SALMON ADVISORY SUBPANEL REPORT ON THE SACRAMENTO RIVER WINTER CHINOOK (SRWC) CONTROL RULE, FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS

On Tuesday, the Sacramento River Winter Chinook Workgroup (SRWCW) provided a presentation to the Salmon Advisory Subpanel (SAS) reviewing the analysis of the four control rules forwarded for public review. The SAS very much appreciates their analysis and the presentation made to us based on their report to the Council (Agenda Item D.3.a, SRWCW Report 1).

The SAS appreciates the opportunity to comment on the Sacramento winter run Chinook issue. The SAS recommends Control Rule (CR) 10. CR 10 is a hybrid between CR 5 and CR 7. CR 10 provides additional conservation values when compared to CR 5, and provides more fishing opportunity when compared to CR7. CR 10 is a good balance between the range of alternatives considered, and is the preferred choice of the SAS.

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