

**Alaska Board of Fisheries**  
 Work Session  
 October 9-11, 2012, Anchorage "\*\*\*\*\*"  
**Agenda Change Requests kpf gz'qhE qo o gpwu**

*This index of on-time advisory committee and public commits shows either SUPPORT or OPPOSITION for the individual ACRs 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.*

<b>ACR 1</b>	Designate Pacific herring as a forage fish under the provisions of the Forage Fish Management Plan. (5 AAC 27; 5 AAC 39.212)	AFN PC4 Sitka Tribe of Alaska PC19 Heather Riggs PC21 Aaron Bean PC26		Emil "Beaver" Nelson PC3 SHCA PC7 PVOA PC9 UFA PC14 SEAFA PC15
<b>ACR 2</b>	Change the weather delay criteria for opening the Chignik District Tanner crab fishery from small craft advisory to gale force wind warning. (5 AAC 35.510(b)(2))			UCIDA PC10
<b>ACR 3</b>	Establish times when a commercial set gillnet permit holder in the Lower Yukon Area may use dip net and beach seine gear to commercially harvest chum salmon during the summer season, including specifications and operations provisions for dip net and beach seine gear. (5 AAC 05.330(a); 5 AAC 05.362)			

ACR 4	Modify the Kenai River Late run King Salmon Management Plan in the Cook Inlet Area, including review and revision of current escapement goals, the time period the management plan is effective, burden of conservation between user groups, and priority of certain escapement goals. (5 AAC 21.359)			UCIDA PC10 UFA PC14 Eastside Setnetters PC16 KPFA PC20 Andy & Melissa Hall PC27
ACR 5	Allow commercial salmon seine net depth in the Alaska Peninsula Area to be measured in feet and inches which would allow additional webbing to be attached beyond the current restriction of 350 meshes of 3.5 inch and 25 meshes at 7 inches. (5 AAC 09.332)			
ACR 6	Modify the area in the Kenai River where a person may take salmon with a personal use dip net from shore. (5 AAC 77.540(c)(1)(D))			UCIDA PC10
ACR 7	Change the vessel size limit for the Registration Area O (Aleutian Islands Area) red king crab fishery, in state waters from 172° W. long. to 179° W. long., from 90 feet or less in overall length to less than 60 feet in overall length. (5 AAC 34.610(d))	ACDC PC6		
ACR 8	Establish a pot limit of 10 pots per vessel fishing for red king crab near Adak Island in Registration Area O (Aleutian Islands Area). (5 AAC 34.625(x))	ACDC PC6		

<b>ACR 9</b>	Modify the waters in the Tsiu River in the Yakutat Area that are closed to commercial salmon fishing to facilitate an orderly fishery for the commercial and sport fisheries. (5 AAC 30.350(a)(12))	Tsiu River Coalition PC8 Edward Rabinowe PC12		Yakutat AC1 City & Borough of Yakutat PC5 PVOA PC9 UCIDA PC10 UFA PC14 SEAFA PC15
<b>ACR 10</b>	Direct the Department of Fish and Game provide a status of king salmon stocks and recommend that early run Kenai River king salmon be declared a stock of concern at an unspecified level. (5 AAC 39.222; 5 AAC 57.160)	UCIDA PC10		
<b>ACR 11</b>	Modify the Central District Drift Gillnet Fishery Management Plan in the Cook Inlet Area, including restrictions to the drift gillnet fleet, conditions for additional fishing time from July 16-31, addressing the 4.6 million fish trigger, and establishing that minimum escapement goals take priority on exceeding the upper end of other salmon species escapement goals. (5 AAC 21.353)	AOC PC23		UCIDA PC10
<b>ACR 12</b>	Change the weather delay criteria for opening the Chignik District Tanner crab fishery from small craft advisory to gale force wind warning. (5 AAC 35.510(b)(2))			UCIDA PC10

<p><b>ACR 13</b></p>	<p>Remove superexclusive and exclusive vessel registration for state waters Pacific cod fisheries in the Prince William Sound, Cook Inlet, Kodiak, Chignik, and South Alaska Peninsula management areas. (5 AAC 28.267; 5 AAC 28.367; 5 AAC 28.467; 5 AAC 28.537; 5 AAC 28.577)</p>	<p>UCIDA PC10 Gregory Gabriel PC24</p>		
<p><b>ACR 14</b></p>	<p>Allow a selective gear comprised of a seine lead that directs salmon into a live box be used by a set gillnet permit holder in the waters along the east coast in the Central District in the Cook Inlet Area, including gear specifications and operations standards. (5 AAC 21.330(b)(3)(C))</p>	<p>Brian Gabriel PC22 S/A</p>		<p>UCIDA PC10 Eastside Setnetters PC16 Andy &amp; Melissa Hall PC27</p>
<p><b>ACR 15</b></p>	<p>Change the Board of Fisheries' meeting schedule to move Pacific cod issues in the Alaska Peninsula – Aleutian Islands areas so as not to conflict with the commercial fisheries. (5 AAC 96.600)</p>	<p>PVOA PC9 Ernie Weiss PC17</p>		
<p><b>ACR 16</b></p>	<p>Change the opening date of the commercial Tanner crab season in the South Peninsula District of Registration Area J (Westward) from January 15 to January 3. (5 AAC 35.510(c)(1))</p>			

<p><b>ACR 17 –</b></p>	<p>Amend Kenai River Late Run and Kenai River and Kasilof River Early run management plans to reflect new escapement goals to be adopted prior to the 2013 fishing season. (5 AAC 21.359; 5 AAC 57.160)</p>	<p>Eastside Setnetters PC16 KPFA PC20 Andy &amp; Melissa Hall PC27</p>	<p>UCIDA PC10</p>	
<p><b>ACR 18</b></p>	<p>Require the Department of Fish and Game forward identifying and permit information to the Department of Public Safety regarding an individual who fails to return a personal use salmon fishing permit after the season in the Upper Cook Inlet personal use salmon fishery and not issue a personal use salmon fishing permit to that individual during the next calendar year. (5 AAC 77.015(d); 5 AAC 77.540(a)(3))</p>		<p>UCIDA PC10 KPFA PC20</p>	
<p><b>ACR 19</b></p>	<p>Include “salmon stream terminus” in the closed waters regulation as the reference point from which to measure the 500 yard salmon stream closure. Sever all regulatory terms and legal descriptions associated with the Anadromous Waters Catalog (AWC) from the enforcement of closed waters for commercial salmon fishing. (5 AAC 39.290; 5 AAC 39.975; 5 AAC 95.011)</p>		<p>UCIDA PC10</p>	

<b>ACR 20</b>	Establish a specific date in the Kenai River Late Run King Salmon Management Plan in the Cook Inlet Area, when the project inriver run is less than 17,800 king salmon, during which certain established conservation measures are taken. (5 AAC 21.359(b)(3))			UCIDA PC10 Eastside Setnetters PC16 Andy & Melissa Hall PC27
<b>ACR 21</b>	Clarify the commissioner of fish and game's inseason management authority to preclude and to mitigate an "economic disaster and allow alternative means to harvest surplus salmon stocks. (5 AAC 39.XXX)			UCIDA PC10