTON COASTAL DUNGENESS CRAB INDUSTRY NOTICE**

April 21, 2016

**QUILEUTE SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREA CHANGE:**

**Quileute:**

The Quileute SMA opens to state fishers beginning at 8:00 AM, May 1, 2016. The Quileute SMA is described as the area from Cape Johnson to Destruction Island shoreward of a line approximating 30 fathoms according to the following points:

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| • Northeast Corner (Cape Johnson):        | 47°58.00' N. Lat  | 124°40.40' W. Lon. |
| • Northwest Corner:                       | 47°58.00' N. Lat  | 124°49.00' W. Lon. |
| • Southwest Corner:                       | 47°40.50' N. Lat. | 124°40.00' W. Lon. |
| • Southeast Corner: (Destruction Island); | 47°40.50' N. Lat. | 124°24.43' W. Lon. |

There is a 100-pot limit in the Quileute SMA from May 1, 2016, through May 31, 2016. Fishers must pre-register with WDFW prior to deploying gear in this area by one of the three following methods:

- Fax transmission to Carol Henry at 360-249-1229;
- E-mail to Carol Henry at [Carol.Henry@dfw.wa.gov](mailto:Carol.Henry@dfw.wa.gov); or
- Telephone call to Carol Henry at 360-249-1296.

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