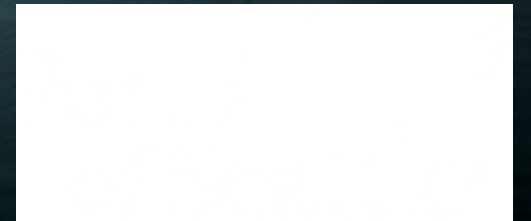




North Pacific Fishing Fleet and COVID-19

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Agenda



- Fishing: essential work to feed our Economy
- COVID-19 impact to our fishing fleets
 - Overview of different fleets
 - Alaska response and impact to fleet
 - Fleet preparation

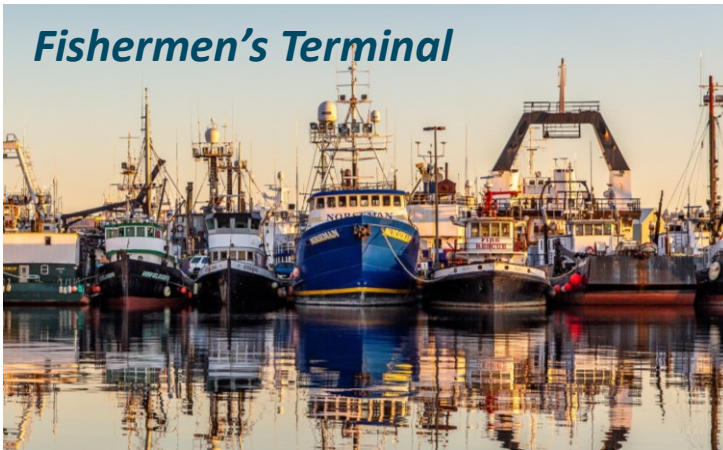
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Terminal 91



Fishermen's Terminal



Summary

- Two primary fleets.
- Large boats at T91 harvest and process Pollock, Pollock roe, hake, yellow-fin sole and other flat fish.
- Smaller boats at FT harvest salmon, halibut, black cod and other species.

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Summary

- 11,300 jobs.
- \$543 million in payroll.
- \$1.4 billion in business output.
- 13% of total US commercial fisheries harvest by value.
- 44% of all gross earnings from U.S. North Pacific Fisheries.
- 72% of commercial fish biomass from U.S. North Pacific Fisheries is exported.
- Seafood is in the NWSA's top five export commodities by value.

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Actions by State of Alaska

- Governor has issued two health mandates affecting commercial fishing.
- Self-quarantine for 14 days.
- Restrictions on in-state travel.
- Commercial fishing is classified as an essential activity for the State of Alaska and the Port of Seattle.

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Actions by State of Alaska

- Each vessel must submit Community Workforce Protective Plan to DHS.
- 32 AK communities have enacted local rules.
- Vessels must check-in with harbor master.
- 14-day quarantine is preferred.
- Vessel transit from Lower 48 to AK can be included in quarantine period.
- Information on compliance with AK requirements available on CFEC web site.

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Actions by large boat fleet

- At least one company is working with CTA to use Smith Cove Cruise Terminal for testing.
- Working with AFISHC, a cross-industry group in WA and AK.

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Actions by large boat fleet

- Health screening.
- Limiting Vessel Access.
- Critical Crew kept aboard.
- Fishers are working to meet AK guidelines.
- Fishing Associations are providing information.
- POS fishing facilities are open and serving the fleets.

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Actions by small boat fleet

- Fishers are working to meet AK guidelines.
- Fishing Associations are providing information.
- POS fishing facilities are open and serving the fleets.

SOCIAL DISTANCING
SIX FEET APART IS SMART



Avoid crowds



Six feet apart is smart

More information: www.cdc.gov/COVID19

Prevention & Treatment

THE BEST WAY TO PREVENT ILLNESS IS TO
AVOID BEING EXPOSED TO THIS VIRUS.



Preventive Actions

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
 - Avoid touching your face, eyes, and mouth.
 - Stay home when you are sick.
 - Cover your cough or sneeze with your elbow. Use elbow or tissue to cover mouth.
 - Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe.
 - Follow CDC's recommendations for using a face mask.
- CDC does not recommend the general use of face masks when you are well. Face masks are primarily used to protect people who are sick from spreading germs to others. The use of face masks is also advised for health care workers and people who are taking care of someone who is sick in a home or in a health care facility.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after going to the bathroom, before eating, and after touching your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
 - If soap and water are not readily available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol. Always wash hands with soap and water if hands are really dirty.

Treatment

- People who think they may have been exposed to COVID-19 should contact their health care provider immediately.
- IMMEDIATE PREVENTIVE ACTIONS CAN HELP PREVENT THE ONSET OF RESPIRATORY DISEASE.

What additional support is needed?

