

## WASHINGTON COASTAL CRAB ADVISORY BOARD

The Coastal Dungeness Crab Advisory Board is comprised of fifteen members – with the majority representing active fishers, however membership should also including crab processing representatives. Advisors are appointed by the Director and are selected based on various criteria, including:

- Experience in the coastal Dungeness crab fishery.
- Affiliation/membership to a larger group (to maximize stakeholder participation).
- Size of the vessel used (to ensure small and large boat representation).
- Area fished (for broad geographical representation).

A primary responsibility of Advisory Board members is to provide advice to the Department relative to the needs of the coastal Dungeness crab industry. Part of that responsibility includes being available to listen to the ideas and opinions of fellow industry members and to bring them back for discussion during Advisory Board meetings.

Nominations (self-nominations allowed) must include the following:

NAME:
ADDRESS:
PHONE:
HOME PORT:
EXPERIENCE:
AFFILIATIONS:
SIZE OF VESSEL:
AREA GENERALLY FISHED:
PLEASE USE ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NECESSARY

Please return by May 22, 2017 to WDFW, Dan Ayres, 48 Devonshire Road, Montesano, WA 98563 or FAX 360-249-1229 or email at <u>Daniel.Ayres@dfw.wa.gov</u>