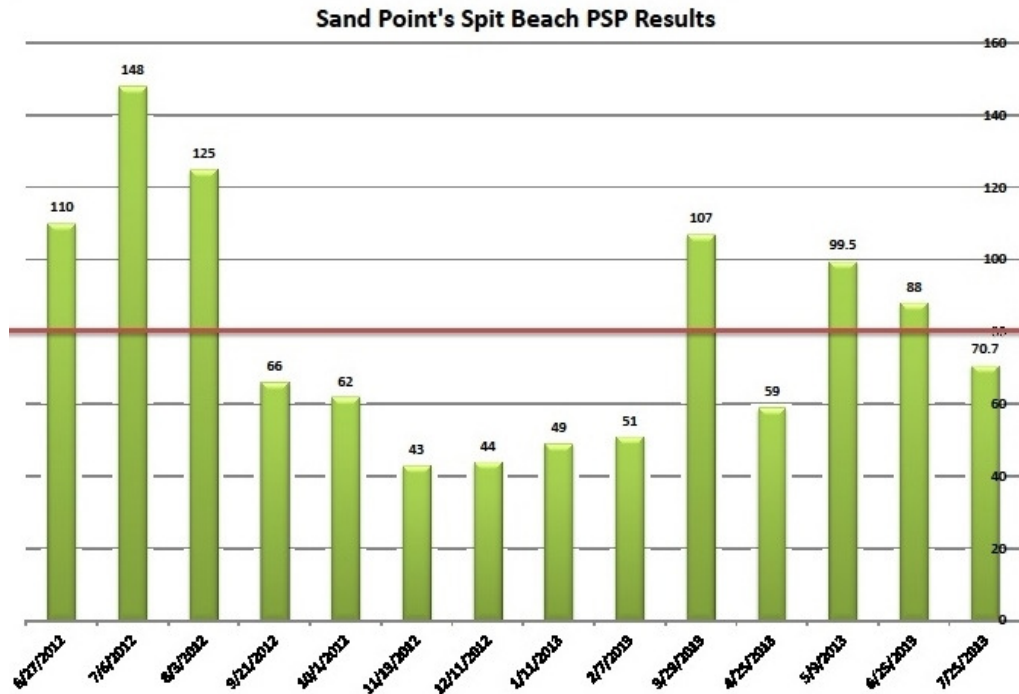




Qagan Tayagungin Tribe

Sand Point Spit Beach PSP Results

The July 2013 Sand Point Sample has reduced PSP Toxin levels of 70.7 micrograms and is below the FDA limit of 80 micrograms. These are abnormal PSP levels!



The Qagan Tayagungin Tribe neither encourages nor discourages the consumption of the local shellfish, but provides this information for the community members to make an educated decision regarding shellfish consumption.

If you have any questions, you can contact **Karis Porcincula** or **Shivonne Johnson** at: (907)383-6968.

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The Recreational Shellfish Pilot Program is funded through the State of Alaska. The State of Alaska funds at least five communities from Alaska, in which they help monitor occurrence and distribution of PSP toxins that will increase communities' capacities in devising a mechanism to better respond to the threat and minimize the risks of poisoning. The samples are analyzed by the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation using approved analytical methods. The State of Alaska is producing funding for the Sand Point Spit Beach PSP testing until the summer of 2015. For more information, check the QTT Website at: <http://www.qtttribe.org>, under Environmental, PSP Projects