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**ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES**  
Lower Cook Inlet Finfish Meeting

**December 10-13, 2019**

**Alaska Vocational Technical Center Student Services and Recreation Center, Seward**

**TENTATIVE AGENDA**

**NOTE: This tentative agenda is subject to change throughout the course of the meeting.**

This Tentative Agenda is provided to give a general idea to the public of the board's anticipated schedule. The board will attempt to hold to this schedule; however, the board is not constrained by this Tentative Agenda.

Deadline for SIGN-UP TO TESTIFY will be Tuesday, December 10 at 2:00p.m.

**Tuesday, December 10, 8:30 a.m.**

Morning

**OPENING BUSINESS**

Call to Order; Introductions of Board Members and Staff  
Board Member Ethics Disclosures

**STAFF REPORTS**

**PUBLIC TESTIMONY: Oral Public Testimony, including Advisory Committee Reports**

Public testimony will continue until those who are present at the meeting are heard; the board will continue working through its agenda immediately upon conclusion of public testimony.

Afternoon

Continue public testimony

**Wednesday, December 11, 8:30 a.m.**

Morning

**COMMENCE COMMITTEE WORK**

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – Group 1: Sport Fishing Regulatory Alignment, Seward Youth Fishery, Waters, Seasons, Limits, Definitions, Guide Services, Emergency Order Authority (16 proposals)



*Proposals 1-2 (Regulatory Alignment), Proposals 3-5 (Seward Youth Fishery), Proposals 6-13 (Waters, Seasons, Limits, and Methods and Means), Proposals 14-15, 282 (Definitions, Guide Services, and Emergency Order Authority)*

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – Group 2: Lower Cook Inlet Personal Use and Subsistence Fishing, Aquatic Plants, Salmon Hatcheries and Special Harvest Areas (14 proposals)

*Proposals 16-20 (Personal Use and Subsistence), Proposals 21-241 (Aquatic Plants) Proposals 22-28 (Salmon Hatcheries and Special Harvest Areas)*

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – Group 3: Fishing Districts, Closed Waters, Seasons and Seine Specifications, King Salmon Management Plan, Groundfish and Herring, and Aleutian Islands Area Groundfish (17 proposals)

*Proposals 29-36 (Fishing Districts, Closed Waters, Seasons and Seine Specifications), Proposals 37-38 (King Salmon Management Plan), Proposals 39-44, 278 (Groundfish and Herring, and Aleutian Islands Groundfish)*

**Thursday, December 12, 8:30 a.m.**

Morning

Continue Committee of the Whole

**COMMENCE FIRST DELIBERATIONS**

BOARD DELIBERATIONS on Group 1

Afternoon

BOARD DELIBERATIONS on Group 2

**Friday, December 13, 8:30 a.m.**

Morning

BOARD DELIBERATIONS on Group 3

Afternoon

Continue Board Deliberations

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

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AGENDA NOTES:

- 1) This agenda is TENTATIVE and subject to change during the meeting. A list of staff reports and roadmap will be available at the meeting. Schedule updates will be posted at the meeting. An audio of



the meeting should be available at the Board of Fisheries webpage (<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fisheriesboard.main>) during periods when the board is on the record.

- 2) Testimony is expected to be limited to three (3) minutes for individuals and groups and ten (10) minutes for advisory committee representative and regional advisory council representatives. These times may be changed by the chair in order to manage the volume of the workload. Advisory committee and regional advisory council representatives may present reports either at the beginning or end of public testimony. The representative should notify the board secretary whether he or she prefers the beginning or end of public testimony.
- 3) **BOARD COMMITTEES AND PUBLIC PANELS:** The board has established a number of board committees to provide additional review of proposals. Board committees are comprised of board members. The board selects public advisors to the committees from a list of qualified and interested members of the public compiled by the committee chairs following the oral testimony portion of the meeting. Advisory committee representatives are ex-officio advisors to all board committees and may move between board committees as they choose. The purpose of the committee process is to: 1) broaden public participation in the regulatory process; 2) provide another forum for stakeholders to discuss resolution of contentious issues; and 3) provide additional detailed information relative to proposals. **Committee of the Whole will serve as the committee structure for this entire meeting.**