

Good morning Merrick,

Today, the Secretary of Commerce announced the allocation of \$20.6 million appropriated by Congress for the fishery resource disaster that occurred in the 2023 Sacramento River Fall Chinook (SRFC) and Klamath River Fall Chinook (KRFC) ocean and inland salmon fisheries. This funding will support fisheries, and industries affected by the fishery disaster.

NOAA Fisheries will be following up with the Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission, and the state who will administer the grants, to issue a non-competitive Request for Application (RFA) letter and to assist in the development of a spend plan. Upon receipt of the RFA letter, the State and the PSMFC will have 120 days to submit a spend plan to NOAA Fisheries. Please see [our website](#) for more information and let me know if you have any questions.

Table 1: Fiscal Year 2023 California Sacramento River Fall Chinook, Klamath River Fall Chinook, Ocean and Inland Salmon Fisheries

Fishery Disaster	Fishery Sector	Combined Sector Fishery Revenue Losses	Proposed Allocation	Award (Hollings rescission 0.1% applied)
2023 California Sacramento River Fall Chinook, Klamath River Fall Chinook, Ocean and Inland Salmon Fisheries	Commercial	\$15,033,200	\$10,072,244	\$10,062,172
	Processor	\$6,915,563	\$4,633,427	\$4,628,794
	Charter	\$8,835,907	\$5,920,058	\$5,914,138
TOTAL		\$30,784,670	\$20,625,729	\$20,605,103

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