

## Marine Advisory Program

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To Whom it may concern:

This is a letter of recommendation for Dale Kelley. I have known Dale for over 25 years and feel fortunate to have her as a fellow fisheries representative on committees and other fishery groups.

She has been a resource of information that has assisted my work on the Pacific Salmon Commission (PSC) and University of Alaska instructional duties as a faculty member of the College of Fisheries and Ocean sciences. Her clear understanding of the commercial fisheries of Alaska is excellent, with comprehensive experience in both the science and the management of the fisheries on the Pacific Coast.

As a scientist on the Chinook Technical Committee of the PSC I have frequently worked with Dale in her role as Panel member of the PSC on issues concerning the treaty obligations with Canada. Dale has always been an advocate for the protection of the fishery stocks as well as for the future of the fisheries industry. I have also relied on her knowledge of issues outside of the science of the fisheries, such as the concerns of fisherman, regulation changes and management concerns. Dale has always been a team player and her great collaboration skills with others is a tribute to her desire to do what is best for her stakeholders in the industry, as well as the protection of the wild fisheries of Alaska.

I highly recommend Dale for any position dealing with the many aspects of fisheries and the industry in Alaska.

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