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February 5, 2019

## MEMORANDUM

- TO: Fish and Wildlife Committee
- FROM: Lynn Palensky
- SUBJECT: Regional Coordination Forum Briefing: February 2019 Meeting

## BACKGROUND:

- Presenters: Fish and Wildlife Committee Chair Norman and staff
- **Summary:** The Regional Coordination Forum (RCF) will meet the Monday before the Council meeting on February 11, 2018 (see attached <u>agenda</u>). Staff will brief the committee on highlights of the meeting.
- **Relevance:** The RCF allows the Council to engage with the fish and wildlife managers on the Council's priority fish and wildlife work. It also provides a forum in which the managers can raise other issues of regional importance or interest.
- Work plan: This work is being tracked in the fish and wildlife work plan.
- **Background:** The last RCF was held in June 2018. RCF agendas and meeting notes are posted on the Council's website <u>here</u>. Also see the Fish and Wildlife Program on Regional Coordination <u>page 121</u>.

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## February 11, 2019 Regional Coordination Forum Agenda (*DRAFT*) February 11, 2018, 12:30 p.m. (Pacific Time) to 5:30 p.m. <u>https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/303480317</u> 800-356-8278, code 186685

12:30 p.m.	Welcome and introductions	Guy Norman,
	purpose & objectives and confirm agenda	F&W Committee Chair
12:50-5:15 p.m.	Topics to discuss below (breaks as needed)	All
1. Amendr	ent process update – <u>recommendations</u> and comments	
	and regional interest in assessing program performance	
	eviews update (focus on Mainstem/Program Support)	
-	p on Research Review Recommendations	
	esearch needs related to fish propagation	
	abitat RM&E strategy development	
	Fish and other Anadromous Fish <u>Objectives</u> – comment	on content and layout of
	tool and discuss expectations for potential inclusion of s	-
program		
6. Ocean Fo	prum update	
	inagement <u>Strategic Plan</u> update	
8. News an		
a. S	almon Recovery <u>conference</u> in Tacoma (April)	
	PAFC meeting and International Year of the Salmon Wor	kshop (May)
c. F	sh Return Forecasts (March Council mtg)	
d. <u>T</u>	ransboundary Conference (Sept)	
e. C	ther important dates	
	cussion - any topic (remaining time)	
5:15-5:30 p.m.	Wrap up and schedule next meeting	Guy Norman