

Kenai- Soldotna AC

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Positions taken on BOF proposals for March 17, 2015

Proposal 246 Support 8-3-0

Allows the department to manage to an Allocation which was taken away in 2012. This would allow department to adjust method and means to meet allocation. Those opposed liked things the way they are.

Proposal 247 Failed 4-7

Concern of overharvest by bringing new household's into the fishery. We did offer a amendment to include up to 8 pots

Proposal 248 support as amended 11-0

Remove all new requirements but have sport permits list actual weight. Department should have simple weigh yourself station in Whittier, Valdez, and Cordova.

Proposal 249 Failed 4-6-1

Concern of the word subsistence. Those for realize this would give allocation to all Alaskans for subsistence.

Proposal 250 support 11-0-0

Agreed with departments position

Proposal 251 support 11-0-0

Housekeeping to simplify reporting

Proposal 252 support 11-0-0

Agreed with department comments

Proposal 253 support 11-0-0 as amended

Unanimous in support with removal of dates in proposal

Proposal 254 failed 0-11-0

Helps prevent localized overharvest

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Proposal 256 support 11-0-0

Simple math usually fish increments of 5 pots makes things easier.

Proposal 257 support 11-0-0

Agree with department comments

Proposal 258 failed 2-7-2

Those against were for keeping a traditional commercial fishery. Those for are concerned about keeping a sustainable fishery.

Proposal 276 support 11-0-0

Want to protect the small boat fishery. Want to eliminate loop holes in the law.

Proposal 44 Pollock plan. Failed 0-11-0

There was zero support for a new fishery in a fully allocated area. There is no way to protect near shore fisheries. King Salmon conservation issues. There is no way this should happen.