

ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES

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PACIFIC COD FOR PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND, COOK INLET, KODIAK, CHIGNIK  
AND SOUTH ALASKA PENINSULA AREAS

PRELIMINARY ACTIONS

**Gulf of Alaska Pacific Cod (2)**

- N/A 1. Review licensing and reporting requirements for parallel Pacific cod fisheries for coordination with federal Pacific cod fisheries. *(No authority)*
- N/A 2. Require federal LLP license and observer when participating in a parallel Pacific cod fishery. *(No authority)*

**Kodiak Pacific Cod (6)**

- C/A 3. Develop regulations to coordinate state and federal Pacific cod fisheries in the Kodiak Area. *(Amended with substitute language set forth in RC 30 as amended)*
- N/A 4. Address harvest overage in state-waters Pacific cod pot fishery.
- N/A 5. Allow only jig gear onboard a registered state-waters Pacific cod jig vessel.
- N/A 6. Cap jig vessels 58 feet and larger to 10 percent of the state-waters Pacific cod jig allocation.
- N/A 7. Cap jig vessels over 58 feet to 25 percent of the state-waters Pacific cod jig allocation.
- C 8. Amend regulatory description of Kodiak groundfish area and districts.

**Chignik Pacific Cod (8)**

- C/A 9. Develop regulations to coordinate state and federal Pacific cod fisheries in the Chignik Area. *(Amended with substitute language set forth in RC 32 as amended)*
- N/A 10. Open the state-waters Pacific cod season seven days after federal Gulf of Alaska Pacific cod season closes.
- N/A 11. Open the state-waters Pacific cod season one week after federal Pacific cod season closes.
- N/A 12. Open the state-waters Pacific cod season one week after federal Pacific cod season closes, or March 1, whichever is earlier.
- N/A 14. Establish 14-day stand-down period for vessels using pot gear in a Pacific cod fishery prior to registering for the Chignik state-waters Pacific cod season.
- N/A 15. Reduce pot limit in state-waters Pacific cod fishery.
- N/A 16. Establish daily fishing period for Pacific cod fishery.
- C 17. Amend regulatory description of Chignik groundfish area and districts.

**Chignik and South Alaska Peninsula Pacific Cod (1)**

- N/A 18. Implement 7-day stand-down for vessels that fished Pacific cod in the BS-AI Area before registering for the Chignik or South Alaska Peninsula state-waters Pacific cod fisheries.

### South Alaska Peninsula Pacific Cod (15)

- C/A 19. Develop regulations to coordinate state and federal Pacific cod fisheries in the South Alaska Peninsula. *(Amended with substitute language set forth in RC 33 as amended)*
- N/A 20. Open state-waters Pacific cod season seven days after federal Western Gulf of Alaska A season Pacific cod pot sector closes.
- N/A 21. Open state-waters Pacific cod season on March 1, or seven days after federal Gulf of Alaska Pacific cod pot sector closes, whichever is later.
- N/A 22. Open state-waters Pacific cod season on March 15, or seven days after federal Western Gulf of Alaska Pacific cod pot sector closes if that closure is later than March 15.
- N/A 23. Establish regulatory allocation for mechanical jigging machine gear in the state-waters Pacific cod fishery.
- N/A 24. Establish regulatory allocation of 25 percent for state-waters Pacific cod jig fishery.
- N/A 25. Establish regulatory allocation of 30 percent for state-waters Pacific cod mechanical jig fishery.
- N/A 26. Establish regulatory allocation of 50 percent for state-waters Pacific cod jig fishery.
- N/A 27. Establish regulatory allocation of 50 percent for state-waters Pacific cod jig fishery.
- N/A 28. Establish regulatory allocation of 50 percent for state-waters Pacific cod jig fishery.
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- N/A 31. Establish regulatory allocation of 50 percent for state-waters Pacific cod jig fishery.
- C 32. Repeal one definition of mechanical jigging machine gear.
- C 33. Amend regulatory description of South Alaska Peninsula groundfish district and sections.

### Prince William Sound (6)

- N/A 34. Allocate the state-waters Pacific cod guideline harvest level.
- N/A 35. Establish a specific sector allocation for the jig fishery in PWS.
- N/A 36. Allow only vessels without a federal Pacific cod endorsement to participate in the state-waters Pacific cod fishery. *(No authority)*
- N/A 37. Require that Pacific cod from other areas be landed before a vessel participates in the state-waters Pacific cod fishery.
- N/A 38. Amend opening date of the state-waters Pacific cod season.
- C/A 39. Develop regulations governing the state-waters Prince William Sound Pacific cod fishery. *(Amended substitute language set forth in RC 34 as amended.)*

### Cook Inlet (3)

- N/A 40. Reallocate state-waters season guideline harvest level.
- N/A 41. Amend the opening date for state-waters season.
- C/A 42. Develop regulations governing the state-waters Cook Inlet Pacific cod fishery. *(Amended substitute language set forth in RC 39.)*

*\*C=Carried, F=Failed, T=Tabled, C/A=Carried as amended, N/A=No Action*