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APPENDIX I  
NPFMC MEETING  
FEBRUARY 2009

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**February 4, 2009**

8:04 am            Call to Order, Agenda, Minutes Approval  
8:12:35 AM        B-1 ED Report - Chris Olive (NPFMC )  
8:29 AM --        B-2 NMFS Management Report - Sue Salvesson (NMFS )  
9:07:50 AM        Lauren Smoker, update on litigation  
9:10:24 AM        B-3 NMFS Enforcement Report - Matt Brown (NMFS Enforcement)  
9:49:08 AM        B-4 ADFG Report - Herman Savikko (ADF&G )  
10:18:01 AM      B-7 IPHC Report - Dr. Bruce Leaman, Greg Williams (IPHC )  
11:10:06 AM      B-8 Protected Species Report - Bill Wilson (Council )  
11:26:47 AM      Lowell Fritz, AFSC, (SSL population status)  
12:04:44 PM      Lunch Break  
1:10:35 PM        Continue B-8 Protected Species Report - Bill Wilson (NPFMC )  
1:25:02 PM        Public Comment - B-2 Protected Species - Donna Parker, Arctic Storm  
1:28:25 PM        Council Discussions - B Reports  
1:37:45 PM        'stand-down' to prepare for next report  
1:43:20 PM        C-1 AFA Co-op Reports - John Gruver, AFA CV Inter-coop Report  
1:52:07 PM        Ed Richardson, Hi-Seas Pollock Co-op Report  
2:14:53 PM        Karl Haflinger, BS pollock Inter-co-op Salmon Avoidance Agreement  
3:30:28 PM        Research Activities & Future Priorities -AFSC -- Doug DeMaster (AFSC)  
4:02:50 PM        Intro to C-2 Arctic FMP Agenda Items - Bill Wilson (Council )  
4:04:37 PM        C-2(a) 2008 Beaufort Sea Fish Survey - Libby Logerwell (AFSC)  
4:26:35 PM        Recess for the day

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**February 5, 2009**

8:02:17 AM Call to Order  
8:03:02 AM C-2 Arctic Fishery Management Plan  
8:03:17 AM Bill Wilson (NPFMC ); Melanie Brown (NMFS ) - Reports  
9:39:04 AM Pat Livingston, SSC Chair -- SSC recommendations - Arctic FMP  
9:46:07 AM Lori Swanson, AP Co-Chair -- AP recommendations - Arctic FMP  
9:47:13 AM Stephanie Madsen, Chair, Ecosystem Committee - Committee Report - Arctic FMP  
10:04:06 AM C-2 Arctic Fishery Management Plan -- Public Comments  
10:04:41 AM Dave Benton, Marine Conservation Association  
10:15:47 AM Ray Koonak, Sr., City of Point Hope  
10:18:28 AM Enoch Touyak, Native Village of Point Hope  
10:24:06 AM Verner Wilson, World Wildlife Fund  
10:29:45 AM Dorothy Childers, Alaska Marine Conservation Council  
10:32:20 AM Jim Ayers, Caleb Tungawiyi, Chris Krenz, Oceana  
10:50:42 AM John Chase, Northwest Arctic Borough  
11:02:29 AM Andrew Hartsik, Janis Searles, Ocean Conservancy  
11:06:42 AM Julie Raymond-Yakubian, Kawerak, Inc.  
11:09:23 AM Arni Thomson, Alaska Crab Coalition  
11:13:35 AM Charles Lean  
11:23:09 AM Council Discussion/Action - C-2 -- Arctic Fishery Management Plan  
12:01:22 PM Lunch Break  
1:10:03 PM C-3 Salmon Bycatch - Diana Stram (NPFMC staff); Sally Bibb (NMFS staff) -- Reports  
2:13:13 PM George Sugihara, Presentation on Legacy Program  
3:44:17 PM Break  
4:00:22 PM Continue, report: John Gruver (UCB) on Rolling Hot Spots/Legacy Strawman Proposal  
4:58:15 PM Stephanie Madsen, Ed Richardson, At-sea Processors Assn - Presentation: Financial  
Incentive Plan for Salmon Bycatch Reduction  
5:50:54 PM Recess for the day

