

**PROPOSAL 53**

**5 AAC 28.467. Kodiak Area Pacific Cod Management Plan.**

Add unharvested Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod jig gear quota to the pot gear allocation the following calendar year, as follows:

Any unharvested Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod jig gear quota shall be added to the Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod pot gear GHl allocation the following calendar year. This would not change the GHl allocations between gear types, but it would allow pot boats to catch any unharvested jig gear quota during the following years' state-waters pot gear fishery.

**What is the issue you would like the board to address and why?** The Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod jig gear GHl allocation is not fully harvested in most years. Fully harvesting the GHl would benefit the community of Kodiak and the industry as a whole.

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