

# NPFMC COMMITTEE AND PLAN TEAM LIST

## NPFMC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES

### Executive/Finance Committee

Membership updated 10/2023

Status: Meet as necessary Staff: Dave Witherell/Nicole Schmidt	Rachel Baker, ADF&G Angel Drobnica, NPFMC (Chair) Jon Kurland, NMFS Chris Oliver, PSMFC Bill Tweit, WDFW Steve Williams, ODFW
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### Legislative Committee

Formed 5/2015, Membership updated 10/2023

Status: Meet as necessary Staff: Dave Witherell	Rachel Baker Nicole Kimball Angel Drobnica (Chair) Jon Kurland Chris Oliver Bill Tweit Steve Williams
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### Joint Protocol Committee (Council/Board of Fisheries)

Membership updated 6/2024

Status: Meet as necessary Staff: Dave Witherell	<i>Council:</i> Angel Drobnica Andy Mezirow Vacant	<i>Board of Fisheries:</i> Märit Carlson-Van Dort Vacant Vacant
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### Crab Interim Action Committee

*Required under BSAI Crab FMP*

Membership updated 9/2022

Status: Meet as necessary Staff: Dave Witherell	Jon Kurland, NMFS Doug Vincent-Lang, ADF&G Kelly Susewind, WDFW
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## ADVISORY BODIES REQUIRED UNDER STATUTE

### Scientific and Statistical Committee

Membership updated 12/2023

Chris Anderson, UW	Michael Jepson, Independent
Amy Bishop, UAF	Kailin Kroetz, ASU
Curry Cunningham, UAF	*Kathryn Meyer, WDFW ( <i>alt Fabio Caltabellota</i> )
Martin Dorn, AFSC	Franz Mueter, UAF (Co-Chair)
Mike Downs, Independent	Andrew Munro, ADFG
*Sherri Dressel, ADFG (Co-Chair)	Chris Siddon, ADFG
*Robert Foy, AFSC	Ian Stewart, IPHC
Jason Gasper, NMFS	Patrick Sullivan, Independent
Dana Hanselman, AFSC	Robert Suryan, AFSC
Brad Harris, APU	*Alison Whitman, ODFW (Vice-Chair)

\*Members are appointees of Statutory Agencies represented on Council. All other members are at-large appointees.

### Advisory Panel

Membership updated 1/2024

Tiffany Agayar Andrew	Craig Lowenberg
Tamara Briggie	Heather Mann
Eva Dawn Burk	Lauren Howard
Shannon Carroll	Patrick O'Donnell
Nels Evens	Landry Price
Gretar Gudmundsson	Chelsae Radell
Tim Heuker	Brian Ritchie
James Johnson	Annika Saltman
Mellisa Johnson	Paul Wilkins
Julie Kavanaugh	Susie Zagorski
Rick Laitinen	

## **NPFMC PLAN TEAMS**

### **Bering Sea Aleutian Islands Crab Plan Team**

Membership updated 4/2024

Bill Bechtol, UAF Homer Ben Daly, ADFG Kodiak Ginny Eckert, UAF Juneau Erin Fedewa, AFSC Kodiak Brian Garber-Yonts, AFSC Portland Tyler Jackson, ADFG Kodiak Mike Litzow, AFSC Kodiak (Co-Chair) Krista Milani, NMFS Dutch Harbor	Ethan Nichols, ADFG Dutch Harbor Andrew Olson, NMFS Juneau Katie Palof, ADFG Juneau (Co-Chair) Andre Punt, UW Seattle Sarah Rheinsmith, NPFMC (Coordinator) Buck Stockhausen, AFSC Seattle Cody Szuwalski, AFSC Seattle <i>Vacant, quantitative expert, ADFG</i>
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### **Bering Sea Aleutian Islands Groundfish Plan Team**

Membership updated 12/2023

Steve Barbeaux, AFSC Seattle (Co-Chair) Lukas DeFilippo, AFSC Juneau Allan Hicks, IPHC Lisa Hillier, WDFW Kirstin Holsman, AFSC Seattle Philip Joy, ADFG Fairbanks Andrew Kingham, AFSC Beth Matta, AFSC Seattle	Andrew Seitz, UAF Kalei Shotwell, AFSC Juneau (Co-Chair) Diana Stram, NPFMC (Coordinator) Jane Sullivan, AFSC Juneau Cindy Tribuzio, AFSC Juneau (Vice Chair) Steve Whitney, NMFS Juneau <i>Vacant</i> <i>Vacant</i>
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### **Gulf of Alaska Groundfish Plan Team**

Membership updated 8/2023

Sara Cleaver, NPFMC (Coordinator) Craig Faunce, AFSC Seattle Lisa Hillier, WDFW Peter Hulson, AFSC Juneau Jim Ianelli, AFSC Seattle (Co-Chair) Abby Jahn, NMFS Juneau Sandra Lowe, AFSC Seattle	Chris Lunsford, AFSC Juneau (Co-Chair) Nathaniel Nichols, ADFG Kodiak Cecilia O'Leary, AFSC Seattle Janet Rumble, ADFG Juneau Paul Spencer, AFSC Seattle Ben Williams, AFSC Juneau <i>Vacant</i> <i>Vacant</i>
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### **Scallop Plan Team**

Membership updated 8/2023

Ryan Burt, ADFG Kodiak Mike Byerly, ADFG Homer Tyler Jackson, ADFG Kodiak (Co-Chair) Sarah Rheinsmith, NPFMC (Co-Chair/Coordinator)	Scott Miller, NMFS Juneau Skyler Bayer, NMFS Juneau <i>Vacant, Quantitative Expert (1)</i> <i>Vacant, ADF&amp;G (2)</i>
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**Bering Sea Fishery Ecosystem Plan Team**

