

Fraser River First Nations Call For the Resignation of Minister Shea

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First Nations on British Columbia's Fraser River, from the Interior to the Coast, are demanding the resignation of the Minister of Fisheries & Oceans, Gail Shea, over what they describe as DFO's "abject failure to effectively manage Fraser River Chinook".

Their demand for Minister Shea's s resignation comes after what they described as "repeated attempts by the First Nations to get Fisheries & Oceans Canada (DFO) to close both saltwater based sport and commercial salmon fisheries in the period April to June in order to protect endangered Early Run Fraser Chinook". Their view is that Spring Chinook numbers have plummeted over the past few years to the point where some of these stocks face "certain extirpation" if firm measures are not taken immediately to protect them.

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