

Alaska Troller

FALL 2014

New Group Joins Anti-Commercial Fishing Lawsuit

Resources for All Alaskans has filed an amicus brief in support of the State of Alaska's decision not to add a setnet ban initiative to the August 2016 ballot. Lt. Governor Mead Treadwell announced his decision in January based on advice from the Department of Law, stating that such a ban is unconstitutional. The initiative sponsors sued the State in Superior Court.

Former Lieutenant Governor Loren Leman, an advisor to Resources for All Alaskans and himself a Cook Inlet set netter whose family has fished near Ninilchik for 100 years said, "This is yet another of several misguided attempts in recent years to manage resources by initiative. The writers of our constitution clearly understood the dangers in appropriating State resources that way."

Resources for All Alaskans is a growing statewide coalition of concerned citizens who oppose the misuse of ballot initiatives to improperly allocate or restrict Alaska's resources.

The organization is composed of a 6-member board, including Jim Butler, a 30 year commercial fisherman; John Garner, former Board of Fish member and current Executive Vice President of Trident Seafood; Jerry McCune, President of United Fishermen of Alaska and Cordova District Fishermen United; Dale Kelley, former UFA President and 25-year Executive Director of Alaska Trollers Association; Duncan Fields, a Kodiak set netter and North Pacific Fishery Management Council member; and Robin Samuelson, a 50 year Bristol Bay fisherman, former member of the Board of Fish and North Pacific Fishery Management Council.

The group's Advisory Council includes former state senators, processors, Native and commercial fishing, groups across the state. If the state loses the lawsuit, ATA will work with these groups and individuals to decide how best to prepare and defend the seafood industry against a ballot initiative.



L-R: Pete Knutson, Dr. Sanjay Gupta, Susan Cipollaro, George Eliason

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60 Minutes on Fish Farming

George Eliason F/V Tammy Lin, Washington gillnetter Pete Knudsen, and biologist Alexandra Morton of Canada, and Ian Roberts of Marine Harvest were recently interviewed by Dr. Sanjay Gupta for a story on fish farming aired by 60 Minutes. You might also recognize Dr. Gupta from CNN.

George's dad, Senator Dick Eliason, and Representative Ben Grussendorf were responsible for securing the legislative ban on fish farming in Alaska. George was a longtime ATA Board member and currently serves on the SPC board. He has a clear understanding not only of the industry point of view, but the evolution of the fish farm issue and policy development in Alaska.

George and the others did an outstanding job of expressing the concerns of fishermen and others who are skeptical about the ability of fish farmers to protect wild salmon. Dr. Gupta's story gave ample time to the fish farm sector, but drew no conclusions.

Check it out: [CBS News](#)

ATA's mission is to preserve, promote, and perpetuate the fishing industry in Alaska. We work for conservation, sound management, good public policy, and safety at sea for the general welfare and mutual benefit of all trollers.

2015 Board of Fisheries: Southeast/Yakutat Finfish

The Alaska Board of Fisheries will meet in Sitka February 23-March 4, 2015. This is your time to comment on proposals that could impact your fishing operation. This round, ATA has just one proposal, which is a trip limit intended to make sure the fleet gets the entire Chinook quota. Trip limits are not intended to change the July/August seasons. This would simply allow ADFG a mechanism to open the fishery if there are too few fish for a competitive opening. ATA board is working through the details, and welcomes your feedback. You can find the Board of Fisheries proposal book and information about how to comment at: [Board of Fish 2015](#). ATA will host several events in conjunction with the Board of Fish meeting – dates to be announced.



From the Director's Desk... Life in the fast lane seems to be a lifestyle here at ATA. Just when one issue settles down three more tend to erupt - and quite often it's a remake of something you thought got put to rest long ago. So, here we go again with a blast from the 90's - another anti-commercial fishing initiative and more skirmishes at treaty. It's a sad deal, really. In this day and age fish have too few advocates, yet there is a persistent notion by a select group that you have to eliminate fleets that harvest the stocks that you mutually catch.

