

“SUMMARY SHEET”

Meeting dates: April 9-10, 2015, Commission Meeting

Agenda item: Grays Harbor Basin Salmon Management Policy review– (Briefing/Public Comment)

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

Background summary:

The Commission adopted a Grays Harbor Basin Salmon Management Policy in February of 2014. As part of the Adaptive Management section, the department is required to report to the Commission annually: “Annual Fishery Management Review. The Department shall annually evaluate fishery management tools and parameters and identify improvements as necessary to accurately predict fishery performance and escapement.”

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

N/A

Public involvement process used and what you learned:

Department staff compiled comments from the public over the past 6 months regarding the policy. Comments were summarized and shared via email to interested parties for review. Some additional comments were provided by the public and are included in the presentation.

Action requested:

None at this time.

Draft motion language:

N/A

Justification for Commission action:

N/A

Communications Plan:

Department will provide presentation and commission comments to interested parties via email and post on the website.