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## SOUTHERN, NORTHERN, & JOINT SOUTHEAST REGIONAL PLANNING TEAM MEETING

Wednesday, December 2, 2020 (9:00 a.m.) Online

Juneau. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G), announces the Joint, Northern, and Southern Southeast Regional Planning Teams fall 2020 meeting will be held at the above time and place. The Regional Planning Teams (RPT) consist of representatives of salmon fishing gear groups and ADF&G personnel. RPTs were established by the Commissioner of ADF&G for the purpose of development and amendment of comprehensive salmon plans; making recommendations concerning private non-profit hatchery permits and permit alteration requests (PARs); and making recommendations concerning the allocation of enhanced salmon throughout Southeast Alaska. This meeting is open to the public.

The Southern RPT will review two SSRAA PARs: allow Whitman Lake Hatchery to incubate king salmon eggs for Port Saint Nicholas Hatchery; and allow Klawock River Hatchery to discontinue the Port Asumcion coho salmon release and release the brood year 2019 in Klawock River in the spring of 2021. The Northern RPT has no action items on the agenda but will discuss potential NSRAA projects. The Joint RPT has no action items on the agenda and may discuss allocation of hatchery-produced salmon or other related topics.

This meeting will be held virtually. For meeting invitation, copies of the agenda or additional information, please contact Mr. Pryor (<u>Garold.Pryor@alaska.gov</u>). PDF copies of PARs can be found at: <a href="http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishingHatcheriesPlanning.regional">http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=fishingHatcheriesPlanning.regional</a>

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