Imagine if all the time, money, and energy invested in these fish wars was actually put to good use? Wonder if we'll ever see the day? As the cover story states, we are involved with others in a lawsuit challenging the ballot initiative. Supporters have been allowed to gather signatures in case they win in court. If the court rules with the state, there will be no ballot measure. However, if the court rules with Bob Penney and his Kenai sport contingent, we will be launched into an election battle. We've prepared for this fight before, and we're doing it again. It will take significant resources and the legal battle has already been costly. Stay tuned for updates as events unfold. What you can do in the meantime is make sure that your industry group is strong and prepared for battle.

Treaty will be another key area of focus through the 2018 renegotiation. It's a tough environment, but ATA and the state are working hard to roll back unnecessary restrictions and get the 'abundance based' agreement back on track.

Rock on... dk

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Dues Changes in 2014

Dear ATA Members...

This year brought some dues rates changes. Powertroll dues went up \$50 at each level, and Handtroll dues decreased by the same amount. Lifetime memberships were increased in both categories. Crew, business, and processor dues remain the same. This is only the second time dues have been revised in more than 25 years. It was a difficult decision for the ATA Board of Directors.

We all know that costs are rising in every facet of business; your gear group is not immune. Here at ATA we work hard to keep expenses down and have made deep cuts with that in mind. There are more changes to come. However, it is also essential to make sure the troll fleet maintains an independent voice on issues that impact our industry. Without additional funds, that just won't be possible. We are deeply grateful for the extra support that members SPC, Sitka Sound Seafoods, and Triad Fisheries consistently provide. However, a gear group relies most heavily on the strong backing of individual fishermen, in addition to our processors and support businesses. Your participation is vital and appreciated - there is strength in numbers!

Thanks for your support. It is our great pleasure to serve the fleet. Hopefully you will continue to be a part of the ATA team and inspire your friends, crew, and local businesses to join.

Good Fishing!

ATA Board and Staff

Come On! Join ATA - It's Easy, and Important

Mike Rugo, F/V Barbi J
Membership Chairman

For the most part, as Troller's, we generally get up in the early morning, get the gear in the water, and go about the business of earning a living. There's a lot packed into an average day, with many difficult decisions to be made and lots to be responsible for. We, for the most part, take this scenario for granted without giving too much thought to what goes on behind the scenes of our industry. I'm as guilty as the next guy on the drag when it comes to giving back. It's a full time job staying focused on the work at hand so we can be as effective and efficient as possible, without taking on more responsibilities.

As another troll season comes to a close it may be a great time to show your appreciation for some of the work ATA has been doing, center stage and behind the scenes, on Troller's behalf.

The Chinook Mitigation Program is a good example of one of the many issues ATA has dealt with recently. Troller's didn't have a choice when it came to losing 15% of our Chinook quota, but ATA made sure that mitigation money was secured to assist the troll industry. There were many choices to be made when deciding how best to spend the mitigation money. As representatives of the fleet, ATA was successful in setting up programs to help Troller's and the communities they live in. Programs like salmon enhancement, salmon fishery infrastructure, and of course putting cash in your pocket with the Direct Pay Program. Take a look around and you'll see icing upgrades, fuel delivery system, dock and equipment upgrades spread around Southeast. A lot of money was spent on hatchery production and expansion, including repairs and upgrades to NSRAA and SSRAA hatcheries that we fishermen own.

I believe ATA plays a very important role in helping to protect and shape our industry. Someone has to deal with issues as they arise to insure the Troller's best interests are top priority. ATA is that someone !

So thank you if you're already a member, but if not, it's time for you to get more involved - please join today. It's affordable, and easy.

How You and Your Buddies Can Join ATA ...

- Fill out and send the application in this newsletter.
- Download an application at aktrollers.org and mail in.
- Call the office (586-9400) with credit card information.
- Send your phone number to ata@gci.net - request call back to give credit card info.

Easy.



Election Day: Tuesday, November 4, 2014

Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Important Dates

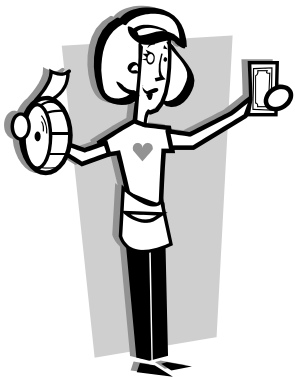
October 5	Registration and Registration Updates Deadline - , 2014
October 20	Early and In-Person Absentee Voting Begins
October 25	Absentee By-Mail Application Deadline
November 3	Absentee by Electronic Transmission Application Deadline

For more information election information and absentee voting click [here](#).

