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5 AAC 28.430. Lawful gear for Kodiak Area; 5 AAC 28.432. Groundfish pot storage requirements for Kodiak Area; and 5 AAC 28.467. Kodiak Area Pacific cod management plan.

Allow groundfish pots to be longlined in the Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod fishery as follows:

Allow to longline slinky pots for Pacific cod during the state water Pacific cod pot season.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Allow to longline slinky pots for Pacific cod during the state water Pacific cod pot season. In PWS recently adopted new regulations to allow longline slinky pots for Pacific cod during the state water Pacific cod season. Which I participated and fishing with slinky pots was awesome. It gives more opportunity for smaller vessels to participate in the pot state water Pacific cod season.

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