

From: schichnesj@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janet Schichnes](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:16:10 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

As someone who lived Dillingham for 10 years, I am writing to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination. Bristol Bay is a world class treasure and needs a local representative on the Board. I also worked for ADF&G so I understand the important role of BoF members. It is a travesty to fill this seat with a Pebble employee.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Janet Schichnes
4112 Willys Ln Fairbanks, AK 99709-3445
schichnesj@gmail.com

From: dwight.max.denise@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Max DeNise](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:04:11 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Max DeNise
2997 Crosby Blvd SW Apt 331 Tumwater, WA 98512-7842
dwight.max.denise@gmail.com

From: wheresmelany@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Melany Wilson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:03:50 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Melany Wilson
1403 E 27th Ave Anchorage, AK 99508-3919
wheresmelany@gmail.com

From: mggak58@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Melissa Goese-Goble](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:27 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Melissa Goese-Goble
3397 Bellwood St Apt A3 North Pole, AK 99705-6963
mggak58@gmail.com

From: mdianich@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [A Michael Dianich](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:08:25 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
A Michael Dianich
42740 E Larch Mountain Rd Corbett, OR 97019-8774
mdianich@gmail.com

From: michaelfigley@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michael Figley](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 1:37:31 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

Regarding Gov. Dunleavy's nominee: Mr. Abe Williams to Board of Fisheries.

Thank you for rejecting Abe's nomination and encouraging Gov. Dunleavy to find a more suitable candidate.

Sincerely,
Michael Figley
PO Box 474 Talkeetna, AK 99676-0474
michaelfigley@yahoo.com

From: tuoheym16@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [michael tuohey](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:08:28 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
michael tuohey
11916 Wilderness Dr Anchorage, AK 99516-2238
tuoheym16@gmail.com

From: piers80@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Piers Ady](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:08:04 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Piers Ady
1880 Monument Rd Myersville, MD 21773-8012
piers80@aol.com

From: bubbasdogwalks@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michele Palatas](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 7:28:05 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Michele Palatas
8307 Duben Ave Anchorage, AK 99504-1545
bubbasdogwalks@yahoo.com

From: pjyoung76@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Philip Young](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:15:51 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Philip Young
8066 Garfield Ave Apt 11-3 Burr Ridge, IL 60527-7916
pjyoung76@yahoo.com

From: jhandy.ak@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [J Handy](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:02:25 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
J Handy
4400 Tundra Rose Rd Homer, AK 99603
jhandy.ak@gmail.com

From: smithhouse99@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michelle smith](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:03:48 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Michelle smith
PO Box 1920 Homer, AK 99603-1920
smithhouse99@hotmail.com

From: azjsimon@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [JACK SIMON](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:04:04 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I have been coming to Alaska with my brother every summer since 1990 to fish at various Lodges. We even made it this year amidst the Covid 19 mess. I wish to express my significant concerns about Governor Dunleavy's nomination of Mr. Abe Williams' to serve on the Board of Fisheries and I urge the Legislature to reject his nomination.

A person who makes their living supporting a project that could have devastating impacts on Alaska's Fisheries and its habitat and people has no business serving on a Board.that is supposed to be acting as a trustee protecting the interests of the people as a whole. Mr. Williams cannot be expected to objectively look at the facts of a situation and act for the greater good, instead when it comes to the interests of the many over a few who stand to make a lot of money, he will support the few. You don't put the fox in charge of the hen house.

The supporters of the Pebble Mine would never consider appointing an environmentalist to run their company. Likewise, the people of Alaska should never have someone like someone like Mr. Williams serving on a Board where he is supposed to be acting as a trustee in support of the public trust, looking out and protecting the long term interests of all people and Alaska's fisheries.

Reject Mr. William's nomination

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

I urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
JACK SIMON
6401 S 44th St Phoenix, AZ 85042-5248
azjsimon@outlook.com

From: jfox1990@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [James Fox](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:05:32 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I'm writing to express significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage you to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

Please reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
James Fox
560 Yak Rd Fairbanks, AK 99709-2407
jfox1990@gci.net

From: keeni@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [James Goodwin](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:59:55 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
James Goodwin
37244 Funny River Rd Soldotna, AK 99669-8735
keeni@comcast.net

From: lituya@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [James Mackovjak](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:21 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
James Mackovjak
PO Box 63 Gustavus, AK 99826-0063
lituya@gmail.com

From: jamisonramsey69@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jamison Ramsey](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:07:50 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jamison Ramsey
3806 Fairview Ave Ketchikan, AK 99901-5336
jamisonramsey69@gmail.com

From: jamisonramsey69@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jamison Ramsey](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:59:58 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jamison Ramsey
3806 Fairview Ave Ketchikan, AK 99901-5336
jamisonramsey69@gmail.com

From: revjan55@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jan Blankenship](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:13:45 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jan Blankenship
401 Angus Way Juneau, AK 99801-1475
revjan55@gmail.com

From: lnorcoast@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jim Steffen](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:57:41 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

Conflict of interest.

I am writing to express my significant objection to Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jim Steffen
PO Box 936 Sitka, AK 99835-0936
lnorcoast@gmail.com

From: jazklinski@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janice Klinski](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:26 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Janice Klinski
1716 Glass Ave NE Olympia, WA 98506-4510
jazklinski@earthlink.net

From: foxflyr.ak@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janice Laxson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:10:11 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

I also want to express my disappointment that you will not be returning as my representative. Your willingness to work across party lines and refuse to let partisan politics determine your stand and position on issue impresses me. This is a frightening time for me and my family due to Covid-19 and the economy. The solution has to be a compromise and a focus on preserving the Permanent Fund rather than increasing or even maintaining the PFD distribution at unsustainable levels. Investing in Alaska's public services - Medicare for all, education, environmental protection and investment in energy alternatives - is critical for the long term public prosperity. It is imperative that this legislature consider an income tax and an increase in oil company taxation as well as other resource taxes - fishing and timber.

