

Columbia River North of Falcon Meeting
March 19, 2018
9AM – 3:00 PM
WDFW Region 5 Office – Ridgefield, WA

Agenda

- ❖ Introductions (9:00 AM) – Bill Tweit
- ❖ Schedule and Process (9:05 AM) – Ryan Lothrop/John North
 - NOF and PFMC schedule
 - April 2 NOF meeting #2 – WDFW – Ridgefield
- ❖ Review of 2017 (9:15 – 10:00 AM) (handout) – John North
 - Returns and conservation objectives
 - Fishery guidance
 - 2017 Fisheries review
 - Catch and impact sharing (tables)
- ❖ Review of 2018 PFMC ocean options (10:00 – 10:15 AM) – Kyle Adicks
- ❖ Outlook for 2018/Issues for Columbia (10:15 – 11:30 AM) – Ryan Lothrop/Cindy Lefleur
 - Conservation objectives and policy guidance
 - Lower Columbia natural (LCR) tules
 - Upriver Bright (Snake River wild)
 - Lower Columbia natural (LCN) Coho
 - Ocean/in-river sharing
- ❖ Break (11:30 AM – 12:30 PM)
- ❖ Sport/Commercial break-out sessions (12:30 PM – 2:30 PM)
 - Sport
 - Summer Chinook and sockeye fishery
 - Buoy 10 fishery
 - LCR Chinook fishery
 - Washington tributary fisheries
 - Rule simplification process
 - Commercial
 - Summer Chinook
 - Coho tangle net
 - Zone 4-5
- ❖ Discussion (2:30 PM – 3:00PM)
 - Summary of break-out sessions
 - Next steps