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## **Adak Community Development Corporation**

October 8, 2013

ADF&G Board of Fisheries  
Boards Support Section  
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Re: Proposal 29

Dear Chairman Karl Johnstone,

Adak Community Development Corporation (ACDC) is a non-profit community organization dedicated to promoting seafood harvesting and processing capacity in Adak.

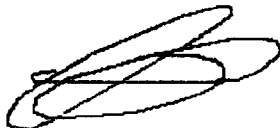
ACDC submitted Proposal 29 to increase the Aleutian Island State Water P. Cod.

**We ask that the Board take no action on Proposal 29.**

There is new information on the status of the P. Cod stock in the Aleutian Islands that has caused us to reconsider our proposal. Additionally, at its October meeting the NPFMC indicated that it will move forward with consideration of community protection measures in the Aleutian Island P. Cod fishery. We are also concerned that increasing state water harvest of P. Cod at this time could complicate the ongoing consultation on revising Steller Sea Lion restrictions for Aleutian Island fisheries.

Thank you for your consideration of our request.

Sincerely,



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