

**SOUTHERN OREGON/NORTHERN CALIFORNIA COAST COHO
 AD HOC WORKGROUP REPORT**

The Southern Oregon/Northern California Coast (SONCC) Coho Ad-Hoc Workgroup conducted their first meeting on June 9, 2020. The roster for this Workgroup is complete, and consists of tribal, Federal, and state representatives as well as an independent contractor. At this meeting, the Workgroup completed the administrative tasks of electing a Chair and Vice Chair (Table 1) and approved a tentative meeting schedule (Table 2).

The Workgroup also finalized the Terms of Reference (TOR) which was drafted by National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and provided to the Workgroup by the Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council). The Workgroup has provided an updated draft of the TOR and recommends Council adoption (Agenda Item E.1.a, Supplemental Workgroup Report 2). Clarifying edits plus adjustments to the timeline encompass the majority of the changes to the TOR.

The Workgroup is scheduled to meet again in August to continue data compilation and analysis and prepare a draft outline for a risk assessment.

Table 1. SONCC Coho Ad-Hoc Technical Workgroup Members

Member	Affiliation
Martin Liermann	NMFS Northwest Fisheries Science Center
Rishi Sharma	FAO External Expert (on secondment from NWFSC)
*Mike O'Farrell	NMFS Southwest Fisheries Science Center
Jeromy Jording	NMFS West Coast Region
**Susan Bishop	NMFS West Coast Region
Steve Gough	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Carrie Cook-Tabor	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
George Kautsky	Hoopla Valley Tribe
Mike Orcutt	Hoopla Valley Tribe
Dave Hillemeier	Yurok Tribe
Keith Parker	Yurok Tribe
Pete McHugh	California Department of Fish and Wildlife
Wade Sinnen	California Department of Fish and Wildlife
Craig Foster	Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
Matt Falcy	Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
Ray Beamesderfer	Fish Science Solutions, Contractor
*Chair **Vice Chair	

Table 2. SONCC Coho Ad-Hoc Technical Workgroup Tentative Meeting Schedule

	Date	Location	Comment
1	June 9, 2020	On-line meeting	Ground rules and tasks
2	August 6-7, 2020	On-line meeting	Discuss control rule alternatives, Draft outline for risk assessment
3	October 6-7, 2020	On-line meeting	Prep for Nov. Council Meeting
	November 13, 2020	Council Mtg (Costa Mesa)	Range of Alternatives
4	January 5, 2021	On-line meeting	Analysis for preliminary preferred
5	March 25, 2021	On-line meeting	Prep for April Council
	April 6-13	Council Mtg (San Jose)	Preliminary preferred alternatives
6	June 2021	In-person at Council office	Discuss April Council guidance
7	Sept, 2021	On-line meeting	Prep for Nov. Council Meeting
	Nov 15, 2021	Council Mtg (Costa Mesa)	Final preferred alternatives adopted

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