



**Advisory Announcement**  
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**SOUTHERN, NORTHERN, AND JOINT SOUTHEAST REGIONAL ENHANCED  
SALMON PLANNING TEAM MEETING**

Tuesday, April 8th, 2025, at 9:00 a.m.  
Ted Ferry Civic Center  
888 Venetia Way, Ketchikan, Alaska  
Virtual meeting option will be available.

The Southern, Northern, and Joint Southeast Regional Planning Teams (RPTs) will hold their annual spring meetings concurrently at the above date and time. RPTs are a valuable part of the State of Alaska's salmon fishery enhancement program. RPTs are advisory to the commissioner of Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G). RPTs are composed of six members, three are ADF&G staff appointed by the commissioner and three are fishery representatives appointed by the regional aquaculture association. In Southeast Alaska, the Joint RPT is made up of nine members, three are ADF&G staff appointed by the commissioner, three fishery representatives appointed by Northern Southeast Regional Aquaculture Association (NSRAA) and three fishery representatives appointed by Southern Southeast Regional Aquaculture Association (SSRAA). RPT meetings are open to the public and public participation is encouraged.

The Northern Southeast RPT will address a 7.5 million chum salmon egg reduction at Crawfish Inlet and make recommendations to the commissioner. The Southern RPT will address a proposed release of Chickamin River stock Chinook salmon at Anita Bay. The Joint RPT will review allocation of hatchery-produced salmon and submit recommendations to the commissioner; conduct a performance review on Crawfish Inlet per 5 AAC 40.860; start a review on all chum salmon release sites in the Southeast enhancement region; and continue discussion on broodstock sanctuaries. Discussions may include other topics concerning hatchery-produced salmon.

For more information on regional planning teams:

<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishingHatcheriesPlanning.regional>

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