

FINAL ACTION ON 2017 SALMON MANAGEMENT MEASURES

The Salmon Technical Team (STT) will briefly review its analysis of the tentative management measures and answer Council questions. Final adoption of management measures will follow the comments of the advisors, tribes, agencies, and public.

Any season structure considered for adoption that deviates from Salmon Fishery Management Plan objectives will require implementation by emergency rule. If an emergency rule appears to be necessary, the Council must clearly identify and justify the need for such an action consistent with emergency criteria established by the Council (Agenda Item E.3, Attachment 1) and National Marine Fisheries Service (Agenda Item E.3, Attachment 2).

This action is for submission to the U.S. Secretary of Commerce, and the final motions must be visible in writing. To avoid unnecessary delay and confusion in proposing final regulations, minor edits may be made to the STT analysis and other documents provided by staff. Council members should be prepared to provide a written motion that can be projected on a screen. Please prepare your motion documents or advise Council staff of the need for, or existence of, additional working documents as early as possible before the final vote.

Council Action:

- 1. Adopt final treaty Indian troll, non-Indian commercial, and recreational ocean salmon fishery management measures for submission to the U.S. Secretary of Commerce.**
- 2. If necessary, identify and justify any regulations requiring implementation by emergency rule.**

Reference Materials:

- 1. Agenda Item E.5.a, Supplemental STT Report: STT Analysis of Tentative 2017 Ocean Salmon Fishery Management Measures.*

Agenda Order:

- E.5 Final Action on 2017 Salmon Management Measures Robin Ehlke
- Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
 - Public Comment
 - Council Action:** Adopt Final Management Measures for 2017 Ocean Salmon Fisheries