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LOOKING FOR A DECKHAND FISHING JOB THIS SUMMER?

The Seafood Employment Office at the Anchorage Midtown Job Center can help!

Every summer in Alaska, hard working crew members are needed on commercial fishing boats to harvest salmon. Successful deckhands work long hours; move heavy objects; get along well with others in remote, wet and cold conditions; have a positive attitude; follow directions; and abide by safety rules.

- To work as a deckhand, you must apply directly with the seafood employer. Open positions are managed by each boat/company, not by the Seafood Employment Office. If you see an opening on a boat, contact that company directly to apply.
- If you have deckhand experience and want summer work, email **dol.seafood@alaska.gov**. We can send current job opportunities and instructions, but it does not substitute for a direct application.
- Some companies may post job openings through **AlaskaJobs.alaska.gov**. You can create an account and search for postings there.

Learn more about commercial fishing jobs and careers:

- Fishing vessel jobs in Alaska: **jobs.alaska.gov/seafood/fishing.html**
- Preparing to work on fishing vessels: **jobs.alaska.gov/seafood/documents/prepare-fish-vessel.pdf**
- Job opportunities from At-Sea Processors Association: **atsea.org/job-opportunities**
- Fish harvesting careers: **jobs.alaska.gov/seafood/careerstreams/CS1_HARVESTING.pdf**

For more information:
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