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**February 6, 2009**

8:03:52 AM Call to Order  
8:05:01 AM Tim Andrew, Community of Marshall, public comment, Salmon Bycatch  
8:14:58 AM Don Rivard, public comments: Subsistence Regional Advisory Councils  
8:22:34 AM Joe Plesha, Trident, Presentation on ICA proposal  
9:13:21 AM Pat Livingston, SSC Co-Chair, SSC Report, C-3, Salmon Bycatch  
9:39:05 AM stand-down  
9:53:26 AM Lori Swanson, AP Co-Vice Chair, AP Report, C-3, Salmon Bycatch  
10:03:15 AM Public Comments - C-3, Salmon Bycatch  
10:05:37 AM Julie Rayomond-Yakoubian, Kawerak, Inc.  
10:09:37 AM George Pletnikoff, Greenpeace  
10:14:59 AM Art Nelson, Bering Sea Fishermen's Assn.  
10:30:46 AM Dwayne Johnson, City of Unalakleet  
10:35:39 AM Dorothy Childers, Alaska Marine Conservation Council  
10:52:58 AM Verner Wilson, World Wildlife Fund  
10:59:58 AM Michael Sloan, Kawerak, Inc.  
11:10:54 AM Andrew Bassich, Yukon River Panel/Eagle Advisory Council  
11:31:05 AM Jon Warrenchuk, Oceana  
11:49:16 AM Gerry Davis, Yukon Delta Fisheries Development Assn.  
12:01:44 PM Lunch Break  
1:10:54 PM Robin Samuelsen, Bristol Bay Economic Development Corp.  
1:47:15 PM Sky Starkey, Association of Village Council Presidents  
2:01:52 PM Stephen Taufen, Groundswell Fisheries Movement  
2:08:33 PM Glenn Reed/Mary McDowell, Pacific Seafood Processors Assn.  
2:37:40 PM Paige Drodny, Tanana Chiefs Conference  
2:44:56 PM Becca Robbins Gisclair, Yukon River Delta Fisheries  
2:58:28 PM Council Discussion - C-3, Salmon Bycatch  
3:11:45 PM Break  
3:19:58 PM B-5 USCG Report - LCDR Lisa Ragone  
4:14:45 PM Continue Council Discussion - C-3, Salmon Bycatch  
6:12:25 PM Recess for the day

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**February 7, 2009**

8:05:05 AM Call to Order  
8:05:11 AM Pat Livingston, SSC Chair -- Total SSC Report  
8:33:52 AM Discussion of SSC review of the salmon bycatch ICA proposals  
8:37:36 AM C-4 Amendment 80 - Glenn Merrill (NMFS) -- Report  
9:43:37 AM Lori Swanson, AP Report - C-4, Amendment 80  
9:51:36 AM Public Comment - C-4, Amendment 80  
9:51:52 AM Mike Szymanski, Shawn Gehan/Fishing Company of Alaska  
9:56:06 AM Lori Swanson, Groundfish Forum  
10:06:00 AM Dave Wood, U.S. Seafoods  
10:20:41 AM Susan Robinson, Fishermen's Finest  
10:28:30 AM Break  
10:39:57 AM Council Discussion - C-4 Amendment 80  
11:05:27 AM C-5 BSAI Fixed Gear Parallel Waters Fishery - Jeannie Heltzel (NPFMC) - Report  
11:30:46 AM Lori Swanson, AP Report - C-5, BSAI Fixed Gear Parallel Waters Fishery  
11:48:42 AM John Boggs, Pavlof Fisheries, LLC  
11:55:25 AM Kenny Down, Freezer Longline Coalition  
12:05:17 PM Julie Bonney, Alaska Groundfish Data Bank  
12:13:48 PM Lunch Break  
1:04:27 PM Council Discussion -- C-5 BSAI Fixed Gear Parallel Waters Fishery  
1:17:53 PM C-6(a) GOA pollock/P. Cod Sideboards - Jeannie Heltzel (NPFMC) - Report  
1:56:10 PM Lori Swanson, AP Report on C-6(a)  
1:58:41 PM Public Comments - C-6(a) GOA pollock/P. Cod Sideboards  
2:01:37 PM Brent Paine, United Catcher Boats  
2:22:08 PM Ken Tippett, Unalaska Co-op  
2:32:55 PM Donna Parker, C/V Sea Storm  
2:46:34 PM George Hall, F/V Progress  
2:49:07 PM Council Discussion - C-6(a) GOA pollock/P. Cod Sideboards  
3:20:00 PM Break  
3:30:41 PM C-6(b) GOA B Season Sideboards for Crab Vessels - Jon McCracken (NPFMC) -  
Report  
3:52:09 PM Lori Swanson, AP Report (C-6(b))  
3:53:09 PM Public Comments - C-6(b)  
3:53:31 PM Mike Shelford, F/V Aleutian Lady  
3:56:44 PM Julie Bonney, Alaska Groundfish Data Bank  
4:02:33 PM Council Discussion -- C-6(b) GOA B Season Sideboards for Crab Vessels  
4:05:33 PM C-7(a) BSAI Crab Regional Delivery Relief - Mark Fina (NPFMC) --Report  
4:55:36 PM Recess for the day

