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April 30, 2019

MEMORANDUM

- TO: Committee members
- FROM: Patty O'Toole

SUBJECT: Continue discussion of the Fish and Wildlife Program amendments

BACKGROUND:

- Presenter: Staff
- **Summary:** The purpose of the May 6 and 7 work sessions are to review the preliminary draft of the amendments (pre-decisional document)
- **Relevance:** The Council is in the midst of its Fish and Wildlife amendment process. The Council called for recommendations to amend its Program in May of 2018 and recommendations were due on December 13, 2018.
- **Workplan:** Related to the Program amendment process described in the Fish and Wildlife Division workplan

Background:

At the May Fish and Wildlife Committee meeting, the staff will review the Fish and Wildlife Program amendment schedule and current and upcoming tasks. Prior to the meeting, the staff will provide the Committee members a draft amendment document for review and discussion. This document will be a *pre-decisional* amendment document and will not be shared publicly at this stage. Staff recommends that the Committee and staff review the document section by section during the May work sessions. Following those discussions, the staff will revise the document for the Committee webinar on May 22.

Steve Crow Executive Director