

“SUMMARY SHEET”

Meeting dates: November 8, 2014 Commission Meeting

Agenda item: Willapa Bay Salmon Management Policy – Briefing and Public Hearing

Presenter(s): Steve Thiesfeld, Region 6 Fish Program Manager

Background summary:

The department will brief the Commission on Willapa Bay Salmon Management Policy development, public process, management challenges, describe aspirational objectives, and seek Commission guidance.

Policy issue(s) you are bringing to the Commission for consideration:

The department is soliciting Commission guidance on policy development.

Public involvement process used and what you learned:

To date the department has held three meetings with the expanded Willapa Bay Salmon Ad hoc Advisory Committee. Two public meetings have been held as well as an advisor meeting with an open public comment session following. All three of these meetings were focused on sharing information and soliciting management objectives from the public for policy development purposes.

Action requested:

No action is requested at this time.

Draft motion language:

N/A

Justification for Commission action:

N/A

Communications Plan:

- Oct. 25 – WDFW fishery managers will host an open house from 2-5 p.m.; Raymond High School cafeteria, 1016 Commercial St., Raymond
- Oct. 27 – Willapa Bay Ad hoc Advisory Committee, from 6-8 p.m.; public input from 8-9 p.m.; Raymond High School Library, 1016 Commercial St., Raymond
- Nov. 1 – WDFW fishery managers will host a public workshop from 4-7 p.m.; Raymond High School cafeteria, 1016 Commercial St., Raymond
- Nov. 13 – Willapa Bay Ad hoc Advisory Committee, from 6-8 p.m.; public input from 8-9 p.m.; Raymond High School cafeteria, 1016 Commercial St., Raymond
- Nov. 20 – Willapa Bay Ad hoc Advisory Committee, from 6-8 p.m.; public input from 8-9 p.m.; Raymond High School cafeteria, 1016 Commercial St., Raymond
- Dec. 6 – WDFW fishery managers will host a public workshop from 2-5 p.m.; Raymond High School cafeteria, 1016 Commercial St., Raymond
- Jan. 17 – WDFW fishery managers will host a public workshop from 2-5 p.m.; Raymond Elks Lodge, 326 Third St., Raymond

