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Subject:yelloweye rockfish ,depoe bay boats deepwater lingcod bubble fishing zone

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My request is to allow fishing for ling cod and yellowtail rock fish near a wreck that is located 11miles west of depoe bay in 85 fathoms of water. My charterboats are all rigged with devices to send yelloweye back to depth and release them. our previous trips to this wreck have been very profitable due to the ling cod catch there,yellow tail rockfish are also caught there.I am asking for a bubble fishery type thing .allowing 2 ling cod,7rockfish and that all participants carry a device to send any yelloweye caught back to depth. this is not a rocky area,it is a shipwreck known as the tugboat located at 44.54' 80 north, 124.19' west. this area if allowed to fish it is usually not too heavily fished due to winter weather, but definatly is important to us financially.our coho salmon season will close early this year with no chinook either. there is another area that is within 5 miles of this spot at 44.56 north and 124.20 west that is a small area known as the processor another ship wreck site 100 fathoms deep.Bycatch of yelloweye for this type of fishery would be very small due to weather and time of year
thankyou , Lars Robison ,Dockside Charters Depoe Bay,oregon phone 541 921 0414