

E.1 2026 Commercial and Recreational Catch Sharing Plan and Annual Regulations – Preliminary

Council Task:

1. Review and discuss the update on inseason actions taken to date, as appropriate.
2. Review and adopt for public review proposed changes to the 2026 Pacific halibut CSP and annual regulations.

ODFW Motion 1:

I move the Council adopt for public review, status quo directed commercial fisheries season structure and the proposals in the WDFW and ODFW reports.

Moved by Lynn Mattes

Seconded by Heather Hall

Motion passes unanimously

CDFW Motion 1:

I move the Council forward for public review a proposed change to the Catch Sharing Plan for the California recreational fishery that would establish the start date in each California subarea as April 1 of each year.

Moved by Marci Yaremko

Seconded by Jaime Diamond

Motion passes unanimously