



INCIDENT NAME
Big Bar Landslide

INCIDENT LOCATION
North of Big Bar on the Fraser River

DATE PREPARED
August 17, 2019





UPDATES

- The fish wheel is a successful compliment to seining operations as both are catching large quantities of salmon for transportation. As of yesterday evening, a combined total of 17,391 salmon have been caught and transported upstream, past the obstruction.
- Additional oxygenated helicopter-transport tanks are anticipated to arrive within the next day or so. These tanks are being custom built for the current conditions.
- Due to the increasing numbers of salmon arriving and the continuing success of salmon capture, truck transportation operations are being enacted. Road building crews and engineers are upgrading a previously identified road from the capture sites to the French Creek area upstream with the intention of transporting salmon by truck, in conjunction with ongoing helicopter transports. Archeological values and cultural heritage resources remain a priority during road construction and all other operations.



Members from the Joint Information Team had a table at the Lillooet Farmers Market. They provided information about the incident to the public.

<u>Salmon Transported by Helicopter</u>				
Daily Total			Total to Date	
Sockeye: 1,118	Chinook: 299		Sockeye: 12,999	Chinook: 4,392

<u>Salmon Radio Tagging</u>				
Downstream From the Landslide			Transferred Upstream of the Landslide	
Sockeye: 125	Chinook: 97		Sockeye: 64	Chinook: 56