

At the 2013 Annual Meeting, the International Pacific Halibut Commission (IPHC, or Commission) advanced the development of a Management Strategy Evaluation (MSE) program for the halibut resource. The Commission approved the formation of a Management Strategy Advisory Board (MSAB) to advise the Commission on the development and evaluation of candidate objectives and strategies for managing the fishery.

- [MSE Framework - Annual Meeting presentation](#)
- [MSE Discussion paper](#)

The Commission appreciates the broad interest expressed in participation on the Management Strategy Advisory Board (MSAB) through the nomination process. The suite of nominations was impressive and the Commission had to make difficult choices in arriving at a Board of reasonable size and balancing various viewpoints. The Commission is pleased to announce the selection of the Board and is extremely grateful to all of those who were willing to participate in this initiative.

The nominees selected and the ex-officio members for the MSAB are:

MEMBER	COUNTRY	SECTOR
1. Bruce Gabrys	U.S.	Commercial
2. John Woodruff	U.S.	Processing
3. Peggy Parker	U.S./CDN	Processing
4. Shane Halverson	U.S.	Processing
5. Brad Mirau	CDN	Processing
6. Jeff Kauffman	U.S.	Commercial
7. Per Odegaard	U.S.	Commercial
8. Ryan Littleton	U.S.	Commercial
9. Scott Mazzone	U.S.	Tribal
10. Michele Culver	U.S.	Fish Mgmt Cncl
11. Dan Hull	U.S.	Fish Mgmt Cncl
12. Gary Robinson	CDN	Commercial
13. Jim Lane	CDN	First Nations
14. Chris Sporer	CDN	Commercial
15. Gregg Elwood	U.S.	Commercial

16. Tom Marking U.S. Sport

Ex-officio

Rachel Baker	U.S.	Manager
Adam Keizer	CDN	Manager
Scott Meyer	U.S.	Sport Manager
Rob Kronlund	CDN	MSE Expert
Robyn Forrest	CDN	Sci. Advisor
Loh-Lee Low	U.S.	Sci. Advisor
Commissioner Ryall	CDN	
Commissioner Balsiger	U.S.	