

VOTING LOG
Pacific Fishery Management Council
162nd Meeting
March 12-15, 2002

MOTION 1: Approve the agenda (Exhibit A.5, Council Meeting Agenda) with the following changes: remove Agenda Item A.6 ; under Agenda.B.3 - insert a report from the states and tribes between B.3.a, and B.3.b.; for agenda item G.2., under highly migratory species (HMS) fishery management plan (FMP) - between G.2.b, and G.2.c insert comments from NMFS, states, and tribes; under B.1, NMFS comments will be done under agenda item B.5.e instead; for E.1, NMFS Report, Yvonne deReynier will give those comments. Under B.5., Paul Kirk will be giving the presentation for the Klamath Fishery Management Council (KFMC) instead of Dan Viele.

Moved by: Jim Lone
Motion 1 passed.

Seconded by: Bob Alverson

MOTION 2: Adopt the methodologies for the FRAM and KOHM as presented by the SAS, STT, and SSC. (Motion 2).

Moved by: Burnie Bohn
Motion 2 passed.

Seconded by: Jim Harp

MOTION 3: Adopt the dates as provided in Exhibit B.4.b, Supplemental ODFW Report (with the minor editorial year change from 2001 to 2002)

Moved by: Burnie Bohn
Motion 3 passed.

Seconded by: Ralph Brown

MOTION 4: For proposed 2002 incidental catch regulations for the fixed gear sablefish fishery, adopt for public review the following (Motion 4):

The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife is proposing the following options for 2002 incidental catch regulations for the fixed gear sablefish fishery North of Pt. Chehalis:

Option 1a: Restrict incidental halibut landings to 80 pounds (dressed weight) of halibut for every 1,000 pounds (dressed weight) of sablefish landed, and up to two additional halibut in excess of the 80 pounds per 1,000 pound ratio per landing.

Option 1b: Restrict incidental halibut landings to 200 pounds (dressed weight) of halibut for every 1,000 pounds (dressed weight) of sablefish landed, and up to two additional halibut in excess of the 200 pounds per 1,000 pound ratio per landing.

Option 2: Restrict the incidental halibut landings to a trip limit of 1,000 pounds (dressed weight) of halibut.

Option 3: Close the halibut "hotspot" area as defined in the Pacific Council Halibut Catch Sharing Plan in the North Coast subarea (WASHINGTON Marine Area 3), and extend the closure south to 48°00'00"N latitude, for protection of yelloweye rockfish areas.

NOTE: Options 2 and 3 may be combined with either Option 1a or 1b.

Under any selected option, halibut retention in the sablefish fishery would begin on May 1, after the IPHC licensing application period is concluded.

Moved by: Phil Anderson
Motion 4 passed.

Seconded by: Jim Lone

MOTION 5: For proposed 2002 incidental catch regulations for the salmon troll fishery, adopt for public review the following : 1) status quo; 2) the regulations put in place for 1999 and 3) an option for the closure of the halibut "hotspot" area as defined in the Pacific Council Halibut Catch Sharing Plan in the North Coast subarea (Washington Marine Area 3), and extend the closure south to 48°00'00"N latitude, for protection of yelloweye rockfish areas.

Moved by: Phil Anderson
Motion 5 passed.

Seconded by: Bob Alverson

MOTION 6: Adopt, for consideration, the third line of the table in the middle of Exhibit F.2, Supplemental Attachment 4 (i.e., F40, 1999 strength at high, coastwide ABC 251,000 mt; US ABC at 200,000; etc.).

Moved by: Burnie Bohn
Roll call vote, 5 yes, 8 no.
Motion 6 failed.

Seconded by: Ralph Brown

MOTION 7: For 2002 whiting harvest levels adopt a coastwide OY of 190,500 mt based on an assumption of a recruitment event for the 1999 year class intermediate to the medium and high levels.

Moved by: LB Boydston
Motion 7 passed.

Seconded by: Phil Anderson

MOTION 8: Adopt the whiting allocation for the Makah tribe in 2002 that continues with the sliding scale that has been used in recent years. Under the ABC and OY adopted in Motion 7, this would provide 25,000 mt for the tribe. (see Supplemental Tribal Motion Exhibit F.2.d on file at Council office).

Moved by: Jim Harp
Motion 8 passed. Mr. Caito voted no. Mr. Brown abstained

Seconded by: Burnie Bohn

MOTION 9: Have the Highly Migratory Species Plan Development Team prepare a final draft fishery management plan for the Council's consideration for its November 2002 meeting. The purpose of delaying until the November meeting is to allow the Team to adequately address outstanding issues in an open, transparent public process; to allow Advisory Subpanel adequate time to review the final draft before it is presented to the Council; and for NMFS to complete the regulatory package.

Moved by: Mr. Anderson
Motion 9 passed.

Seconded by: Don Hansen.

- MOTION 12: Adopt Amendment 10 to the CPS plan as a public review document.
 Moved by: Bob Alverson Seconded by: Don Hansen
 Motion 12 passed.
- MOTION 13: Move forward with the amendment addressing Central Valley chinook.
 Moved by: LB Boydston Seconded by: Roger Thomas
 Motion 13 passed.
- MOTION 14: Adopt the schedule for an amendment package for the review of the allocation item as well as the final completion of the technical paper on the OCN matrix and have that available at the November meeting.
 Moved by: Burnie Bohn Seconded by: Ralph Brown
 Motion 14 passed.
- MOTION 15: Appoint Mr. Richard S. Powers to the CPSAS and Mr. Richard K. Stoll to the Habitat Steering Group.
 Moved by: Roger Thomas Seconded by: Don Hansen
 Motion 15 passed.
- MOTION 16: Create an additional position for the NWFSC Habitat scientist on the HSG to provide coordination between habitat issues and the science and appoint Mr. Waldo Wakefield to that position.
 Moved by: Bill Robinson Seconded by: Jim Harp
 Motion 16 passed.
- MOTION 17: Adopt the SOPPs as shown in Exhibit I.3, Supplemental Attachment 1. with the changes discussed by Council members.
 Moved by: Phil Anderson Seconded by: Bob Alverson
 Motion 17 passed.
- MOTION 18: Adopt the draft April 2002 Agenda as shown in Supplemental Revised Exhibit I.7.a, with the discussionary changes.
 Moved by: Bob Alverson Seconded by: Phil Anderson
 Motion 18 passed.
- MOTION 19: Adopt ocean salmon fishery management options for public review as proposed in Exhibit B.10.b, Supplemental STT Report.
 Moved by: Phil Anderson Seconded by: Jim Lone
 Motion 19 passed.

MOTION 20:

Reconsider Motion 19.

Moved by: Burnie Bohn
Motion 20 passed.

Seconded by: Ralph Brown

MOTION 21:

Amend Motion 19 to include the following additions or changes. For Commercial Option II: Cape Falcon to Florence South Jetty - open March 20 through June 30 and August 1 through August 29; Florence South Jetty to Humbug Mt. - open March 20 through July 21 and August 1 through August 29. For the area Humbug Mt. to the Oregon/California border in July - change the quota to 3,000 chinook in Option II and to 4,500 chinook in Option III.

Moved by: Burnie Bohn
Motion 21 passed.

Seconded by: Ralph Brown

Main motion passed as amended.