Prize	Donor	Winner	City
Grand Prize \$2500	ATA	Howard Pendell	Sitka
2nd Prize \$1000	ATA	Ben Lawrie	Sitka
3rd Prize \$500	ATA	Mark Tupper	Bothell
Hooded Sweatshirt	Alaskan Brewing Co.	Garry Mulligan	Pt Alexander
Gift Bag	Alaskan Brewing Co.	Susan Padilla	Sitka
\$100 Fuel	Clover Pass Resort	Brian Castle	Craig
\$300 Custom Processing	The Cedars Lodge	Gail Gowdy	Seattle
\$400 Haul Out & Storage	City of Craig	Mike Bobo	Craig
Smoked Canned Salmon	E.C. Phillips & Son	Harriet Wadley	Craig
Smoked Canned Salmon	E.C. Phillips & Son	Matt Lawrie	Sitka
Smoked Canned Salmon	E.C. Phillips & Son	Peter Stein	Chimacum
Smoked Canned Salmon	E.C. Phillips & Son	Martin Gowdy	Seattle
Smoked Canned Salmon	E.C. Phillips & Son	Jeff Favour	Sitka
Smoked Canned Salmon	E.C. Phillips & Son	Adam Hackett	Sitka
3 hours Welding @ Shop	Precision Boatworks	Deuce Audette	Sitka
Round-trip on Travel-lift	City of Wrangell	Bill Privett	Wrangell
\$100 Fuel & Moorage	City of Pelican	Joe Emerson	Juneau
\$100 Gift Card	Western Auto Marine	Ian Cryan	Juneau
Haul out and pressure wash	Seaview Boat Yard	Sue Nelson	Pt Townsend
\$100 Gift Certificate	Madison Lumber & Hardware	Julianne Curry	Petersburg
Mustang Immersion Suit	Seattle Marine and Fishing Supply	Zach Stenson	Juneau
Jinkai line, sleeves, crimp tool	U.S. Seven Oceans	Sue Short	Petersburg
\$100 Gift Certificate	Glacier Auto	Bart Watson	Juneau
\$25 Gift Certificate	Safeway	Zach Stenson	Juneau
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	JoDean Bifoss	Pt Hadlock
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	George Eliason	Sitka
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	Joel Kawahara	Quilcene
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	Mike Rentel	Juneau
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	Dave & Palmer	Petersburg
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	Sean Roberts	Craig
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	Vera Goudima	Petersburg
Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	Linda Danner	Sitka
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Trolling Spoons	Silver Horde	Ed Wood	Petersburg
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Prize	Donor	Winner	City
Trolling Hooks	Qi Hooks	Tom Sims	Wrangell
Embroidered Jacket	Harry's Custom Services	Pamela Moore	Haines
Logo Hat and Hoody	Piston & Rudder	Mark Hofmann	Olga
One Nights Lodging & River Trip for 2	Zimovia Bed & Breakfast and Breakaway Adventures	John Weyhmiller	Wrangell
Stormr Typhoon Jacket	LFS, Inc.	Steve Ricci	Juneau
Stormr Typhoon Jacket	LFS, Inc.	Brian Merritt	Wrangell
2 hrs Labor	Skookum Canvas Works	Maritn Gowdy	Seattle
Garmin Fishfinder	Rocky's Marine	Laura Oman	Petersburg
Art Print	Dianne Anderson	Kellie Henwood	Pt Townsend

Tickets?



ATA 24th Annual Raffle

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1st	\$2,500
2nd	\$1,000
3rd	\$500

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When: February 2015

Where: Sitka, Alaska

Tickets: Still a bargain @ \$20 each

Contact the office or a board member for tickets.

ATA Election Results

Congratulations to (nearly) new and returning board members.

Sitka

Tad Fujioka, Merlin
Matt Lawrie, Born Again

At Large

Thatcher Brouwer, Deep Sea

Wrangell

Mike Rugo, Barbi J

Juneau

Ken McGee, North Star

Northern Rural

Jim Moore, Aljac

Southern Rural

Steve Merritt, C'est La Vie

Handtroll

Casey Mapes, Mai Tai

Lower 48

Martin Gowdy, Charity

2014 Ballot Deadline Oct. 10th! Call the office for information or if you don't receive the election packet.

Many Thanks...

