TENTATIVE ADOPTION OF
2006 OCEAN SALMON MANAGEMENT MEASURES
FOR ANALYSIS

The Council adopted three salmon management options in March, which were published in Preseason Report II and sent out for public review. In action under this agenda item, the Council must narrow the March management options to a single season recommendation for analysis by the Salmon Technical Team (STT). To allow adequate analysis before final adoption, the tentatively-adopted recommendations should resolve any outstanding conflicts and be as close as possible to the final management measures. This is especially important to ensure final adoption is completed on Thursday afternoon.

The Council's procedure provides any agreements by outside parties (e.g., North of Cape Falcon Forum, etc.) to be incorporated into the Council's management recommendations must be presented to the Council in writing prior to adoption of the tentative options. The procedure also stipulates any new options or analyses must be reviewed by the Salmon Technical Team (STT) and public prior to the Council's final adoption.

If necessary, the STT will check back with the Council on Wednesday, April 5, 2006 (Agenda Item E.5) or at other times to clarify any questions or obvious problems with the tentative measures. The Council must settle all such issues on Wednesday to allow time for STT analysis and to meet the final adoption deadline of Thursday afternoon.

Summaries of the testimony presented at public hearings will be provided at the meeting in the supplemental reports noted below (Agenda Item E.2.c). A summary of public comment letters received at the Council office by March 15 are included in Agenda Item E.2.k.

**Council Action:**

Adopt tentative treaty Indian ocean and non-Indian commercial and recreational management measures for STT collation and analysis.

**Reference Materials:**

2. Agenda Item E.2.k, Summary of Written Public Comment
3. Agenda Item E.2.l, Public Comment.
4. Agenda Item E.2.c, Supplemental Public Hearing Reports 1 through 3: Summary of Public Hearings.
6. Agenda Item E.2.l, Supplemental Public Comment.
Agenda Order:

a. Agenda Item Overview                        Chuck Tracy
b. Update on Estimated Impacts of March 2006 Options    Dell Simmons
c. Summary of Public Hearings                     Hearing Officers
d. U.S. Section of the Pacific Salmon Commission Recommendations  Jim Harp
e. North of Cape Falcon Forum Recommendations   OR, WA, and Tribes
f. Klamath Fishery Management Council (KFMC) Recommendations Curt Melcher
g. National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) Recommendations Peter Dygert
h. Tribal Recommendations                          Jim Harp
i. State Recommendations                          P. Anderson/C. Melcher/M. Vojkovich
j. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies
k. Summary of Written Public Comment              Chuck Tracy
l. Public Comment
m. **Council Action:** Tentatively Adopt Management Measures for 2006
   Ocean Salmon Fisheries

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