### ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

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**HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON FISHERIES**

 TO: Committee Members and AYK Region Legislators and Staff

FROM: Representative Steve Thompson

RE: House Fisheries Committee Hearing – Salmon Management in the Arctic – Yukon - Kuskokwim Region

LOCATION: Dena’ina Civic and Convention Center

 Conference Room 3 (Second Floor)

 600 W. Seventh Avenue

DATE & TIME: Wednesday, October 19th at 2:30 p.m.

AGENDA

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**Salmon Management in the Arctic-Yukon-Kuskokwim Region**

2:30 – 2:45 p.m. Opening Comments – Chairman Steve Thompson

 Representative Bob Herron

2:45 – 3:30 p.m. ***Alaska Department of Fish & Game – Overview of Management and Funding for the Salmon Fisheries in the AYK Region and Response to Submitted Questions***

Cora Campbell, Commissioner, Department of Fish & Game

Jeff Regnart, Director, Division of Commercial Fisheries

John Linderman, AYK Regional Supervisor Commercial Fisheries

Hazel Nelson, Director, Division of Subsistence

3:30 – 3:45 p.m. ***Resource Management Concerns and Allocation of Management Resources***

Kawerak, Inc. – Rose Fosdick

3:45 – 4:00 p.m. ***Local*** *I****nput Regarding*** ***Policies and Management Issues***

Association of Village Council Presidents - Myron Naneng, President

4:00 – 4:15 p.m. ***Community Involvement in Management Decisions and Monitoring***

Yukon River Drainage Fisheries Association - Jill Klein, Executive Director

4:15 – 4:30 ***Cooperative Research & Monitoring: Fisheries Management Begins at the Local Level***

Bering Sea Fishermen’s Association – Karen Gillis, Executive Director

 Art Nelson, Policy & Outreach Coordinator

4:30 – 4:45 p.m. ***Alaska Department of Fish & Game Committee Questions & Department Comments***

4:45 – 5:30 p.m. ***Public Testimony***

5:30 p.m. ***Committee Closing Comments***