



D5 Salmon FMP Amendment Cook Inlet Salmon Committee Report

October 2019 Council Meeting

Action Memo

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Other Presenters: Gretchen Harrington (NMFS, AKRO)

Action Required: 1. Review committee minutes and timeline for completing analysis
2. Provide direction to the Committee as necessary

BACKGROUND

The Cook Inlet Salmon Committee (Committee) was created to assist in identifying measures needed to amend the Salmon FMP to extend federal oversight to salmon fisheries that operate in EEZ waters of Cook Inlet.

The Committee will meet in Homer on September 30, 2019 and their [agenda](#) will cover:

- Delegation of Management Measures under Alternative 2
- Reporting and Monitoring Requirements
- Economic and Community Impacts
- Timeline for Completion of Amendment

After the meeting, a Committee Report of recommendations to the Council on each of the agenda items listed above will be posted under D5 as quickly as possible to allow for review before this agenda item comes up. Committee recommendations are needed for development of management measures to be included in an analytical document.

A timeline for completion of the analysis supporting the FMP amendment will be reviewed with the Committee, which identifies potential future Council meetings for which initial review could be scheduled. No action is required under this agenda item, however, the Council may wish to provide direction to the Committee as to the timing and focus of its next meeting.