Thank you for your service.

Sincerely,
Janice Laxson
11901 Woodbourne Cir Anchorage, AK 99516-2554
foxflyr.ak@gmail.com

From: jvcinak@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Janis Chambers](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:03:32 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Janis Chambers
17639 Teklanika Dr Eagle River, AK 99577-8242
jvcinak@gmail.com

From: jroach9680@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jason Roach](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:15:04 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jason Roach
3904 Greenland Dr Anchorage, AK 99517-2627
jroach9680@gmail.com

From: jeanann.wheelock@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jean Ann Wheelock](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:15:13 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jean Ann Wheelock
53 Trail Top Dr Asheville, NC 28805-0049
jeanann.wheelock@gmail.com

From: basiawilson@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jean Wilson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:10:31 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

GET PEBBLE BAY out of Alaska.

Sincerely,
Jean Wilson
11 -13 SULLIVAN St # 2 Charlestown, MA 02129
basiawilson@yahoo.com

From: mimi.mw85@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michelle Watson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:14 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Michelle Watson
1631 Betula Cir Anchorage, AK 99507-4126
mimi.mw85@gmail.com

From: jmbschaaf@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeanne Schaaf](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:03:30 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jeanne Schaaf
6961 Rabbit Creek Rd Anchorage, AK 99516-3738
jmbschaaf@gmail.com

From: molly.sherman1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Molly Sherman](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:08:59 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Molly Sherman
3467 Shanly St Fairbanks, AK 99709-3825
molly.sherman1@gmail.com

From: jeff.perin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeffrey Perin](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Friday, August 28, 2020 7:43:53 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jeffrey Perin
6620 E Skyhawk Cir Wasilla, AK 99654-9335
jeff.perin@gmail.com

From: jhdean@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeffrey Dean](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:04:57 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jeffrey Dean
40374 Waterman Rd Homer, AK 99603-9404
jhdean@jeffreyhdean.com

From: jennacounts@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jennifer Counts](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:05:40 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries, and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Thank you for taking the time to consider this request.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jennifer Counts
1302 F St Apt B Anchorage, AK 99501-4399
jennacounts@gmail.com

From: Fallinginreverse182@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeremy Sapalo](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:11:21 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jeremy Sapalo
2106 Fairbanks St Anchorage, AK 99503-2228
Fallinginreverse182@gmail.com

From: fishtree_2@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [jerry frederick](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:02:25 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
jerry frederick
PO Box 795 Homer, AK 99603-0795
fishtree_2@yahoo.com

From: molly.sherman1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Molly Sherman](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:59:38 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Molly Sherman
3467 Shanly St Fairbanks, AK 99709-3825
molly.sherman1@gmail.com

From: hikheadq@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [JESSICA HORN](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:10:09 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
JESSICA HORN
665 Sargent Creek Rd Kodiak, AK 99615-9424
hikheadq@gmail.com

From: jillwitt@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jill Wittenbrader](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 4:50:25 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jill Wittenbrader
506 W Marine Way Kodiak, AK 99615-7311
jillwitt@gmail.com

From: nadenetd@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nadene Thorne](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:54 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Nadene Thorne
2101 Loussac Dr Anchorage, AK 99517-1228
nadenetd@yahoo.com

From: smithn84@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Nicole Balazs](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:08:28 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination. Someone who is currently part of the Pebble Partnership to promote the Pebble Mine has a clear conflict of interest with a role in the Board of Fish. Confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly and ethically manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

I urge the legislature to reject this nomination that has a clear conflict of interest.

Sincerely,
Nicole Balazs
1706 Army Rd Apt A Fairbanks, AK 99709-6673
smithn84@gmail.com

From: flipped53144@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jim White](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:57:41 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jim White
9940 Lone Tree Dr Anchorage, AK 99507-6711
flipped53144@yahoo.com

From: joanmcahill@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joan Cahill](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:14:34 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joan Cahill
1750 Evergreen Ave Juneau, AK 99801-1422
joanmcahill@gmail.com

From: jollom@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joan Ollom](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:14 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joan Ollom
2284 Elliott Hwy Fairbanks, AK 99712-1025
jollom@nitehawke.com

From: nicolariga@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Niki Riga](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:30 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing as an Alaskan commercial fisherman to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

I urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Niki Riga
3387 E Wildflower Ln Hayden, ID 83835-8663
nicolariga@gmail.com

From: johndcopp@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Copp](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:07:31 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

*** GOVERNOR DUNLEAVY IS A MAJOR THREAT TO THE ENVIRONMENT ***

I commercial fished Bristol Bay for years. For a decade, I worked to save Alaska's Delta-nesting wild geese, a key subsistence resource for Yup'ik villagers. I created the first subsistence waterfowl hunting survey that is now standard on all Federal lands in Alaska. I love Alaska pristine ecosystems with all my heart. Dunleavy, on the other hand, would sell his own mother. His soul is owned by Pebble Partnership. Putting a Pebble Partnership flunkey on the Board of Fisheries is insane! DON'T DO IT!