Formed 12/2016, Membership updated 10/2023

Kerim Aydin, AFSC Seattle (Co-Chair) Danielle Dickson, NPRB Michael Dalton, AFSC Seattle Diana Evans, NPFMC (Co-Chair, Coordinator) Davin Holen, Alaska Sea Grant Jim Ianelli, AFSC Seattle	Heather Renner, USFWS Homer Elizabeth Siddon, AFSC Juneau Phyllis Stabeno, PMEL Seattle Ian Stewart, IPHC Jared Weems, ADFG Kodiak Stephani Zador, AFSC Seattle <i>Vacant - NMFS Alaska Region</i>
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**Social Science Planning Team**

Formed 6/17, Membership updated 10/2024

Caroline Brown, ADFG Courtney Carothers, UAF Sam Cunningham, NPFMC Mike Downs, SSC (Co-Chair) Mike Fey, AKFIN Kate Haapala, NPFMC	Seth Macinko, URI Sarah Marrinan, NPFMC (Coordinator) Scott Miller, NMFS Marysia Szymkowiak, AFSC Sarah Wise, AFSC (Co-Chair)
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## **NPFMC FISHERY ECOSYSTEM PLAN TASKFORCES**

### **Bering Sea FEP: Climate Change Action Module Taskforce**

Membership updated 9/2022

Lauren Divine, Aleut Community of St. Paul	Todd Loomis, F/V Ocean Peace
Jason Gasper, NMFS	Steve Martell, SeaState
Scott Goodman, Natural Resources Consultants/ BS	Brenden Raymond-Yakoubian, Sandhill.Culture.Craft
Kirstin Holsman, AFSC (Co-Chair)	Jeremy Sterling, AFSC Marine Mammal Laboratory
Mike LeVine, The Ocean Conservancy	Diana Stram, NPFMC (Co-Chair, Coordinator)

## NPFMC COMMITTEES

### Charter Halibut Management Committee

Appointed 6/2011, Membership updated 3/2023

Staff: Sarah Marrinan	Seth Bone Forrest Braden Daniel Donich Mike Flores Kent Huff Matt Kopec	Stan Malcolm Andy Mezirow (Chair) Brian Ritchie Richard Yamada Steve Zernia Scott McKelvey
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### Community Engagement Committee

Membership updated 10/2023

Staff: Kate Haapala	Jennifer Hooper Mellisa Johnson Nicole Kimball Merissa Merculieff	Megan Onders Tom Panamaroff Theresa Peterson Becca Robbins Gisclair Rob Sanderson Ernie Weiss
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### Ecosystem Committee

Appointed 12/04, Membership updated 1/2024

Staff: Diana Evans	Jim Ayers Dave Benton Dave Fluharty Rose Fosdick Gretchen Harrington	John Iani Stephanie Madsen Theresa Peterson Bill Tweit (Chair) *vacancy (AFSC)
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### Enforcement Committee

Membership updated 1/2024

Staff: Sam Cunningham	CAPT Jason Brennell, USCG Karla Bush, ADFG Ben Cheeseman, OLE (Co-chair) Jennifer Ferdinand, AFSC Andrea Hattan, NOAA-GC	Brian McTague, NOAA-GC Alicia Miller, NMFS Shane Nicholson, AK Wildlife Troopers Steve Williams, ODFW (Co-Chair)
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### Fishery Monitoring Advisory Committee (FMAC)/ Partial Coverage Fishery Monitoring Adv Committee (PCFMAC)

Membership updated 4/2024

Staff: Sara Cleaver	Bob Alverson** Julie Bonney** Ruth Christiansen Beth Concepcion Kathy Hansen** Stacey Hansen** Todd Hoppe Julie Kavanaugh** Nicole Kimball (Co-Chair)** Charlotte Levy	Mike Orcutt Courtney Paiva Chad See Luke Szymanski** Abigail Turner-Franke** Bill Tweit (Co-Chair) Paul Wilkins Sarah Williamson Caitlin Yeager**
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\*\*Members of both FMAC and PCFMAC  
Nicole Kimball chairs PCFMAC

**IFQ Committee**

Reconstituted 7/2003, Membership updated 11/2023

Staff: Anna Henry	Karla Bush (Chair) Brian Dafforn Craig Evens Jeff Farvour Dave Fraser Natasha Hayden Jeff Kauffman	Linda Kozak Buck Laukitis David Little Shawn McManus Michael Offerman Peggy Parker Erik Velsko
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**Pacific Northwest Crab Industry Advisory Committee**

Membership updated 5/2023

Staff: Sarah Marrinan	Mark Casto Sean Dwyer (Chair) Lance Farr (Co-Chair) Dean Fasnacht Jamie Goen, (Secretary, non-voting) Jake Jacobsen	Steve Minor Gary Painter Edward Poulsen Brett Reasor Mike Simpson Elizabeth Reed
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**Trawl Electronic Monitoring Committee**

Appointed 4/2018, Membership updated 5/2021

Staff: Anna Henry	<i>Appointed:</i> Julie Bonney Ruth Christiansen Jared Fuller Charlotte Levy Heather Mann Mike Orcutt Mike Simpson Bill Tweit (Chair) Caitlin Yeager	<i>Agency:</i> Maggie Chan, NMFS AK Region Benjamin Cheeseman, NMFS OLE Dave Colpo, PSMFC Jennifer Ferdinand, NMFS AFSC Andrea Hattan, NOAA GC Enforcement Josh Keaton, NMFS AK Region Tom Meyer, NOAA GC Jennifer Mondragon, NMFS AK Region Courtney Paiva, PSMFC Brent Pristas, NMFS OLE Lisa Thompson, NMFS AFSC
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