

**CHINOOK SALMON, STEELHEAD TROUT, AND BULL TROUT WORK WINDOWS  
FOR THE LAKE WASHINGTON SYSTEM**

Current information suggests that the work windows in the following table will help protect Chinook salmon, steelhead trout, and bull trout from potential effects of construction activities. Adherence to these timing windows is necessary, in most cases, to maintain a ‘not likely to adversely affect’ determination during Endangered Species Act consultation if all other measures have reduced the project impacts to this level.

| <b>Specific Area</b>  | <b>Work Window (when work is allowed)</b>             |
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| <b>Lake Washington Ship Canal</b><br>(from the Chittenden Locks to the east end of the Mountlake Cut) | October 1 -April 15                                   |
| <b>Lake Washington</b>  |   |
| • South of I-90   |   |
| ----within 1 mile of Mercer Slough or Cedar River   | July 16-July 31 <i>and</i><br>November 16-December 31 |
| ----further than 1 mile from Mercer Slough or Cedar River   | July 16-December 31                                   |
| • Between I-90 & SR 520   | July 16-April 30                                      |
| • North of SR 520   |   |
| ----Between SR 520 & a line drawn due west from Arrowhead Point                                       | July 16-March 15                                      |
| ----North of a line drawn due west from Arrowhead Point   | July 16-July 31 <i>and</i><br>November 16- February 1 |
| <b>Sammamish River</b>  | July 16-July 31 <i>and</i><br>November 16-February 1  |
| <b>Lake Sammamish</b>   |   |
| --further than 1/2 mile from Issaquah Creek   | July 16-December 31                                   |
| --within 1/2 mile of Issaquah Creek   | July 16-July 31 <i>and</i><br>November 16-December 31 |