I am writing to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
John Copp
1773 NW 129th Pl Portland, OR 97229-4674
johndcopp@gmail.com

From: sailorjohnbmc@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [john french](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:05:21 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
john french
20133 Highland Ridge Dr Eagle River, AK 99577-8845
sailorjohnbmc@gmail.com

From: odonatak@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Hudson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:15 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

Mining is an important industry in Alaska. However, mining companies that develop our resources should be held to the highest standards of environmental stewardship to protect the environment and the livelihoods of Alaskans that rely on the health of our lands and waters.

I am writing to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

I urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
John Hudson
16445 Point Lena Loop Rd Juneau, AK 99801-8337
odonatak@gmail.com

From: freestylin257@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Nagel](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 6:51:46 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
John Nagel
3253 Nowell Ave Juneau, AK 99801-1933
freestylin257@yahoo.com

From: ndtjsams@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Norman Sams](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:03:34 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Norman Sams
3569 Wildwood Dr North Pole, AK 99705-7456
ndtjsams@acsalaska.net

From: pmggallag@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Patrick Gallagher](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:15:22 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

This is not just an Alaska issue...do the right thing and set the precedent for fair and equitable management of fishery resources, reject the nomination..

Sincerely,
Patrick Gallagher
59 Mckinley St # 306 Lake Placid, NY 12946-1503
pmggallag@verizon.net

From: jchevy@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joseph Ciavaglia Jr](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:02:59 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joseph Ciavaglia Jr
435 Behrens Rd Jim Thorpe, PA 18229-2922
jchevy@ptd.net

From: joejacob@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joseph Jacob](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:16:01 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joseph Jacob
PO Box 76 Clam Gulch, AK 99568-0076
joejacob@mindspring.com

From: jrn@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joseph Nagle](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:23 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joseph Nagle
306 Northern Ave Boston, MA 02210-2324
jrn@johnnagle.com

From: jouskeha@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [joseph olson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:40 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
joseph olson
11641 Paddock Ln Anchorage, AK 99516-2319
jouskeha@gmail.com

From: farnorthphilvent@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Paul Venturini](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:08:29 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Paul Venturini
4300 Arctic Blvd Spc 50 Anchorage, AK 99503-5762
farnorthphilvent@yahoo.com

From: joshua.wisner@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joshua Wisner](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:07 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joshua Wisner
33041 Alder St Anchor Point, AK 99556
joshua.wisner@outlook.co.com

From: joyanneb@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joyanne Bloom](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:55:58 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joyanne Bloom
883 Basin Rd Juneau, AK 99801-1036
joyanneb@gmail.com

From: kearnsjm@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [JUDITH A KEARNS-STEFFEN](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:10:10 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
JUDITH A KEARNS-STEFFEN
1101 Halibut Point Rd Sitka, AK 99835-7148
kearnsjm@gmail.com

From: judgejudyp@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [judith phillips](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:13:08 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
judith phillips
11240 Womens Bay Dr Kodiak, AK 99615-9403
judgejudyp@gmail.com

From: judithinalaska@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Judith Stoll](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:17:09 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Judith Stoll
842 W 75th Ave Anchorage, AK 99518-2539
judithinalaska@aol.com

From: prwillms@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Paul Williams](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:59:37 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Paul Williams
20335 Riverside Dr Eagle River, AK 99577-8857
prwillms@aol.com

From: nanapushann@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Karuna Berryman](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:14:43 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

That is ridiculous. Talk about putting a fox in the hen house. How stupid do you think we are?! We are all writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Karuna Berryman
255 W Bakerview Rd Apt 301 Bellingham, WA 98226-8174
nanapushann@gmail.com

From: soconsani@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kate Consani](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:22 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kate Consani
36088 Jasper Rd Springfield, OR 97478-9563
soconsani@gmail.com

From: paulamuschinske@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Paula Muschinske](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 12:55:32 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Paula Muschinske
18306 Tedrow Cir Eagle River, AK 99577-8212
paulamuschinske@hotmail.com

From: ktwilliams73@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Katherine Williams](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:34 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Katherine Williams
19741 Cody Ct Chugiak, AK 99567-6473
ktwilliams73@gmail.com

From: kathyosmith@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [kathy smith](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:34 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
kathy smith
4139 Kachemak Way Homer, AK 99603-7142
kathyosmith@gmail.com

From: paula_taylor4@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Paula Taylor](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:03:49 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Paula Taylor
7221 Setter Dr Anchorage, AK 99502-4196
paula_taylor4@hotmail.com

From: pepper.p.pond@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Pepper Pond](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:05 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Pepper Pond
24344 Moraine Vista St Kasilof, AK 99610
pepper.p.pond@gmail.com

From: cateskann@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kelly Cates](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:10:06 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kelly Cates
2113 2nd St Douglas, AK 99824-5116
cateskann@gmail.com

From: newmankel@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kelly Newman](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:03:38 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

Do not let a Pebble Mine person on the board of Fisheries! I have significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kelly Newman
475 Auburn Dr Fairbanks, AK 99709-6719
newmankel@gmail.com

From: schermerhornkelly@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kelly Schermerhorn](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:09:19 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kelly Schermerhorn
8136 Marsha Loop # 34 Anchorage, AK 99507-3290
schermerhornkelly@yahoo.com

From: kdobelbower@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kevin Dobelbower](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:00:51 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

Please exercise the power and influence of your office to reject the nomination of Abe Williams to the Board of Fisheries and to encourage Governor Dunleavy to find a suitable candidate for the position.