The last election brought ATA four new board members, which meant that four others moved on to new adventures.

The fleet owes a debt of gratitude to longtime ATA treasurer and Board of Fish warrior Jeff Longridge (Saami), and fellow board members Kathi Warm (Restless Wind), Steve Ricci (Helen T), and Jim Phillips (Pacific Dawn). Each of these fine people brought a unique history and perspective to the ATA board table, and we are all better for it!

Thanks Jeff, Kathi, Steve, and Jim for your service and sage advice. Your hard work helping to chart the fleet's course is very much appreciated.

2014 Legislative Summary

The following measures became law this year.

SB 71 - Payment of Fisheries Resource Landing Tax : Fisheries landing tax payments will now coincide with the release of the state's annual price report; this should be of particular help to fishermen who direct market their catch. The law also allows salmon hatcheries to collect cost recovery fees from harvesters based on either a flat-rate or percentage basis. A salmon and herring product development tax credit from HB 204 was merged with SB 71, to encourage innovation in product development and utilization of seafood waste.

HB 143 - 7-Day Crew Members License : Fees were doubled for this license to put it on a par with resident license rates. This was due to the growing number of non-resident deckhands purchasing back to back 7 day licenses to avoid the higher rate. This in turn was reducing contributions to the Fishermen's Fund.

SB 159 / HB 300 - Air Ambulance Services : Senator Stedman and Representative Munoz introduced this legislation to make sure that air ambulance insurance membership programs can continue in Alaska.

HB 77 Land Use and Water Rights : The Governor requested this bill, but it failed to pass due to public concerns over agency authority, public process, and potential degradation of water quality. ATA opposed the initial draft and worked with Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to clarify the bill and suggest changes. DNR intends to recommend a revised version next session.

HB 156, SB 54, HB 71 Weathervane Scallop and Haircrab Limited Entry : These bills would have continued the limited entry programs for scallop and hair crab, which were both under a moratorium. By the end of the session, hair crab was secured, but the scallop fishery was not. For the first time in the history of Alaska's limited entry program, the legislature has allowed a fishery to revert to open access.

HJR 5 Oppose FDA Approval of GE Salmon : The Alaska legislature continued its history of sending a strong message to the federal government concerning its stance on genetically engineered salmon. This resolution urges the FDA to deny Aquabounty's application to produce GE salmon. In the event the federal government moves forward with approval, legislators are asking for strong labeling requirements. If FDA gives the nod to GE salmon it will be the first transgenic animal ever approved, and will open the door for companies to pursue a number of other animals and insects kept waiting in the wings for decades.

Alaska Department of Fish and Game & Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute : While legislators reduced ADFG's budget less than anticipated it appears that they also gave more direction for how funds will be spent. That ties ADFG's hands and allows for less flexibility when special management needs arise. ADFG relies heavily on both state and federal funding, so national belt tightening the next few years will only add to the problem. Another \$10 million will be injected into the Governor's \$30 million Chinook research initiative, which is investigating reduced production around the state. ASMI will also see a 5% reduction in 2015.

Alaska Marine Safety Education Association (AMSEA): AMSEA's budget was nearly eliminated this session, but coastal legislators were finally able to preserve 75%. AMSEA was also slated to lose a portion of its federal grants, so ATA weighed in to support them there as well. The combined loss of funding will be problematic if the USCG follows through with new safety training requirements as anticipated for as early as next fall. If you appreciate the convenience of classes offered in your port by [AMSEA](#), consider a donation or membership.

The Food to Schools Program was fully funded at \$3 million, which will provide seafood lunches to Alaska students in the coming year.

