Southeast Alaska Purse Seine Task Force Agenda

Harrigan Centennial Hall, Sitka, Alaska December 3, 2019, 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Teleconference: 800-944-8766; Enter 14557#

I. Call meeting to order and introductions - Introduce participants, distribute handouts, and review agenda. Susan Doherty (SEAS) & Troy Thynes (ADF&G)

II. Review of 2019 season and Preview of 2019 season

- A. Summary of 2019 Season Harvest, Effort, & Value Handouts
- B. 2019 salmon escapements/harvests Andy Piston
- C. Ketchikan Management Area Bo Meredith
- D. Petersburg Management Area Paul Salomone
- E. Sitka Management Area Eric Coonradt
- F. Juneau Management Area Dave Harris
- G. 2020 NOAA/ADF&G pink salmon forecast—Andy Piston

III. Review Hatchery harvests, forecasts, and plans

- A. SSRAA Dave Landis
- B. NSRAA Steve Reifenstuhl
- C. DIPAC Eric Prestegard

IV. Discussion Topics

- A. Crawfish Inlet (Coonradt/Piston)
- B. Hawk Inlet TF (Harris)
- C. Chinook Salmon reporting (Thynes)
- D. Salmon Streams (Thynes/Managers)
- E. Opening Times-5 am and 15-hour openings (Managers)
- F. Districts 5 & 6 fishing area (Salomone/Thynes)
- G. Department BOF Proposals/Action Plans (Thynes)
- H. Salmon Disaster Relief (Fair)
 - a. 2016 department funds and use
 - b. Does 2019 qualify?
- I. New stock of concerns (Heinl/Piston)
- J. Chinook salmon action plans-open for adjustments & any department recommended adjustments (Harris, & Meredith)
- K. King Salmon River Chinook salmon (Heinl/Piston/Harris)
 - a. Stream monitoring past and present
 - b. Stream viability
 - c. Escapement goal review
- L. Whale Critical Habitat

V. Future Task Force Meetings

- A. Set next meeting time and place (Juneau).
- B. Adjourn.