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Alaska Board of Fisheries: Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, Bering Sea, and Chignik Pacific Cod Meeting | Anchorage |
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This index of on-time advisory committee and public comments shows SUPPORT, OPPOSITION, or SUPPORT WITH AMENDMENTS for individual ACRs. Late comments/RCs and comments that did not state an ACR number are not included here. The reference number (AC## or PC##) refers to the Advisory Committee or Public Comment number. Full comments can be found on the meeting page on the Board of Fisheries website.

#		Support	Support with Amendments	Oppose
1	Increase South Alaska Peninsula Area state-waters Pacific cod guideline harvest level from 30% to 50% of the estimated total allowable harvest of Pacific cod for the federal Western Gulf of Alaska Area	Fairbanks AC (AC1) Sand Point AC (AC3) Aleutians East Borough, Ernie (PC2) Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10)		Kodiak AC (AC2) Alaska Whitefish Trawlers Association (PC1) Benson, Brexten (PC3) Burkholder, Blake (PC4) CDQ Sector (PC5) Graham, Robert (PC8) Johnson, Chandler (PC9) O'Donnell, Patrick (PC16) Sholl, Carl (PC17) Sitton , Donald (PC18) Spokas, Micheal (PC19) Starr, Richard (PC20) Start, Robert (PC21)
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3	Increase South Alaska Peninsula Area state-waters Pacific cod guideline harvest level from 30% to 40%, with provisions to step up to a maximum of 50% of the estimated total allowable harvest of Pacific cod for the federal Western Gulf of Alaska Area if the full guideline harvest level is caught annually	Fairbanks AC (AC1) Sand Point AC (AC3) Aleutians East Borough, Ernie (PC2) Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10)		Kodiak AC (AC2) Alaska Whitefish Trawlers Association (PC1) Benson, Brexten (PC3) Burkholder, Blake (PC4) CDQ Sector (PC5) Graham, Robert (PC8) Johnson, Chandler (PC9) O'Donnell, Patrick (PC16) Sholl, Carl (PC17) Sittou, Donald (PC18) Spokas, Micheal (PC19) Starr, Richard (PC20) Start, Robert (PC21)
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	from 30% to 40%, with provisions to step up to a maximum of 50% of the estimated total allowable harvest of Pacific cod for the federal Western Gulf of Alaska Area if the pot gear allocation is caught annually	Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10) Ley, Ben (PC12)		CDQ Sector (PC5) Graham, Robert (PC8) Johnson, Chandler (PC9) O'Donnell, Patrick (PC16) Sholl, Carl (PC17) Sitton , Donald (PC18) Spokas, Micheal (PC19) Starr, Richard (PC20) Start, Robert (PC21)
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7	Increase South Alaska Peninsula Area state-waters Pacific cod guideline harvest level from 30% to 50%, with provisions to step up to a maximum of 60% of the estimated total allowable harvest of Pacific cod for the federal Western Gulf of Alaska Area if the full	Fairbanks AC (AC1) Sand Point AC (AC3) Aleutians East Borough, Ernie (PC2) Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10)		Kodiak AC (AC2) Alaska Whitefish Trawlers Association (PC1) Benson, Brexten (PC3) Burkholder, Blake (PC4) CDQ Sector (PC5) Graham, Robert (PC8) Johnson, Chandler (PC9) O'Donnell, Patrick (PC16) Sholl, Carl (PC17) Sitton , Donald (PC18) Spokas, Micheal (PC19) Starr, Richard (PC20)

	guideline harvest level is caught annually			Start, Robert (PC21)
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9	Establish closed waters adjacent to Unimak Pass during the Dutch Harbor Subdistrict and South Alaska Peninsula Area state-waters Pacific cod fisheries	Fairbanks AC (AC1) Sand Point AC (AC3) Aleutians East Borough, Ernie (PC2) Ley, Ben (PC12)	Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10)	Kodiak AC (AC2) Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC (AC4) Benson, Brexten (PC3) Burkholder, Blake (PC4) Graham, Robert (PC8) Johnson, Chandler (PC9) Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10) Laukitis, Buck (PC11) Morey, David (PC13) Neaton, Peter (PC15) Sholl, Carl (PC17) Sitton , Donald (PC18) Spokas, Micheal (PC19) Starr, Richard (PC20) Start, Robert (PC21) Under Sixty Cod Harvesters (PC22) Alaska Whitefish Trawlers Association (PC1)
10	Change Dutch Harbor Subdistrict state-waters	Fairbanks AC (AC1) Sand Point AC (AC3)	Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10)	Kodiak AC (AC2) Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC (AC4)

	Pacific cod pot gear fishery season open date to seven days following closure of the federal BSAI pot/longline vessel under 60 feet season or March 7, whichever is later	Aleutians East Borough, Ernie (PC2)		Benson, Brexten (PC3) Burkholder, Blake (PC4) Graham, Robert (PC8) Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10) Laukitis, Buck (PC11) Morey, David (PC13) Neaton, Peter (PC15) Sholl, Carl (PC17) Sitton, Donald (PC18) Spokas, Micheal (PC19) Starr, Richard (PC20) Start, Robert (PC21) Under Sixty Cod Harvesters (PC22)
11	Close state waters to commercial groundfish fishing with trawl gear west of 170° W. longitude	Burkholder, Blake (PC4) Cozby, Josh (PC6) Kavanaugh, Garrett (PC10) Neaton, Peter (PC15) Under Sixty Cod Harvesters (PC22)		Sand Point AC (AC3) Unalaska/Dutch Harbor AC (AC4) Benson, Brexten (PC3) Graham, Robert (PC8) Sitton, Donald (PC18) Starr, Richard (PC20) Start, Robert (PC21)