Fish and Wildlife Commission and Fish Committee 2024 Planning

November 21 – Special Fish Committee Meeting

- Coastal Steelhead Season Planning Fish Committee briefing
- 2025 Fish Committee Meeting Agenda planning

December 12-14: Cle Elum

- Coastal Steelhead Season Regulations Fish Committee briefing Kelly C.
- C-3622 Willapa Bay Salmon Management (update on policy implementation) Fish Committee Briefing Marlene, Jan, Thomas
- Resident Native Trout Harvest Management Policy Fish Committee draft policy briefing Kirt, Steve
- Field Trip Cle Elum Hatchery Wednesday.

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January 10th (Tentative – Webinar):

• Tentative - Blue Sheet - Columbia River Fisheries for a full commission vote on blue sheet.

February 13th-15th – Olympia

- Columbia River Salmon Management Policy Annual Review Fish Committee and (Full Commission Director delegation for 2025 fisheries).
- Quagga and Zebra Mussel Briefing Full Commission.
- mid-Columbia white Sturgeon briefing and possible delegation of rulemaking for mid-Columbia recreational sturgeon fisheries Fish Committee and Full Commission – Chad Jackson and Laura Heironimus
- Blue Sheet presentation Columbia River Fisheries

March 20th-22nd – Tri Cities

- Coastal Crab Fishery Comprehensive Line Marking Rule Briefing Fish Committee
- Implementation of mobile eCRC system Fish Committee.
- Resident Native Trout Management (Stream Strategy, Rule Simplification etc.) -- Fish Committee Briefing

April 3rd-5th – Olympia

- Coastal Crab Fishery -- Comprehensive Line Marking Rule Decision Full Commission
- Lamprey Briefing Fish Committee
- Annual Briefing on Puget Sound Crab (<u>C-3610</u>) and Shrimp (<u>C-3609</u>) Policies Fish Committee

May 15-17th – Sequim

• Fish Program biodiversity package update – Fish Committee.

- North of Falcon Outcomes Briefing Fish Committee Kyle Adicks
- C-3632 Non-Native Game Fish and Fisheries Fish Committee annual briefing

June 26th-28th – Olympia (Possible special Fish Committee meeting for June)

- MSE Update (work completed for Willapa and plans for Grays Harbor)
- Resident Native Trout Harvest Policy Briefing Fish Committee

July 18th – Webinar

August 14th-16th – Bellingham

- Resident Native Trout Harvest Policy Fish Committee and Full Commission Briefing and Public comment (possible Commission decision).
- Hatchery Monitoring and Evaluation Progress Update Fish Committee

September 25th-27th – Wenatchee

- White Sturgeon Conservation Strategies Update Fish Committee
- Resident Native Trout Harvest Policy Fish Committee and Full Commission Decision

October 24th – Webinar

November 13th-15th – Olympia

• Coastal Steelhead Season Planning Update – Fish Committee

December 12th – Webinar

Other Pending Fish Committee Issues (TBD):

- Olympic Peninsula Coastal Steelhead Federal Listing Petition Outcome
- Coastal Chinook Federal Listing Update
- Field trip planning discussion
- Zone 6 Sturgeon Management