

C.3 Identify Management Objectives and Preliminary 2026 Management Alternatives

Council Action:

1. Using the SAS proposals and other agency and public input, define basic management elements and alternatives for STT collation into coastwide management alternatives.
2. Consider the need for inseason action to address salmon fisheries opening prior to May 16, 2026.

C.3 Motion:

I move that the Council adopt for Salmon Technical Team compilation and analysis the proposed initial Treaty Troll salmon management Alternatives for ocean quotas:

Treaty Troll

Alternative I: 55,000 Chinook and 50,000 coho

Alternative II: 45,000 Chinook and 40,000 coho

Alternative III: 35,000 Chinook and 30,000 coho

The Alternatives consist of a May 1 – June 30 Chinook-directed fishery and a July 1 start date to the all-species fishery (Chinook and coho). An end date in September is to be determined. The Chinook quota in all Alternatives should be evenly split between the two time periods. Season structure is still under discussion among the tribes.

Moved by David Sones

Seconded by Kyle Adicks

Motion passes unanimously

ODFW Motion:

I move that the Council adopt for Salmon Technical Team compilation and analysis the proposed initial salmon management alternatives for the 2026 non-Indian ocean fisheries as developed by the Salmon Advisory Subpanel and described in Agenda item C.3.e Supplemental SAS Report 1, dated March 5, 2026, with the following modifications:

- In Table 2, For the recreational fishery from Cape Falcon to OR/CA Border in Alternative III, show Humbug Mountain-OR/CA Border as closed from March 15-May 15
- In Table 2, California KMZ Subarea, in the 'In 2027' boilerplate language, change April 3 to May 1

- In Table 2, Monterey Subarea, in the 'In 2027' boilerplate language, change May 1 to April 3

Moved by John North

Seconded by Christa Svensson

Motion passes unanimously

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