

Submitted by the Alaska Department of Fish and Game at the request of Board Member Payton.

December 1, 2016

**Proposed substitute language for Proposal 43**

5AAC 28.350 (2) is amended to read:

(2) waters of Kachemak Bay enclosed by [LINE FROM ANISOM POINT (59° 32.10' N. LAT., 151° 27.00' W. LONG.) TO SIXTY-FOOT ROCK, THEN SOUTH FROM SIXTY-FOOT ROCK TO THE NORTHERNMOST TIP OF YUKON ISLAND (59° 32.00' N. LAT., 151° 29.30' W. LONG.) THEN SOUTH FROM THE SOUTHERNMOST TIP OF YUKON ISLAND (59° 30.70' N. LAT., 151° 29.40' W. LONG.) TO THE NORTHEAST TIP OF HESKETH ISLAND (59° 30.60' N. LAT., 151° 30.00' W. LONG.), THEN WEST FROM THE WESTERNMOST TIP OF HESKETH ISLAND (59° 30.40' N. LAT., 151° 31.90' W. LONG.) TO A POINT AT 59° 30.40' N. LAT., 151° 49.00' W. LONG., THEN NORTH ALONG THAT LONGITUDE TO A POINT AT 59° 33.33' N. LAT., THEN NORTHEAST TO A POINT AT 59° 34.70' N. LAT., 151° 44.00' W. LONG., THEN EAST ALONG THAT LATITUDE TO 151° 30.00' W. LONG., THEN NORTH ALONG THAT LONGITUDE TO THE POINT THAT INTERSECTS WITH THE MAINLAND] the lines east of Gull Island at 59° 34.68' N. lat., 151° 19.27' W. long. to the southernmost point of Gull Island at 59° 35.05' N. lat., 151° 19.90' W. long., then southwest to 59° 32.20' N. long., 151° 35.00' W. long., then south to 59° 30.40' N. lat., 151° 35.00' W. long., then west to 59° 30.40' N. lat., 151° 45.00' W. long., then northeast to 59° 33.00' N. lat., 151° 41.00' W. long., then northeast to 59° 34.70' N. lat., 151° 30.00' W. long., then north along that longitude to the point that intersects the mainland.

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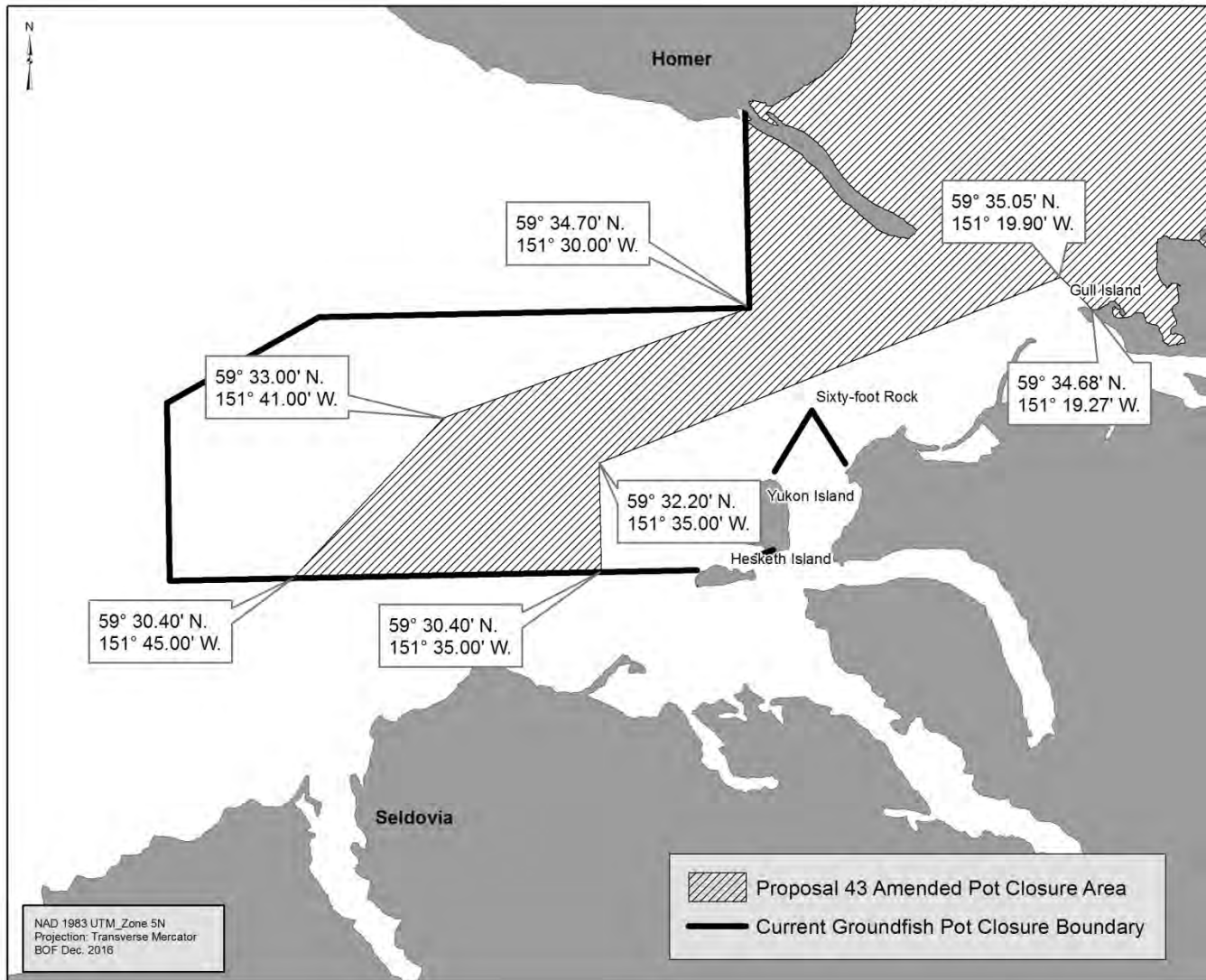


Figure 1.-Map of the current and proposed areas closed to commercial groundfish pot gear.