

## TRIP REPORT

### North Pacific Fisheries Management Council Meeting. Portland

February 4th - 9th 2019

I attended the North Pacific Fisheries Management Council meeting held in Portland with councilmember Dave Gregory. The main topic for attending this meeting was to address item C4 on the agenda which was the Bering Sea Aleutian Islands P cod trawl CV issue. I provided testimony to the SSC on the 4th of February. I started out on the 5th February listening in on item C1 Bering Sea Aleutian Islands crab which was in front of the SSC. After spending the morning listening in on item C3 fixed gear rockfish that was in front of the AP I listened in on item C4 which was in front of the AP. On the Morning of the 6th of February the Ap took up the continuation of item C4 and I gave testimony on behalf of the City of Unalaska. The afternoon was spent listening in on D1 which was a presentation on partial deliveries of crab to the AP. In the afternoon of the 6 of February I listened in on C3 fixed gear rockfish which was in front of the council. On the 7th of February the council took up C4 Bering sea Aleutian Islands P cod trawl CV of which I gave testimony on what the City Council past in a meeting that supported alternative 3. From the 8th of February I listened in on C5 IFQ lease provisions and in the afternoon with D1 crab partial delivery which was in front of the AP. On Saturday February 9th I listened in on D3 halibut ABM report and then departed Portland.

The N Pacific fisheries management council passed a motion that split out alternatives 1, 2, 3 and 6 setting aside alternatives 4 and 5. The council will take up alternatives 1, 2, 3 and 6 at the April meeting.

I have a lot to catch up on as I haven't participated in the North Pacific Fisheries Management Council meetings since the late 1980s and early 90s.