RC 268

## Eric Beeman Support For Proposal 123 and 134 as modified

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I propose for the Big River sockeye fishery the following changes be taken to further reduce incidental chinook harvest:

Area on Cook Inlet's west side above Big River be closed.

Chinook cap be reduced to a maximum of 500.

An individual chinook cap of 12 chinook per permit. If met, permit can not fish or sell until regular season begins.

Additional area opened on Kalgin's south face be opened to accommodate existing fishermen. This area would be no further north than the SE corner.

Fishery to remain open on its current 3, 12 hour period basis per week until regular season begins, or until closed if chinook cap is exceeded.

Stacked permits to remain fisherable in this fishery provided both permits are registered in the general district.

Submitted by Eric M Beeman on 2/11/14

Also, if the majority of Kalgin Island fishermen support a switch DURING THE REGULAR SUMMERTIME SCHEDULE to a wed/sat schedule, rather than a mon/thurs schedule, I support that.

David, I guess I really wasn't clear enough about my support for your modified proposals. I'm fine with the south end opened, individual king limits, cap at 500 kings. Would prefer 3 days per week in trade for individual caps and reducing total cap to 500 and also an area reduction north of Big River. I am not being lazy with the RC submission--I cant just email the board, must send a fax, probably possible at great hassle from where I am at(Great Barrier has no cash machines, banks,etc,etc,no hotels), so if you can submit something for me in my name that would work by far better. Could be pretty basic, stating that I support the above. Also, if you can talk to board member Fritz Johnson, let him know of my support on this, as I have written him of my initial concerns, and he knows I'm travelling. As for the wed, sat openings during the reg season, I'm OK enough with that, too.