Preliminary 2012 Harvest Review

CHINOOK	Quota Allocation	Treaty Catch	AK Hatchery Add-on	D8 Stikine Exempt	D11 Taku Exempt	Harvest Total
All Gear Quota				US TAC = 0	US TAC =0	
Troll						
Winter		54,008	2,503			56,511
Spring		34,792	8,238			43,030
Summer		250,896	3,869			254,765
Annette Island		129	0			129
Total Troll	325,411	339,825	14,610			354,435
Seine	18,894	14,404	11,509			25,913
Drift Gillnet	12,743	4,434	16,779			21,212
Set Gillnet	1,000	244	0			244
Sport	81,353	71,310	8,506			79,816
Total	113,990	90,392	38,557			93,156
Total All Gear	439,401	394,465	53,167			447,591

COHO	Catch	2014 % Commercial	Avg % Commercial (1989-2014)	BOF Allocation %	Deviation from Allocation 2014	Deviation from Allocation 1989-2013
Troll	2,245,137	67%	64%	61%	10%	5%
Seine	393,708	12%	14%	19%	-38%	-25%
Drift Gillnet	558,564	17%	15%	13%	28%	13%
Set Gillnet	161,977	5%	7%	7%	-31%	-2%
Total Commercial	3,359,386					

CHUM	Catch
Total Troll	200,064



Winter Fishery	Total	Permits	Landings	Avg Wt.	Avg. Fish Ticket Price
2014	56,534	464	3,923	11.8	\$6.89
5 yr Avg (2010-14)	44,883	467	3,736	12.2	\$7.32
10 yr Avg (2005-14)	41,739	460	3,721	12.8	\$6.72

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Sealaska Lands Claim

The Alaska Delegation introduced *Southeast Alaska Native Land Entitlement Finalization and Jobs Protection Act* to complete a transfer of lands to Sealaska under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act (ANCSA). Both [S.340](#) and [H.R.740](#) provide land for timber and non-timber based development, as well as cultural and historic sites. The bills cleared key committees in both the House and Senate. S. 340 was recently merged with National Defense Authorization Act, which Congress is expecting to consider before end of year.

The legislation allows land selections to be made outside of the areas originally requested by Sealaska and defined in ANCSA. It also allows the rollback of 100' buffer strips in key riparian areas and is vague with respect to permissible forms of development.

ATA agrees that it is important to finalize Sealaska's land claims and appreciates that the Alaska delegation and Sealaska took time to discuss these bills with local citizens. This has resulted in a number of positive changes. However, there are still questions to be answered and the lack of adequate buffer strip protection is of concern. It is our hope that the delegation will reconsider some aspects of this legislation prior to final passage.

Tongass 77

Tongass 77 is a legislative concept to permanently protect approximately 1.9 million acres of high-value salmon watersheds in the Tongass National Forest. These areas would be designated LUD II under the Tongass Land Use Management Plan. Trout Unlimited, Alaska Program (TU AK) has worked with many others to analyze more than 1,000 Southeast Alaska watersheds. TU AK has selected what they believe to be the highest quality salmon habitat from amongst those watersheds that are not currently protected. If a Tongass 77 bill is written and enacted, these watersheds would be protected under Land Use Designation II (LUDII). TU AK is currently seeking a congressional sponsor for the proposal. You can learn more about the Tongass 77 concept and the science behind the watershed selection process at www.americansalmonforest.org. Feedback on the proposal is encouraged. Contact TU AK Outreach Assistant Heather Hardcastle at (907)209-8486 / hhardcastle@tu.org.

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ATA has not taken a position on Tongass 77. However, the Alaska congressional delegation as been informed of our support for additional habitat protection in the Tongass. We submitted area suggestions and expressed misgivings about how LUD II area designations are sometimes handled under the current law. For instance, some communities and hatcheries have had trouble getting approval for even small development and improvement projects. ATA requested a new or modified LUD II designation for any new areas slated for protection. As for Tongass 77, Trout Unlimited AK's analyses and legislative concept have merit and ATA supports using it as a basis for discussion between Southeast residents about how best to protect and develop the Tongass.



