

PERFORMANCE REPORT

STATE: Alaska

GRANT NO.: F-32-27s

GRANT TITLE: Sport Fish Investigations in Alaska

PERIOD COVERED: July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018

STUDY NO. AND TITLE: F-2-6 Kodiak Regional Aquaculture Association
Cooperative Agreement

STUDY OBJECTIVES:

1. Reimburse Kodiak Regional Aquaculture Association (KRAA) for producing up to 200,000 15-gram Chinook salmon smolt.
2. Negotiate and maintain a formal cooperative agreement between KRAA and Alaska Department of Fish and Game for production of Chinook salmon smolt to be released along the Kodiak Road System (KRS).

RESULTS/DISCUSSIONS:

Objective 1: KRAA was reimbursed for producing approximately 117,500 Chinook salmon smolt individually weighing an average of 15.0 grams, which were delivered to ADF&G from KRAA's Pillar Creek hatchery facility during May, 2018. They were stocked in the American and Olds rivers, and Salonie Creek.

Objective 2: A new cooperative agreement between KRAA and Alaska Department of Fish and Game was negotiated in 2014. This cooperative agreement is in effect through 2019. It maintains the goal of producing 200,000 15-gram Chinook salmon smolt to be released on the Kodiak Road System.

FINAL REPORT STATUS:

This performance report constitutes the final report of activities for study F-2-6 during this reporting period.

Project results for the current reporting period will be presented in 'Area Management Report for the Recreational Fisheries of Kodiak, 2017-18' (Fisheries Management Report, *in prep*).

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