

# Coastal Spring Chinook Federal Listing Petition

WDFW Fish Committee

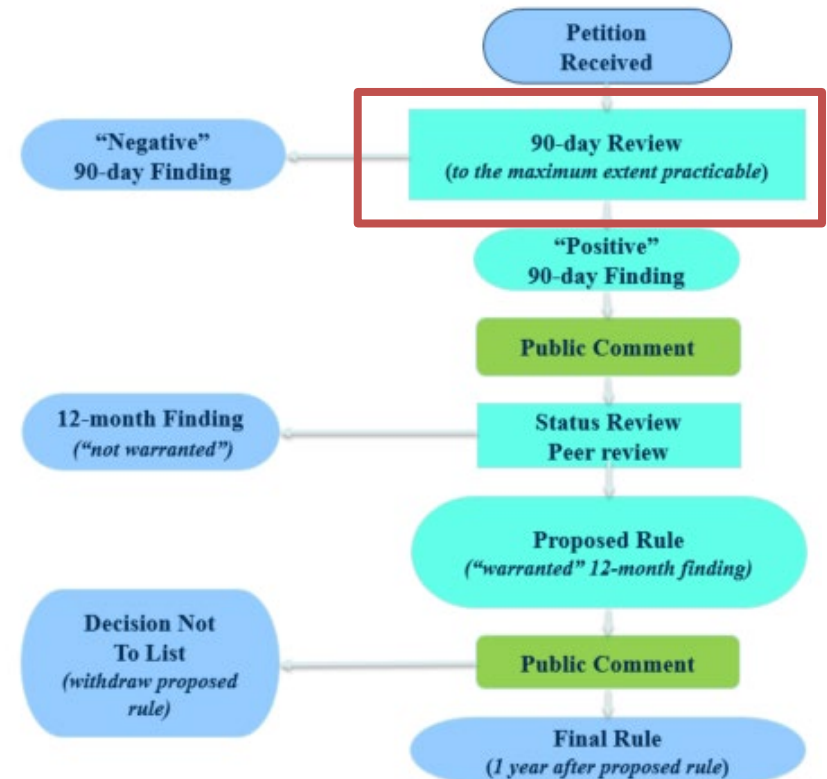
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# Coastal Spring Chinook ESA Petitions

- Petition received in July
- 90-Day NOAA review expected October 15<sup>th</sup>
- Coastal Region North of the Columbia River
- Includes: Chehalis, Queets, Quinault, Quileute and Hoh populations.
- No formal ESU delineation that separates spring and fall stocks therefore petition may have implications for fall Chinook if a full status review is warranted.



<https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/national/endangered-species-conservation/listing-species-under-endangered-species-act>



# Next steps

## If petition is warranted

WDFW and co-managers will field questions and data requests from a Biological Risk Team (BRT). Regardless of NOAA's 90 day review and possible listing determination, we remain committed to working with the tribal comanagers to improve our management, the status of this resource, and to provide sustainable fishing opportunities.

## Additional Information

### *What are the five "listing factors" identified in the ESA?*

The five listing factors are found in Section 4(a)(1) of the ESA:

- 1) The present or threatened destruction, modification, or curtailment of its habitat or range;
- 2) overutilization for commercial, recreational, scientific, or educational purposes;
- 3) disease or predation;
- 4) the inadequacy of existing regulatory mechanisms;
- 5) Or other natural or manmade factors affecting its continued existence.

