

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS
OF THE
ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES

The Alaska Board of Fisheries will conduct a work session beginning Wednesday, October 5, 2004 at 8:30 am. In addition, the board will hold a new member orientation beginning 1:30 pm on Tuesday, October 4, 2004. No regulatory action will be taken at these meetings.

Among the items to be considered at the work session include:

Election of officers; board committee and task force reports [may include: BS/AI Crab Rationalization, Salmon Industry Restructuring Panel, other]; 2005/2006 board meeting schedule and call for proposals; agenda change requests (ACRs); petitions; meeting organization and establishment of committees for 2004/2005 meeting cycle; application of the Sustainable Salmon Fisheries Policy, including stocks of concern; and other informational report and/or administrative issues that may come before the board.

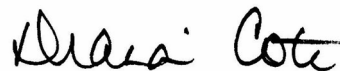
The work session will be held at the Coast International Inn at 3333 W. International Airport Rd in Anchorage, AK. This meeting is open to the public. No oral public testimony will be taken. Written comments may be sent to: Boards Support Section, PO Box 25526, Juneau, AK 99802, or FAX to: (907) 465-6094. For further information call 465-4110. An agenda will be available prior to the meeting and will be posted online at the following website:

<http://www.boards.adfg.state.ak.us/fishinfo/index.php>

The new member orientation will be held at the Millennium Hotel at 4800 Spenard Road in Anchorage. The purpose of the orientation is to provide information concerning the regulatory process.

If you are a person with a disability who needs a special accommodation in order to participate in the public meeting, please contact Diana Cote at 907-465-4110 (to correspond by text telephone (TDD), call 1-800-478-3648) no later than 72 hours prior to the meeting, to make any necessary arrangements.

Date: September 17, 2004



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