

SCIENTIFIC AND STATISTICAL COMMITTEE REPORT ON
LOWER COLUMBIA NATURAL COHO HARVEST MATRIX REVIEW

Mr. Mike Burner briefed the Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) on the process and schedule of the Lower Columbia Natural Coho Workgroup (LCN Workgroup) for development of the alternative harvest control rules for this stock.

The LCN Workgroup plans to evaluate the relative risk and opportunity of alternative harvest strategies using the methods endorsed by the SSC at the November 2013 meeting. The SSC anticipates reviewing the results of this risk assessment at the September 2014 meeting. The SSC does not expect a further methodology review on this topic prior to 2015 management.

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