

SALMON ADVISORY SUBPANEL REPORT ON
FISHERY ECOSYSTEM PLAN INITIATIVES: SCOPING AND SELECTION

The SAS has reviewed the initiatives for consideration under the Fishery Ecosystem Plan (FEP) and offers the following thoughts:

The SAS recognizes that there are three candidate topics to consider and sees value in all three. The SAS would prioritize the three in the following order:

A.2.6. - Human recruitment to the fisheries.

A.2.8. - Effects of near term climate shift and long-term climate change on fish, fisheries and fishing communities.

A.2.7. - Socio-economic effects of fishery management practices on fishing communities.

The SAS appreciates the opportunity to comment on this subject and looks forward to detailed discussion in the future.

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