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kevin Dobelbower
7350 Tyre Dr Anchorage, AK 99502-2304
kdobelbower@hotmail.com

From: kevint@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [kevin timm](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:02:33 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
kevin timm
412 N Nordic Dr Petersburg, AK 99833
kevint@icicleseafoods.com

From: tuffykim@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kimberly McConkey](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:06:34 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kimberly McConkey
2610 E 42nd Ave Apt 1 Anchorage, AK 99508-5396
tuffykim@aol.com

From: Nunamtapetla@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [petla noden](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:45 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
petla noden
3900 Greenland Dr Anchorage, AK 99517-2627
Nunamtapetla@gmail.com

From: Kimberlyslone@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kimberly Slone](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:04 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Slone
4370 N Caribou St Wasilla, AK 99654-4367
Kimberlyslone@gmail.com

From: kimberlyvalverde@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kimberly Valverde](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:14:33 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Valverde
8746 N Douglas Hwy Juneau, AK 99801-7643
kimberlyjvalverde@gmail.com

From: kirstenlynnposs@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kirsten Poss](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:40 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kirsten Poss
108 W 3rd Ave Nome, AK 99762
kirstenlynnposs@yahoo.com

From: kori.blakely@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kori Orion](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:15:05 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kori Orion
1612 Kepner Dr Anchorage, AK 99504-2428
kori.blakely@gmail.com

From: kylekochan@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kyle Kochan](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:11:04 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kyle Kochan
297 Donner Dr Girdwood, AK 99587
kylekochan@gmail.com

From: kylelschneider@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kyle Schneider](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:13:37 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kyle Schneider
4301 W Hill Rd Ste 2995 Homer, AK 99603
kylelschneider@gmail.com

From: fishin_lane@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [lane masgai](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:17:08 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
lane masgai
302 N 16th Ave # B Bozeman, MT 59715-3102
fishin_lane@yahoo.com

From: laredo.rich@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Laredo Rich](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:15:38 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Laredo Rich
16520 Sterling Hwy Cooper Landing, AK 99572-9720
laredo.rich@gmail.com

From: icsteelhead@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Larry Casey](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:15:42 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Larry Casey
12428 Winter Park Cir Eagle River, AK 99577-7645
icsteelhead@gmail.com

From: llranney@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Laura Ranney](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:57:43 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Laura Ranney
11240 Womens Bay Dr Kodiak, AK 99615-9403
llranney@gmail.com

From: laurastatsdaugherty@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Laura Stats](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:50 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Laura Stats
418 7th St Juneau, AK 99801-1031
laurastatsdaugherty@gmail.com

From: leeannkochreicks@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [LeeAnn Reicks](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:03:32 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
LeeAnn Reicks
19805 W Willow Fishhook Rd Willow, AK 99688
leeannkochreicks@gmail.com

From: lkmjos@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Leif Mjos](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:14:45 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Leif Mjos
1810 Talkeetna St Anchorage, AK 99508-3247
lkmjos@gmail.com

From: egegik79@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [LeRoy Buell](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:04:16 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
LeRoy Buell
12011 Edgewater Cir Anchorage, AK 99515-3134
egegik79@aol.com

From: lwalsh@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Linda Walsh](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:38 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage YOU to reject his nomination. This appointment is an incredulous attempt to populate the board with members who do not have Protection of Alaska's fisheries resource as a priority.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

I strongly urge YOU to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Linda Walsh
4600 Mars Dr Anchorage, AK 99507-3723
lwalsh@chugach.net

From: Lindsay.M.Hixon@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lindsay Hixon](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:15:37 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Lindsay Hixon
11538 Upper Sunny Cir Unit A Eagle River, AK 99577-7414
Lindsay.M.Hixon@gmail.com

From: lizzdean@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [LIZ DEAN](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:08:24 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries. We need our governing bodies to represent Alaskans and the real issues impacting our future, not the special interest of outsiders trying to devastate our pristine resources.

Sincerely,
LIZ DEAN
1911 Waldron Dr Anchorage, AK 99507-1302
lizzdean@gmail.com

From: pinkpigskins@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Liz Oh](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:05:42 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Liz Oh
17340 Flintwood Pl Eagle River, AK 99577-7025
pinkpigskins@yahoo.com

From: earthspring5@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [lois barnett](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:05:43 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
lois barnett
619 Clay St Apt 314 Port Townsend, WA 98368-5804
earthspring5@gmail.com

From: lorenrancourt@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Loren Rancourt](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:14:44 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Loren Rancourt
5432 E Northern Lights Blvd # 405 Anchorage, AK 99508-4713
lorenrancourt@gmail.com

From: cleanecaffeine@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lori Stephenson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:19:31 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Lori Stephenson
945 Ben Walters Ct Homer, AK 99603-7755
cleanecaffeine@earthlink.net

From: brynn08@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lorra McQuown](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:17:05 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Lorra McQuown
4020 N Snow Goose Dr Wasilla, AK 99654-2423
brynn08@gmail.com

From: adewey@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Angela Dewey](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:13:45 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Angela Dewey
1600 Wolverine St Anchorage, AK 99504-2565
adewey@ak.net

From: lukas.g.strickland@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lukas Strickland](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:02:28 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Lukas Strickland
15005 E Lazy Lady Ln Palmer, AK 99645-8741
lukas.g.strickland@gmail.com

From: ammu@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lynne Ammu](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Friday, August 28, 2020 7:43:56 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Lynne Ammu
412 Gold Key Ln Palmer, AK 99645-6175
ammu@mtaonline.net

