



State of Washington
Department of Fish and Wildlife

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Dear Coastal Dungeness crab License Holder:

The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (Department) is soliciting nominations for individuals interested in serving on the Coastal Dungeness crab Advisory Board. The Advisory Board is made up of fifteen representatives of the coastal Dungeness crab industry that are appointed by the Director and will serve a two-year term.

If selected to serve on the Advisory Board, members must willing to communicate with others involved in the coastal crab industry, solicit their opinions and ideas and share those with the Department and Advisory Board. Once the Advisory Board members have been selected a contact sheet will be provided to all coastal Dungeness crab license owners.

Included are more details on the responsibilities of Advisory Board members and instructions for submitting nominations.

Nominations are due May 22, 2017 at the address or FAX number listed above or emailed to Daniel.Ayres@dfw.wa.gov

Please contact me at 360-249-4628 ext. 209 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Dan L. Ayres, Coastal Shellfish Manager

Cc: Michele Culver, Intergovernmental Ocean Policy Manager
Heather Reed, Coastal Marine Resources Policy Coordinator