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**February 8, 2009**

8:01:18 AM Call to Order  
8:01:47 AM Jon Warrenchuk, Oceana (Comments on D-2(d), bottom trawling)  
8:12:08 AM Continue, report/questions, C-7(a) BSAI Crab Regional Delivery Relief  
8:18:32 AM Lori Swanson, AP Report on all C-7, BSAI Crab Issues  
8:29:09 AM Public Comments - C-7(a) BSAI Crab Regional Delivery Relief  
8:29:42 AM Steve Minor, North Pacific Crab Association  
8:33:42 AM Joe Sullivan, ICE Cooperatives  
8:59:50 AM George Hall, F/V Provider  
9:02:44 AM Simeon Swetzof, Jr./Mateo Paz-Soldan, City of St. Paul  
9:09:27 AM Heather McCarty, Central Bering Sea Fishermen's Assn.  
9:25:09 AM Everette Anderson, Aleutians Pribilof Island Community Development Corp.  
9:30:11 AM Lisa Ross/Elary Gromoff, TDX Corp.  
9:40:26 AM Leonard Herzog, Diamondback Fisheries  
9:46:53 AM Pat Hardina, Icicle Seafoods  
9:53:50 AM Jake Jacobsen, TBSU/KBO Coops  
9:57:11 AM Kale Garcia, Crab Group of Independent Harvester  
[Computer problems -- missed some info here]  
10:24:31 AM Council Discussion - C-7(a) BSAI Crab Regional Delivery Relief  
10:32:50 AM C-7-(b-d) BSAI Crab - Committee Rpt/Workplan,EDR Surveys - Mark Fina (NPFMC) -  
Reports  
11:25:51 AM Public Comments: C-7-(b-d) BSAI Crab - Committee Rpt/Workplan,EDR Surveys  
11:27:29 AM Stephen Taufen, Groundswell Fisheries Movement  
11:33:58 AM Linda Kozak, Kozak & Associates  
11:40:28 AM Tim Henkel, Deep Sea Fishermen's Union  
11:47:52 AM Steve Minor, North Pacific Crab Assn.  
11:51:10 AM Dave Zielinski, former crew member  
11:58:23 AM Tom Miller, former crew member  
12:01:30 PM Lunch Break  
1:07:58 PM Arni Thomson, Alaska Crab Coalition  
1:17:52 PM Shawn Dochtermann, Bering Sea Crab Crewmen Assn.  
1:32:29 PM Leonard Herzog, King Crab Harvester's Co-op  
1:40:22 PM Tim Miller, Crew member  
1:45:29 PM Council Discussion - C-7-(b-d) BSAI Crab - Committee Rpt/Workplan,EDR Surveys  
2:17:19 PM D-1 Halibut/Sablefish Issues - Jane DiCosimo (NPFMC) - Report  
2:23:14 PM Tim Henkel, Public comment - Halibut/Sablefish - inactive quota shares  
2:30:14 PM Continue with report - D-1(a) -- inactive quota shares  
2:43:56 PM Simeon Swetzof, Jr., halibut fisherman, public comment  
2:46:01 PM [Computer clock problems - had to re-boot computer]  
3:16:11 PM Council Discussion - D-1(a) -- inactive quota shares  
3:28:35 PM D-2(a) Comprehensive Data Collection - Jeannie Heltzel/Mark Fina (NPFMC) - Report  
3:32:14 PM D-2(b) Halibut PSC Discard Survival EFP - Todd Loomis /Gary Stauffer, N. Pacific  
Fisheries Foundation--Presentation  
3:48:47 PM Lori Swanson, AP Report - D-2(b) Halibut PSC Discard Survival EFP  
3:49:55 PM Public Comments - D-2(b) Halibut PSC Discard Survival EFP