From: MAILABISCHOFF@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [MAILA BISCHOFF](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:08:38 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
MAILA BISCHOFF
2820 Malibu Meadows Way Anchorage, AK 99517-3200
MAILABISCHOFF@GMAIL.COM

From: makkyfresh@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Makenzie Demmert](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:16:01 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Makenzie Demmert
1662 TANANA Dr # B Fairbanks, AK 99775-0001
makkyfresh@gmail.com

From: tt.mholt@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marcia Holt](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:27 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Marcia Holt
2691 Natalie Ave North Pole, AK 99705-7315
tt.mholt@ymail.com

From: millbaybeach@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Margaret Klemzak](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:06:32 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Margaret Klemzak
PO Box 3152 Kodiak, AK 99615-3152
millbaybeach@hotmail.com

From: cobaltmcneil@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Margaret McNeil](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 7:49:20 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Margaret McNeil
841 E 75th Ave Apt 2 Anchorage, AK 99518-2839
cobaltmcneil@yahoo.com

From: megshp@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Margaret Piggott](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:08:05 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

Dear Jesse Kiehl and Sarah Hannan:

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Yours sincerely,
Margaret H Piggott

Sincerely,
Margaret Piggott
HC 60 Box 8502 Haines, AK 99827-9509
megshp@aptalaska.net

From: marianlallen@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marian Allen](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:13:36 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express serious concern about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to ask the Legislature to reject his nomination. This position on the Board should be for a resident of the Bristol Bay area, not Anchorage. Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries not only because he does not live in the area but also because his interest certainly appears to be development of the Pebble Mine.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

I urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Marian Allen
829 Pherson St Sitka, AK 99835-7242
marianlallen@hotmail.com

From: mjsdougher@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [marilyn dougher](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:10:09 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
marilyn dougher
8290 Opal Dr Anchorage, AK 99502-4546
mjsdougher@yahoo.com

From: MARILYNRSSLL@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marilyn Russell](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:02:51 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Marilyn Russell
9061 Nuthatch Pl Unit E Anchorage, AK 99507-4940
MARILYNRSSLL@GMAIL.COM

From: marinrose@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marin Rose](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:15:20 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Marin Rose
1 Alaska Hwy 1 Naknek, AK 99633
marinrose@sunfield.com

From: mariza.tovar@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mariza Tovar](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:04:58 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mariza Tovar
60 Loop Rd # 2 Unalaska, AK 99685
mariza.tovar@gmail.com

From: rsvpmcaso@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mark Caso](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:10:33 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mark Caso
1160 Judge Sekul Ave Biloxi, MS 39530-2862
rsvpmcaso@yahoo.com

From: lemurzoo@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mark Ernst](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:15:51 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mark Ernst
603 Manatee Ave Ellenton, FL 34222-2249
lemurzoo@yahoo.com

From: markmassion@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [mark Massion](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:11:06 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
mark Massion
328 Lee Dr Homer, AK 99603-7518
markmassion@yahoo.com

From: mbuck@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marsha Buck](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:07:49 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Marsha Buck
8445 Kimberly St Juneau, AK 99801-9161
mbuck@alaska.net

From: marsha_holbrook@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marsha Holbrook](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 5:05:00 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

I urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Marsha Holbrook
11300 Polar Dr Anchorage, AK 99516-1384
marsha_holbrook@hotmail.com

From: burr.mml@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Burr](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:12:15 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries. His confirmation would be an inexcusable conflict of interest.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project, despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities that the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate, a candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mary Burr
3819 Wesleyan Dr Anchorage, AK 99508-4820
burr.mml@gmail.com

From: massage.maryhayden@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Hayden](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:09:19 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mary Hayden
38802 Fritz Creek Valley Dr Homer, AK 99603-9519
massage.maryhayden@gmail.com

From: therminghaus@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Herminghaus](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:02:51 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express my concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject this nomination.

It is unlikely Mr. Williams will be able to be an objective representative on this Board. For that reason alone, it is important to reject his nomination and find a more non-partisan, less personally involved Board member.

Sincerely,
Mary Herminghaus
5621 Whispering Spruce Dr Anchorage, AK 99516-2314
therminghaus@gmail.com

From: maryteel@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Teel](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:05:28 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mary Teel
1009 Gilmore St Fairbanks, AK 99701-4116
maryteel@gmail.com

From: alaskanamau@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Whitby](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:17:05 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mary Whitby
8901 Peck Ave Apt 202N Anchorage, AK 99504-1496
alaskanamau@gmail.com

From: [richardmcgahan](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Cc: [Rep. Ben Carpenter](#); [Rep. Sarah Vance](#)
Subject: Board of Fish nominees
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:15:29 PM

Dear Senators,

With these appointments, the board will be dominated with members from Gov. Dunleavy's home districts.

Of these nominations, I ask you to ONLY confirm John Jensen. He is a previous board member and the only candidate from a coastal community.

I also ask for you to appoint Robert Ruffner. Mr. Ruffner is a scientist and previous director of the Kenai Watershed Forum. He DID NOT get appointed for campaigning or donating to a governor's campaign, and although he requested to continue to serve, (and is not a sports fisherman, guide or commercial fisherman) he was not re-appointed by Gov. Dunleavy. Nor, did Gov. Dunleavy even reply to him. Our B.O.F. sends all of Alaska to fish on the Kenai Peninsula, and we have no representation on the board. We need a representative from the Kenai and also one who votes for the FISH.