SEAK Native Land Entitlement Finalization and Jobs Protection Act	Sen. Lisa Murkowski S. 340	Rep. Don Young H.R. 740
Time Sealaska has to accept or reject if bill enacted.	90 days	90 days
What if Sealaska rejects the terms of the bill?	Interior must make interim land conveyances within 5 yrs.	Interior makes interim land conveyances within 27 mo.
Amount of land Sealaska would receive.	18 parcels - 69,585 acres	25 parcels - 69,235 acres
Non-commercial public use and subsistence allowed?	Yes	Yes
Number of Cemetery and Historic Places	76 sites - 490 acres. Sealaska must apply - none in conservation areas.	127 sites - 840 acres. Sealaska must apply - no conservation areas.
Can Sealaska put restrictions on conveyed lands?	Reasonable restrictions allowed.	Reasonable restrictions allowed.
Access for Existing Guides and Outfitters	Current permit terms with one 10 year renewal.	Current permit terms with one 10 year renewal.
Trade and migration routes	Some renamed; open to Sealaska and the public.	Some renamed; open to Sealaska and the public.
New conservation areas: Bay of Pillars, Kushneahin Creek, N. POW, W. Kosciusko, E. Kosciusko, Sarkar Lakes, Honker Divide, Eek Lake, and Sukkwan Island.	Yes	
Public easements under ANCSA.	Yes	Yes
Buffer Strips	100' buffers on Trout, Old Tom, Karheen, and Tuxekan Creeks - all other waterbodies subject to state Forest Practices Act (e.g. 66').	
10-yr easement for ongoing USFS research	Yes	Yes
Negotiations within one year of enactment on the use of roads and transportation facilities by Sealaska and the Forest System.	Yes	Yes
Provides Sealaska use of the log transfer facility at Shipley Bay on Kosciusko Island.	Yes	Yes
Could allow the early harvest of young trees, to transition away from old growth harvest. Sets limits on the sale of those trees.	Yes	
Allows Alaska Native Corporations to work with the federal government to protect and restore forestlands.		Yes
Allows Native Corporations to secure grants and other support to manage historic sites and programs.		Yes

Calendar

September		
	National Preparedness Month	www.ready.gov/september
26-28	UFA Board of Directors	
26	40th Anniversary UFA Banquet	
October		
1	COMMENT DUE: Board of Fish Agenda Change Requests	Agenda Change Requests
5	Voter Registration and Update Deadline	http://elections.alaska.gov/ei_general.php
25	Absentee Ballots Due	
November		
4	General Election	
5-7	ATA Board of Directors Meeting	Prospector Hotel, Juneau
19-21	Fish EXPO —ATA PORT MEETING 1pm 11/20	CenturyLink Field—Seattle
2015		
Feb 9	COMMENTS DUE: SE/YKT Board of Fish	Proposal Book
Feb 23 - Mar 3	Board of Fisheries Meeting: SE/YKT Finfish	Sitka
	ATA Board Meeting / Port Mtg /Raffle Event	

Remember to check out the many fine businesses that support ATA and the troll fleet.

Anderes Oil, Ketchikan	Madison Lumber, Ketchikan	Sitka Boat Watch, Sitka
Bruce Weyhrauch, Juneau	Murray Pacific, Ketchikan	Sitka Salmon Shares, Illinois
City of Craig	Murray Pacific, Sitka	Sitka Sound Seafoods
City of Port Alexander	Ocean Beauty XIP	Taku Oil, Juneau
City of Pelican	Ottesen's True Value Hardware	Taku Smokeries, Juneau
City of Wrangell	Petersburg Fisheries, Petersburg	The Boat Company, WA, DC
Delta Western, Sitka	Petro Marine, Seward	The Office Bar, Hoonah
Hill Bar & Liquor, Craig	Precision Boatworks, Sitka	Timber & Marine Supply, KTN
E.C. Phillips & Son, Ketchikan	Qi Hooks, Sitka	Tongass Trading, Ketchikan
First Bank, Ketchikan	Seafood Producers Co-op	Trading Union, Petersburg
Hammer& Wikan, Petersburg	Sea Mart, Sitka	Triad Fisheries
Hoonah Cold Storage	Seattle Marine, Seattle	Union Machine Shop, Ketchikan
House of Liquors, Sitka	Service Auto Parts, Ketchikan	US Seven Oceans, Mukilteo
LFS, Inc, Bellingham	Shoreline, Pelican	Yakutat Seafoods, Yakutat

"Never trust a man who sells tools but never uses them." Marcel Pagnol

Welcome New Members

(Through 10/31/14)

New	Boat	Home Port	Type
Daniel Thompson	Sven	Wrangell	HT
Brett Zaenglein	Ginger	Sitka	HT
Lonnie Swanson	Possibility	Sitka	PT
Paul deMontigny	New Adventure	Petersburg	PT
Tad Fujioka	Merlin	Sitka	PT
Mike Sofoulis	Sally Girl	Auke Bay	PT
Walt Ingram	Caledo	Bellingham	PT
Evan Seager	Mindalina	Mukilteo	PT
Robby Jarvill	Deep Sea	Sitka	PT
Jeff Schmidt	Pacific Ranger	Kittitas, WA	PT
Mike Rentel	Harmony Isle	Anchorage	PT
Ryan Kelly	Mojo	Wrangell	PT
Dave Harman	Princess Pat III	Juneau	PT
Robert Meyer	Fram	Meyers Chuck	PT
David Whitmire	Virga	Homer	PT

