

North Pacific Fishery Management Council
D-2 Standardized Bycatch Reporting Methodology in FMPs
Council Motion
January 31, 2020

- The Council determines that the Arctic, BSAI Groundfish, and GOA Groundfish FMPs are all in compliance with current SBRM guidance and that no amendments are necessary.
- The Council initiates an analysis to implement FMP amendments for the BSAI Crab FMP and the Scallop FMP. The amendments would explicitly identify a SBRM, explain how it meets the SBRM purpose, and address the four SBRM components, consistent with national guidance.
- In developing the amendment to the Salmon FMP to address Cook Inlet, the Council will ensure that the SBRM is explicitly identified in the FMP.