

C5 Salmon Genetics
Council Motion
April 6, 2018

The Council establishes a Salmon Stock Composition Workgroup, to be comprised of staff from: AFSC, ADF&G, Council/SSC and the NMFS Alaska Region. The Council tasks this workgroup to hold a public workshop to facilitate industry feedback on how stock composition reports can be improved to better inform industry bycatch avoidance efforts. The workshop should facilitate development of the appropriate spatial and temporal resolution of stock identification, or other associated analyses that could be used by stakeholders to minimize salmon bycatch. The Council requests a summary report of results from the workshop and the inclusion of updated information and analyses in future salmon genetics reports.