SALMON ADVISORY SUBPANEL SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT ON THE 2019 PRESEASON MANAGEMENT MEASURES

The Salmon Advisory Subpanel (SAS) has reviewed the proposed schedule submitted under Agenda Item D.3. The SAS encourages the solicitation and facilitation of public comment on the proposed salmon season alternatives. We offer comments on where the public comment hearings between the March and April meetings should be held. We also note that, while public comment may be offered at the April meeting, we feel that it is more important to receive as much comment at these sessions as possible, since these sessions allow additional season proposals to be offered in time to permit analysis prior to the April meeting.

In order to facilitate the maximum opportunity to receive public comment, we request that between March 25 and March 31, the Council sponsor and convene public hearings in the following locations:

WA – Westport

OR – Newport

CA – two sessions, one in Ukiah and one in Salinas; **or,** if only one CA session is possible, then Sacramento

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