It is a slap in the face to the people of the upper Cook Inlet to have John Woods writing proposals and voting on those proposals, and regulations for the upper Cook Inlet commercial fishermen WITHOUT ever being confirmed by the legislature. This should not happen. And it looks like it could happen again.

Thank you for your consideration,
Karen McGahan
Nikiski, Alaska

From: salmonguts@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joshua Vantrease](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:03:31 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express my significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joshua Vantrease
2200 W 29th Ave Anchorage, AK 99517-1907
salmonguts@gmail.com

From: roundriverak@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michael Pederson](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Friday, August 28, 2020 7:44:05 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Michael Pederson
1285 Ballaine Rd Fairbanks, AK 99709-6402
roundriverak@yahoo.com

From: theosophy369@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Morgan MacConaugh-Snyder](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 7:00:41 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Morgan MacConaugh-Snyder
2450 Colony Loop Anchorage, AK 99507-4408
theosophy369@yahoo.com

From: homerplumber@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [michael Salzmann](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 7:08:16 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
michael Salzmann
39529 Old Sterling Hwy Anchor Point, AK 99556-9453
homerplumber@gmail.com

From: petercookwakeman@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Peter Wakeman](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:50 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Peter Wakeman
1713 N 82nd St Seattle, WA 98103-4430
petercookwakeman@gmail.com

From: ninepence@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Neville Bruce](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:24 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Neville Bruce
1111 G St Anchorage, AK 99501-4350
ninepence@hotmail.com

From: india.rael@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [India Young](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:15:06 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to encourage the Legislature to reject Mr. Abe William's nomination to the Board of Fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries.

Governor Dunleavy's nomination is a gross attempt to manipulate fishing regulations in Alaska. The role of the Board of Fisheries is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

In recent years Williams has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
India Young
1216 2nd St Douglas, AK 99824-5309
india.rael@gmail.com

From: lonnajeaneveryactioncustom.com on behalf of [lonna richmond](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 5:03:08 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
lonna richmond
185 Sunset Way Muir Beach, CA 94965-9754
lonnajeane@gmail.com

From: jlbnrc@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jack Curtiss](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Friday, August 28, 2020 7:44:06 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jack Curtiss
2979 Glacier St Anchorage, AK 99508-4726
jlbnrc@gci.net

From: jheldwarmkessel@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeanne Held-Warmkessel](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:14:41 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jeanne Held-Warmkessel
110 Santa Anita Dr North Wales, PA 19454-4285
jheldwarmkessel@yahoo.com

From: wrogn@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jeff Harvey](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 6:58:00 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jeff Harvey
13145 S Old Glenn Hwy Palmer, AK 99645-8290
wrogn@yahoo.com

From: jesselancerobbins@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jesse Robbins](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:07:40 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jesse Robbins
112 N Wightman St Ashland, OR 97520-1390
jesselancerobbins@gmail.com

From: jimfa@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jim Farrell](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 5:56:02 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

PLEASE DO NOT APPOINT MR. WILLIAMS'.....TO THE BOARD OF FISHERIES.....
HE HAS BEEN PROMOTING THE PEBBLE MINE.....
HE DOES NOT CARE ABOUT THE FISH....WILDLIFE....BIRDS...BEARS OR WILD ANIMALS...OF
ALASKA...

PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW MR. WILLIAMS' TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF FISHERIES.....
WE...THE ALASKAN CITIZENS NEED A PERSON WHO WILL PROTECT....
THE FISH...WILDLIFE...BIRDS...BEARS...WILD ANIMALS AND ALL WILD LIFE.....

PLEASE DO NOT APPOINT MR. WILLIAMS...TO THE BOARD OF FISHERIES....

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jim Farrell
221 5th Ave Fairbanks, AK 99701-5023
jimfa@live.com

From: jbdweb@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Joe Deeny](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:02:19 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Joe Deeny
2104 Wilson Ave Bellingham, WA 98225-7545
jbdweb@comcast.net

From: jpap100@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [John Papandrea](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:06:57 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
John Papandrea
110 W 90th St Apt 2F New York, NY 10024-1208
jpap100@aol.com

From: jonneltcovault@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Jonnel Covault covault](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 6:04:58 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent. It is outrageous, knowing how controversial this project is, that you would even consider Mr. Williams for a position on the Board of Fisheries!! My family fished in Bristol Bay for almost 20 years and I testified at many Board of Fishery meetings...This is unacceptable!

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jonnel Covault covault
601 Cooper Ave Crescent City, CA 95531-3015
jonneltcovault@gmail.com

From: akshorebirder@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Michelle Michaud](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:13:36 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

I am writing to express our serious concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

I urge the legislature to please reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries. Our fisheries and the livelihood of Alaskan fisherman depend upon your action to stop his appointment.

Sincerely,
Michelle Michaud
PO Box 639 Homer, AK 99603-0639
akshorebirder@gmail.com

From: katepersons@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kate Persons](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 5:16:08 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kate Persons
12 Mile Kougarok Rd Nome, AK 99762
katepersons@yahoo.com

From: krquinn@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kellen Quinn](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Friday, August 28, 2020 7:43:53 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kellen Quinn
597 Jefferson Ave Brooklyn, NY 11221-1610
krquinn@gmail.com

From: mattphotos@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kimberly Seater](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 5:41:35 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Seater
4501 SW 100th St Seattle, WA 98146-1056
mattphotos@quidnunc.net

From: mgrunser@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Margaret Runser](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Friday, August 28, 2020 10:18:10 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Margaret Runser
17005 E Dorismae Cir Palmer, AK 99645-7666
mgrunser@yahoo.com

From: leahcloud@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Leah Evans](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 4:13:03 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

Alaska deserves better! I am writing to express msignificant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

I urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries. Keep the fox out of the henhouse.

