

INDEX OF ON-TIME ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND PUBLIC COMMENTS
ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES
March 20-24, 2012
STATEWIDE DUNGENESS CRAB, SHRIMP & MISCELLANEOUS SHELLFISH

This index of on-time advisory committee and public commits shows either SUPPORT or OPPOSITION for the individual proposals at this meeting. The center column indicates a comment was made but without a clear indication of support or opposition. The reference number (ACxx or PCxx) refers to the Advisory Committee comment number or Public Comment number. The full comment as submitted can be found in the Advisory Committee tab or Public Comment tab of the board book (Record Copy 1). The notation of "S/A" indicates support as amended.

Proposal no.	Issue3	Support	Comment	Oppose
Westward Dungeness Crab (2)				
345	Close Dungeness crab season December 31, rather than January 1, and update regulatory coordinates in fishing season regulation.			
346	Amend regulatory description of registration area and districts.			
Kodiak Dungeness Crab (3)				
347	Change fishing season to June 15 through December 31.			
348	Implement 1,000 pot limit per vessel.			Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9
349	Designate Kodiak District a superexclusive registration district.			
Statewide Scallop (1)				

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350	Allow scallop harvest from multiple registration areas when an observer is aboard.	Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9 ASA PC7 S/A		Homer AC4
Prince William Sound Scallop (1)				
351	Establish new management district subsections for scallop in PWS.		Homer AC4	
Westward Scallop (3)				
352	Open specified waters currently closed in Registration Area M to scallop fishing.	ASA PC7		King Cove AC7
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354	Amend regulatory description for Registration Area J in description of the area, fishing seasons and closed waters.			
Westward Octopus (1)				
355	Establish octopus management plan for Registration Area J.	King Cove AC7 Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9		
Westward Shrimp (2)				
356	Align pot shrimp season with guideline harvest range.			

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357	Amend regulatory description of Registration Area J, districts, and sections.			
Prince William Sound Shrimp (10)				
358	Close the commercial shrimp pot fishery in PWS.			Valdez AC1 Scott PC3
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362	Amend regulatory fishing hours for commercial pot shrimp.	Scott PC3 S/A		Valdez AC1
363	Open Nellie Juan Fjord area to commercial shrimping.	Scott PC3		Valdez AC1
364	Amend gear marking requirements for commercial shrimp pot gear.	Scott PC3		
365	Restrict operation of sport, personal use, and subsistence shrimp pot gear by persons or vessels participating in the commercial shrimp pot fishery.		Homer AC4	Valdez AC1
366	Amend shrimp pot fishery registration from superexclusive to exclusive.			

Proposal no.	Issue3	Support	Comment	Oppose
367	Include references to the noncommercial shrimp fishery management plan in subsistence and personal use regulations.	Valdez AC1		
Prince William Sound Miscellaneous shellfish (except scallop) (3)				
368	Allow retention of octopus only as bycatch to other directed groundfish and shellfish fisheries.			
369	Repeal the reference to razor clam guideline harvest levels.			
370	Require a commissioner's permit for the commercial harvest of clams.			
Cook Inlet Miscellaneous (3)				
371	Extend the eastern boundary for the North Gulf Coast personal use shrimp fishery to Cape Fairfield.	Seward AC2 Kenai/Soldotna AC3		
372	Reduce the bag limit for hardshell clams in Cook Inlet to 80 clams of any species.	Kenai/Soldotna AC3 Homer AC4		
373	Re-establish Tyonek subsistence clam harvest area.			
Statewide Shellfish (6)				

Proposal no.	Issue3	Support	Comment	Oppose
374	Clarify restriction on use of sport, personal, or subsistence-caught shellfish by owner, operator, or employee of a lodge, charter vessel, or other enterprise that furnishes food, lodging, or sport fishing guide services.	Homer AC4 Wrangell AC5 Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9		
375	Require that commercial shellfish pots constructed of rigid mesh have a biodegradable escape mechanism identical to that required for subsistence, personal use, and sport shellfish pots.	Wrangell AC5	Homer AC4	
376	Clarify regulations regarding use of hook and line when taking octopus.	Homer AC4		
377	Establish a sustainable Dungeness crab policy.			
378	Establish a sustainable all-species shrimp policy.			
379	Establish a sustainable miscellaneous shellfish policy.			
Supplemental Proposals (6)				
380	Establish a definition for “anchor roller”.	Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9	Kapp PC2 Chaney PC4 Weyhrauch PC6	

Proposal no.	Issue3	Support	Comment	Oppose
381	Amend the maximum allowable harvest in Norton Sound red king crab fishery to align with revised harvest rates based on recent population model.			
382	Increase total allowable catch in the Aleutian Islands golden king crab fishery due to lack of adoption of new stock assessment model by crab plan team.	Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9 Davis PC5 Tremaine PC8	Kozak PC9	
383	Amend registration requirements in Bristol Bay salmon fishery to include electronic submission of registration and reregistration via the web.			
384	Amend regulation.	Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9		
385	This is a proposal based on a petition accepted by the Alaska Board of Fisheries at its Petersburg meeting in January 2011 requesting a revision to the management plan for Yukon River chum salmon.	YRDFA PC1 S/A		
386	Add marking requirements for ring nets in the subsistence, sport, and personal use shellfish fisheries.	Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC9		