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3:50:20 PM Greg Williams, IPHC  
4:04:45 PM Lori Swanson, Groundfish Forum  
4:06:21 PM Council Discussion -- D-2(b) Halibut PSC Discard Survival EFP  
4:10:19 PM Break  
4:27:15 PM D-2(e) Rockfish Program - Mark Fina (NPFMC) - Report  
5:36:51 PM Public Comments - D-2(e) Rockfish Program  
5:37:52 PM Heather McCarty, Island Seafoods  
5:44:27 PM Julie Bonney (Alaska Groundfish Data Bank/Lori Swanson, Groundfish Forum  
5:59:23 PM Recess for the day

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**February 9, 2009**

8:01:51 AM Call to Order  
8:02:06 AM Council Discussion D-2(e) CGOA Rockfish Program  
8:18:54 AM D-2(d) BSAI Bottom Trawl Sweep Requirements - Diana Evans (NPFMC) - Report  
8:24:27 AM Dr. Craig Rose (AFSC) - Report - D-2(d)  
8:39:09 AM Melanie Brown (NMFS-AKR) - Report D-2(d)  
9:07:37 AM Roy Hyder, Enforcement Committee Report -- D-2(d)  
9:07:39 AM Lori Swanson, AP report - D-2(d)  
9:13:05 AM John Gauvin, Best Use Cooperative - Public Comment (D-2(d))  
9:31:06 AM Council Discussion - D-2(d) -- BSAI Bottom Trawl Sweep Requirements  
9:54:14 AM Break  
10:08:46 AM D-2(f) AI Pacific Cod Processing Sideboards - Nicole Kimball (NPFMC) - Report  
11:13:49 AM Lori Swanson, AP Report D-2(f)  
11:22:29 AM Public Comments: D-2(f) AI P. cod processing sideboards  
11:22:38 AM Dave Wood, U.S. Seafoods  
11:35:39 AM Stephanie Madsen, At-sea Processors Assn.  
11:39:55 AM Lori Swanson, Groundfish Forum  
11:44:13 AM Dave Fraser, Adak Community Dev. Corp./Adak Fisheries  
12:05:23 PM Susan Robinson, Fishermen's Finest  
12:08:31 PM Lunch Break  
1:04:21 PM Brent Paine, United Catcher Boats  
1:10:46 PM Everette Anderson, Aleutian Pribilof Island Community Dev. Corp.  
1:15:20 PM Clem Tillion, Aleut Corporation  
1:20:09 PM 'stand-down'  
1:21:09 PM Council Discussion - D-2(f) Aleutian Islands Pacific cod processing sideboards  
1:47:22 PM D-3 (b) Staff Tasking - Nicole Kimball, Report on Alaska Native/Community Outreach  
2:04:47 PM D-3 -- Staff Tasking Chris Oliver, Review of Tasking  
2:38:38 PM Lori Swanson, AP report on D-3, Tasking  
2:41:29 PM Break  
2:58:35 PM Public Comments - D-3 Tasking  
2:59:26 PM Bob Alverson, Fishing Vessel Owners Assn.  
3:02:38 PM Stephen Taufen, Groundswell Fisheries Movement  
3:07:42 PM Frank Kelty, City of Unalaska  
3:09:09 PM Mateo Paz-Soldan, City of St. Paul  
3:11:13 PM Mike Szymanski, Fishing Company of Alaska  
3:13:05 PM Julie Bonney, Alaska Groundfish Data Bank  
3:14:26 PM Council Discussion - D-3 Tasking  
4:09:08 PM Adjourn Meeting