Charge to the Halibut LAMP Task Force 99-193 - FB

At their October 1999 work session the Board discussed local area fishery management planning and the status of tabled proposals relating to the issue. Based on these discussions the Board decided to table these proposals (#9,10,11, 423, 424,425, and 426) to their October 2000 meeting and to charge the Halibut LAMP task force to work on establishing geographies of the zones for local area fisheries management plans. This is a critical step in the development of these plans and will, by necessity; deal directly with the varying needs for the creation of these plans. The sub-committee is further charged with obtaining the participation of affected AC's (ad-hoc members) and interested stakeholders. Participants are advised that they will need to pay their own costs. A first meeting will be held concurrent with the December 1999 meeting of the North Pacific Fishery Management Council in Anchorage. The Board also requests that the task force report on its status at the March 2000 Board meeting. The following stakeholder participants are appointed as members to the Helibut LAMP

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Prince William Sound

- Daryl Shreve-Prince William Sound Charter representative
- (Open)-Prince William Sound Commercial representative
- (Open)-Prince William Sound Halibut Sport fishing representative
- Valdez, Cordova, Whittier AC representatives (ad-hoc members)

Resurrection Bay

- (Open)-Resurrection Bay Charter representative
- (Open)-Resurrection Bay Commercial representative
- Phil Cutler-Resurrection Bay Sport fishing representative
- Resurrection Bay & Anchorage AC representatives (ad-hoc members)

Cook Inlet

- Gary Ault-Homer Charter Assoc. representative
- Tim Evers- Deep Ck Charter Assoc. representative
- (Open)-Cook Inlet Commercial representative
- Cook Inlet Sport fishing representative
- Cook Inlet AC representatives (ad-hoc members)

Kodiak

- (Open)-Kodiak Charter representative
- Duncan Fields-GOA Coastal Commission
- Gail Vick-Kodiak Sport fishing representative
- (Open)-Kodiak Commercial representative
- Kodiak AC representatives (ad-hoc members)

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The Board Chairman will fill the open stakeholder seats on the task force at the appropriate time after nominations are received. It is anticipated that once the NPFMC has taken final action on the GHL issue and the task force has completed work on the geographic area definitions, the task force will be broken into separate entities. These task forces, defined by area, will then be charged and sent to work on comprehensive local area management plans for those areas.

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ADOPTED: Def 30.,1999 Fairbanks, Alaska

Dan Coffey, Chairman

Alaska Board of Fisheries

VOTE:

Unanimous Consent, all members present