



NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Call for Nominations for 2025 Advisory Panel and SSC Membership

June 15-31, 2024

The Council is accepting nominations for its [Scientific and Statistical Committee](#) (SSC) and [Advisory Panel](#) (AP). Nominations, letters of interest, and a resume should be submitted to the Executive Director through this comment portal by **October 31 at 5 pm** Alaska time. Please note that submissions will be viewable on this webpage.

The **SSC members** serve one-year terms and may be reappointed with no term limits. Posted online is a list with the expertise and affiliation of [current SSC members](#) (including current resumes), and a description of SSC member duties is provided in the [SSC handbook](#). All current members of the SSC are requesting reappointment, with the exception of Dr. Amy Bishop and Dr. Michael Jepson. The Council is seeking candidates with the following expertise: (1) a social scientist with a background in anthropology, sociology, human geography, or a related field; and (2) a scientist with broad expertise in quantitative ecosystem science and/or ecology with a specific expertise in marine mammals. While not a requirement, the Council values candidates who have experience working with Alaska coastal communities and/or with scientific expertise with LKTK.

A description of AP membership criteria and duties is included in the [AP Handbook](#). Members can be appointed for a 1, 2, or 3-year term by the Council, with a maximum of three consecutive three-year terms. A posted spreadsheet provides the [representation of current AP members](#) by fishery, sector, and interest group.

Members who have served a 1-year orientation year. The year is eligible to be extended into a full 3-year term:

Tiffany Andrew - *requesting reappointment*
Nels Evens - *requesting reappointment*
Annika Saltman - *requesting reappointment*

Members whose 3-year term is expiring:

Tamara Briggie - *requesting reappointment*
Gretar Gudmundsson - *requesting reappointment*
Lauren Howard - *requesting reappointment*
Paul Wilkins - *requesting reappointment*
Susie Zagorski - *requesting reappointment*
Tim Heuker
Brian Ritchie

Please attach your letter of interest, resume, and any letters of support by clicking the "comment now" button.

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Nominations for the SSC

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