

### NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

# Fishery Monitoring Advisory Committee - 03/27/19 - Subgroup March 27, 2019

## Fishery Monitoring Advisory Committee SUBGROUP

March 27, 2019: 12:00pm - 4:00pm (or as necessary)

Teleconference number: 907-271-2896

#### Expected Outcomes from this meeting:

- Recommendations for the FMAC regarding cost savings and increased coverage
- Recommendations for the Council regarding other items as necessary

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TASK from the Council: Develop recommendations for how to potentially lower costs and increase observer coverage rates in the partial coverage observer category for groundfish and halibut fisheries, while maintaining: the data sufficient for managing the fisheries; randomized deployment; and, cost equity considerations among participants. This may include providing input on differential deployment base levels by gear type.

#### **COMMENTS & REPORT**

Please leave comments for all agenda items here

Attachments: FMACSubgroupREPORT0319

2. Cost Savings

a. Updates since the last meeting of the Subgroup (E. Figus)

Attachments: January 17 Meeting Report

b. Finalize recommendations for the FMAC (Group)

- 3. Other Items (time permitting)
  - a. Fee Analysis
  - b. Other items at the discretion of the Chair

Attachments: Website Related to Pro-Tech Contract Discussion

- 4. Scheduling
  - a. Scheduling (Chair + Group)

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