John Cantelow	Valle Lee	Port Angeles	CW
Byron Reeves	Willie Lee II	Raymond, WA	CW
Marlyse Battistella	Preamble	Los Osos	CW

Sitka Salmon Shares		Galesburg, IL	B
Qi Hooks		Sitka	B

Upgrades

Joel Steenstra	Adagio	Craig	PT
Evan Norbistrath	Swan	Pt Angeles	PT/S
Max Mielke	Chelsey	Juneau	PT/S
Ed Wood	Talon	Petersburg	PT/S
Peter Krovina	Tarka	Sitka	PT/S
Tracy Emanuel	Yankee	Sitka	PT/S
Fred Sears	Pala II	Morrow Bay	PT/S
Ron Merritt	Hardtack	Wrangell	PT/S
Spencer Severson	Dryas	Sitka	PT/G
Joel Kawahara	Karolee	Quilcene	PT/G
Mike Douville	Heather D	Craig	PT/G
Cory Gifford	Seaward	Pt Alexander	PT/P
Ken Wilkinson	Chief Joseph	Sitka	PT/P
Jason Gjertsen	Ocean Cape	Sitka	PT/P
Matt Peavey	Anne Louise	Craig	PT/P
Hammer and Wikan		Petersburg	B/S
City of Craig		Craig	B/S

Retired

John Carver	Donna	Bellingham
Bob Fredrickson	New Day	Pt. Angeles

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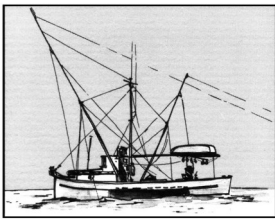
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☐ Renewal ☐ New Member

Category	Power	Hand	Crew	Processor	Other Business	For Your Convenience...
Basic	350	150	75	500	250	You may include the following dues & contributions along with your ATA dues: <input type="checkbox"/> ATA Treaty Defense (\$___ donation) <input type="checkbox"/> ATA Legal Fund (\$___ donation) <input type="checkbox"/> United Fishermen of Alaska (\$175 dues) <input type="checkbox"/> Halibut Coalition (\$___ donation)
Silver	400	200	110	1000	500	
Gold	450	250	160	2500	1000	
Platinum	550	350	300	5000	2500	
LIFE	5000	2000	750			
1st YR Initiation Rate	175	75				
Retired Troller	50	50	50			

Name: _____ F/V: _____

Address: _____ City/Zip: _____

Phone/Cell: _____ E-Mail: _____

Crew Size: ☐ Ice Boat: ☐ Freezer Boat: ☐ Direct Seafood Marketer: ☐ Processor: ☐ SPC: ☐ UFA: ☐

Other Fisheries: _____

Are you willing to volunteer some time and/or expertise to ATA? Yes ☐ No ☐ Call-In Program? Yes ☐ No ☐

DONATION: \$ _____ Use extra donation for: Legal ☐ Treaty ☐ Publicity ☐ General Purposes ☐

T-SHIRTS: Men's: Blue, Forest Green, Charcoal, Brown, Black w/logo (M, L, XL, XXL) Women's: Grey (M, L, XL) Black w/logo (L)

	Qty.	Size(s)	Color(s)		Qty.	Color(s)
Long-sleeve \$25	_____	_____	_____	Hat: \$25 - TEMPORARILY OUT OF STOCK		
Short-sleeve \$25	_____	_____	_____	Raffle Ticket: \$20 each # _____		

May we substitute if color/style choice unavailable? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Method of Payment: Check ☐ Mastercard ☐ Visa ☐ Need a Receipt? ☐

Account # _____ Exp. Date: _____

Amount: \$ _____ 3-Digit Code: _____ Signature: _____

A receipt for tax purposes is sent to all members in late January. Check only if you need an extra receipt. Yes ☐ No ☐

