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This index of on-time advisory committee and public comments shows SUPPORT, OPPOSITION, or SUPPORT WITH AMENDMENTS for individual Proposals. Late comments/RCS and comments that did not state an Proposal number are not included here. The reference number (AC## or PC##) refers to the Advisory Committee or Public Comment number. Full comments can be found on the work session meeting page on the Board of Fisheries website.

Proposal #		Support	Support with Amendments	Oppose
12	Add eel stick as a legal subsistence gear type for nonsalmon species in the Kuskokwim Area.	Bethel AC (AC1) Fairbanks AC (AC4) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
13	Amend sport fishing season for king salmon in the upper Kuskokwim River.	Bethel AC (AC1) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
14	Repeal bag and possession limits for sheefish in the Kanektok, Goodnews, and Arolik Rivers.	Bethel AC (AC1) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
15	Establish a 2 year closure on harvest of Yukon River Fall Chum salmon.	Fairbanks AC (AC4) Matanuska Valley AC (AC6)	Eagle AC (AC3) Native Movement(PC9)	Yukon Flats AC (AC9) Alakanuk Native Corporation(PC1) Algaaciq Tribal Government(PC2) Buster, Gabriel (PC4) Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Village of Nunam Iqua(PC10) Oney, Raymond (PC11) Village of Alakanuk(PC14) Yukon River Inter Tribal Fish Commission(PC16) Yupiit of Andreafski(PC17)

16	Close the mainstem Yukon River to the use 4" or less mesh gillnets for Fall Chum salmon conservation.	Fairbanks AC (AC4) Matanuska Valley AC (AC6)	Eagle AC (AC3) Native Movement(PC9)	Yukon Flats AC (AC9) Alakanuk Native Corporation(PC1) Algaaciq Tribal Government(PC2) Buster, Gabriel (PC4) Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Village of Nunam Iqua(PC10) Oney, Raymond (PC11) Village of Alakanuk(PC14) Yukon River Inter Tribal Fish Commission(PC16) Yupitit of Andreafski(PC17)
17	Allow the use of 6" or less mesh gillnets during times of salmon conservation.		Yukon Flats AC (AC9) Alakanuk Native Corporation(PC1) Algaaciq Tribal Government(PC2) Yukon River Inter Tribal Fish Commission(PC16)	Eagle AC (AC3) Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
18	Repeal the bag limit reduction and modify the open season for northern pike in Minto Flats.	Fairbanks AC (AC4)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
19	Repeal the bag limit reduction and modify the open season for northern pike in Minto Flats.	Fairbanks AC (AC4) Matanuska Valley AC (AC6)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
20	Repeal the bag limit reduction for northern pike in portions of Minto Flats.	Fairbanks AC (AC4)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
21	Allow a catch-and-release fishery for northern pike and modify gear in Harding Lake.	Fairbanks AC (AC4) Cook, Jeff (PC7)	Warner, David (PC15)	Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
22	Allow a catch-and-release fishery for northern pike in Harding Lake.	Fairbanks AC (AC4) Cook, Jeff (PC7) Warner, David (PC15)	Roppolo, Brian (PC12)	Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
23	Repeal special regulations for northern pike in Volkmar Lake	Native Movement(PC9)	Fairbanks AC (AC4)	Delta AC (AC2) Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
24	Repeal designated youth fishing days for Arctic grayling in the Chena River.	Fairbanks AC (AC4)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)

25	Repeal registration requirement for ice houses that are not removed from the ice daily in the Tanana River Area.	Fairbanks AC (AC4)		Delta AC (AC2)
26	Repeal Arctic grayling special regulations and gear restrictions for the confluence area of the Tanana River and Shaw Creek.	Delta AC (AC2) Fairbanks AC (AC4)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
27	Increase the bag and possession limit of stocked species in Rainbow Lake.	Delta AC (AC2) Fairbanks AC (AC4) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
28	Define beach seine gear specifications in effect when Norton Sound-Port Clarence subsistence fisheries are closed and immediately reopened with the non-retention of specific salmon species.	Southern Norton Sound AC (AC8) Native Movement(PC9)		Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
29	Establish a seasonal harvest limit of 25 sockeye salmon for the Sinuk River subsistence fishery.	Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Native Movement(PC9)		
30	Increase waters closed to subsistence fishing in the Sinuk River.	Native Movement(PC9)		
31	Expand waters closed to subsistence fishing for salmon in the Sinuk River.	Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
32	Repeal the subsistence fishing schedule in the marine waters of west of Cape Nome in Subdistrict 1 of the Norton Sound District	Seward Peninsula Subsistence Regional Advisory Council(PC13, RC8)	Native Movement(PC9)	Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7)
33	Prohibit the retention of king salmon when subsistence fishing with a beach seine in the Pilgram River	Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Southern Norton Sound AC (AC8) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
34	Reduce the subsistence fishing annual limit for Pilgram River king salmon.	Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Southern Norton Sound AC (AC8) Native Movement(PC9)		

35	Repeal the requirement for hook and line subsistence fishermen to follow sport fishing bag and possession limits in the northern Norton Sound area.	Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
36	Allow catch and release sport fishing for king salmon in the Unalakleet River drainage when the subsistence fishery is closed to the retention of kings.			Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Southern Norton Sound AC (AC8) Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
37	Close sport fishing for king salmon in the Pilgrim River.	Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Southern Norton Sound AC (AC8) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
38	Modify hook size specifications when sport fishing for salmon in the Northwestern Management Area.		Native Movement(PC9)	Northern Norton Sound AC (AC7) Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
39	Reduce the annual bag and possession limits for sheefish.	Native Movement(PC9)		Kotzebue Sound AC (AC5) Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
40	Establish a subsistence sheefish permit in the Kotzebue Area.	Kantner, Seth (PC8) Native Movement(PC9)		Kotzebue Sound AC (AC5)
41	Allow the use of bow and arrow when subsistence fishing for non-salmon fish species in the Arctic-Kotzebue Area.	Kotzebue Sound AC (AC5)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3) Native Movement(PC9)
42	Close waters in the Kotzebue District adjacent to the end of the Kotzebue airport runway to subsistence and commercial fishing.	Kotzebue Sound AC (AC5) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)
43	Repeal the commercial fishing season for sheefish in the Kotzebue District.	Fairbanks AC (AC4) Kotzebue Sound AC (AC5) Native Movement(PC9)		Montgomery, Ji (PC3)