Sincerely,
Leah Evans
511 Fireweed Ave Homer, AK 99603
leahcloud@yahoo.com

From: khutchin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Kristine Hutchin](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 8:41:15 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

There is a conflict of interest Mr. Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries. I don't believe he can put on his Board of Fisheries hat and then switch to his Pebble hat without bias. I don't believe he can be objective in the role of being on the Board of Fisheries. That concerns me because fish for Alaskans is VERY important as a food source. In addition, fishing is a significant portion of our economy.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Kristine Hutchin
10335 Stewart Dr Eagle River, AK 99577-9559
khutchin@mtaonline.net

From: kalei.lw@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Lynn Wilbur](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 8:35:58 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Lynn Wilbur
617 Katlian St Unit A7 Sitka, AK 99835-7322
kalei.lw@gmail.com

From: frieds4@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Mary Hilcoske](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 2:03:51 PM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Mary Hilcoske
1327 G St Anchorage, AK 99501-4354
frieds4@gci.net

From: skylinep@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of [Marc Dumas](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 7:26:00 AM

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Marc Dumas
1166 Skyline Dr Fairbanks, AK 99712-1309
skylinep@alaskan.com

From: [Katie Botz](#)
To: [Senate Resources](#)
Cc: [Sen. Jesse Kiehl](#); [Rep. Louise Stutes](#)
Subject: Public Testimony Re: Board of Fisheries
Date: Thursday, August 27, 2020 12:07:45 PM

To Whom it May Concerns:

Greetings,

For the record, my name is Katie Botz, and I reside in Juneau, Alaska. I understand that this isn't my area of testifying, but as a daughter and sister of commercial fishermen, I cannot ignore forever.

My family are commercial fishermen outside of Kodiak and a brother working for Fish & Games in the Copper River (Cordova). As a child, I recall being out on the waters every summer learning our fishery trade and why is so vital important to our beautiful state, Alaska.

In regarding to the Governor's nominees, I don't trust nor approve Dunleavy's choice of nominees.

McKenzie Mitchell, I cannot find much of anything to a resume online about her. Therefore, can't have good conscious of having her onboard.

Abe Williams, he has good history standing BEFORE working for Pebble Mine, but because of his connection to destroying our fisheries due to the mine, I cannot have good conscious of having him onboard.

John Wood, I don't know him. Don't know his history in fishing industry therefore, I cannot have good conscious having him onboard.

John Jensen, is the ONLY coastal nominee. Although, I don't know much of him to have a good conscious having him onboard.

To Whom it May Concern, it gives me great grievances to say that I don't trust Dunleavy's nominees. Alaska's fishery should be our pride and joy and nominees should be held to a great high standards.

Our coastal communities and small boat owners need to know without a shadow of doubt that there will be someone to properly represent them during this difficult time. May I Strongly urge the committee to look for strong coastal fisherman who have the passion and desire to see our fishing industry to excell during difficult times.

Perhaps, a fisherman from Kodiak, Alaska and/or Kenai, Cordova.

Thank you for taking the time to read this.

Katie Botz
Juneau District 34
(907)321-7087

Sent from my iPhone

Madison Govin

From: anchortowndriver2@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Morgan
<anchortowndriver2@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 5:00 PM
To: Senate Resources
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
James Morgan
3705 Arctic Blvd # 2703 Anchorage, AK 99503-5774 anchortowndriver2@yahoo.com

Madison Govin

From: jaredc1200@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jared Cornelia <jaredc1200@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 10:39 PM
To: Senate Resources
Subject: I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Flagged

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Jared Cornelia
125 Denn Pl Wilmington, DE 19804-3505
jaredc1200@gmail.com

Madison Govin

From: mbean@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Margaret Bean
<mbean@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 5:07 PM
To: Senate Resources
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Margaret Bean
4400 N Bull Moose Dr Wasilla, AK 99654-1518 mbean@mtaonline.net

August 27, 2020

RE: Board of Fisheries Nominations

Dear Members of the Senate Resources Committee,

Tanana Chiefs Conference is an Alaska Native non-profit corporation, organized as Dena' Nena' Henash or "Our Land Speaks." We are charged with advancing Tribal self-determination and enhancing regional Native unity for our 37 federally recognized tribes within 42 communities. Our Mission is to provide a unified voice in advancing sovereign tribal governments through the promotion of physical and mental wellness, education, socioeconomic development, and culture of the Interior Alaska Native people. Our communities have relied on Yukon River fisheries to sustain them for generations. We regularly engage in the Board of Fisheries (Board) process as decisions made by the Board directly impact the livelihoods of our communities.

The Yukon and Kuskokwim Rivers comprise the largest subsistence area in the state of Alaska. Hundreds of thousands of salmon are necessary – as outlined by Amounts Necessary for Subsistence (ANS) by the Board – and are harvested each summer for subsistence purposes. The lower Yukon supports a commercial fishery that provides some of the only economic opportunity to the region. The lower Yukon commercial fishery employs over 500 individuals in the region and, at times, over 100 commercial fishermen, amounting to millions of dollars injected in to the rural economy.

