The Council selected the following as the Preliminary Preferred Alternative:

Alternative 2 Option 1, and Alternative 3

The text of the Preferred Alternative reads:

- **Alternative 2, Option 1:** Establish a transit area, open from April 1 through August 15, annually, north of a line from 58° 47.90’ N, 160° 21.91’ W to 58° 32.94’ N, 159° 35.45’ W, maintaining a minimum of 3 nm from Round Island.

- **Alternative 3:** establish a transit area in the EEZ near Cape Peirce, open from April 1 through August 15, annually, east of a line from 58° 30.00’ N, 161° 46.20’ W to 58° 21.00’ N, 161° 46.20’ W