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ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES

2025 Work Session

October 28–29, 2025 | Dena'ina Civic & Convention Center, Anchorage

PRELIMINARY SUMMARY OF ACTIONS

All documents for this meeting, including this summary, can be found on the board's website at:

<https://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fisheriesboard.meetinginfo&date=10-28-2025&meeting=anchorage>

Board Members Present (7 of 7)

Märit Carlson-Van Dort, Chair Tom Carpenter, Vice-chair
Curt Chamberlain Gerad Godfrey
Olivia Irwin Greg Svendsen
Mike Wood

Election of Officers, and Ethics Disclosures: Märit Carlson-Van Dort was re-elected as the board chair. Tom Carpenter was re-elected as vice-chair. Board member Mike Wood recused himself from the consideration of Agenda Change Request #6.

2027/2028 Tentative Board Meeting Dates and Locations: The board chose the following preferred and backup meeting dates and locations for the 2027/2028 meeting cycle. Boards Support will work to secure the meeting venues and other necessary arrangements and will report back with confirmed dates & locations at a future meeting.

Meeting (Recommended Days)	Location	Proposed Dates	Backup Dates
Work Session (2)	Anchorage	October 27–28 2027	October 20–21, 2027
Prince William Sound Finfish (7)	Anchorage	December 1–7, 2027	December 8–14, 2027 or December 16-22, 2027
Southeast Finfish and Shellfish (13)	Sitka	January 19–31, 2028	Jan 26–Feb 7, 2028
Statewide Dungeness, Crab, Shrimp and other Miscellaneous Shellfish (6)	Anchorage	March 22–27, 2028	March 1–7, 2028

Review of the 2025/2026 Meeting Cycle Workload: The board voted to add one day to the Bristol Bay finfish meeting, increasing the number of days from five to six. At this time, it is not yet known if this additional day will be added to the beginning or the end of the currently planned meeting dates.

The board also voted to add one day to the statewide finfish meeting, increasing the number of days from four to five. The new meeting dates will be March 18-21, 2026.



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Agenda Change Requests:

The board accepted Agenda Change Requests #5 and #8 and scheduled both of these accepted ACRs for consideration at the March 2026 statewide finfish & supplemental issues meeting.