The complexity of these river systems – with overlapping species runs, mixed stocks, long salmon migrations and remote locations – present unique and challenging management scenarios for the Alaska Department of Fish and Game. While there is public opportunity to participate through the Advisory Committee (AC) process, we know that that process does not always work as well and efficiently as we hope for rural Alaska. Weather, distance between villages, and funding capacity make it challenging for our regions to meet in-person and to engage as fully and effectively as regions on the road system¹. Our regions lag behind in the number of AC meetings held (Figure 1). This is a clear disadvantage for our region, at no fault of our own.

For these reasons, we believe it is imperative that two of the Board of Fisheries appointees reside in or are extensively familiar with the Yukon region and the Kuskokwim region. Five of the seven Board members and appointees currently reside in or represent Southcentral Alaska. Living in Southcentral Alaska would not necessarily preclude support from our organization; however, none of the Board members or appointees have any experience with Yukon and Kuskokwim fisheries issues. While one nominee resides in the Interior, they have no education or experience that relates to any of the Yukon or Kuskokwim fisheries. Furthermore, as the largest subsistence region in the state, we are concerned that none of the

¹ Langdon, S., T Brelsford, and J. Fall. 2018. State of Alaska's Salmon and People (SASAP), Governance and Subsistence. Alaska Forum for the Environment, Session 1 AFE Salmon Track R1, Slide 38. Anchorage.



Board members or appointees is a self-identified subsistence user; most identify as a sport or commercial fisherperson first, and list subsistence secondarily, and none reside in rural Alaska.

We urge the Senate Resources Committee to respectfully request that the Dunleavy Administration replace two of the four Board appointees with experts from the Yukon and Kuskokwim region.

Sincerely,

Tanana Chiefs Conference

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Victor Joseph".

Victor Joseph
Chief/Chairman

Madison Govin

From: mcafee.michelle@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Michelle McAfee
<mcafee.michelle@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 26, 2020 8:25 PM
To: Senate Resources
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Michelle McAfee
PO Box 345 Williams, OR 97544-0345
mcafee.michelle@gmail.com

Madison Govin

From: nrs321@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nico Reijns <nrs321@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 27, 2020 5:59 PM
To: Senate Resources
Subject: *****SPAM***** I am writing to you today regarding a very important issue

Dear Alaska Senate Resources Committee,

We are writing to express our significant concerns about Mr. Abe Williams' nomination to the Board of Fisheries by Governor Dunleavy, and to encourage the Legislature to reject his nomination.

The role of the Board of Fish is conserving and developing Alaska's fisheries and confirmation of Mr. Williams would call into question the Board's ability to responsibly manage Bristol Bay fisheries.

Mr. Williams has spent much of his career working to promote the proposed Pebble mine, which risks severe impacts to the sustainability and profitability of one of our state's most important fisheries. In recent years he has filed a lawsuit funded by the Pebble Limited Partnership against fellow commercial fishermen, consistently mischaracterized the overwhelming views of commercial fishermen and local communities from the region on the proposed mine, and testified dozens of times in support of developing the project despite the fact that it would permanently destroy between 105-300 miles of rivers and streams in the region. His long-standing commitment to the proposed Pebble mine and willingness to cast aside the undeniable harm it would cause to the local fisheries raise grave concerns and unresolvable conflicts with his ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the Board to conserve and develop Alaska's fisheries.

Bristol Bay has maintained near constant representation on the Board of Fish for 40 years. Replacing a board member in good standing who represents both the State's largest salmon fishery and rural Alaska with an active advocate for the Pebble Mine flies in the face of the values and priorities the Board of Fish is mandated to represent.

We urge the legislature to reject the nomination and encourage the Governor to find a more suitable candidate that has the faith of fishermen in fulfilling the Board's important role in managing our fisheries.

Sincerely,
Nico Reijns
PO Box 673 Girdwood, AK 99587-0673
nrs321@gmail.com

Chignik Regional Aquaculture Association

601 N Bragaw Street
Anchorage, AK 99508



Senator Peter Micciche
State Capitol Room 504
Juneau AK, 99801
Senator.Peter.Micciche@akleg.gov
Senate.Resources@akleg.gov

August 28, 2020

Re: Senate Resources Committee Letter of Support for the Reappointment of John Wood to the Board of Fisheries

Dear Senator Micciche,

Chignik Regional Aquaculture Association (CRAA) represents the interests of commercial, sport, and subsistence users of the salmon resources of the Chignik management area. CRAA supports the reappointment of John Wood to the Board of Fisheries. Commercial salmon fishing is the sole economic base of every municipality, most businesses, and a majority of the individuals living and working in the Chignik area.

The Chignik sockeye fishery is a historic fishery, and commercial fishing is an ingrained way of life for generations of people in and around the Chignik area. The Chignik sockeye fishery is wedged in between two larger intercept fisheries - the Kodiak Area fisheries to the East and South Alaska Peninsula fisheries to the West - that routinely harvest significant numbers of sockeye bound for the Chignik area. Decisions made by the Board of Fisheries about how to best manage these surrounding intercept fisheries are crucially important to the survival of the Chignik sockeye fishery and the economic and cultural survival of Association members.

Since John Wood was appointed in 2019, he has shown himself to be a quick study of complex management issues with a willingness to view issues from an independent point of view. He has demonstrated an extraordinary ability to listen to and understand all sides of complicated issues and achieve reasonable and equitable management compromises. The Board of Fisheries needs intelligent, perceptive, fair-minded individuals like John Wood. Alaska's natural fishery resources are vitally important and deserve highly qualified members like John Wood to serve on the Alaska Board of Fisheries.

The Chignik Regional Aquaculture Association strongly supports the appointment of John Wood to the Board of Fisheries.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Charles McCallum".

Charles McCallum, Executive Director